

Practical Information



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1st Forum on Artificial Intelligence and the Internet of Things in Smart Sustainable Cities in Latin America

Buenos Aires, Argentina, 29-30 May 2018

1. About the City

Buenos Aires is a pulsating cosmopolitan city and a place of many passions. The combination of rich architectural and cultural heritage, modern creative energy, unique traditions, a vibrant arts scene, extensive parks and open spaces, and warm, friendly people makes it one of the world's most exciting capitals.

Downloadable guide:

<https://turismo.buenosaires.gob.ar/en/article/buenos-aires-city-guide>

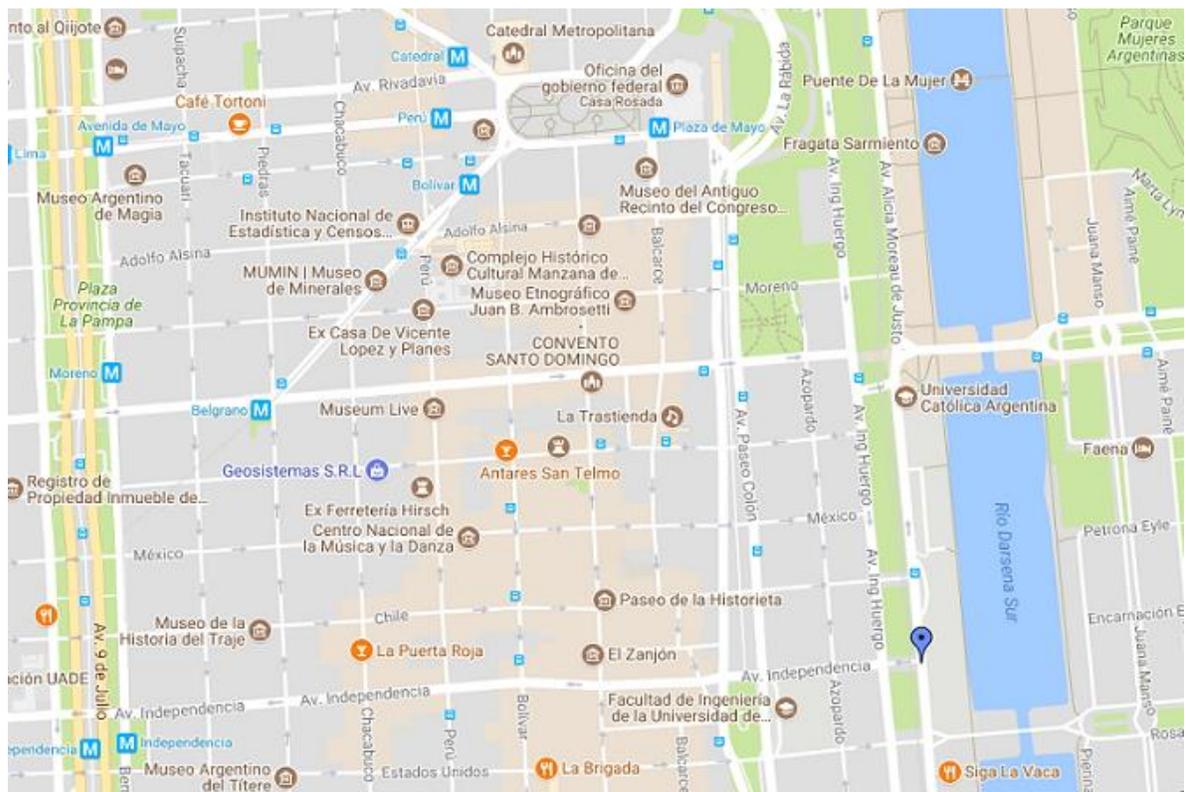
Please find here three official links to enjoy the city of Buenos Aires

- 1) Buenos Aires, official information on tourism: <https://turismo.buenosaires.gob.ar/es>
- 2) BA Planner - This official website provides the tools needed to plan your trip and the activities you want to do in the city: <https://turismo.buenosaires.gob.ar/es/basic-page/planner>
- 3) BA Tours -In this site you can find all the experiences you can do in the city and allows you to buy the tickets if necessary: <https://www.ba.tours>

