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CONFERENCE

Theme: Public Procurement – a Tool for Economic Development



November 29 - December 1, 2016
Montego Bay, Jamaica



Welcome Delegates, Presenters and Guests!

The Ministry of Finance & the Public Service is excited and happy to be hosting the **XII Annual Inter-American Network on Government Procurement (INGP) Conference 2016** here in Jamaica. We are pleased to welcome our Latin American and Caribbean colleagues to beautiful Montego Bay and expect a fruitful and exciting conference which benefits us all.

With our partners from the IDB, OAS, CDB and other agencies in support, you can look forward to three amazing days of conference in Montego Bay.



The Inter-American Network on Government Procurement (INGP)

The Inter-American Network on Government Procurement (INGP), is an initiative of the Americas (Organization of American States – OAS) constituted as a regional technical cooperation mechanism, composed of governmental institutions, headed by the national directors, who have the highest responsibility regarding the regulation, management and modernization of government procurement in the 32 countries of Latin America, Central America and the Caribbean, who collectively handle 10 to 20% of their countries GDP.

THE GOVERNMENT OF JAMAICA PUBLIC PROCUREMENT SYSTEM

Procurement has been in practice since as far back as the medieval times. However, the recognition of public procurement in Jamaica emerged as part of a global trend in the late 1990s and the systemic changes from an inefficient centralized purchasing mechanism to the decentralization of the purchasing function.

This was accompanied by a growing importance being placed on the procurement function as well as the recognition that public procurement is not merely purchasing, but all the activities involved in the acquisition of goods, services and works by the government. With this recognition came the need for a formal structure to streamline and monitor the entire process for efficiency.

In tandem with this was the establishment of the Procurement Policy Implementation Unit (PPIU), now renamed the Procurement & Asset Policy Unit (PAPU), as the national point of contact for all public procurement matters. In keeping with its mandate to establish a formal set of guidelines and procedures to govern the procurement process, in 2001 PPIU promulgated Jamaica's first public procurement policy statement and procedural handbook.

Since then, the PAPU has continued to play the critical role of oversight and co-ordination of the procurement function through the development, implementation and modernization of the policies, procedures and legal framework; while providing support to practitioners and enabling compliance through the delivery of training and policy advice.

Over the last decade or so, the Unit has made significant steps towards the transformation and strengthening of Jamaica's public procurement system, including reforms to the legislation and regulation of government procurement, the introduction of information and communication technologies in the management of procurement and the incorporation of new procedures aimed at improving transparency, efficiency, value for money and accountability, while streamlining the procurement process to reduce the time and money spent.

Through these efforts international standards have been attained in all stages of the public procurement process, from planning and requirements definition to the award, signing and administration of contracts, and the accomplishment of the following significant milestones:

1. Public sector-wide use of the Government of Jamaica Handbook of Public Procurement Procedures (developed 2001, Revised 2008, 2012 and 2014);
2. Comprehensive Public Procurement Policy, 2008;
3. Public Procurement Regulations, Gazette 2008;
4. Public sector-wide use of the Government of Jamaica Standard Bidding Documents 2008;
5. Establishment of a Procurement Appeals Board, 2012;
6. Consolidation and standardization of procurement notices through weekly publication of the National Public Procurement Page in the Saturday Gleaner and the Tuesday Observer, 2013;
7. Hosting of an inaugural Annual National Public Procurement Conference, 2014;
8. Public Procurement Certification Programme 2014;
9. Inter-American Development Bank's Board approval for the adoption of (Jamaica's) Procurement Country System, 2014;
10. Passing of Jamaica's first stand-alone Public Procurement Act, 2015;
11. Implementation of the Government of Jamaica Electronic Procurement Platform (GOJEP), 2015;
12. Formalization and professionalization of the procurement function public sector-wide to be implemented in 2016.

Ultimately, PAPU is making significant contributions to the achievement of Jamaica's fiscal reform initiatives, which is crucial to the survival of the economy and earning international recognition of Jamaica's public procurement system as the most advanced in the Caribbean.



