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Location Guide

About University of Primorska, Faculty of Management

Faculty of Management (UP FM) is a member of the University of Primorska. It is a higher education institution for education and research in the fields of social sciences and business management, with a stress on management, which has interdisciplinary links to economic, business, legal, organisational and behavioural sciences. In addition to education and research, the basic activities of the faculty are providing consultancy to companies and other organisations, publishing and library activities, and organisation of international conferences.

More information about the Faculty of Management: <http://www.fm-kp.si/en>

More information about the University of Primorska: <https://www.upr.si/en>

Local Information

About Koper

Koper is a city in southwestern Slovenia, with the other Slovenian coastal towns Ankaran, Izola, Piran, and Portorož, situated along the country's 47-kilometre coastline, in the Istrian Region, approximately five kilometres from its border with Italy.

Having a unique ecology and biodiversity, it is considered an important national natural resource. The city's Port of Koper is the major contributor to the economy of the eponymous city municipality.

The city of Koper is officially bilingual, with both Slovene and Italian as official languages. Sights in Koper include the 15th-century Praetorian Palace and Loggia in Venetian Gothic style, the 12th-century Carmine Rotunda church, and the Cathedral of St Nazarius, with its 14th-century tower.



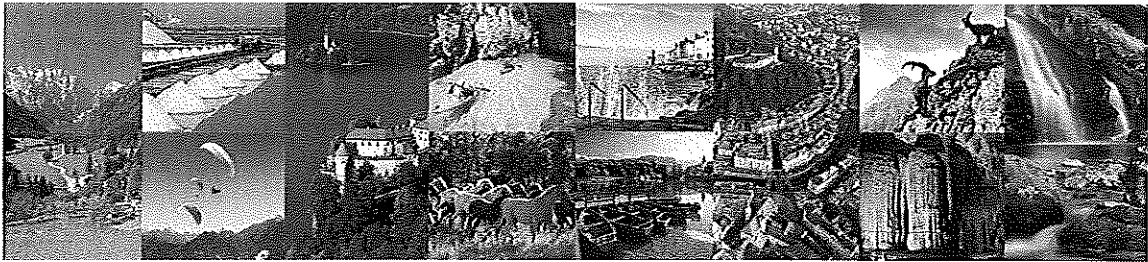
Source: <http://www.tourist-destinations.com/2011/07/koper-slovenia.html>

Learn more about Koper at <https://www.slovenia.info/en/places-to-go/cities/koper> and <https://www.lonelyplanet.com/slovenia/karst-and-coast/koper>.

About Slovenia

Slovenia borders Italy, Austria, Hungary and Croatia with a surface area of just over 20,000 sq km and about two million habitants. Since 1 May 2004, it has been a new member of the European Union. Slovenia has beaches, snow capped mountains, hills awash in grape vines and wide plains blanketed in sun flowers to Gothic churches, baroque palaces and Art Nouveau civic buildings. Its incredible mixture of climates brings warm Mediterranean breezes up to the foothills of the Alps, where snow falls are possible even during summer. More than half of Slovenia's total area is covered with forest.

Further general information about Slovenia may be obtained through the Slovenia Tourist Board website (www.slovenia.info). Rich visual information on Slovenia and its places of interest can be found at the Slovenian Land marks website (<http://www.burger.si/SLOIndex.htm>)



Source: <http://www.slovenia-convention.com/>

Slovenian Culture

Slovene is a South Slavic language written in the Roman alphabet and quite complex in its syntax. Throughout the country virtually everyone also speaks English and either German, Italian or Croatian - depending on the neighbouring region. Slovene literature saw its prosperity in romantic (France Prešeren), modern (Ivan Cankar) as well as post-modern periods. Folk music has seen a major revival in the last decade, classical and contemporary music gradually rivalled by the emerging electronic and digital cultures (DJ Umek). Similarly the postmodernist painting and sculpture, internationally represented by the multimedia group Neue Slowenische Kunst (NSK) and the IRWIN collective. Many notable buildings and public squares in Slovenia were designed by Jože Plečnik (1872-1957). The country produces some noticeable red and white wines, the cuisine is traditionally based on venison and fish, showing strong influences of the neighbouring regions.

Currency and Banks

The euro is the common currency of 18 member states of the European Union, including Slovenia.

Banks will exchange foreign currency and travellers cheques for euros and vice versa. Changing money is also possible at exchange offices in hotels, petrol stations, tourist agencies, supermarkets, etc. More information is available [here](#).

Shops

Opening Hours:

MON–FRI 7 a.m./9 a.m.–7 p.m./9 p.m.

SAT 7 a.m./9 a.m.–1 p.m./3 p.m.

SUN 9 a.m.–1 p.m. (only major shopping centres)

The opening hours of shops are not strictly defined. There are 24 hour grocery stores in major cities. Certain essentials are available 24 hours a day at major petrol stations as well.

Medical Care

The level of health care in Slovenia corresponds to European standards. Every foreign visitor has the right to emergency medical care.

A health insurance is needed to use medical services.

Visitors from EU member countries and countries of the European economic region should use the European Health Insurance Card.

For the citizens of Turkey, it is best that you take out international travel insurance even before travelling to Slovenia.

