

IAKS SPAIN STUDY TOUR

Barcelona - Madrid

31st October - 2nd November 2025



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Why attend?

Our three-day tour offers a unique opportunity to discover how urban planning and the architecture of sports facilities in Barcelona and Madrid are transforming these cities into more active, sustainable places with a reduced environmental impact. The aim is to engage citizens more deeply in physical activity and encourage participation at every level. Along the way, we will explore multi-purpose environments and dynamic civic spaces designed for fun, healthy lifestyles and inclusion for all, which attract diverse user groups. We will visit innovative sports facilities, where design make it possible to create multiple activity areas with the healthy and high quality environment that physical activity deserves.

Networking at its best: A walking tour through historic neighborhoods — an inspiring framework for participants to exchange ideas and network, and shared lunches offer plenty of opportunities for exchange in a relaxed atmosphere.

Your perfect addition to your visit at 29th IAKS Congress

Cologne, Germany from 28th- 31st October 2025

The tour includes:

- 3-day-tour Barcelona-Madrid (by public transport)
- Site visits with architects and heads of national sport bodies
- Meals at recommended restaurants.
- Sightseeing city tours & local cultural experiences

A complete travel package is not offered.

Transfers and hotel accommodations are at participant's own expense.

Food and admission costs are estimated.

Participants will be responsible for paying these directly.

Payment is to be made directly by each participant for each activity, transportation, and tour entry fee.

Tour in English language

Hotel recommendation:

BARCELONA: HCC Montblanc - Onix Rambla

MADRID: NH Madrid Zurbano - NH Madrid Chamberí

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Estimated costs (incl VAT)

EUR 590

Participants: Operators of municipal and private sports and leisure facilities, architects and planners.

FRIDAY 31st OCT

13:00

Arrival at Barcelona Airport and transfer to the hotel

15:30

Visit Camp del Ferro and CEM La Sagrera

17:30

Visit CEM Ciutadella

19:15

Evening walk in El Born + Traditional Catalan dinner

SATURDAY 1st NOV

09:00

Visit Plaça de les Glòries Catalanes and cultural venues

12:00

Nova Icària Beach and walk along the promenade

13:00

Lunch & visit at CNA Barceloneta

17:00

Free time at the beach and return to the hotel through the Gothic Quarter

SUNDAY 2nd NOV

12:00

Arrival & hotel check-in

13:00

Lunch at Con Amor

15:00

Santiago Bernabéu

Stadium tour

17:00

Visit the Spanish National Sports Council

Itinerary subject to change

Registration is open until 15th Oct 2025

Scan here for registration NOW!