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AGENDA

Public Session, Day 1	
Tuesday, November 29, 2016	
08:00-09:00	Registration
09:00 - 10:00	Opening Ceremony
Call to Order	Marline Stephenson-Dalley
National Anthem	
Introduction of Convenor	Marline Stephenson-Dalley
Convenor Welcome	E.G. Hunter
Mr. Everton McFarlane	<i>Financial Secretary, Ministry of Finance and the Public Service</i>
Mrs. Trinidad Inostroza	<i>President of the INGP</i>
Mr. James Lambert	<i>Secretary for Hemispheric Affairs, Organization of American States</i>
Mr. Douglas Fraser	<i>Head of Procurement, Caribbean Development Bank</i>
Mrs. Therese Turner-Jones	<i>Manager, Inter-American Development Bank General Country Department Caribbean Group</i>
Honourable Fayval Williams, MP	<i>Minister of State, Ministry of Finance and the Public Service</i>
Performance	John Rollins Primary
Honourable Audley Shaw CD, MP	<i>Minister of Finance and the Public Service, Jamaica</i>
10:00 - 10:15	Signing Ceremony Regional Technical Cooperation Programme
Meeting of the Working Group on Promoting Women in Public Procurement	
10:15 - 10:45	Short Coffee Break

10:45 - 11:45	Keynote Panel
Leslie Harper <i>Fiscal and Municipal Management Specialist, Inter-American Development Bank</i>	Moderator
Steven L. Schooner <i>Co-Director of the Government Procurement Law Programme at the George Washington University</i>	Keynote Speaker
Hope Blake <i>Deputy Financial Secretary Public Expenditure Policy Coordination Division Ministry of Finance and the Public Service, Jamaica</i>	Commentator
Questions & Answers	
11:45 - 13:00	Lessons Learned and Challenges in the Caribbean
Terrance Victor <i>Chief of Procurement Office, Grenada</i>	Moderator
Noel Cowell <i>School of Business, University of the West Indies (UWI)</i>	The Role of the University of West Indies
Cheryl Mathurin <i>Director of Public Procurement, St. Lucia</i>	Challenges in Public Procurement the Caribbean
John Thompson <i>Project Manager, Implementation of Electronic Procurement Project</i>	Implementation of Electronic Government Procurement in Jamaica
Questions & Answers	
13:00 - 14:15	Lunch Break
14:15 - 15:30	Governance of the Public Procurement System
Oscar Seaman <i>Chief Procurement Officer, Dominica</i>	Moderator
Dirk Harrison <i>Contractor General, Jamaica</i>	Public Procurement Governance Systems: Establishing Its Rationale and Looking at what is at stake?
Lorna Prosper <i>Director General, Washington Sector at Public Services and Procurement, Canada</i>	The Case of Canada
Santiago Jure <i>National Director of Public Contracting, Paraguay</i>	The Case of Paraguay
Questions & Answers	
15:30 - 15:45	Coffee Break

15:45 – 17:15		Sustainability in Public Procurement
Edelmira de Molina <i>Chief of Procurement UNAC, El Salvador</i>	Moderator	
Trinidad Inostroza <i>Director of Chilecompra</i>	Action Plan and the Case of Gender in Chile	
Jaime Aristy <i>International Expert, Dominican Republic</i>	Presentation of the Study “Public Procurement Policy Impact for Small and Medium-size Enterprises and Women” Dominican Republic	
Monica Borrero <i>Coordinator of Sustainable Procurement and Ecolabelling Program at the United Nations Environment Program (UNEP)</i>	Advances in Sustainable Public Procurement in the Region: Case Studies	
Marina Ruete <i>Legal and Technical Advisor at the International Institute for Sustainable Development</i>	New Challenges in the Implementation of Sustainability in Public Procurement in the Latin American and Caribbean Region	
Closing of Public Session, Day 1 - XII Annual Conference of the INGP		
Welcome Reception – MBCC Courtyard 5:30-7:30 P.M.		

