

IBERHEO 2024 – Social Program

4th September

18:15 – 19:30 h

Welcome drink

The Welcome Drink will take place at the Jardim Botânico da Ajuda, an iconic space that is part of the University of Lisbon.

Ajuda Botanical Garden (JBA), a Technological Support Unit, belongs to ISA since 1910, attached as an infrastructure for education and research. It was established in 1768, being designed by an Italian botanist, Domingos Vandelli, from Padua, and summoned by King Joseph to teach the royal princes.

Regardless of Lisbon being spread around with several greenhouses nursing species from Africa, Asia and Americas, JBA is the first botanical garden in Portugal projected to preserve, study and collect the most possible species from the plant world. It had, at one time, around 5000 species laid out according to Linnaeus, Vandelli's master, proposed Systema Sexuale classification.



With an area of 35000 sq. meters, across two beds with a vertical variance of 6,8 meters, its design follows renaissance models of terraces spread across slopes, with three basic components: carved rock, plants and fountains and ponds. However, the existing decoration is, noticeably, from the Baroque period (namely the central fountain and side and central stairways). The garden has two types of utilization: the upper level is where all plants are classified, being the lower level the ornamental park with shrubs, and organized according to recreational green spaces specifications. There are as well, for blind people, the 'fragrant garden' with aromatic and medicinal plants, and the arborinho.

In the vicinity one can find Ajuda Palace, the Agro-Tropical Garden-Museum, Jeronimos Monastery, Cultural Centre of Belem and Belem Tower.

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5th September

15:30 – 18:30 h	Boat trip around Belém
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The boat trip will be on the Go Mary, departing from Doca de Alcântara:

<https://maps.google.com/?q=38.701977,-9.169995>



The pier is a 20-minute walk or an 8-minute drive away. A bus will be available from ISA to transport participants who don't have a car or prefer not to walk.

For those driving their own vehicle, there is a large parking area next to the dock. This arrangement allows for a longer break between the boat trip and dinner.

For the boat trip, practical footwear and a jacket for the

evening are recommended. A drink and snacks will be served on board.

19:30 h	<i>Gala Dinner Exhibition Pavilion (ISA)</i>
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The gala dinner will be served at the ISA Exhibition Pavilion.



This iron and glass building, inaugurated in 1884 by King D. Luís I, is considered one of the landmarks of Tapada. Built for the Third Agricultural Exhibition of Lisbon, it aimed to match the ambition of iron architecture on a national level, such as the Crystal Palace in Porto (1865), and on an international level, like the Crystal Palace in Hyde Park,

London (1851), and the Trocadéro in Paris (1878). Symmetrically flanking the pavilion are two typical chalets of the era. To the east is the dairy, featuring a clock on the tympanum and a bell tower. To the west is the stable, also with a bell tower containing a barometer, where the equine livestock was housed. Later, this pavilion became known for hosting national floriculture exhibitions. In 1889, a chalet was built for the residence of the steward, which later became the residence of the ISA director.