

International Ministerial Conference on Nuclear Power in the 21st Century

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Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

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Government of the United Arab Emirates
through the
Ministry of Energy and Federal Authority for Nuclear Regulation

The following information is for officially registered participants. If you are not an officially registered conference participant and you would like to register for this conference please see the Announcement at this web site for details on how to do so.

Conference Location:

The St. Regis Saadiyat Island Resort, Abu Dhabi
P.O. Box 54345 Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates
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Registration:

Registration at the conference will be open on **Sunday, 29 October 2017 from 03:00 p.m. to 08:00 p.m.** and will continue on Monday 30 October from 7:30 am throughout the conference.

In case Permanent Missions would like to authorize a member of their delegation to collect badges on behalf of the delegation, Permanent Missions are requested to advise the Secretariat (m.neuhold@iaea.org) of this in writing by **27 October 2017**.

Participants are encouraged to take advantage of registration on Sunday 29 October 2017, which will be followed by a welcome reception. Participants should bring with them to registration their passports to identify themselves and enable access to the premises.

Welcome Reception:

Sunday, 29 October 2017, 06:00 p.m. – 08:00 p.m. All registered and badged participants are invited to the welcome reception on the conference premises.

Conference Opening:

Monday, 30 October 2017, 09:00 a.m.

Lunch:

Lunch and refreshments will be provided free of charge at the conference location.

Dinner Reception:

Monday, 30 October, 07:00 p.m. at the St Regis Saadiyat Island Resort (*hosted by ENEC*)

Buses will transport delegates to and from the venue. More details will be available in due course and upon registration in Abu Dhabi.

Documentation:

The provisional programme is available on the IAEA conference website and will be continually updated as more information becomes available. The final programme will be available upon registration in Abu Dhabi.

National statements and presentations from the panel sessions will be posted on the conference web site and on the IAEA Conference and Meetings App after delivery.

Working language:

The working languages of the conference will be in the six official IAEA languages: Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Russian, and Spanish.

National Statements:

Delegations are requested to limit the duration of their statements to five (5) minutes.

To facilitate interpretation and distribution, texts of statements to be delivered should be handed in advance to the 'Conference Service Desk' located in the Conference Hall.

All statements received will be made available on the IAEA conference web site (see below) in PDF format, unless the distribution is restricted by the delegation. In such a case, this should be clearly marked on the statement. Hard copies of the statements made in the Plenary sessions will not be distributed.

Speaking Order:

A ballot will be held on **28 September 2017**, at the IAEA Secretariat **at 11:00 a.m. in Board Room D** to determine the order in which speakers will deliver their national Statements during the conference.

Visas:

If you require a visa for UAE, please contact the nearest consular representative of the UAE as soon as possible. Also please check the information available on <https://www.mofa.gov.ae/EN/ConsularServices/Pages/Visa-Information.aspx>

Accommodation:

Participants are expected to make their own travel and hotel arrangements. The local organizers have negotiated accommodation at special rates, please see the IAEA conference website for further information. Please note that the IAEA cannot assist you with hotel bookings and cannot be held responsible for any cancellation fees or re-bookings.

Transportation:

- **From Abu Dhabi Airport to the hotels:** Taxi transfer is available for approx. US\$ 20. The transfer time is about 20 minutes;
- **From Dubai Airport to the hotels:** Taxi transfer is available for approx. US\$ 100. The transfer time is about 145 minutes;
- **Within Abu Dhabi:** Taxis are the recommended mode of transportation for visitors. Minimum taxi fare in Abu Dhabi is at AED 3.50 (approx. US\$ 0.95), where an additional AED 1.60 is charged for every succeeding kilometer of a journey. Presently, there are plenty (about 7,000) of taxis operating in the UAE, which can be hailed from almost any area at any time.

Shuttle transfers will be provided free of charge for participants to and from the conference venue as follows:

- Southern Sun Abu Dhabi (Downtown Hotels);
- Park Hyatt Abu Dhabi Hotel and Villas (Saadiyat Island);
- Yas Plaza (for the following hotels on the Yas Island: Radisson Blu Hotel, Centro Yas Island-by Rotana and Park Inn by Radisson Abu Dhabi Yas Island).

National Exhibitions:

The conference venue will include a limited exhibition area. The booths will be unified, with the focus on digital displays. Exhibition space will be assigned to Member States on a 'first-come first-served' basis and subject to availability.

Conference web sites:

At the **IAEA conference website** you will find: the provisional programme, participation form required for registration, conference announcement, national exhibition information and visa guidance. <https://www.iaea.org/events/nuclear-power-conference-2017>

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