

## DATE

Date of the conference :

- **April 13th & 14th.**

## OFFERING PIRATE PARTY

Your name:

- Parti Pirate / Pirate Party of France

## PLACE

Address of the venue :

- AGECA, 177 rue de Charonne, 75011 Paris

<http://www.ageca.org/>

Distance and time to the closest train station and airport:

- 3 minutes walk (250m) to subway station Alexandre Dumas (Paris, line 2).
- Alexandre Dumas is at 50 minutes from Roissy Charles de Gaulle airport, 1h from Orly airport, 2h from Beauvais airport (Ryanair).
- Alexandre Dumas is inside Paris, at around half an hour from any Paris main train or bus stations (Gare du Nord, etc.)

Details on the venue :

- Size of the venue (people, m<sup>2</sup>): capacity 175 persons, 150m<sup>2</sup>.
- Number of chairs and tables available: 175 seats, table for the scene, folding tables available for the audience if needed.
- Access for disabled persons: Yes
- Details on the sound equipment: They provide their own equipment, with microphones (including at least one wireless)
- Details on the video equipment: They have a video-projector and a screen.
- Details on the electricity setup: 15-20 power outlets, possibility to use multiple power strips.
- Details on the Internet setup: Wi-Fi available for the audience, Ethernet cable for the scene.
- Details on the streaming setup: They are testing this year a new streaming service. It will be free of charge, but with no guarantee on the result. Some tests were previously made, recordings are available here : <http://www.ustream.tv/channel/ejn-ageca>
- Wardrobe: No, but we probably can arrange something inside an additional room.
- 1-2 extra rooms: Yes. Several options are available, all priced.
- Possibility to decorate (e.g. flags, posters): Yes, inside the room. Possibility to put arrow signs from the outside.
- Catering: No.

Pictures :

- Main room (up to 175 seats) :



- Small rooms (20 seats + tables) :



- Medium rooms :

- *Medium room 1 (70 seats) :*



- *Medium room 2 (40 seats + tables) :*



## SOCIAL EVENT

Since the event shall take place in Paris, there are many places a social event can take place at. We already have some ideas and we have a person in the planning team which is in charge of the social event.

## TEAM

- Project leader :
  - **Maxime Rouquet**
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- Planning team :
  - **Maxime Rouquet** : Coordinator
  - **Gabrielle Weisenberger** : Venue location
  - **Mathilde Cameirao** : Restaurant reservation
  - **Nathalie Demarest** : Additionnal social events & Voting material
  - **Romain Rivière** : Financial transparency
  - **Mistral Oz** : Coordination with PP-FR leadership level
  - **Stéphanie Geisler** : Accomodation — couch surfing
  - **Anouk Neeteson** : Reception of participants / ecology & waste disposal
  - **Benoit Sourd-Blévin** : Technical control
  - **Paul Berettoni** : Additional help
- Team at the location :
  - **30 people** (10 from planning team and around 20 volunteers from Île-de-France region counting ~300 members).

## BUDGET

Approx. costs of the conference: (total and summary detail) :

— Venue :

- Prices :
  - 830€/day for the main room (175 seats)
  - 130€/4h for a medium room (40-70 seats)
  - 52€/4h for a small room (20 seats)
  - Rooms can be booked for morning (9-13h), afternoon (14-18h), or evening (19-23h)
- Alternate rooms already booked (each one can be canceled at will, others might be available but we cannot promise) :
  - Saturday morning : 1 medium room (130€),
  - Saturday afternoon : 2 small rooms (104€),
  - Sunday morning : 1 small room (52€),
  - Sunday afternoon : 2 small rooms (104€).
- Total
  - 1660€ for the main room
  - 390€ for the additional rooms
  - 2050€ total for the venue.

- Decorations, printing, etc. : 70€.
- Card Holder : 30 €
- Voting material : 40 €
- Paperboard, toilet paper & other disposable material : 100€.

**Total costs : 2290€.**

Optional :

- Catering can be arranged for 5-10€ per participant per meal if desired (not for alternate place).
- Personalized T-shirts can be prepared for 15€ each (with benefits for PPI).
- Badges : 70 €.

Funding possibilities:

The Pirate Party of France is ready to provide an extra participation of 800€ for the conference, especially if it can help pirates from far away to make the trip to Paris.

Additional funding concepts :

Political parties in France cannot get any help that another political party would not be given too.

**EXTRAS**

- Pirate Party of France is a well established Pirate Party with a thousand members and the support of 2 to 3% of the voters in areas where we have the money to support a real campaign. Our party conferences have more than a hundred attendees.
- We will have the European Parliament elections and 3 different French elections in 2014, hosting this international pirate conference could be a sign that the pirate movement is rising in Europe and a good opportunity for PP-FR to be heard in the middle of an "empty" political year in France.
- Holding the conference in Paris will allow most Pirate Parties to attend the conference.
- Paris is the most visited city in the world and French ~~girls~~ wines, brandy and food are the finest in the world.
- Pirate Party of France has worked a lot on financial transparency and is telling its members informed of how much is spent and what for. (We do not publish the identity of our members or donors, but we only accept money from individual citizens, and no more than 7.500€ a year.) We will be fully transparent about the money we get and spend, and we dedicate a full post of the planning team to this subject.
- Pirate Party of France agrees to sign financial engagements with the PPI, and will never spend any money without prior control and approval from the PPI board. Any money collected for the GA and not spent that way will be returned to the PPI within a maximum given delay (1 or 2 month for example).
- Pirate Party of France is capable of hosting a PPI General Assembly next spring and did not throw the towel pretending it was not possible.

**ACCOMMODATION**

Approx. number of hostels/hotels near venue: hundreds

Approx. costs for accommodation for 2-3 days:

Prices in Paris are expensive, but a wide range of offers is available.

- Tens of French pirates will offer couch-surfing for free.
- Hostels can be found for less than 5€/person a night, but most of them will be between 10 and 20€.
- Hotels can be found starting around 15€ with very basic quality, prices rise pretty fast.

Approx. living costs in the city of the venue for the time of the conference:

- Food
  - Fast food : 5-10€.
  - Restaurants & pubs : 10-20€.
- Transports
  - *Subway (Métro), bus & tram tickets :*
    - Inside Paris (Any subway station is considered in zone 1, even if outside Paris.)
    - 1.70€ each,
    - 12.70€ for 10,
    - 6.40€ unlimited for 1 day (zone 1-2).
  - *Regional train (RER) tickets :*
    - Paris <-> Roissy : 9.25€.
  - *Bus tickets for airports :*
    - Roissy (Charles De Gaulle) :
      - 10€ ticket to Paris Opéra station (60 minutes) by Roissybus.
      - 5.70€ ticket to Paris Charles de Gaulle station (50 to 60 minutes).
    - Orly :
      - 7€ ticket to Paris Denfert-Rochereau station (20-30 minutes) by Orlybus.
      - 3.95€ in RER + 2.50€ in Bus (25+10 minutes).
      - 1,90€ ticket to Paris Porte de Choisy (50 minutes).