



C'MUN BARCELONA
CATALONIA MODEL UNITED NATIONS

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April 5th - 8th

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WORD OF WELCOME

Dear MUN Enthusiasts,

It is with great honor and privilege that I welcome you all to the 13th edition of Catalonia ModelUnited Nations (C'MUN). Being the oldest MUN in Spain and one of the closest projects of the United Nations Association of Spain, C'MUN promises to be a great platform for diplomacy, conflict resolution, and consensus. Previous editions have played their due role in bringing together bright young minds and students from all over Europe have immensely benefitted from them. This year's edition is going to be massive! Together with a fresh Secretariat, we will work to bring you completely fascinating topics, surprising committees and entertaining socials – C'MUN is going places! This year, we take C'MUN on a global level. Solving on-going global social, political and economic crisis collectively is the ultimate aim of the United Nations. That is exactly why we aim to attract people from all over the world; the more international this conference goes, the more chances there are to analyze problems from a global perspective. We at C'MUN aspire to make changes that are required to move forward, to alleviate vices like terrorism among and within nations, to reach a mutual harmony on alarming financial, environmental and social imbroglios, and most importantly, to respect the integrity and sovereignty of every nation. There is nothing better than a combination of fruitful debate and enjoy its success in a city like Barcelona. The capital of Catalonia is one of the most beautiful cities in the world and is extremely welcoming. Its rich cultural heritage, mind-blowing history, and a vibrant social life make it the ultimate venue for C'MUN. Mark my words when I say this, "You will not be disappointed." It is time for you and I to make things right, to join hands these four days and persuade ourselves that our generation can build a better world.

Looking forward to seeing you all in Barcelona!



Carles Aulés Blancher
Secretary General C'MUN 2018

C'MUN

C'MUN was born in May 2006, the first simulation of the United Nations bodies in Spain, for university students. The immense success, more than 200 participants from 60 universities around the world, the support of the Catalan institutions and, above all, the enthusiasm of the participants, convinced us that the C'MUN was not only a commendable experience, but also something that had become a fundamental activity. The C'MUN attracts both beginners and MUN veterans, giving beginners the opportunity to learn and discover, and to the experienced ones, to improve and share abilities, making debates intense and profitable. And in addition to the amazing response of the participants to the Model -more than 400-, one of the most remarkable aspects and of which we are very proud, is the involvement of the institutions with the C'MUN.



SCHEDULE

Thursday - April 5th:

- 17:00 – : Registration at **CosmoCaixa**
- 18:30 – 20.30h Opening Ceremony at **CosmoCaixa**.
- 22:00 – Thursday Night Lights

Friday – April 6th:

- 9:00 – Start of sessions
- 11:00 – Coffee break
- 11:20 – Sessions
- 12.45 – Lunch (1st group)
- 13:45 – Lunch (2nd Group)
- 14:30 - 18:30 – Sessions

Saturday – April 7th:

- 09:00 – Start of sessions
- 11:00 – Coffee break
- 11:20 – Sessions
- 12.45 – Lunch (1st group)
- 13:45 – Lunch (2nd Group)
- 14:30 - 17:00 – Sessions: first resolution proposal
- 22:00 – Gala dinner

Sunday – April 8th:

- 9:00 – Start of sessions
- 11:30 – Coffee break
- 11:45 – Final sessions
- 12.45 – Lunch (1st group)
- 13:45 – Lunch (2nd Group)
- 14:30 – Closing ceremony
- 16:30 – End of C'MUN 2018

OPENING CEREMONY

- Eduard Sagarra Trias, President of the United Nations Association of Spain.
- Carles Aulés Blancher, Secretary-General at C'MUN 2018.
- Cristina Gallach, former Undersecretary-General for the Department of Public Information at the United Nations.
- Aloma Serra Puntí, Director-General at C'MUN 2018.
- UN Human Rights Council Committee director.
- UNESCO Committee director.
- DISEC Committee director.
- UN Women Committee director.
- Council of the EU Committee director.
- UN Security Council Committee director.

CosmoCaixa has been the home of the Catalonia Model United Nations for a decade. The projection of the old building dates back to late 1890's - early 1900's, being a very good example of Catalan 'Modernisme' in cohabitation with modern architecture. Formerly known as the Museum of Science of Barcelona, CosmoCaixa features a variety of exhibitions, permanent and temporary, that showcase the environment, nature, science and space.

