

SIEC-ISBE 2025 International Conference in Malta



July 22 – 26, 2025

THEME: Empowering persons through business education

University of Malta, Valletta

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Can business education empower individuals and communities? How can this process be carried out? What are the challenges involved?

Which pedagogies are conducive to empowerment?

What is the powerful knowledge involved?

How can current technological developments, such as the use of AI, facilitate this process?

Broad schedule

Tuesday 22 nd July 2025	Introductory meeting and welcome reception (17:00)	Dar il-Ħanin Sammaritan, Santa Venera
Wednesday 23 rd July	Conference opening with professional development sessions	University of Malta, Valletta Campus
Thursday 24 th July	PD sessions	University of Malta, Valletta Campus
Friday 25 th July	Visits to businesses & Maltese folklore dinner	
Saturday 26 th July	Optional cultural visits	Valletta

Information about the conference

The conference will kick off on Tuesday, 22nd July 2025, at 17:00 at the Dar il-Ħanin Sammaritan, Santa Venera. More information about this venue at

<https://www.ilhaninsamaritan.com/>

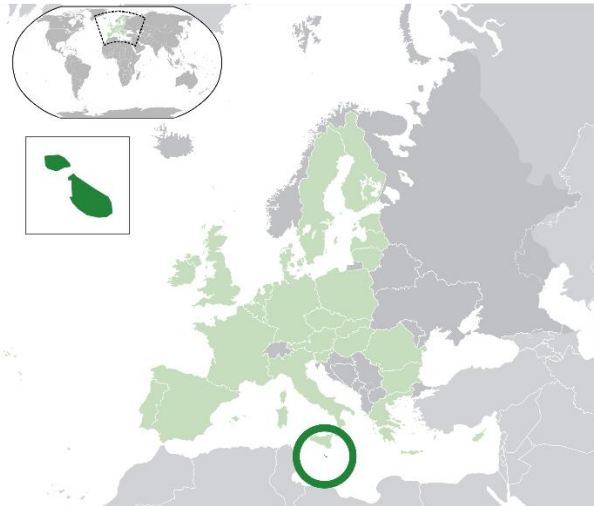


The two days of professional development sessions will be held at the University of Malta, Valletta. On Friday, July 25th, we will enjoy visits to businesses and a Maltese folklore dinner, followed by optional cultural visits on Saturday, July 26th. Due to the potential hot weather, these cultural visits will be held in Valletta, European Capital of Culture 2018. We shall visit the newly restored Grand Master's Palace, the theatre where the nation was born, and St John Co-Cathedral, a gem of Baroque art and architecture. We stop for lunch at a traditional Maltese restaurant with a passion for good food.

[More information about registration and packages will soon be available on the SIEC-ISBE website.](#)



Information about Malta



- Malta International Airport (MLA) is the only airport in Malta.
- Public transport routes are available all over Malta. The main bus terminus is located in Valletta, situated about 10 minutes walk away from the Valletta Campus. For more information, refer to the official page: <https://www.publictransport.com.mt/>
- Another form of transport is by car, including Uber, eCabs, Bolt, or booking a taxi through the Taxi Stand at the airport.
- A ferry also operates from and to Sliema and Valletta, and between Valletta and the Three Cities. More info about this service may be obtained from the official website: <https://vallettaferryservices.com/>
- The average high temperature in Malta in July is 32°C.
- The currency in Malta is the Euro.
- The electricity supply is 220/240 volts, single phase, 50 cycle. Square-fitting standard three-pin plugs and sockets are used.
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- Shops are usually open from 09:00 to 13:00 and 16:00 to 19:00. However, many are closed on Saturday afternoons, while one can shop in the shopping malls all day and on Sundays. Malta is renowned for its lace, Mdina Glass, and reasonably priced gold and silver items. Local honey and wine have been famous since antiquity.
- More information about Malta: <https://www.visitmalta.com/en/>