



# **Hellenic Military Academy of Combat Support Officers (HMACSO)**

## **68th Implementation Group Meeting General Information**

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# 68<sup>th</sup> Implementation Group Meeting

Where : HMACSO, Thessaloniki, Greece

When : from 24 to 26 November 2025

What : 3 Days Meeting for  
New comers meeting, IG Plenary Session, LoD's Sessions, Social Activities





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## Venue Location



**Aristotle University  
Research Dissemination Center**



**Plenary Session,  
LoD's**

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Venue Location

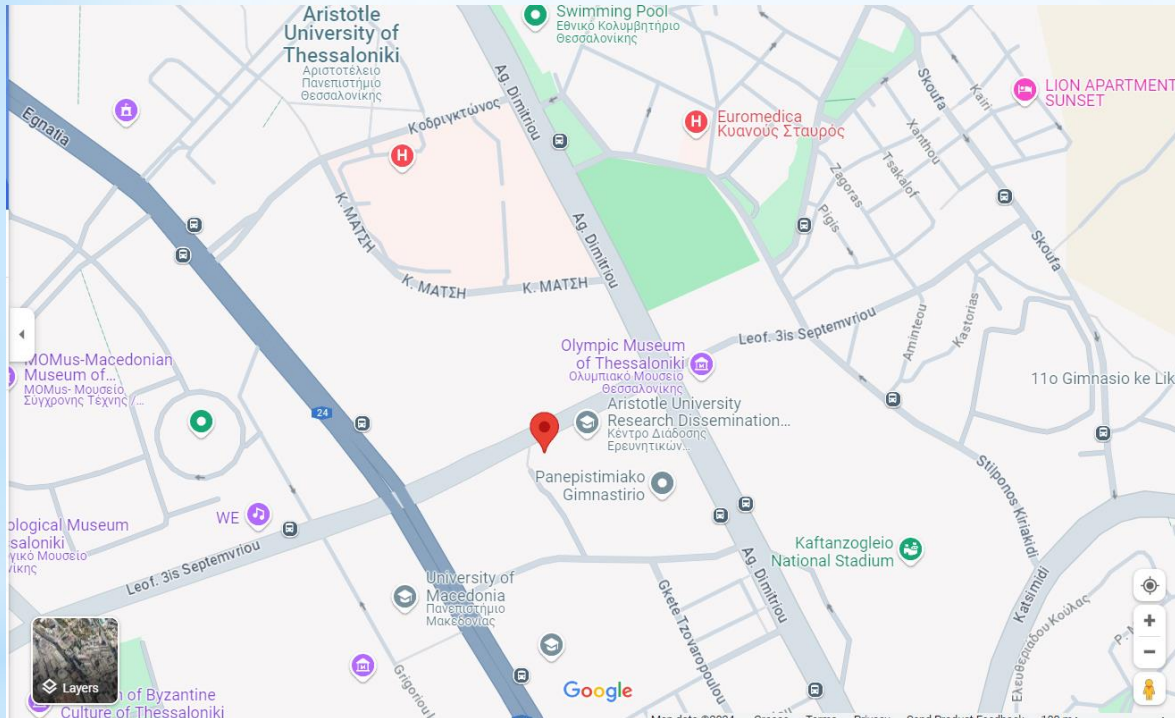
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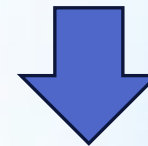
**Meeting for LoD's**



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**ARISTOTLE  
UNIVERSITY  
RESEARCH  
DISSEMINATION  
CENTRE LOCATION**



**ACCESS VIA  
METRO, BUS, TAXI**

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## HMACSO LOCATION & AUTH RESEARCH DISSEMINATION CENTRE LOCATION

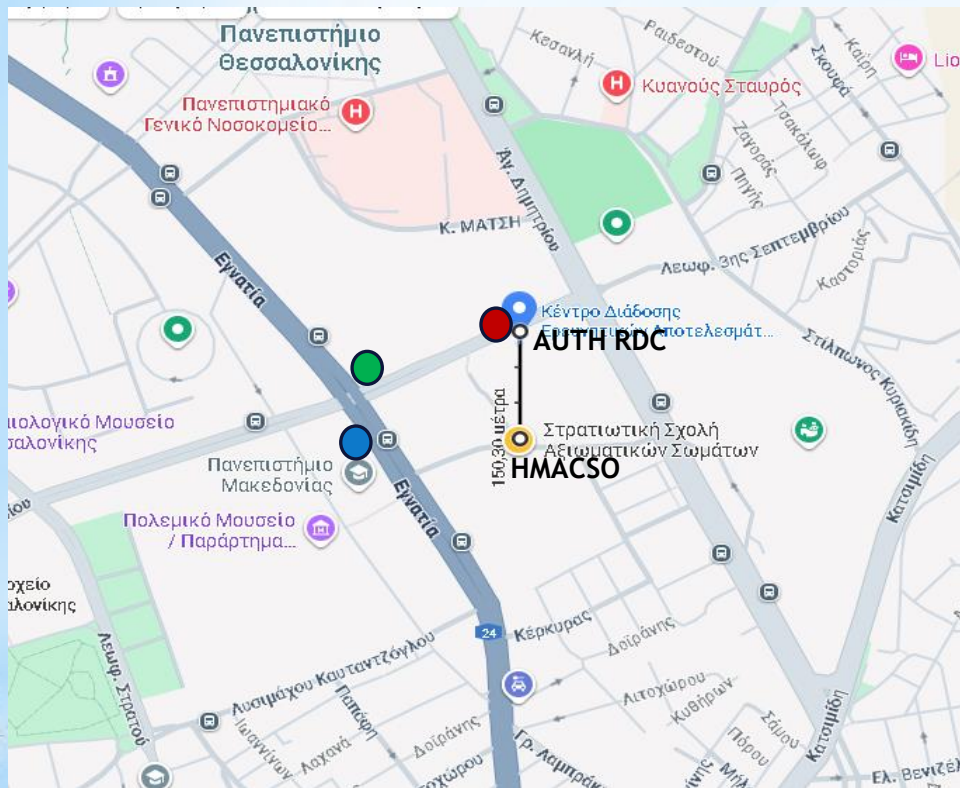
Access via

**Metro:** Stop Panepistimio 150m from the Venue

**Bus :** from city center No:

- 17, 24, 37 stop Fititiki Leschi, just in front of the Venue
- 02, 10, 14, 31 stop Panepistimio Makedonias just 200 m from the Venue