Public Session, Day 2		
Wednesday, November 30, 2016		
09:30-11:00		Electronic Government Procurement
Daniel Sanchez <i>Senior eGP Consultant, IDB</i>	Moderator	
Minsook Hong <i>Assistant Director Public Procurement Service, Korea</i>	eGP Data Confidentiality, Public Disclosure Requirements and Data Sharing: Emerging Issues and Development	
Juan Manuel Sanchez <i>General Director Public Works, Chile</i>	Procurement of Works Through the Chilecompra Platform	
Gustavo Morales <i>Director of Technology, RACSA</i>	The Korean Technology in the Procurement System of Costa Rica: SICOP/Merlink	
Roy Duran <i>Ministry of Finance, Costa Rica</i>		
Questions & Answers		
11:00 -11:15		Coffee Break

11:15 -12:30	Best Practices and the Evaluation of Public Procurement Systems
Eduardo Corro <i>General Director of Procurement, Panama</i>	Moderator
Paulo Magina <i>Head of the Public Procurement Unit, Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD)</i>	Effective Public Procurement for public service delivery: Good practices from the OECD experiences
Lena Diesing <i>Governance Advisor at the OECD's Development Cooperation Directorate</i>	The MAPS revision
Trinidad Inostroza <i>Director of Chilecompra</i>	The Case of Chile
Questions & Answers	
12:30 - 13:30	Lunch
13:30 - 14:45	Open Data and Strategic Use of Statistics in Public Procurement
Silverio Zebral <i>Technical Secretariat of the INGP / Chief of Government Innovation Unit, OAS</i>	Moderator
Lindsey Marchessault <i>Open Data Director at the Open Contracting Partnership</i>	Open Contracting Initiative
Bernadine Fernz <i>Policy Advisor, CoST International Secretariat</i>	Construction Sector Transparency Initiative
Paca Zuleta <i>Director of Colombia Compra Eficiente</i>	The Case of Colombia
14:45 -16:00	Professionalization of Public Procurement
Douglas Fraser <i>Head of Procurement, Caribbean Development Bank</i>	Moderator
Alexandru Roman <i>Associate Professor College of Business and Public Administration</i>	Professionalizing Public Procurement: The Role of Higher Education Institutions
Jorge Claro <i>INPRI, Jamaica</i>	Professionalization of Public Procurement
Carlys Cardogan <i>University of Technology</i> Scott Smith <i>Commercial Director, BIP Solutions</i>	Regional Procurement Centre, University of Technology , Jamaica
Cilair Rodrigues de Abreu <i>General Coordinator of Administration of Enap, Brazil</i>	Public Procurement Community of Practice in Brasil

Questions & Answers	
16:00 -16:15	Coffee Break
16:15 – 17:30	New Tendencies in Public Procurement
Javier Davila <i>Procurement Senior Specialist, IDB</i>	Moderator
David Ho <i>Senior Vice President Procurement and Records Management Infrastructure, Ontario</i>	New Tendencies in Public Procurement
Elizabeth Johnson <i>Manager for Global Programs U.S. Trade and Development Agency</i>	Global Procurement Initiative
Ana Teresa Revilla <i>President of OSCE, Peru</i>	Framework Agreements: The case of Peru
Questions & Answers	
17:30-18:45	Innovation in Public Procurement
Rene Herrera <i>Procurement Specialist at the IDB Office in Jamaica</i>	Moderator
Sandra Sinde Cantorna <i>Director of Competitiveness and Innovation Projects at IDOM, Spain</i>	Public Procurement of Innovation
Diego Moñux <i>Executive Partner at Science & Innovation Link Office</i>	Spurring Innovation-led Growth in LAC through Public Procurement
Ana Rosa Guasque Garza <i>Deputy Manager of Procurement and Sourcing PEMEX</i>	The Case of Mexico
Questions & Answers	
Closing of Public Session, Day 2 - XII Annual Conference of the INGP	
Silverio Zebral	<i>Technical Secretariat of the INGP / Chief of Government Innovation Unit, Organization of American States</i>
Javier Dávila	<i>Office of Financial Management and Procurement, Inter-American Development Bank</i>
Leslie Harper	<i>Fiscal and Municipal Management Division, Inter- American Development Bank</i>
Sylvain Fabi	<i>High Commissioner and Consul General of Canada in Jamaica</i>
Cecile Maragh	<i>Senior Director, Procurement and Asset Policy Unit, Ministry of Finance and the Public Service, Jamaica</i>

