# GENERAL INFORMATION

## Time & Venue

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Singapore is a sunny, tropical island in Southeast Asia, off the southern tip of the Malay Peninsula. Located at the crossroads of East and West, Singapore is well-positioned to reach close to 4 billion people within a 7-hour flight radius. Thus, leveraging on Singapore’s strategic location in Asia Pacific to achieve significant headways into the region.

The City blends Malay, Chinese, Arab, Indian and English cultures and religions. Our unique ethnic tapestry affords visitors a wide array of sights and our diverse culture and heritage have served up a huge number of colourful cuisines, each with its own distinctive flavour and aroma.

Singapore is much more than the sum of its numerous attractions. It’s constantly evolving, reinventing, and reimagining itself, with people who are passionate about creating new possibilities.

It’s where foodies, explorers, collectors, action seekers, culture shapers, and socialisers meet—and new experiences are created every day.
WCRP Sea Level Conference 2022 recommends international attendees to review Singapore’s visa requirements before travelling.

Most foreigners coming into Singapore do not require a visa for entry and may be given social visit passes for up to 30 days upon their arrival in Singapore. You should have a valid passport with at least six months validity, onward or return tickets, onward facilities (such as visas or entry permits) to your next destination, and sufficient funds for your stay in Singapore.

On immigration clearance, the SG Arrival Card (SGAC) e-Service1 should be completed before you leave your departure point. This is available electronically on the Visit Singapore Travel Guide app on the App Store or Google Play.

Alternatively, you can visit the Singapore Immigration & Checkpoints Authority website to submit your arrival information by clicking HERE. You can submit the information up to three days before your visit. Please refer to the infographic on the left for more information. You may view it separately HERE.

List of countries whose citizens need a visa to travel to Singapore: https://www.ica.gov.sg/enter-depart/entry_requirements/visa_requirements

For more information see https://www.ica.gov.sg/visitor/visitor_entryvisag
Singapore has implemented a COVID-19 Vaccinated Travel Framework to facilitate the resumption of travel. This new travel framework replaces previous SafeTravel Lanes such as the Vaccinated Travel Lane (VTL), and applies to all travellers entering Singapore, including Singapore Citizens/Permanent Residents.

### Accepted Vaccinations for Entry

All travellers aged 12 and below do not need to be vaccinated for entry to Singapore. Travellers aged 13 and above are only considered “fully vaccinated” for purposes of entry to Singapore if they meet either of the following conditions at least 2 weeks before arrival in Singapore, if not they are considered “non-fully vaccinated”:

1. Received the full regimen of WHO EUL Vaccines in the list of accepted vaccinations [here](#) and met the minimum dose interval period; or
2. Contracted COVID-19 before being vaccinated, and received at least one dose of any WHO EUL Vaccines ([listed here](#)) at least 28 days from their first diagnosis of a COVID-19 infection. Travellers must produce acceptable proof of their first positive COVID-19 diagnosis.

Fully vaccinated travellers and children aged 12 and below should refer to this [travel checklist](#) for more details including how to show proof of vaccination, and maintaining that vaccination status for activities within Singapore. Travellers who do not meet the vaccination criteria for entry should refer to [the Travel Checklist for Non-fully Vaccinated Travellers aged 13 and above](#).

### Frequently Asked Questions

*Please note that the travel regulations are constantly being revised, for the latest travel advisories please visit [https://safetravel.ica.gov.sg/arriving/overview](https://safetravel.ica.gov.sg/arriving/overview) before booking your travel tickets.*

We highly recommend for you to review your home country’s insurance and airline policies before confirming your travel plans.

If you have a question that is not addressed by the available resources, please contact ICA here.
CHANGI AIRPORT SINGAPORE (SIN)

Changi Airport as it is commonly known is more than an airport. It houses four terminals: Terminal 1, 2, 3 and 4. The airport is located at the eastern edge of Singapore with a direct link to the city via Singapore’s MRT (mass rapid transit train system) from Terminal 2 & 3.

Taxi and limousine are available, and it takes approximately 30 minutes depending on traffic to the city.
Changi Airport Singapore (SIN) is located 30 minutes from the centre. Apart from Taxis, Singapore’s MRT (Mass Rapid Train) system is accessible all around the city.