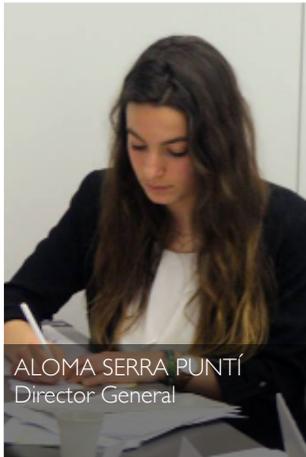
This museum of science earned the European Museum of the year award in 2006, due to its innovation in interactive divulgation of sciences. One of its most remarkable permanent exhibitions is the Flooded Forest, a living reproduction of an Amazon rainforest's fauna, flora and wet environs.



MEET THE TEAM



CARLES AULÉS BLANCHER
Secretary General



ALOMA SERRA PUNTÍ
Director General



FERNANDO GUTIÉRREZ
LADRÓN DE GUEVARA
USG Academics



BORJA GARCÍA QUIROGA
USG IT & Communication



MARÍA VERÓNICA VARGAS
USG Registrations



CLARA CAMBRA AGUSTÍ
USG Social Events

ORGANIZERS



**United Nations
Association
of Spain**

www.anue.org

Since its foundation in 1963, the United Nations Association of Spain has carried out an activity aimed at the dissemination and achievement of the goals in the United Nations Charter. Moved by this spirit, every October 24, coinciding with the celebration of the international day commemorating the foundation of the Nations United, it annually awards a Peace Prize.



www.unsabarcelona.org

UNSA Barcelona is a students' Association dedicated to the promotion of the United Nations' values and work. We are willing to bring international relations in general and specifically the activity and spirit of United Nations closer to the student community of Barcelona. Ten years of experience and the motivation of our members allow us to offer a wide variety of both educational and ludic activities.

UNITED NATIONS HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL

GAMMA Room

The United Nations Human Rights Council (UNHRC) was created in 2006 in order to replace the Commission on Human Rights. The UNHRC is made up of 47 United Nations member States, which are elected by the General Assembly. Each State is elected for a three years term.

The UNHRC is responsible for strengthening the promotion and protection of human rights around the world. But also discusses about different thematic that requires attention such as the situation of human rights of Myanmar, Spain or Syria by their respective annual monitoring situation.

This committee is recommended to those who are starting in MUN but also experienced delegates.

Topics

- 1) Preventing the violation of Refugees' human rights in the Myanmar Conflict
- 2) The Repeal of Net Neutrality as a Human Right violation



Melina Capocci



Ari Karp

UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION

BETA Room

The UNESCO is a specialized agency of the UN existing since its very beginning. Its purpose is to contribute to global peace and security by promoting collaboration through educational, scientific and cultural reforms.

Projects sponsored by UNESCO include literacy, technical, and teacher-training programs, international science programs, the promotion of independent media and freedom of the press, regional and cultural history projects, the promotion of cultural diversity, translations of world literature, international cooperation agreements to secure the world's cultural and natural heritage (World Heritage Sites) and to preserve human rights, and attempts to bridge the worldwide digital divide.

Topics

- 1) Use of new technologies for the conservation and protection of art, historical monuments and archaeological remains
- 2) Religious symbols in public buildings of secular states



Mazza FarajAllah



Isabel Martinez Rivas

DISARMAMENT AND INTERNATIONAL SECURITY

AGORA Room

The Disarmament and International Security, also known as DISEC, is the first committee of the General Assembly (First Committee of the UNGA). It is addressing issues that threaten international security, ensuring at the same time disarmament and, control of armaments.

This committee is responsible and seeks solutions to matters of international security under the UN Charter or related to the function of any UN organ as the regulation of armaments; promotion of cooperative arrangements and measures aimed at strengthening stability through lower levels of armaments.

Topics

- 1) Addressing the Challenges of Nuclear Proliferation
- 2) Curbing the Conventional Arms Trafficking within Vulnerable Regions



Edouard Hargrove



Neus Torres

UN WOMEN

ALFA Room

The United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women, commonly known simply as UN Women, is a UN agency that works to empower and improve the situation of women around the world.

UNWOMEN became operational in January 2011, with Michelle Bachelet, former president of Chile at the time, as its first Executive Director. The General Assembly, Economic and Social Council, and the Commission on the Status of Women constitute the governance structure that sets forth the policy guidance and principles of the entity. Following its founding resolution, the agency is headed by an Under-Secretary-General of the UN, appointed by the Secretary General.