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**Private INGP Member Sessions
AGENDA**

Thursday December 1, 2016	
08:45 - 9:00	Opening Remarks
Silverio Zebral <i>Technical Secretariat of the INGP/OAS</i>	Quorum call
Trinidad Inostroza <i>INGP President</i>	Welcome
09:00 - 11:00	Countries' sharing: Simultaneous Sub Regional Meetings: Presentation of country accomplishments and identification of the needs and common challenges.
Moderator: St. Lucia	Caribbean Region
Moderator: Chile	South America
Moderator: El Salvador	Central America and North America
Questions & Answers	
Coffee available during sessions	
11:00 - 12:30	Review of Countries Results
Moderator: OAS	
St. Lucia	Caribbean Region
Paraguay	South America
El Salvador	Central America
México	North America
12:30-13:30	Lunch
13:30 - 15:00	Report of 2015-2016 activities, and presentation of initiatives to support the INGP
INGP President and OAS	Activities Report presentation 2015-2016
Open discussion	
15:15 -16:45	Identification of needs of the members of the INGP and planning of Activities 2015-2016
Moderator: OAS	INGP Technical Secretariat / Coordinator of the e-Government Programme, OAS
Trinidad Inostroza	Planning for 2016-2017
	Feedback from Country Members 2015-2016
Closing of Private Session - XI INGP Annual Conference	
Trinidad Inostroza	Remarks from the INGP President 2016-17
OAS	Remarks from the INGP Technical Secretariat



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Transportation to and from the airport

Transportation will be provided by the hosts using Jamaica Tours Limited (JTL). Delegates will be welcomed by representatives from the host country secretariat and JTL which has an airport desk in place just outside of the Customs area. Transportation will be provided from the airport on both Sunday, November 27 and Monday, November 28. Transit time from airport to the Hilton Hotel is approximately 20 minutes and to Iberostar, approximately 30 minutes.

In case of any issues with your pickup, please contact the secretariat at the numbers listed below.

For airport departures: shuttle buses will be on location at Iberostar and the Hilton as required based on the departure information provided by delegates. Shuttles to the airport will be provided on Thursday, December 1, Friday, December 2 and Saturday, December 3.

Additional/special arrangements for transportation can be requested through the Secretariat/Transportation Manager located at the MBCC.

Hotel Information

Our Conference hotels are all located in Rose Hall, Montego Bay:

Iberostar Grand Rose Hall - Tel: 1 + (876) 680-0000

Iberostar Rose Hall Suites - Tel: 1 + (876) 680-0000

Iberostar Rose Hall Beach - Tel: 1 + (876) 680-0000

Which are all located on the same property in Rose Hall, St James, about 10 minutes away from the Conference venue and about 30 minutes from the airport. The properties are all-inclusive and include all meals.

And **The Hilton Rose Hall Resort and Spa - Tel: 1 + (876) 953-2650** about 10 minutes from the Conference venue.

Transportation to the Montego Bay Conference Centre

Transportation to the Conference venue will be as follows:

Day 1 – Tuesday November 29

Transportation to the MBCC start from the Iberostar Hotels and the Hilton Hotel at 7:30 a.m.

Shuttles will depart every half hour from the Iberostar Hotels and the Hilton hotel up to 8:45 a.m.

Shuttles will be available as required from the MBCC to conference hotels, to return guests to their hotel with shuttles in place starting from 4:30 p.m. every half-an-hour. This shuttle will continue until 5:30 p.m.