**TAXI**



- Bus No 17,24,37- STOP Fititiki Leschi
- Metro Station - STOP Panepistimio
- Bus No 02, 10, 14, 31 stop Panepistimio Makedonias

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Social and Informational Activities



**Newcomers Meeting**  
24 Nov

**Ice Breaking**  
24 Nov

**Official Diner**  
25 Nov



## **68<sup>th</sup> Implementation Group Meeting**

- Final timetable: TBD
- Registration : Open:15 Sept 25  
Close:31 Oct 25
- Accommodation: Recommended hotels
  - ABC Hotel ( 3\* Hotel )
  - Imperial Plus Urban Smart Hotel (4\* Hotel)
- Meals: HMACSO
- Transportation from and to the hotels to the venue is under consideration due to the proximity and public transportation availability (TBD)



# ABC Hotel 3\* Hotel (Booking evaluation 8.6)

## Special Rate with Buffet Breakfast

- Single Room: €75
- Double Room: €90

## CONFIRMATION

Guests may contact the hotel via email at **info@hotelabc.gr**, specifying the check-in and check-out dates, room type, and the name of the event (68<sup>th</sup> Implementation Group Meeting)

To confirm the reservation, a **deposit is required**. Each guest will receive a link to their email address, directing them to a **secure banking environment (3D Secure)** where they can enter their credit card details and proceed with the deposit payment.

Reservations will be handled **on a priority basis and subject to availability**.

**Cancellations** are accepted with **full refund of the deposit** up to **03/11/2025**. For cancellations made after this date, the deposit will be non-refundable.

All charges are to be settled by guests **upon departure**.

Distance to the venue and HMASCO premises 800m and 950 m respectively

Distance to the Officers Club (New comers Meeting Ice Breaking, Official Dinner) 480m

Nearest Metro Station 100m (Sintrivani)



# Imperial Plus Urban Smart Hotel (4\* Hotel)

Visit the link <https://imperialhospitality.gr/el/>

**You have two hotel options**

- Imperial Plus Urban Smart Hotel (booking 9.1 evaluation)**
- Imperial Palace Classical Hotel (Booking 8.3 evaluation)**

**We suggest to choose the Imperial Plus Urban Smart Hotel as it is in a more central location and it is newly renovated (2024).**

Insert promo code **COMPANY10** and receive lower prices. Choose your preferable type of room and reservation details. You can choose

- A non refundable room** at a lower price
- Fully Flexible room** where you can cancel for free your reservation **up to 3 days** prior to your arrival.

The process is open Reservations will be handled **on a priority basis and subject to availability.**  
For November regular prices range around 95-110 euros for a double room with breakfast.

Distance to the venue and HMASCO premises 2,6Km and 2,75 km respectively  
Distance to the Officers Club (New comers Meeting Ice Breaking, Official Dinner) 1,8Km  
Nearest Metro Station 300m (Dimokratias Square)









# Transportation from the airport to the city center

## By Taxi

Taxis are readily available at the designated taxi rank just outside the arrivals area of the terminal.

The route to the city center typically takes 25-30 min, depending on traffic conditions.

The fare is approximately €25-30 during the day and slightly higher at night.

Payment cash or credit card.

Apps like Free Way can be used.

## By Airport Bus (Route 01X / 01N at night)

The public bus departs from the bus stop directly in front of the terminal 1 building.

Route 01X (or 01N during night hours) connects the airport with the city center.

Tickets may be purchased either from the vending machine at the bus stop (cash only, coins) or directly on board (cash only, coins). The cost is approximately €2.00.

The route to the center takes about 35-45min.

**For Hotel ABC**, disembark at the “*Kamara*” stop. The hotel is a short walking distance from there (less than 200 m).

**For Hotel Imperial Plus**, disembark at the “*Kolomvou*” stop. The hotel is located within a few minutes’ walk (less than 250 m).



# General Information

- **City Centre:** Most landmarks, shops, and restaurants are located within walking distance in the central area, particularly around Aristotelous Square, Tsimiski Street, and the waterfront promenade.
- **Public Transport (Bus):** The Thessaloniki Metro is a modern and efficient way to travel within the city. Trains run frequently from early morning until late at night. Tickets can be purchased from vending machines in every station and must be validated before entering the platforms. In addition to the Metro, the city is served by buses. Tickets must be validated upon boarding and can be purchased at kiosks or vending machines.
- **Points of Interest:** Highlights include the White Tower, Rotonda, Arch of Galerius (Kamara), the Archaeological Museum, and the Byzantine walls overlooking the city.
- **Dining:** Thessaloniki is famous for its gastronomy. Traditional tavernas and modern restaurants can be found throughout the city, especially in the areas of Ladadika and Ano Poli.
- **Safety:** Thessaloniki is generally safe for visitors. However, as in any major city, please take care of your belongings in crowded areas.
- **Local Customs:** Shops usually open from 9:00-21:00 (with some closing hours in the afternoon). Cafés and restaurants often stay open until late at night, reflecting the lively character of the city.

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# **Thank you!**

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