Topics

- 1) Economic empowerment and labour rights of women in developing countries
- 2) Addressing the requested call for a Fifth UN Women conference



Alicia Beledo de
Mata-García



Laura Ventosa Andreu

COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION

LAMBDA Room

The Council of the European Union (consilium) is the third (of seven) European institutions listed in the Treaty of the European Union. Together with the European Parliament (EP) and the European Commission, it constitutes the legislative power of the European Union; being part of the essentially bicameral parliamentary system of the EU, as the upper chamber.

The Consilium represents the executive governments of the member states, meeting in 10 different configurations of 28 national ministers, varying the precise membership of these configurations according to the topic under consideration.

Topic

The right and freedom to inform: an EU response to fake news



Beatriz García
Quiroga



Trajan Shipley



Mar Villora
Valero

UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL

TAU Room

The UN Security Council is the most important body of the United Nations, addressing all issues threatening international peace and security. It consists of 15 members, 10 non-permanent members elected on a regional basis for two-year terms, and 5 permanent members known as the Big Five or P5 (United States of America, Russian Federation, France, United Kingdom and the People's Republic of China). Each member has only one vote, in addition, the Permanent Five have veto power, involving the use of diplomacy to reach agreement.

The Security Council is the only UN body that adopts mandatory resolutions. It also imposes sanctions and establishes peacekeeping and military operations in order to maintain the peace acting invoking chapter VI, VII and chapter VIII.

Topics

- 1) South Sudan: the necessity for a new UN mission
- 2) Territorial claims in Antarctica



Fahad Manzoor

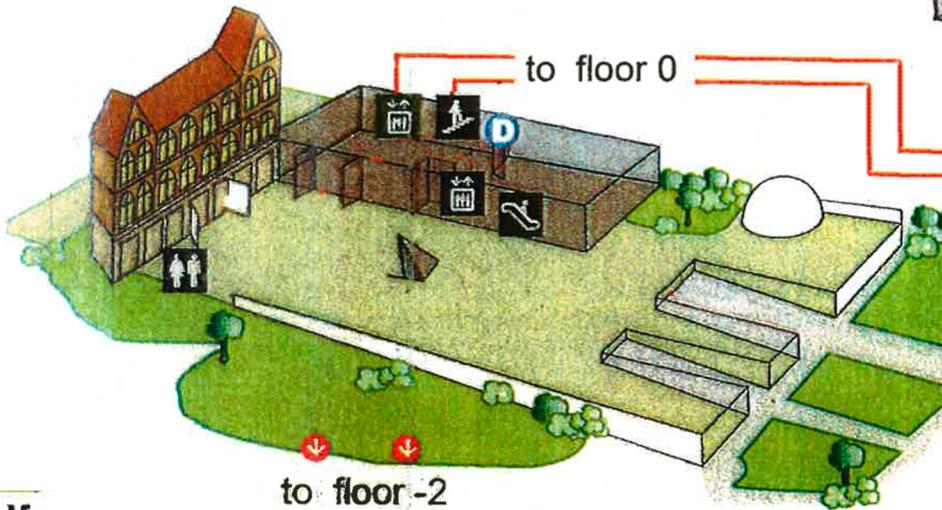


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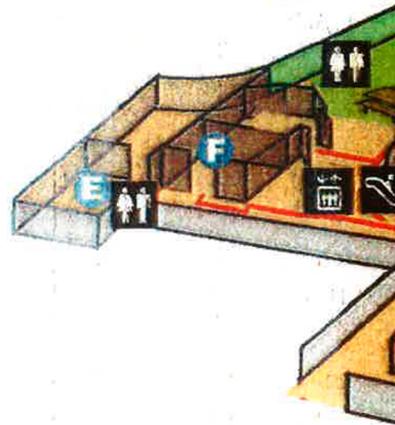
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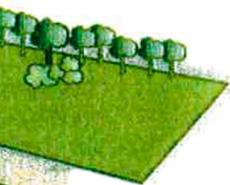
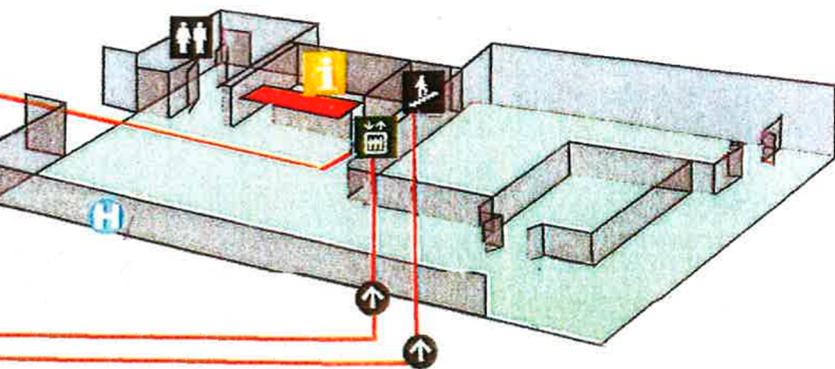
Entrance