Day 2 – Wednesday November 30

Transportation/Shuttles to the MBCC start from the Iberostar Hotels and the Hilton Hotel at 7:30 a.m.

Shuttles will depart every fifteen minutes from the Iberostar Hotels and the Hilton Hotel up to 8:45 a.m.

Shuttles will available as required from the MBCC to conference hotels return guests to their hotel with shuttles in place starting from 5:30 p.m. on the hour. This shuttle will continue until 8:00 p.m.

Dress code:

Business attire

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XII Conferencia Anual sobre Compras Gubernamentales de las Américas

29 Noviembre - 1 Diciembre, 2016. Montego Bay, Jamaica

AGENDA

Primer día Sesiones Públicas

Martes, 29 de noviembre de 2016

08:00-09:00	Registro de participantes
09:00 - 10:00	Apertura Oficial
Call to Order	Marline Stephenson-Dalley
National Anthem	
Introduction of Convenor	Marline Stephenson-Dalley
Convenor Welcome	E.G. Hunter
Mr. Everton McFarlane	<i>Secretario de Finanzas, Ministerio de finanzas y servicio público</i>
Mrs. Trinidad Inostroza	<i>Presidenta de la RICG y Directora de ChileCompra</i>
Mr. James Lambert	<i>Secretario de Asuntos Hemisféricos, Organización de los Estados Americanos (OEA)</i>
Mr. Douglas Fraser	<i>Jefe de Adquisiciones, Banco de Desarrollo del Caribe</i>
Mrs. Therese Turner-Jones	<i>Gerente General, Departamento de Países del Caribe, BID</i>
Honourable Fayval Williams, MP	<i>Ministro de Estado, Ministerio de Finanzas y Servicio Público</i>
Performance	John Rollins Primary
Honourable Audley Shaw CD, MP	<i>Ministro de Finanzas y servicio público , Jamaica</i>
10:00 - 10:15	Ceremonia para la firma de programa de cooperación internacional
Miembros del grupo de trabajo para la promoción de mujeres en compras públicas	
10:15 - 10:45	Café

10:45 - 11:45	Conferencia Magistral
Leslie Harper <i>Especialista en Modernización del Estado BID</i>	Moderador
Steven L. Schooner <i>Nash & Cibinic Profesor de Derecho en Compras Públicas y codirector de la Facultad De Derecho en Compras Públicas Universidad de George Washington</i>	Speaker Plenaria
Hope Blake <i>Secretario Adjunto de Finanzas, División de Gasto Público, Ministerio de Finanzas y Servicio Público, Jamaica</i>	Conclusiones finales y comentarios
Preguntas y respuestas	
11:45 - 13:00	Lecciones aprendidas y obstáculos en el Caribe
Terrance Victor <i>Jefe de Contrataciones, Grenada</i>	Moderador
Noel Cowell <i>Escuela de Negocios, Universidad de West Indies (UWI)</i>	El Rol de la Universidad de West Indies
Cheryl Mathurin <i>Director de Compras Públicas, St. Lucia</i>	Perspectiva País: Obstáculos en contrataciones, St. Lucia
John Thompson <i>Gerente de Proyecto, Implementación de Compras Electrónicas</i>	Implementación de Compras Electrónicas en Jamaica
Preguntas y respuestas	
13:00 - 14:15	Almuerzo
14:15 - 15:30	Gobernanza en el sistema de compras y contrataciones públicas
Oscar Seaman <i>Jefe de Contrataciones, Dominica</i>	Moderador
Dirk Harrison <i>Contratista General de Jamaica</i>	Sistemas de Gobernanza pública
Lorna Prosper <i>Directora General de Contrataciones del Public Works de Canadá en Washington DC</i>	Experiencia de Canadá
Santiago Jure <i>Director Nacional de Compras Públicas DNCP Paraguay</i>	Experiencia de Paraguay
Preguntas y respuestas	

