

CSAIO 18



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- Conference circular 2 -

Dear Colleagues,

The CSAIO Scientific Committee is pleased to invite you to its 18th annual Conference of Staff Associations of International Organisations:

12 and 13 October 2017

INTERPOL 200 quai Charles de Gaulle 69006 Lyon, France

An informal session takes place on Thursday 12 morning. It gives the participants the opportunity to follow up on the issues discussed the previous year.

The 18th Conference of Staff Associations of International Organisations is a follow-up to the previous conferences organised annually since 2000. This series of conferences aims to bring together staff representatives from international organisations whose headquarters or main offices are in Europe to discuss topics of common interest.

For more information on the CSAIO, please check the following site: <u>http://csaio.web.cern.ch/.</u>

Contact

Should you have a question during the Conference, do not hesitate to contact the CSAIO Scientific Committee (A. Demarle or J. Lahaye).

For logistic matters, Susana Espinosa (+33 (0)6 86 33 20 37) will be at your disposal.







This year's topics

A. Pension reform

The International Organisations have not been able to escape the general predilection for pension regime reform by their Member countries in recent years. We invite staff representatives who have had to deal with these reforms to share their experience, and to inform us in particular of the population affected (serving officials and/or new staff), the revised parameters, and the safeguard or countermeasures taken.

B. Health and safety of staff

It is the duty of the International Organisations to ensure the protection of their staff in terms of their health and their well-being at work (medical examinations, work accidents and occupational illnesses, consideration of psychosocial risks, etc.), as well as their physical safety (protection of premises, high-risk missions, etc.). Against a backdrop of constantly increasing stress at a time when security is a major issue, we propose a review of the measures taken in these areas by our Organisations.

C. Facilities provided for staff representative bodies

The staff representative bodies, which are an essential partner in the proper functioning of our Organisations, are granted a series of rights and facilities which allow them to successfully fulfil their mandate. The extent of these rights and facilities varies significantly between International Organisations. We will examine the range of human and material resources, and rights to expenses, available to staff representatives.







Practical information

1. Proceedings

The proceedings and slides used will be available on the CSAIO site after the conference.

2. Languages

Simultaneous interpretation both from English to French or *vice versa* (depending on the speaker) will be provided throughout the conference.

3. Dinner on Thursday 12 October

The conference dinner at your own costs (55€) will take place on the Thursday evening from 20:00 onwards.

Brasserie Le Nord 18 rue Neuve 69002 Lyon

You will be able to make a Credit Card payment only, directly to INTERPOL's staff Committee.

4. Financial contribution

As usual, there will be no registration fees.

5. Security

Please remember to bring your ID or passport, and come early on the first day of the conference for the security check and issuance of a security badge.

Disclaimer

It is up to the participants to take out insurance. Please note that the CSAIO Scientific Committee cannot be held responsible for this matter.

Annexes:

- Agenda of the Conference
- Transports to get to INTERPOL
- List of hotels
- Map







Agenda

Thursday 12 October 2017

- 10:00 10:30 Welcoming coffee
- 10:30 13:00 Follow-up previous conference (informal session) Update from last year's participants & discussion
- 13:00 14:00 Lunch
- 14:00 14:15 Conference registration
- 14:15 14:30 Conference introduction
 - Welcoming address: Patricia Chale, Head of Human Resources (Interpol)
- 14:30 18:00 Session A / Pension reform

Moderator: Pierre-Philippe Bacri (European court of auditors)

- Monique Breton (Court of justice of the European Union) and Fabrice Andreone (European Commission)
- Joel Lahaye (CERN)
- Anne-Marie Thévenot-Werner (Université Paris 2 Panthéon-Assas)
- 16:00 Coffee break
- 16:30 Discussion
- 18:00 End of Session A
- 20:00 Dinner Brasserie Le Nord, 18 rue Neuve, 69002 Lyon

Friday 13 October 2017

08:30 – 09:00 Welcoming coffee

09:00 – 12:00 Session B / Health and safety of staff Moderator: Marina Parsons (EBRD)

- Christel Osterroth (OECD)
- Jens Schröder (European Parliament)
- Gemma Vestal (FICSA)
- 10:30 Coffee break
- 10:45 Discussion
- 12:00 End of Session B
- 12:00 12:45 Preparation of next Conference Venue and format; Themes/topics







13:00 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 16:30 Session C / Facilities provided for staff representative bodies Moderator: Gemma Vestal (FICSA)

- Lorella Cattaruzza (European commission)
- Klaus Noetzel / Karim Haggouchi (EUMETSAT)
- Nizar Zaher (OSCE)
- Marina Parsons (EBRD)
- 15:30 Discussion
- 16:30 End of Session C

16:30 – 17:00 Conference wrap-up







Transports to get to INTERPOL

A. By plane

Lyon is served by two airports:

1. International Airport Saint-Exupéry

30 minutes away from Lyon (Part-Dieu railway station) by public transports (see Rhônexpress below) From 30 to 45 minutes to INTERPOL Headquarters by taxi <u>www.lyonaeroports.com</u>

Rhônexpress

Tram express connects the international airport Saint-Exupéry and Lyon Part-Dieu railway station in 30 minutes.

