

International Artificial Intelligence Summer School – IAISS 2026

A Residential Summer School in AI & Generative AI for Science and Engineering

Riva del Sole Resort & SPA – Castiglione della Pescaia (Grosseto) Tuscany, Italy

20 – 24 September 2026

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	Sun, 20 Sept	Mon, 21 Sept	Tue, 22 Sept	Wed, 23 Sept	Thu, 24 Sept
09:00 – 09:50	S. V. Albrecht	G. De Giacomo	R. Bogacz	G. Paliouras	G. Paliouras
09:50 – 10:40	S. V. Albrecht	G. De Giacomo	R. Bogacz	R. Bogacz	Oral Session
10:40 – 11:20	Coffee break	Coffee break	Coffee break	Coffee break	Coffee break
11:20 – 12:10	S. V. Albrecht	G. De Giacomo	S. L. Risi	G. Paliouras	Lecture
12:10 – 13:00	P. Pardalos	J. Hayes	S. L. Risi	B. Lepri	Oral Session
13:00 – 15:00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
15:00 – 15:50	A. Q. Jiang	J. Hayes	S. L. Risi	B. Lepri	Lecture
15:50 – 16:40	A. Q. Jiang	J. Hayes	S. Giesselbach	B. Lepri	Lecture
16:40 – 17:20	A. Q. Jiang	Coffee break	Coffee break	M. Le Morvan	Oral Session
17:20 – 18:10	Poster Session	C. Feichtenhofer	S. Giesselbach	M. Le Morvan	Oral Session
18:10 – 19:00	Poster Session	C. Feichtenhofer	S. Giesselbach	M. Le Morvan	Oral Session
19:00 – 20:00		C. Feichtenhofer	Oral Session	Oral Session	Oral Session
20:00	Dinner	Dinner	Social Dinner*	Dinner	Dinner

Lecturers

Stefano V. Albrecht, *Nanyang Technological University, Singapore*

Rafal Bogacz, *University of Oxford, UK*

Giuseppe De Giacomo, *University of Oxford, UK*

Maria Eckstein, *Google Deepmind, UK (TBC)*

Christoph Feichtenhofer, *Meta Superintelligence Labs, USA*

Sven Giesselbach, *T-Systems International, Germany*

Jamie Hayes, *Google DeepMind, UK*

Albert Q. Jiang, *Mistral AI, Paris, France & University of Cambridge, UK*

Marine Le Morvan, *INRIA Saclay, France*

Bruno Lepri, *FBK, Italy*

Sebastian Lins Risi, *Sakana AI, Japan & IT University of Copenhagen, Denmark*

George Paliouras, *National Center for Scientific Research "Demokritos", Athens, Greece*

Panos Pardalos, *University of Florida, USA*

Lectures

Useful Information

1. **Registration:** *Sept 19 @ 16:30 – 20:00* (in the foyer of the conference centre near The Crown conference room). Inside the Riva del Sole it is mandatory to wear the badge.
2. Conference Room: **The Crown** (in the conference centre of the Riva del Sole Resort & SPA, num 7 on the resort map).
3. **Very Important:** *during lessons and Q&A sessions, absolute silence is recommended, you must not make noise, you must not disturb the Lecturer during the lesson or while she/he is answering questions posed by the audience.*
4. **Group Photo:** *Sept 21 @ 13:00 Meeting point: terrace adjacent to the restaurant.*
5. **Resort Map** and **Castiglione della Pescaia Map**.
6. In the program you will find the list of **accepted posters**. The **Poster Session** will be held on **Sept 20 @ 16:40**. The Poster Session will be held in the **Da Vinci Conference Room** (first floor of the Congress Centre, number 6 on the resort map). The Summer School Organisers will provide all necessary supplies for mounting the posters (tape, etc).
7. Obviously, *we recommend bringing your work laptop.*
8. Participants who need to take an **exam/project/oral to have the 8 ECTS** credited are asked to email iaiss@icas.cc and Prof. Nicosia giuseppe.nicosia.1@gmail.com **Please read the FAQ section “ETCS Credits Recognition”**
9. Inside Riva del Sole Resort & SPA, **badges must be worn at all times**.
10. **For social dinner on the Sept 22, we advise everyone to dress up (jacket and tie, suit, etc.).*
11. **Certificates** will be given out on the last day of the course. To receive the certificate you must have at least 85% of class attendance (we have CNNs/Transformers to compute and infer attendance ;-).
12. One last thing do not forget bathing suits, sunscreen, and stay hydrated.

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