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Practical Information



1. MEETING VENUE

The 12th Meeting of the ITU/WMO/UNEP Focus Group on Artificial Intelligence for Natural Disaster Management (FG-AI4NDM) and its related Workshop will take place at the University of Maryland, Baltimore County (UMBC) in **Catonsville, Maryland, United States on 13-15 March 2024** at the following address:

Address of the Venue: 1000 Hilltop Circle, Baltimore, MD 21250

[Campus Maps](#)

2. FOCAL POINTS

ITU

Advisor of FG-AI4NDM
Ms Mythili MENON

HOST

Focal Point for UMBC
Mr Rustem Arif Albayrak

Email: tsbfgai4ndm@itu.int

3. HOTEL RESERVATION

Experts are requested to make their own hotel arrangements.

HILTON BALTIMORE BWI AIRPORT

1739 W Nursery Rd, Linthicum Heights, MD 21090 (Rates around \$158/night)

URL: <https://www.hilton.com/en/hotels/bwiaphf-hilton-baltimore-bwi-airport/>

THE WESTIN BALTIMORE WASHINGTON AIRPORT- BWI

1110 Old Elkridge Landing Rd, Linthicum Heights, MD 21090 (Rates around \$179/night)

URL: <https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/bwibw-the-westin-baltimore-washington-airport-bwi/overview/>

SHERATON BALTIMORE WASHINGTON AIRPORT HOTEL – BWI

1100 Old Elkridge Landing Rd, Linthicum Heights, MD 21090 (Rates around \$162/night)

URL: <https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/bwils-sheraton-baltimore-washington-airport-hotel-bwi/overview/>

4. TECHNOLOGY AND WIFI INFORMATION

Please see here: <https://doit.umbc.edu/services/network/>

5. PLACES TO EAT ON CAMPUS

UMBC is minutes away from everything you need — 15 minutes from [Baltimore's](#) Inner Harbor, 45 minutes from [Washington, D.C.](#), and four miles from [BWI Airport](#). It's the perfect location for job and internship opportunities, research collaborations, artistic and cultural



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exploration, and just plain fun. The nearby towns of Catonsville, Arbutus, Ellicott City, and Columbia also offer plenty of [dining and entertainment options](#).

6. EMERGENCY SERVICES

For any emergencies that can occur, participants are requested to call from any landline or mobile phone in the United States the generic emergency number **911**.

7. CURRENCY AND CREDIT CARDS

The official currency of the United States is the United States dollar (\$).

Visa, MasterCard and American Express are widely used.