15:30 – 15:45	Café
15:45 – 17:15	Sustainability in Public Procurement
Edelmira de Molina <i>Jefa de la Unidad Normativa de Adquisiciones y Contrataciones UNAC, El Salvador</i>	Moderador
Trinidad Inostroza <i>Directora de ChileCompra</i>	Plan de Acción: Caso de Género
Jaime Aristy <i>Experto Internacional, Republica Dominicana</i>	Presentación del estudio “ El Impacto de Políticas de Compras Publicas en Mujeres y Mipymes”
Monica Borrero <i>Coordinadora de Compras Publicas Sostenibles y el Programa de Eco-etiquetado, Programa de Naciones Unidas para el</i>	Avances de Compras Públicas Sostenibles en la región: análisis de casos exitosos
Cierre primer día sesiones abiertas	

Segundo día -Sesiones Públicas

Miércoles, 30 de noviembre de 2016

09:30-11:00	Contratación Pública Electrónica
Daniel Sanchez <i>eGP Consultor Senior, BID</i>	Moderador
Minsook Hong <i>Director Asistente Servicio Público Corea, Korea</i>	Confidencialidad en eGP data, divulgación de información pública e intercambio de datos. Cuestiones Emergentes
Juan Manuel Sanchez <i>Director General Obras Públicas</i>	Contratación de obras públicas a través de la Plataforma de Chile Compra
Gustavo Morales <i>Director de tecnología, RACSA</i> Roy Duran <i>Ministerio de Finanzas, Costa Rica</i>	El sistema coreano en el sistema de compras públicas de Costa Rica SICOP/ Merlink
Preguntas y respuestas	
11:00 -11:15	Café

11:15 -12:30	Mejores practicas y métodos de evaluación en los sistemas de compras y contrataciones públicas
Eduardo Corro <i>Director General de Contrataciones Públicas, Panamá</i>	Moderador
Paulo Magina <i>Jefe de la Unidad de Compras Pública, OCDE</i>	Compras públicas efectivas para la prestación del servicio público: Mejores Prácticas desde la experiencia de la OCDE
Lena Diesing <i>Asesora en Gobernanza, Desarrollo y Cooperación OCDE</i>	Revisión del MAPS
Trinidad Inostroza <i>Director of Chilecompra</i>	Experiencia de Chile
Preguntas y respuestas	
12:30 - 13:30	Almuerzo
13:30 - 14:45	Datos Abiertos y el uso estratégico de las compras y contrataciones públicas
Silverio Zebral <i>Secretario Técnico RICG/ Jefe de la Unidad de Innovación OEA</i>	Moderador
Lindsey Marchessault <i>Directora de Datos Abiertos, Open Contracting Partnership</i>	Iniciativa Open Contracting
Bernadine Fernz <i>Asesor de Políticas, CoST Initiative</i>	Sector de Construcción, Transparency Initiative
14:45 -16:00	Profesionalización del Comprador Público
Douglas Fraser <i>Jefe de Adquisiciones, Banco de Desarrollo del Caribe</i>	Moderador
Alexandru Roman <i>Profesor Asociado College of Business and Public Administration</i>	Profesionalización en Compras Públicas: El Rol de Instituciones de Educación Superior
Jorge Claro <i>Presidente, INPRI</i>	Profesionalización de la Compra Pública
Carlys Cardogan <i>University of Technology</i> Scott Smith <i>Director Comercial Soluciones BIP</i>	Centro Regional de Compras Públicas, University of Technology (UTECT)
Cilair Rodrigues de Abreu <i>Coordinador General de Administración Enap Brazil</i>	Comunidad de Compras Pública, Caso de Brasil