Isaac Newton, 26



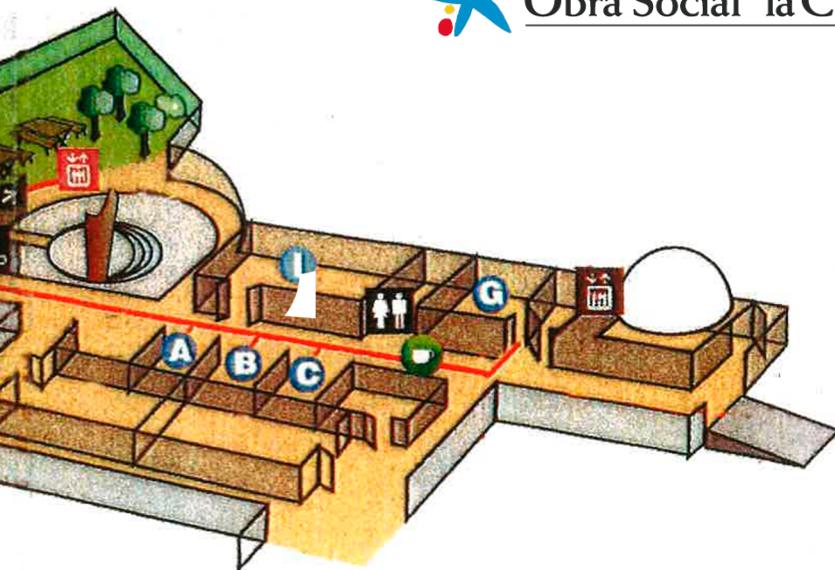
- A** Alfa
- B** Beta
- C** Gamma
- D** Tau
- E** Sigma
- F** Pi
- G** Ágora
- H** VIPS
- I** Auditori





CosmoCaixa

 Obra Social "la Caixa"



WELCOME TO BARCELONA

Yearly 8.5M tourists visit the city of Gaudi, Miró and Mariscal, making it the fifth most visited in the World. The city has hosted the 1929 World Exposition, 1992 Olympic Games, 2004 Forum of the cultures and welcomes every year 100.000 congressmen to the Mobile World Congress. In late April, once the temperatures start rising, Barcelona could not be more beautiful. Enjoy it's cultural diversity with a long list of museums, art galleries and sightseeing. No matter what you are looking for, you will find it in Barcelona. Here, see and mountains, tradition and design, urban and local. are working together. For one week, Barcelona and Catalonia will be the capital of United Nations and provide delegates with a life changing experience. Being strongly ware of the diversity and attractive of our host city, the Secretariat has prepared a very complete guided tour and exciting social program that includes the main venues and sights of the city. We strongly recommend you to use your unlimited transport cards to take as much as possible from your stay. The city has one of the best transport networks with 182 train stations, making each corner accessible. Possible recommendations are without doubt the Montjuic fountains and Palace at night, Sagrada Família, the Bunkers viewing point, las Ramblas, Camp Nou, Park Güell, Ciutadella, Passeig de Gràcia, Maremagnum, el Born, the Gothic quarter with the cathedral, the beach, the headquarters of the Union for the Mediterranean and the Arenas shopping centre. Lastly, we really recommend you to taste Barcelona and enjoy it's traditional tapas. We hope you enjoy your week