2. Event Venue

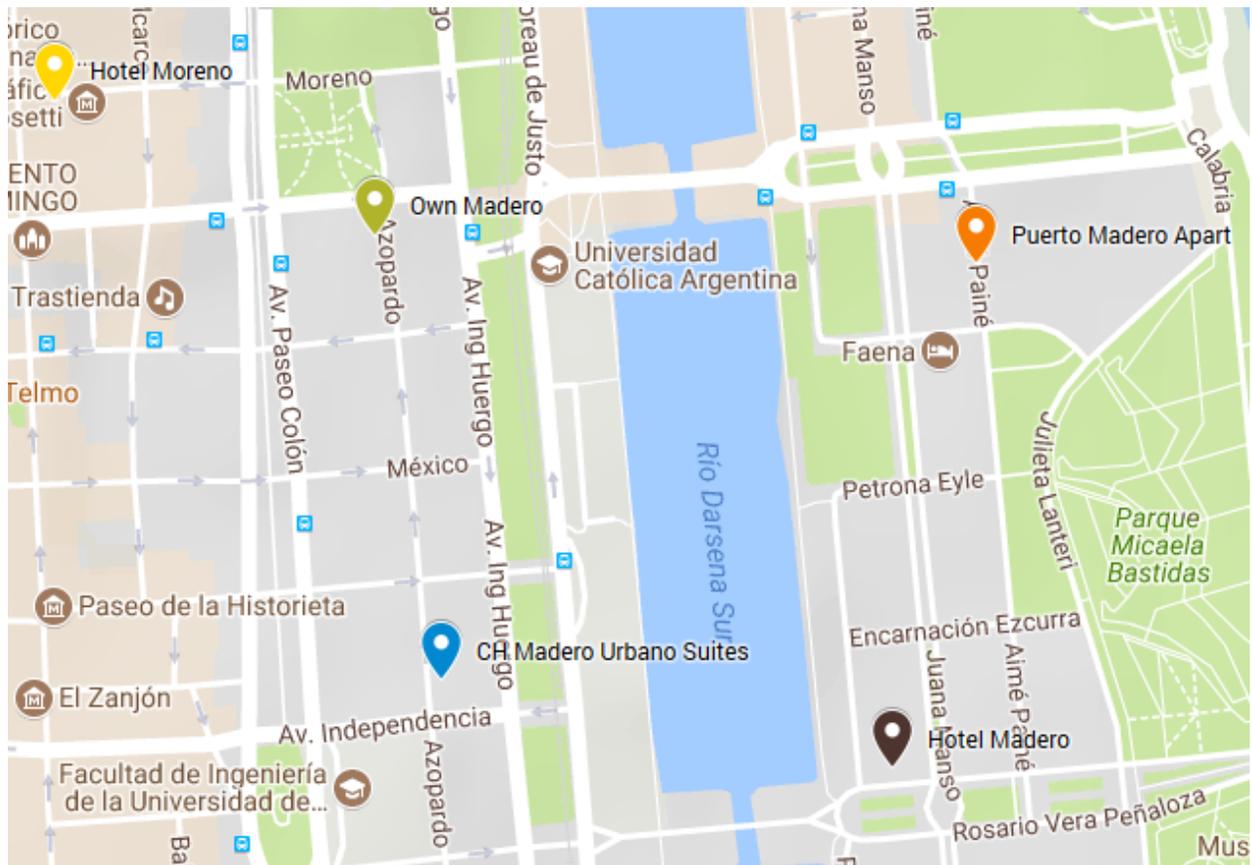
San Agustín Auditorium, Pontificia Universidad Católica Argentina (UCA)

Address: Av. Alicia Moreau de Justo 1300, C1107AAZ, Buenos Aires, Argentina.



Website and map: <http://www.uca.edu.ar/index.php/site/index/es/uca/auditorios-uca-puerto-madero/ubicacion/>

3. Reservation in Recommended Hotels



1) Hotel Moreno

Moreno 376, C1091AAH, Buenos Aires
morenobuenosaires.com
+54 11 6091-2000

2) Own Madero

Azopardo 419, C1107ADE, Buenos Aires
ownhotels.com
+54 11 4773-8300

3) Puerto Madero Apart

Aimé Painé 1351, 1107, Buenos Aires
www.puertomaderoapart.com.ar
+54 376 494-0535

4) CH Madero Urbano Suites

Azopardo 770, C1107ADL Puerto Madero, Buenos Aires

www.hotelescyan.com

+54 11 5236-9095

5) Hotel Madero

Dique 2, Rosario Vera Peñaloza 360, C1107CLA Buenos Aires

www.hotelmadero.com

+54 11 5776-7777

4. Visa Information

A valid passport and visa are required to enter Argentina. Some nationalities do not require a visa to enter the country, please see the details in

<http://www.migraciones.gov.ar/accesible/indexA.php?visas> Holders of ordinary passport of countries who require a visa to enter into Argentina should contact the Argentinean Representation in their country. The list of Argentinean Representations can be found at the following link: <http://www.mrecic.gov.ar/representaciones>.

Visa Invitation Letters

Should you need a visa invitation letter in order to support your visa application please contact Ms. Victoria Sukenik (msukenik@modernizacion.gob.ar) and attach the following details: Name, Gender, Date of birth, Nationality, Passport Nbr., Profession, Registration confirmation.

5. Climate

Buenos Aires has a mild and warm climate throughout the year. The winter months are June to August, the summer months are December to February, the spring months are September to November, and the autumn months are March, April and May. For more information on temperatures in May [click here](#).

6. Arrival at airport

Ministro Pistarini International Airport, also known as Ezeiza International Airport, is located 22 kilometres south-southwest of Buenos Aires city. It is the country's largest international airport in terms of number of passengers handled-85 per cent of international traffic-making it a hub for the international flights of Aerolíneas Argentinas and LATAM Argentina.

Road access is by the Riccheri Highway. Travel between the airport and anywhere in Buenos Aires city can be by taxi, or limousine ("remise" in Spanish). There are also airport shuttle buses operating a non-stop service between the airport and certain locations in central Buenos Aires.

<http://www.aa2000.com.ar/ezeiza>

7. Services available for participants during meetings

Security:

For security reasons, all participants should be permanently using their badges during the meeting and in all activities.

Medical Assistance: Emergency and urgency medical assistance will be provided charge within the premises where the meeting will take place. Nevertheless, it is advised to take out international travel insurance to cover any medical expenses in case of medical treatment.

8. Currency

The official currency of Argentina is the “*Peso*”. Foreign currencies may be changed into Pesos at the airport or banks or hotel.

9. Time Zone:

Argentina is GMT -3

10. Electricity:

Electrical current in Argentina is 220 volts, 50Hz. Most hotels and offices use the three-pin flat plug. However, older buildings use the two-pin round plug.



11. Internet

Internet connection will be available at the meeting venue free of charge.