Preguntas y respuestas

16:00 - 16:15

Café

16:15 – 17:30

Nuevas Tendencias en Compras Públicas

Javier Davila

Especialista Senior de Adquisiciones, BID

Moderador

David Ho

*Vice-presidente
Procurement and Records Management
Infrastructure Ontario*

Nuevas tendencias en compras públicas

Elizabeth Johnson

*Administradora de Programas Globales
Agencia de USA de Comercio y Desarrollo*

La Iniciativa Global de Adquisiciones

Ana Teresa Revilla

*Presidenta Organismo Supervisor de
Contrataciones del estado (OSCE), Perú*

Convenios Marco: El caso de Perú

Preguntas y respuestas

17:30-18:45

Innovación en adquisición de grandes y complejos proyectos de Infraestructura

Rene Herrera

Especialista en Adquisiciones, BID Jamaica

Moderador

Sandra Sinde Cantorna

*Directora de Competitividad e Innovación de
Proyectos en IDOM, España*

Innovación en las Compras Públicas

Diego Moñux

Socio Director de Science & Innovation Link Office

Innovación en la región de Latino América y el Caribe en el sector de las compras públicas

Ana Rosa Guasque Garza

*Gerente de Vinculación y Proveeduría Local
PEMEX*

Caso de México

Preguntas y respuestas

18:45-19:15

Clausura de las sesiones públicas

Silverio Zebal

*Secretario Técnico RICG / Jefe de la Unidad de
Innovación, OEA*

Javier Dávila

*Oficina de Servicios de Gestión Financiera y
Adquisiciones, BID*

Leslie Harper

División Fiscal y Municipal, BID

Sylvain Fabi

*Alto Comisionado y Cónsul General de Canadá en
Jamaica*

Cecile Maragh

*Directora General, Unidad de Contrataciones
Públicas, Jamaica*

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Sesión Cerrada RICG AGENDA

Jueves, 1 de diciembre de 2016	
08:45 - 9:00	Apertura
Silverio Zebral <i>Secretario Técnico RICG/OEA</i>	Establecimiento del Quorum
Trinidad Inostroza <i>Presidenta RICG</i>	Saludo y bienvenida
09:00 - 11:00	Experiencia País: Sesiones simultaneas Presentación país: avances e identificación de obstáculos y necesidades comunes
St. Lucia	Región del Caribe
Chile	Región de Suramérica
El Salvador	Región de Centroamérica y Norteamérica
Café disponible durante las sesiones	
11:00 - 12:30	Resultados País
Moderator: OAS	
St. Lucia	Región del Caribe
Paraguay	Región de Suramérica
El Salvador	Región de Centroamérica y Norteamérica
México	Región de Norteamérica
12:30-13:30	Almuerzo
13:30 - 15:00	Informe de actividades 2015-2016, y presentación de iniciativas de los organismos de apoyo a la RICG
Trinidad Inostroza <i>Presidenta RICG y Secretaria Técnica de la RICG/ OEA</i>	Presentación informe de actividades 2015-2016
	Presentación de resultados del BID en el marco de la RICG
Discusión abierta	
15:00 - 15:15	Café
15:15 - 16:45	Discusión necesidades de la RICG y Planificación de actividades 2016-2017
Moderador: OAS	Secretario Técnico RICG, OEA
Trinidad Inostroza <i>Presidenta RICG</i>	Propuesta Plan de trabajo 2016-2017
	Retroalimentación países sobre prioridades 2016-2017
16:45 - 17:00	Cierre sesión privada XII Conferencia Anual de la RICG 2016
Trinidad Inostroza <i>Presidenta RICG</i>	Palabras Presidenta de la RICG
Silverio Zebral <i>Secretario Técnico RICG/OEA</i>	Palabras Secretario técnico de la RICG



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Información de la conferencia

Transporte hasta y desde el aeropuerto

El transporte será proporcionado por los hosts utilizando Jamaica Tours Limited (JTL). Los delegados serán recibidos por representantes del país anfitrión y la secretaría JTL que tiene un aeropuerto turístico en lugar justo fuera de la zona de Aduanas. Se proveerá transporte desde el aeropuerto en ambos el domingo, 27 de noviembre y el lunes 28 de noviembre. Tiempo de tránsito desde el aeropuerto hasta el Hotel Hilton es de aproximadamente 20 minutos y a Iberostar, aproximadamente 30 minutos.

