

Social Program

Dear participants of the 14th International Chemical and Biological Engineering Conference (ChemPor-2023), the planned social activities will take place on September 14. A tourist train and a bus will leave from IPB around 17:45 to take participants to the meeting point, Praça da Sé, where the visits start at 18:00. At registration, you can select an option among the following (mandatory if you want to participate):

A. Historical Area walking tour – *not recommended for those attending the conference dinner*

Citadel (NM – National Monument), Keep Tower, Santa Maria Church, Domus Municipalis (NM), Pillory (NM), and Santo António and town gates. A tourist guide will lead the visit.

B. Abade de Baçal Museum

This national museum presents a rich collection of archaeology, painting and drawing, sculpture, jewellery, furniture, and textiles. Its collection includes works by prominent Portuguese artists such as Almada Negreiros, José Malhoa or Sarah Affonso.

C. Graça Morais Contemporary Art Centre

This remarkable art centre is installed at the Solar dos Vargas, after an architectural adaptation by Eduardo Souto Moura. It now presents two amazing temporary exhibitions; "Tribute to António Mega Ferreira" and "Graça Morais: The Rituals of Silence".

D. Georges Dussaud Photography Centre + Centre of the Sephardic Culture

Georges Dussaud Photography Centre presents (mostly) Trás-os-Montes images from the eighties, showing impressive black and white photos portraying life stories, the untouched rural universe, and the villages where men, women, and children once lived.

The Centre of the Sephardic Cultural is a physical and virtual space. The exhibition begins with a welcome at a small synagogue. The circuit after focuses on religious practices and family and community life.