

Transport and Accommodation Information to Participants

Fees

No meeting fees will be charged. Participants will need to cover their own lodging and travel expenses.

Venue

The WCDRR Open-Ended Negotiations Meeting from 12-16 January 2015 will be held in Salle XVI, A Building, 5th Floor, access from Doors 11 & 13 at the Palais des Nations (United Nations Office at Geneva): Address: 14 Avenue de la Paix, CH-1211 Geneva 10, Switzerland.

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Getting to Palais des Nations from the Airport:

The Palais des Nations is 5 kilometres away from the international airport. Access is facilitated by good public transport services and free bus tickets are available from a machine in the airport. Public transport from the international airport: **Bus 5: Bus stop Nations, Bus 28 : Bus stop Appia**

Travel free on public transport from Airport

You can pick up a free ticket for public transport from the machine in the baggage collection area at the Arrival level. This Unireso ticket, offered by Genève Aéroport, allows you to use public transport in Geneva free for a period of 80 minutes.



Getting to Palais des Nations from the Centre of Geneva

From Cornavin Station, **take Bus: 8 to Appia or Tram 15** to the Place des Nations and Pregny Gate is within walking distance, avenue de la Paix, (towards Museum Ariana – 10 minutes).

A map of the bus network can be obtained free of charge from the UNIRESO Information Centre at Cornavin Station. Geneva Public Transport website: www.tpg.ch

Taxis:

Taxis are available at the arrivals level of the airport. They are metered, so costs will vary, but the journey from the airport into the city centre will usually cost around CHF 30. A taxi stand is located next to the Palais des Nations and 200m from the Pregny Gate. Taxis are usually available round the clock and also available on 022 331 4133.

Hotels and other accommodation in Geneva

Participants are requested to arrange their own hotel bookings for their stay in Geneva, and should contact their Permanent Mission to the United Nations in Geneva or Geneva office for assistance, as required. Early booking for accommodation is advised, as other large events are scheduled to take place in Geneva around the same dates.

Hotels can be found on the following websites:

<http://www.booking.com>
<http://www.accorhotels.com/gb/booking/hotels-list.shtml>
<http://www.bnb.ch>
<http://www.mandint.org/>
<http://www.geneve-tourisme.ch>
<http://www.hotel-les-nations.com>
http://www.geneve-central.com/liens.asp?id_rubrique=31
<http://www.tbh-ge.ch/en/index.html>
<http://www.ebookers.ch>
<http://www.lake-geneva-region.ch/en/Accommodation/Hotels> (around Geneva's lake)
http://www.tourisme-rolle.ch/net/Net_Otr.asp?NoOFS=8102&Sty=&NumStr=30 (10-50 kms from Geneva)
<http://www.lausanne-tourisme.ch/view.asp?DomID=62865&Language=E> (60 kms from Geneva)
<http://www.hotel-chavannes.ch/http://www.citadines.com/> (Ferney-Voltaire Apartments, France)

Additional accommodation may be available in neighbouring France, with good public transport options that will require between 20 and 60 minutes of travel.

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