En caso de cualquier problema con su recolección, póngase en contacto con la secretaría en los números indicados a continuación.

Para salidas del aeropuerto: autobuses lanzadera será sobre la ubicación en el Iberostar y el Hilton como sea necesario sobre la base de la información facilitada por los delegados de la salida. Traslados al aeropuerto será siempre el jueves, 1 de diciembre, el viernes 2 de diciembre y el sábado 3 de diciembre.

Adicional/arreglos especiales para el transporte puede ser solicitado a través de la Secretaría de Transporte/Manager, que se encuentra en la MBCC.

Más información del hotel

Nuestra Conferencia hoteles están ubicados todos en Rose Hall, Montego Bay:

Iberostar Grand Rose Hall - Tel: + 1 (876) 680-0000

Iberostar Rose Hall Suites - Tel: + 1 (876) 680-0000

Iberostar Rose Hall Beach - Tel: + 1 (876) 680-0000

Que se encuentran todos en la misma propiedad de Rose Hall, St James, a unos 10 minutos del Palacio de Congresos y a unos 30 minutos del aeropuerto. Las propiedades son inclusivos e incluyen todas las comidas.

Y el Hilton Rose Hall Resort and Spa - Tel: + 1 (876) 953-2650, a unos 10 minutos de la sede de la Conferencia.

El transporte hasta el centro de conferencias de Montego Bay

Transporte hasta el lugar de la Conferencia será el siguiente:

Día 1 - Martes 29 de noviembre

Transporte hasta el inicio MBCC desde los hoteles Iberostar y el Hotel Hilton a las 7:30 a.m.

Los transportes partirán cada media hora de los hoteles Iberostar y el hotel Hilton hasta las 8:45 de la mañana.

Lanzaderas estarán a disposición de la conferencia MBCC a hoteles, para devolver a los huéspedes a su hotel con lanzaderas en el lugar a partir de las 4:30 p.m. cada media hora. Esta lanzadera continuará hasta las 5:30 p.m.

Día 2 - Miércoles 30 de noviembre

Transporte/autobuses para el inicio MBCC desde los hoteles Iberostar y el Hotel Hilton a las 7:30 a.m.

Los transportes partirán cada quince minutos desde los hoteles Iberostar y el Hotel Hilton hasta las 8:45 de la mañana.

Lanzaderas estará disponible como necesarias del MBCC hoteles de conferencias para los huéspedes de retorno a su hotel con lanzaderas en el lugar a partir de las 5:30 p.m. en la hora. Esta lanzadera continuará hasta las 8:00 p.m.

Código de vestimenta:

Traje de negocios

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The Land, The History and The People

Jamaica is 4,441 sq. miles (10,991 sq. km). The island is divided into three counties and 14 parishes. It is 146 miles (235 km) long with widths varying between 22 miles (25 km) and 51 miles (82 km). Jamaica is the third largest Caribbean island and the largest English-speaking Caribbean island. It is a very mountainous country.

The first Jamaicans were the *Taino Indians*. The word “Jamaica” comes from the *Taino* word “Xaymaca” which means “land of wood and water”. Over 90% of the Jamaican population is of African descent. The cuisine, religious practices, art, music, dance, language, folk tales and proverbs reveal the kaleidoscope of cultures that contribute to Jamaica’s unique flavour.

The annual average temperature is 80°F (27°C). Jamaica has 120 rivers. Most flow to the coast from the central mountain ranges.

The island is undoubtedly a jewel of the Caribbean. The black green and gold of Jamaica’s flag is flown high in every nook and cranny of the globe, as Jamaicans continue to be ambassadors wherever they go.

Jamaica prides itself as the place that gave the world the jerk cuisine and the incomparable and iconic Reggae music. Our athletes are world leaders in diverse disciplines.

Voted as one of the happiest places on earth, Jamaica is both a destination and a magical experience.

You hear it in the resounding laughter, you feel it in the warm handshake and you experience it in the infectious hospitality of the people.

There is in fact - *something in the Jamaican air.*



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