



Training VII.  
Developing skills to use climatic information and  
services for various climate-dependent branches of  
economy

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Training 7 of the ClimEd Project will take place at the Faculty of Tourism and Geography of the Rovira I Virgili University between April 7<sup>th</sup> and April 11<sup>th</sup> of 2025.

The Faculty of Tourism and Geography venue is Joanot Martorell 15, s/n, in Vila-Seca, Tarragona.

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# How to arrive to Vila-seca



## By Bus

### From the Airport to Sants Station or Tarragona:

Depending on the time and day, there may be direct bus services from the airport to Tarragona, or you may need to take a bus to Sants Station in Barcelona and then change to another bus or train towards Tarragona.

[Plana](#) is one company that offers routes that may include stops in cities near Vila-seca or in Vila-seca itself.

## General Tips

**From Tarragona to Vila-Seca:** If you arrive in Tarragona by bus or train, you can take a local or short-distance train or bus to Vila-Seca. Check the local bus or the R14, R15, or R16 trains that stop at Vila-Seca.

**Tickets:** Purchasing tickets in advance is advisable, especially for long-distance trains requiring seat reservations.

**Schedules and Routes:** Always verify schedules and routes on your travel day, as there can be last-minute changes or cancellations.

## By Train

### From the Airport to Sants Station:

Take the R2 Nord train service from the airport's train station to Sants Station in Barcelona. Trains usually depart approximately every 30 minutes. Travel time: About 20 minutes.

### From Sants Station to Vila-seca:

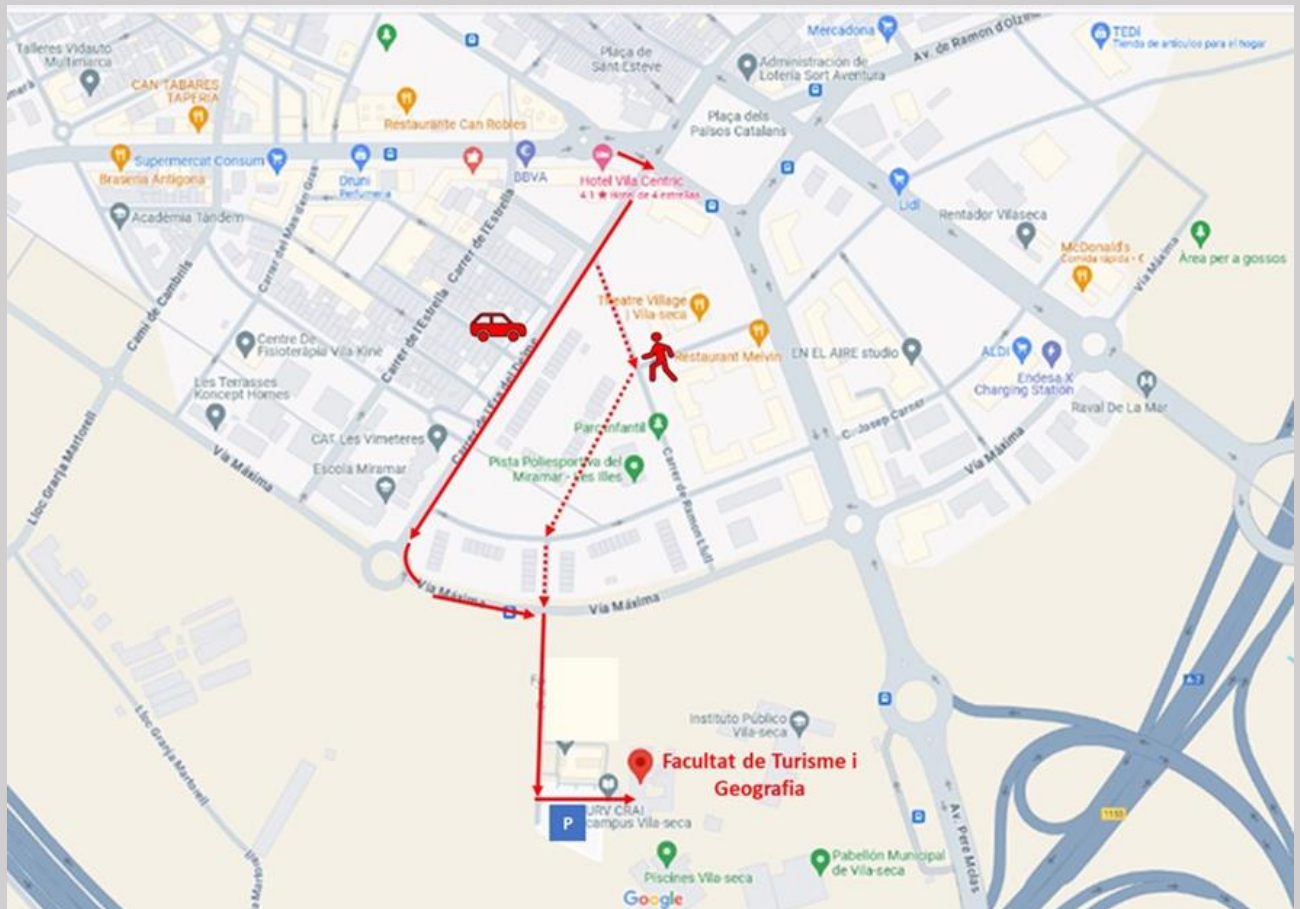
At Sants Station, switch to a medium-distance train (R16) or a long-distance service heading towards Tarragona or further south, **ensuring the train stops at Vila-seca.**

Travel time: About 1 hour and 10 minutes, depending on the service.

# How to arrive to faculty

The university campus is located away from the urban centre of Vila-Seca, between the town and PortAventura. It is accessible on foot from the centre of Vila-seca and the PortAventura train station. Whether you're coming from the heart of Vila-Seca or travelling by train, the campus is easily reachable, providing a perfect balance between academic pursuits and leisure activities.

Link on Google Maps of Faculty of Tourism and Geography from Vila-seca



# Some Leisure

In and around Vila-seca, there are plenty of activities to engage in after a day of training. Whether you're into history, nature, or entertainment, this region offers a diverse set of options:

1. **Visit PortAventura World:** One of Europe's largest theme parks near Vila-seca and URV's faculty.
2. **Explore Tarragona:** A short drive away, Tarragona is known for its well-preserved Roman ruins, including the Amphitheatre, the Forum, and the Pont del Diable aqueduct. The city's old town is also lovely to wander, with narrow streets, ancient buildings, and a beautiful cathedral.
3. **Relax on the Beach:** The Costa Daurada boasts beautiful beaches.
4. **Discover Reus:** The birthplace of the architect Antoni Gaudí, Reus has a charming town centre with several modernist buildings. The Gaudí Centre Reus Museum is dedicated to his life and work, providing insights into his architectural genius.
5. **Wine Tasting in Priorat:** If you're willing to venture further, the Priorat wine region is known for its high-quality wines. Many vineyards offer tours and tastings, where you can learn about wine-making and sample local produce.
6. **Visit the Monastery of Poblet:** This UNESCO World Heritage Site is one of the world's largest and most complete Cistercian abbeys. It's within an hour's drive from Vila-seca and offers a fascinating glimpse into medieval monastic life.
7. **Enjoy Local Cuisine:** The Costa Daurada is renowned for its seafood and traditional Catalan dishes. Try specialities like "xató," a salad with anchovies, tuna, and an almond-based sauce, or "arròs negre," a squid ink rice dish.



Source: Port Aventura World



Source: Ajuntament de Tarragona



Source: Ajuntament de Reus



Source: Generalitat de Catalunya