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Getting to Bonn

Bonn is located approximately twenty minutes journey time south of Cologne (Köln) and two hours north-west of Frankfurt/Main and can be reached from three airports, Cologne/Bonn Airport, Frankfurt International Airport and Düsseldorf Airport.

Delegates arriving at Cologne/Bonn Airport can reach Bonn city centre by taxi (the fare from the airport to the city centre is approximately €45.00), or by bus (SB 60 – Airport express), departing from the bus stop at Terminal 1 to the city centre (final stop “Hauptbahnhof”, main railway station) costing about €7.20.

For exact timetables of the airport express, please refer to the SWB Web site: <<http://en.swb-busundbahn.de/service/airport-express-sb60.html>>.

Delegates arriving at Frankfurt International Airport may wish to take the train to Siegburg/Bonn. There is high-speed train service (ICE) between the airport and Siegburg/Bonn. Travel time is approximately 40 minutes and a ticket costs around €58.00 (2nd class). Departure is from the long-distance train station (Fernbahnhof) in the airport complex. The direction is Cologne. The station stop for Bonn is the town of Siegburg (Please get off at: Siegburg/Bonn). Taxis are available for approximately €30.00 from Siegburg to Bonn. You can also catch the tram 66 from Siegburg to Bonn (ticket price €5.00, please press 3 on the ticket machine). The tram journey takes 25 minutes.

A normal train service between Frankfurt International Airport and Bonn is also available (from the long-distance train station (Fernbahnhof) in the airport). Travel time is approximately 1 hour 45 minutes and a ticket costs about €39.00 (2nd class). This trip along the Rhine River is one of the most scenic train trips in Germany and brings you directly into the city centre of Bonn.

From Düsseldorf Airport to Bonn there are direct trains, which run hourly and have a travel time of about 66 minutes and a ticket costs round about €20.00 (2nd class).

Meeting Venue

The meeting will take place at “Wissenschaftszentrum”, please see a detailed map below.

Wissenschaftszentrum
Ahrstrasse 45
53175 Bonn
Germany
Website: <http://stifterverband.info/veranstaltungen/wissenschaftszentrum_bonn/onferenzbereich/>.

How to get to the meeting venue by public transport:

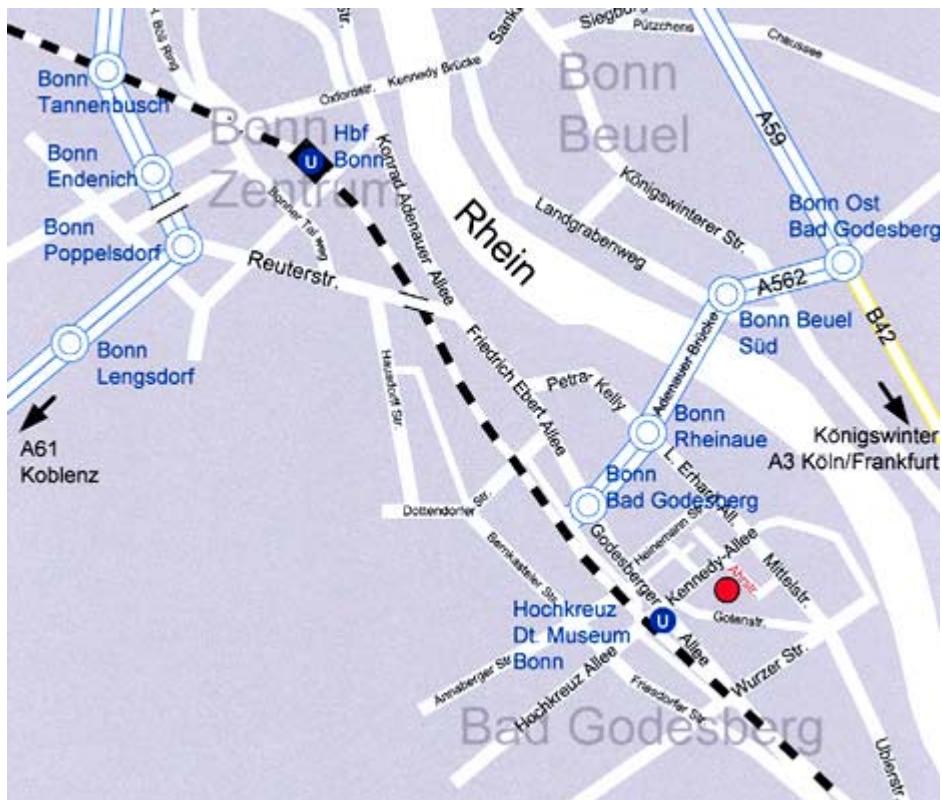
From Bonn city centre (Hauptbahnhof) to “Wissenschaftszentrum”:

➤ By tram (U-Bahn):

Please take U-Bahn number 16 or 63 and stop at "Hochkreuz".

➤ By bus:

Please take bus number 610 or 611 and stop at "Kennedyallee".



Hotels

To assist you finding an accommodation, please refer to the list of some hotels around the area of the venue:

1. [Bonnox Boardinghouse & Hotel](#)
In der Raste 5-7, 53129 Bonn
2. [Derag Livinghotel Kanzler](#)
Adenauerallee 148, 53113 Bonn
3. [Hotel zum Löwen](#)
Von-Groote Platz 1 | Bad Godesberg, 53173 Bonn
4. [Gustav-Stresemann-Institut e.V](#)
Langer Grabenweg 68, 53175 Bonn
5. [Hof von Holland](#)
Turmstrasse 5, 53175 Bonn

Identification badges and registration

Registration is taking place in the Foyer of the Wissenschaftszentrum and will start at 8:30 a.m. on Monday, 2 March 2015. Please note that access to the conference area is restricted to registered participants of the meeting. In order to comply with the security requirements of the secretariat, participants are expected to wear their badges visibly at all times and in all areas of the meeting venue. If you lose your badge, please report it to the registration counter or to the secretariat immediately.

Currency

Germany's currency is the Euro (€), 1 Euro = 100 cents. As of 10 February 2015, the exchange rate was €0.882 for 1 USD. Credit cards are accepted in most hotels and restaurants in Bonn, but not in many shops.

Visas

Upon request, an official letter of invitation will be sent to participants. This can be attached to the German visa application. Visas can be obtained from your nearest German embassy or consulate. Addresses can be downloaded from the website of the: <[German Foreign Office](#)>. If you have any difficulties obtaining a visa, please contact Ms. Katrin Lucas at klucas@unfccc.int.

Working language of the meeting

Please note that the meeting will be conducted in English and no interpretation will be available.

Power voltage

230 V, 50 Hz.



Time zone

Germany is in the Central European Time zone. GMT +1 hour.

Information on Bonn

For information on Bonn and its region please refer to:

<<http://www.bonn-region.de/english.html>>.

Useful numbers

Country dialing code: +49

City dialing code: (0)228

Railway Station Bonn: 19419

Emergency: 112

Police: 110

Fire: 112

Security requirements in the building

Please note the standard security requirements that you need to be familiar with when you visit us here in Bonn:

1. No big luggage allowed inside the meeting room; maximum size is a backpack or a briefcase or laptop bag (If you have big luggage you will have an option to leave it with security and it will be stored until leaving the premises);
2. No friends or family members unless they are participants;
3. Smoking is only allowed outside the building;
4. All participants will be checked against their passports/national ID cards
5. Please report any loss of conference ID badge to the secretariat for corrective action regarding the access;
6. Participants should not leave their personal items of value unattended;

Please note that the United Nations and the Convention secretariat disclaim all responsibility for medical, accident and travel insurance, for compensation for death or disability, for loss of or damage to personal property and for any other costs or losses that may be incurred during travel time or the period of participation. In this context, it is strongly recommended that you obtain international medical insurance for the period of participation.