The tram works:

365 days a year from 5:00 am to 11:30 pm

Frequency: every 15 minutes between 6:00 am and 9:00 pm

every 30 minutes between 5:00 am and 6:00 am and between 9:00 pm and 11:30 pm Please note that one-way tickets must be used immediately after purchase.

Tickets for a round trip will remain valid for 12 months from the date of purchase.

Rates: one way: 15.90 €

round trip ticket: 27.50 €

www.rhonexpress.fr

2. Lyon-Bron business Airport

20 minutes to INTERPOL Headquarters by taxi <u>www.lyonaeroports.com</u>

B. By train

Paris-Lyon (2 hours) and Marseille-Lyon (1 hour 30 minutes) by the high-speed train (TGV) The nearest TGV station to the INTERPOL Headquarters is Lyon Part-Dieu Information and reservations on the TGV: www.voyages-sncf.com

C. By car

Paris-Lyon (464 km - 4 hours 30 minutes) by the A6 motorway Nice-Lyon (467 km - 4 hours 30 minutes) and Marseille-Lyon (299 km - 3 hours) by the A7 motorway. Geneva-Lyon (139 km - 1 hour 30 minutes) by the A40 and A42 motorways.







NB: In France, highways are paying. Tolls can be paid in cash or by credit card. In Lyon, you may be able to park your car in one of the three paying parking spaces available near INTERPOL Headquarters.

Public transport lines serving the Headquarters

TCL network (Lyon public transport).

The closest bus / tram stop to the INTERPOL Headquarters is "INTERPOL"

• Trolleybus line C1

Express link between the Part-Dieu railway station and the Cité Internationale Serves every 10 minutes between 5:00 am and 12:30 am

• Bus line N ° 4

Connecting Jean Macé (Lyon 7th) to the Cité internationale Commuting at Foch (Lyon 6th) with metro line A and at Saxe-Gambetta (Lyon 3rd) with metro lines B and D

• Bus line N ° C5

Connecting Bellecour (Lyon 2^{nd}) to Rillieux-la-Pape Commuting at Bellecour (Lyon 2^{nd}) with metro lines A and D, and at Hotel-de-Ville / Louis Pradel (Lyon 1^{er}) with metro lines A and C The ticket costs 2,00 \in and is valid for 1 hour for one way For more information on the public transport network: <u>www.tcl.fr</u>

Taxis in Lyon

Travel time to the INTERPOL Headquarters:

- 30 to 45 minutes from Saint-Exupéry International Airport (about 70 €)
- 15 minutes from the Part-Dieu railway station (about 15 €)

Operator Taxis: On request, driver speaking English, Arabic or Spanish Tel: +33 4 78 37 28 75 www.operator.taxis.free.fr

Taxi-radio from Lyon: Tel: +33 4 72 10 86 86 www.taxilyon.com

Arobase Lyon Taxi: Tel: + 33 4 72 27 15 15







List of hotels

Hotel reservations:

The INTERPOL General Secretariat has negotiated special rates with several hotels in Lyon. You will find a list of these hotels below.

To make a reservation, follow these steps:

• Contact the hotel directly (by fax, e-mail or phone) and give your name, the type of room you need (single or double) and your arrival and departure dates.

• Always inform the hotel that you will be attending a meeting organised by INTERPOL. This will ensure that you will receive INTERPOL special rates.

• Have your credit card details ready; Most hotels will not make reservations without this information.

• Be sure to inform the hotel if you need to change or cancel your reservation. Please also note that penalties may apply.

MARRIOTT *****	Special rates	
70, quai Charles de Gaulle	Standard	150€
69006 Lyon	Standard	130 €
Tél:+33(0)4 78.17.50.68	Deluxe	175€
Fax: +33(0)4 78.17.52.52	Executive (B&B)	220€
E-mail : reservations@marriottlyon.com	Breakfast 25 €	

CROWNE PLAZA ****	Special rate	
22, quai Charles de Gaulle		
69006 Lyon	Classic	145€
Tél:+33(0)4 78.17.86.73		
Fax : +33(0)4 78 17.86.99		
E-mail : resaindiv@cphotel-lyon.com	Breakfast included	

LA REINE ASTRID ****	Speci	Special rates	
24-26, boulevard des Belges	Deluxe	102€	
69006 Lyon Tél : +33(0)4 72.82.18.03	Premium Suite	122€	
Fax: +33(0)4 78.93.80.06	Executive Suite	142€	
E-mail : infora@warwickhotels.com	Breakfo	Breakfast 16 €	

TEMPORIM CITE INTERNATIONALE Special rate		
35, quai Charles de Gaulle		
69006 Lyon	Single / Double	52€
Tél: +33(0) 4 37 47 57 67		
Fax : +33(0) 4 37 47 58 68		
E-mail : temporim-lyoncite@amallia.fr	Breakfast 9€	



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