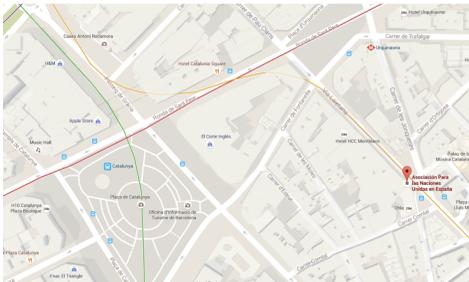
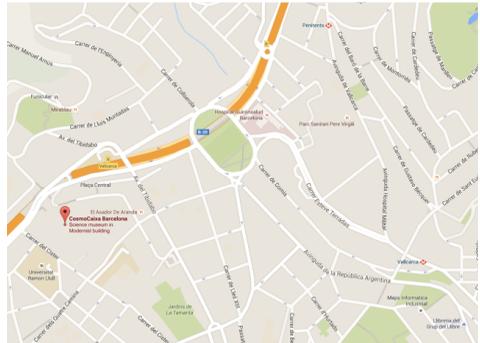
MAPS AND VENUES

CosmoCaixa

How to get there:

L3 (Penitents) + L7 (Avinguda Tibidabo)

Address: Street Isaac Newton, 26



ANUE Head Office

How to get there:

L3, L6 and L7 (Plaça Catalunya)
L1 and L4 (Urquinaona)

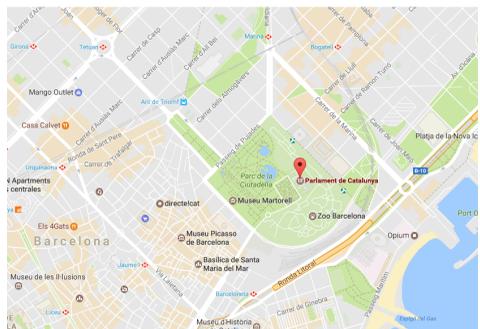
Address: Via Laietana, 51 (first floor - 3)

Parliament of Catalonia

Address: Parc de la Ciutadella, s/n

How to get there:

L4 (Ciutadella i Vila olímpica)



Find all google maps at www.cmunbcn.org/maps

SOCIAL EVENTS

THURSDAY APRIL 5TH **Thursday Night Lights**

There is no doubt that Barcelona is beautiful, blending the old with the new, the national and the international and has many places to see. We will help you discover the most famous tourist attractions as other less known places.

The city center can be explored on foot and the metro network is excellent and you could tell that leads to anywhere in the city.

We will establish a precise itinerary to visit those places that can not be missed so everyone can enjoy a cultural and fun tour.

Venue: the meeting point is “Otto Zutz”. C/ Lincoln, 15.

Time: 8pm – 10pm

Dress Code: casual

Included: snacks + 1 drink + private dancehall

FRIDAY APRIL 6TH **Open Night**

As we want you to be on your best shape for the last day of the conference, we will give you a break on Friday night to recharge your batteries since Thursday’s show. However, our Social Secretary will be available all night long for any Delegation wishing to take it one step further and make the most of their trip to Barcelona. Contact her for a truly local experience!

SATURDAY APRIL 7TH
Gala Dinner

Our most prestigious event is back this year in the best location Barcelona can offer – its amazing beach. Enjoy a generous hot buffet on the house and plenty of drinks to celebrate the end of such an amazing MUN which will surely be memorable. Don't forget to put on your best dress and dust off those classy tuxedos for a sophisticate night dancing to the waves of the Mediterranean sea. There is no better way to say goodbye!

Venue: “Xup Xup” Restaurant and Club, Passeig Marítim de la Barceloneta (bus line V15, 59 or 45).

Time: 8pm – 3am

Dress code: Black Tie

Included: hot and cold buffet + unlimited bar + photobooth”



GETTING AROUND

Emergency numbers:

European emergency number (All services): 112

Barcelona Local Police: 092

Fire brigade: 080

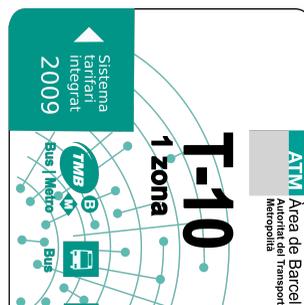
Ambulance / Health services: 061

Attention to citizens: 012

TMB, our partner, provides a public transport ticket for the days of the conference to each delegate. These tickets can be used to travel by Bus, Metro and Ferrocarrils (these two are both subway systems) within the City area.

Taxis are also an affordable alternative to public transport. A 15 minutes journey will only cost about €10.00. Licensed taxis have to charge you the amount displayed on the meter. Rates will be displayed inside the cab.