AIRPORT TRANSFER

TAXIS

The most convenient way to get to the city from the airport is by taxi. Taxis are available at the taxi stands at the Arrival levels of each Terminal. The journey to the city is estimated to cost between SG$18.00 and SG$38.00 and takes approximately 30 minutes. Fares are metered and there is additional airport surcharge for all trips originating from the airport. $5 airport surcharge – 5.00pm to 12.00am (Fridays to Sundays) $3 airport surcharge – all other times Midnight surcharge of 50% of final metered fare – 12.00am to 6.00am (daily)

LIMOUSINE TAXIS & LARGE TAXIS

The service uses dedicated taxis to bring you to any destination in Singapore. Please approach the Ground Transport Desks at the Arrival Halls. Rates:

- 4-seater Limousine Taxi – $55.00* per departure (from airport)
- 7-seater Large Taxi – $60.00* per departure (from airport)

*Additional surcharge of $15.00 applies per additional stop. Information posted on this page are correct at time of publishing but may be subjected to changes. It is recommended that you check with the relevant organisation/authorities for the latest information.
TRANSPORTATION

TRAVELLING WITHIN SINGAPORE

BY TRAIN
Singapore’s MRT (mass rapid transit) system is probably the fastest way to zip around the city. The extensive rail network means that most of Singapore’s key attractions are within walking distance from an MRT station. You can buy tickets for single trips, but if you intend to use the MRT and basic bus services frequently during your visit, you can buy a Singapore Tourist Pass (STP), a special EZ-Link stored-value card which will allow you unlimited travel for one day ($S10), two days ($S16) or three days ($S20). The cards can be bought at the TransitLink Ticket Office at the MRT stations. Singapore’s trains and stations are accessible to wheel chair users and the visually impaired, as well as families with strollers.

For train network and information, click HERE.

BY TAXI
Taxis are comfortable and especially handy if you want to go to places not accessible by the bus or MRT. Cabs here are metered, but there may be surcharges depending on when, where and which company’s taxi you board. To get a rough idea of the final fare, check with the driver on the surcharges and ask for a receipt at the end of the trip. You can hail a taxi by the roadside at most places, or by queuing for one at taxi stands found at most shopping malls, hotels and tourist attractions. If you wish to book a cab, you can call a common taxi booking number, 6-DIAL CAB (6342-5222), and your call will be routed to an available taxi company’s call centre. You may also wish to download the GRAB App free to book a budget or premium taxi with ease.

You may wish to download the ComfortDelGro Taxi App HERE and GRAB App HERE.

BY BUS
Singapore’s bus system has an extensive network of routes covering most places in Singapore and is the most economical way to get around, as well as being one of the most scenic. You can pay your bus fare using an EZ-Link stored-value card or the Singapore Tourist Pass (STP), which you tap on the card reader located next to the driver as you board. Do remember to tap your card again, on the reader located at the rear exit, when you alight. You can also pay in cash but you will need to have exact change. Most buses in Singapore have air-conditioning - a welcome comfort in a tropical city.

You can use the E-Guide to get information on the bus routing.
USEFUL INFORMATION

**Time**

Singapore’s Time Zone is UTC/GMT + 8 hours.

**Climate**

The average temperature in Singapore in July is 31°C, the average low is 28°C, and the average high is 33°C.

The weather’s warm and tropical year-round. Rainstorms are possible any time.

**Currency**

The official currency in Singapore is Singapore Dollars (currency code SGD). Most major credit cards are accepted in hotels and shops.

The Singapore Dollars exchange rate for United States Dollars is about USD$1 to SGD1.38 (rate as per December 2019) and subject to change.

Money can be changed at most banks throughout the country, or at currency exchange locations (often a booth at an airport, shopping centre and tourist areas). Banks are usually open 9:00 – 17:00 (Monday – Friday).

Since the conference venue is in Marina Bay Sands, the nearest ATM can be found at the official hotel.

**Language**

The majority of Singaporeans are bilingual in English and one of the other three official languages (Malay, Tamil and Mandarin Chinese).

The official language of the WCRP Sea Level Conference 2022 is English.
USEFUL INFORMATION

Tap water
Singapore’s tap water is well within international guidelines set by the World Health Organisation, as well as the United States Environmental Protection Agency’s drinking water standards. It is suitable for drinking without further filtration or boiling.

Safety
Singapore is generally safe, with a courteous culture and active police presence.
There are no significant safety and security concerns. You should take normal security precautions.

Electricity and Voltage
In Singapore the standard voltage is 230 V and the frequency is 50 Hz. You can use your electric appliances in Singapore, if the standard voltage in your country is in between 220 - 240 V (as is in the UK, Europe, Australia and most of Asia and Africa).

Telephone services
When calling to Singapore, use international prefix / area code (+65) + local number.

Emergency and Useful Phone Numbers
Emergency Ambulance & Fire: 995
Non-Emergency Ambulance: 1777
Police Emergency: 999

Police Hotline: 1800 255 0000
Traffic Police: 6547 1818
Country Code: +65
Marina Bay Sands is the leading business, leisure and entertainment destination in Asia. The vision was to build an integrated development that is timeless, and a landmark that possesses a distinct identity which distinguishes Singapore from other cities.

