



Travel Guidelines for Visiting Trinidad and Tobago

1) Airport

The Piarco International Airport is the only airport in Trinidad, located in Piarco, East Trinidad. Tobago has its own airport in Crown Point Tobago, known as the ANR Robinson International Airport.

2) Taxis at Piarco International Airport

To get a taxi at the Piarco International Airport, to the Conference Venue (Hyatt Regency Hotel), passengers may proceed to the ground transportation center of the Airport located outside the Baggage Claim Area. There will be a taxi dispatcher in the area that will assist passengers with taxi bookings.

The airport is approximately 24 km or about 30 minutes drive (depending on traffic conditions) from the Conference venue. The standard taxi rate from the airport to the Hyatt is approximately US\$50.00. The taxis accept both US and TT currency.

3) Currency and Exchange Rate

Trinidad and Tobago dollar (TTD) is the legal currency in Trinidad and Tobago. The approximate exchange rate is:

\$1.00 United States Dollar = \$6.80 Trinidad and Tobago Dollars

4) Public Transport

Public transport in Trinidad and Tobago is available via a government-owned bus service operated by the Public Transport Service Corporation (PTSC), as well as through privately owned mini-buses (locally known as maxi-taxis) and privately owned cars.

Depending on the mode of transportation, the average transportation fare in and around the city of Port of Spain may range from US\$5.00 – US\$20.00

5) Conference Venue

The Conference venue for this year's event is the luxurious Hyatt Regency Hotel located in the vibrant city of Port of Spain, Trinidad. Nestled in the heart of the bustling capital, the Hyatt Regency offers unparalleled convenience and sophistication with premium amenities.





6) Accommodation

The official Conference hotel for this year's event is the Hyatt Regency Hotel. You can reserve a room using the following link Hyatt Hotel Booking

7) Language

English is the official language of Trinidad and Tobago.

8) Climate

The country of Trinidad and Tobago has a tropical climate with temperatures alternating between a low of 27°C (73.4°F) at night to a high of 32°C (89.6°F) during the day. It experiences two distinct seasons, a Wet Season from June to November, and a Dry Season from December to May.

9) Time Zone

The time zone in Trinidad and Tobago is Atlantic Standard Time (AST) or Greenwich Mean Time -4 hours. The country does not implement daylight saving time.

10) Business Hours

Government departments, banking institutions and organizations are usually open from 8:00am to 4:00pm on weekdays and closed on weekends and public holidays. Shopping hours vary but shops are typically open from Monday to Saturday between 10:00am to 6:00pm.

11) Electricity

The standard voltage is 115 V at a frequency of 60 Hz in Trinidad and Tobago. Type A and Type B power plugs and outlets are used so power adapters may be necessary.





12) Important Phone Numbers

- Police 999
- Ambulance or Medical Emergencies 811
- Fire 990
- Natural Disaster Assistance- 800-6376

13) Visa Information

Visitors who arrive in Trinidad and Tobago for the Conference must have a valid passport and Visa (if required). For more information on visa requirements for entry into Trinidad and Tobago please visit the following website: <u>Trinidad and Tobago Visa Requirements</u>

You are also advised to refer to the Trinidad and Tobago Embassy or Consulate in your residential country for the most updated and accurate information.