

## **SECONDEMENTS AS PART OF THE OPTIMALMINE PROJECT**

### **Visiting Researchers Registration**

If your home institution is part of the consortium related to the OPTIMALMINE Project you may be eligible for a secondment with Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya. Please contact [pere.marc.almagro@upc.edu](mailto:pere.marc.almagro@upc.edu) to be able to comply with all the necessary documentation, at least 2 months prior to the start of your secondment.

Remember that visa procedures may take a considerable time, so doing all the necessary requirements are encouraged to be done at least 4 months in advanced.

### **Information for visiting researchers**

The home institution of the researcher will have to provide the Secondment form where the details regarding the secondment will be included. On the other hand, UPC will write an invitation letter to the incoming staff.

The beneficiary of the secondment will also have to prove the obtention of an insurance for the length of the stay, as long as it's needed.

### **Accommodation**

Manresa has different private halls that secondment recipients may stay in as well as apartments that each person can look for individually.

- Unihabit
  - <https://www.unihabit.com/ca/residencia-universitaria-manresa/>
- Casa Homies
  - <https://casahomies.com/>
- Residència d'Estudiants Manresa Campus
  - <https://www.manresacampus.com/>
- Manresi
  - <https://www.manresi.com/>

### **Connection with Barcelona**

Manresa is a well connected city with different points of Barcelona. The options that the city has available with Barcelona are:



- Train: we do have two train lines with several station within the city:
  - Rodalies with line R4
  - Ferrocarrils de la Generalitat de Catalunya with line R5
- Buses: Manresa has a normal and express route to Barcelona:
  - Express: e22
  - Normal: line 530