Located along the Marina Bay waterfront, the integrated resort features more than 2,500 hotel rooms and suites across its three cascading hotel towers, and an extraordinary rooftop Sands SkyPark with an Infinity Pool. It also boasts the best shopping mall in Asia, the largest nightclub in Singapore, world-class celebrity chef restaurants, a theatre and a Las Vegas-style casino. Business visitors will also enjoy the extensive Meetings, Incentives, Conventions and Exhibitions (MICE) facilities featuring state-of-the-art technology, highly flexible exhibition halls, and a convention centre that can host over 45,000 delegates. Completing the line-up of attractions is ArtScience Museum at Marina Bay Sands, which plays host to permanent and marquee exhibitions.
How to exit Bayfront Station:

- **Exit A** - Connects to Bayfront Avenue street level.
- **Exit A** - Connects to Gardens by the Bay.
- **Exits C & D** - Connect to The Shoppes at Marina Bay Sands (1 minute walk), Sands Expo & Convention Centre (3 minute walk), the Hotel (5 minute walk), Sands SkyPark (10 minute walk), ArtScience Museum (10 minute walk), and Sands Theatre (10 minute walk). Signs direct the way to each location and other attractions at Marina Bay Sands.
- **Exit E** - Connects to Sands Expo & Convention Centre.
The organising committee of WCRP Sea Level Conference 2022 is pleased to offer an official hotel with special considerations on security, accessibility and price. Rates will be based on 15% off Hotel Best Available Rate.

To book a room, please write to:
Email: WaiYong.See@MarinaBaySands.com / M-Jay.Byun@MarinaBaySands.com

Quote both event name and booking code stated below:
Event Name: WCRP Sea Level Conference
Booking Code: 4332920 / PB:80075

Terms & Conditions:
Guests under the booking must be an attendee of the WCRP Sea Level Conference as checks will be conducted upon check-in. The hotel reserves the right to charge the full hotel room rate if guest is not an attendee of the conference.
OTHER HOTELS

Concorde Hotel Singapore

Located on the world-renowned Orchard Road, an 800,000 square metre playground of retail, dining and entertainment surrounds you. From famous brands to gourmet cuisine, immerse yourself in the fast-paced city lifestyle with the satisfaction of a modern hotel to unwind in.

This 4-star hotel is 3.4km from the official Marina Sands convention centre

Information: 100 Orchard Rd, Singapore 238840
Website: https://singapore.concordehotelsresorts.com/
Distance from Concorde Hotel to the convention centre: 3.4km

Ibis Singapore on Bencoolen

The hotel is located in the heart of Singapore’s cultural, business and shopping district. Bugis, Haji Lane, Little India, Chinatown and Orchard Road are all within walking distance from hotel or easily accessible by public transport. The hotel is linked to Changi Airport by Bugis MRT which is about 8 minutes walk away from the hotel.

This 3-star hotel is 3.5km from the official Marina Sands convention centre

Information: 170 Bencoolen Street, Singapore 189657
Website: https://all.accor.com/hotel/6657/index.en.shtml
Distance from Ibis Singapore on Bencoolen Hotel to the convention centre: 3.5km
OTHER HOTELS

Robertson Quay Hotel

Hotel is situated in the bustling entertainment precinct of Robertson Quay, just minutes away from Clarke Quay, the Central Business District (CBD), and renowned Orchard Road. Within walking distance to Singapore’s popular night spots Soak in the nightlife at popular entertainment pubs and restaurants along Mohamed Sultan Road, Boat Quay and Clarke Quay, all within walking distance.

This 3-star hotel is 4.3km from the official Marina Sands convention centre

Information: 15 Merbau Rd, Singapore 239032
Website: https://www.robertsonquayhotel.com.sg/en/
Distance from Robertson Quay Hotel to the convention centre: 4.3km

YWCA Fort Canning

Located opposite the lush surroundings of Fort Canning Park and situated right in the heart of the city, this is an ideal place for guests who are looking for a quiet retreat or a downtown accommodation easily accessible to Orchard Road and the Central Business District.

This 4-star hotel is 3.4km from the official Marina Sands convention centre

Information: 6 Fort Canning Rd, Singapore 179494
Website: https://www.ywcafortcanning.org.sg/
Distance from Robertson Quay Hotel to the convention centre: 3.4km
### OTHER HOTELS

Apart from the hotel official site, you may visit any of the following booking sites for your selection:

- **Booking.com** - [https://www.booking.com/country/sg.html](https://www.booking.com/country/sg.html)
- **Trivago** – [https://www.trivago.sg/singapore-44278/hotel](https://www.trivago.sg/singapore-44278/hotel)
- **Hotels.com** – [https://sg.hotels.com/](https://sg.hotels.com/)

*Please take note that the Sea Level Conference organising committee is not responsible for any booking made within the sites listed above*