For more detailed information on using health services, please refer to the Health Insurance Institute of Slovenia.

Emergencies

Remember the phone number **112**. This is the number of the Emergency Call Centre that can provide you with an ambulance and emergency medical assistance in case of emergency.

Accommodation

Most commonly, our guests choose one of the following providers for their stay in **Koper**:

- *HOSTEL MUSEUM*, <http://www.hostel-museum.com/en/>
- *HOTEL VODIŠEK*, <http://www.hotel-vodisek.com/en/index.htm>

With these hotels, the University of Primorska has an agreement.

Other hotels in Koper:

- *HOTEL KOPER*: <http://www.term-catez.si/en/slovenian-coast/accommodation-393/koper-hotel/>
- *HOTEL BIO*: <http://www.hotel-bio.si/en>
- *GARNI HOTEL PRISTAN*: <http://www.pristan-koper.si/storitve/single/garni-hotel-pristan-1673>
- *AQUAPARK ŽUSTERNA HOTEL*: <http://www.term-catez.si/en/slovenian-coast/accommodation-393/aquapark-zusterna-hotel/>

Student accommodation in Koper:

- *STUDENT DORM VILLA DOMUS*

Student dorm Villa Domus offers you brand new 69 accommodations in 34 modern studios.

Student hostel Villa Domus is located just a few steps from the center of Koper on Vojkovo nabrežje 12, Koper. Characterized by modern appearance and an excellent location the dorm is situated in the heart of Koper, just 100 m from the main square and 850 m from the central railway and bus station. Nearby you can find shopping centers, canteens and cafés, restaurants, laundry, grocery store, banks and more.

website: <http://www.villa-domus.si/domov>

e-mail: info@villa-domus.si

- *PRENOČIŠČA PRISOJE*

e-mail: prenocisca.prisoje@luka-kp.si

How To Reach Koper?

There are several airports, which you can consider when travelling to Koper:

- Venice Marco Polo (Italy), which hosts most international flights (approx. 2h drive from Koper);
- Ljubljana airport (Slovenia): approx. 1h 15 min drive from Koper;
- Ronchi airport Trieste (Italy): approx. 1h drive from Koper;
- Other options: Zagreb (2.5h) or Pula (1h 20 min) in Croatia.

Our provider of airport transfers is »GoOpti« (<https://www.goopti.com/en/>) and from our experiences it is the most convenient and easy to use. You can make the reservation on-line or ask the university staff to arrange it for you. Before reserving a transfer, airplane tickets should be bought. There is a maximum of a 2-hour waiting at the airport. You will be informed about the departure by the transfer provider via an e-mail and SMS one day prior to departure.

Visa Info

For visa regulations, embassy and consulate contacts please visit the Ministry of Foreign Affairs website or refer directly to the Consular Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Slovenia, Prešernova cesta 25, Ljubljana, phone: +386 1 478 23 05 or +386 (1) 478 20 00 (permanent duty).

Information for Turkish citizens are available at http://www.mzz.gov.si/en/representations_abroad/europe/turkey/.

Dictionary

hello – živjo
good morning – dobro jutro
good evening – dober večer
yes – ja, no – ne
please – prosim
bad – slabo
a lot – veliko
You are welcome – ni za kaj

Do you speak English – Ali govoriš
angleško?
What is your name – kako ti je ime?

How are you – Kako si?
Where are you going – kam greš?

I'll buy – kupil bom
How much is the fare – koliko stane
prevoz

I – jaz
You (sing., gormal) – vi
They – oni

Breakfast – zajtrk
Dinner – večerja
Bread – kruh
Coffee – kava
Juice – sok
Beer – pivo
Salt – sol
Meat – meso
Vegetable – zelenjava
Potato – krompir
Desert – sladica
Post office – pošta
Police station – policija
Pharmacy – lekarna
Reastaurant – restavracija
Street – ulica
Train – vlak
Ticket – karta, vstopnica

goodbye – adijo
good afternoon – dober dan
good night – lahko noč
thank you – hvala
good – dobro
a little – malo
all – vse
I do not understand – ne
razumem
Excuse me – oprsti

Nic to meet you – lepo, da sva se
spoznala

Where is... – kje je...
How much does it cost – koliko
stane

Do you have... – ali imate...
Plase bring the bill – račun
prosim

You (sing., familiar) – ti
We – mi
Friend- prijatelj (male), prijateljica
(female)

Lunch – kosilo
Cheers – na zdravje
Beverage – pijača
Tea – čaj
Water – voda
Wine – vino
Vinegar – kis
Fish – ribe
Fruit – sadje
Salad – solata
Ice cream – sladoled
Bank – banka
Hospital – bolnica
Shop, store – trgovina
Faculty – fakulteta
Square – trg
Bus – avtobus
Postcard – razglednica

Important numbers:

112 – Emergency center (firefighters, emergency rescue team)

113 – Police

1188 – Information on telephone subscribers in Slovenia

1987 – AMZS help (Auto-moto Association of Slovenia)

+ 386 1 478 20 00 - Ministry of Foreign Affairs

+ 386 5 664 71 00 - Health Center Koper

+ 386 5 660 60 00 - Hospital Izola



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Map of Koper

