

AITANA annual meeting - introduction

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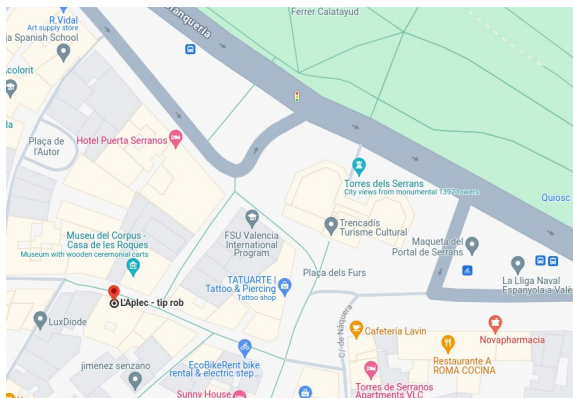
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Goals of this annual meeting

- Welcome the newcomers (large group, many new faces)
- Get an overview of all activities (dense agenda of student talks)
- Discuss funding opportunities and challenges (Juan's talk + session intros)
- Update the webpage (Adrian's talk), take a group picture
- Celebrate the excellent year (tonight at "l'Aplec" + pick date for informal day)

The logo for AITANA, featuring the word "AITANA" in a bold, blue, sans-serif font. The letter "A" in the center is replaced by a stylized, maroon-colored graphic element that resembles a triangle with two curved lines inside, suggesting a stylized 'A' or a logo element.

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Personnel issues that the senior members should discuss soon:

- **attract engineers**
(Cesar reinforces mechanical engineering group)
- **attract good (international) post-docs**
(Humboldt, CIDEAGENT, JAE, JdIC, Generalitat)
- **permanent positions for GENT researchers**
(keep us informed of your applications!)
- **find good students**
(Alberto defended recently, several more in the pipeline)