TMB TRANSPORT TICKET



EAT & DRINK

Name	Main attractions	Address
Chocolatería Valor	No doubt they make the best Spanish home-made “chocolate con churros”. It is located right from the cathedral in the Gothic quarter. Tiny place but worth passing by!	Tapineria, 10. Metro: L4 (Jaume I)
Paralel area for tapas	A great place to try out different “tapas” or “pinchos” in a cheap way is definitely the Blai Street. There are many different bars with a wide offer of tapas for €1 each. Try some out together with a “Moritz” beer or ask for a “clara” (beer with lemon).	Carrer del Blai. Metro: L3 (Paralel or Poble Sec)
100 Montaditos Cervecería	A very well-known firm spread across the city with a wide offer of typical Spanish “montaditos” (piece of bread with something on top) and more. There are special offers on Mondays (€0,5 all menu) and on Wednesday and Sundays (€1 all menu).	Rambla de Catalunya, 11 Metro: L1 (Plaça Catalunya) L2 (Universitat or Passeig de Gracia) Carrer de Aribau, 242. Metro: L3 or L5 (Diagonal)

Cerveceria Catalana This beer and tapas bar is considered one of the best places in the city to try the most tasty tapas. You can find all kind of tapas and montaditos. Carrer Mallorca, 236
Metro: L3 (Passeig de Gràcia)

La Flauta Restaurant Very known for the special sandwiches, this place offers crispy baguettes with multiple combinations of ingredients. Carrer d' Aribau, 23
Metro: L1 or L2 (Universitat)

El Xampanyet El Xampanyet is a bar from El Born quarter that has been conserved as how real old bars in Barcelona were. Its name comes from the wine they serve there: a sparkling wine called *Xampanyet*. Carrer de Montcada 22, Ciutat Vella
Metro: L4 (Barceloneta)

Bacoa Burger Restaurant Find the best burgers in Barcelona. Recently open, Bacoa is the place to visit for excellent hamburgers....Try classic burger, Japanese burger, Swiss burger, Manchego burger (with manchego cheese) and our favorite the masterpiece: Bacoa burger! Ronda Universitat, 31
L1, L3 Placa Catalunya

Vegetarian Restaurants

Vegetalia Restaurant	This classic of vegetarian cuisine is also a great option for celiac and vegan people. Located right in the Gothic, it offers a bohemian and friendly environment.	Carrer dels Escudellers, 54 Metro: Liceu
Teresa Carles	This place might not be that cheap, but it offers one of the best meat, dairy and gluten free dishes in the city, located in the limits of Raval.	Carrer de Jovellanos, 2 Metro: Universitat
Flax and Kale	Is a healthy flexitarian Restaurant. All the dishes are designed not only to maximize the organoreptical pleasure, but also considering the nutritional value	Carrer Tallers74B (Cantonada Gravina) Plaça Castella. Ciutat Vella. Metro: Plaça Catalunya

Kosher Restaurants

Maccabi Restaurant	This is an emblematic restaurant that offers Jewish community and visitors the opportunity to enjoy delicious Mediterranean and kosher cuisine right in the heart of Barcelona.	Las Ramblas,79 Metro: Plaça Catalunya
Abrassame	The Abrassame restaurant connects gastronomy and design with spectacular panoramic views of the city.	Gran Via de les Corts Catalanes Metro: L1 or L3 Plaza España.

Kosher Club
Restaurant

Located only minutes
away from Passeig de
Gracia, Kosher Club
offers delicious
Mediterranean cuisine
cooked strictly
following kosher rules.

Carrer de la Diputació,
294.
Metro: Passeig de
Gracia, Tetuan, Girona.

Isamar Kosher

It is the only purely
kosher supermarket in
Barcelona. They have
a great selection of
meat and grocery
products as well as
prepared and a
takeaway dishes.

Carrer de l'Avenir, 29.
Between Diagonal and
Passeig de Gracia.

Halal Restaurants

Al-Jaima

Al-Jaima Restaurant
brings together the
essence of Lebanese
food and halal to the
Eixample of Barcelona.
You discover it next to
Doctor Letamendi
square.

Carrer de València,
218
Metro: Passeig de
Gràcia (L2, L3, L4)

Tajin de Marroc

Moroccan traditional
restaurant, great tastes
and decoration.

Carrer de l'Argenter, 2
Metro: Urquinaona
(L1, L4)

Vita GatroBar

They offer a menu
divided in three
sections: Cold tapas,
Hot tapas with Grilled
Prawns to the head,
and Dishes of height
like Entrecot of beef of
Girona, Mexican Wire
or Wild fish of the day.

Carrer de Verdi, 31

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