

101st R8 Committee Meeting in Sarajevo Travel Advisory 5 - 6 October, 2013

Meeting location

The meeting will be held at Hollywood Hotel Sarajevo (<http://www.hotel-hollywood.ba/2/index.php/en>).

The hotel is located in Ilidža, green oasis of Sarajevo which should provide ample space for walking outside.

Recreational pool area Thermal Riviera Ilidža is located next to the hotel.

For anyone arriving by car, the hotel has a garage and parking is free for the guests.



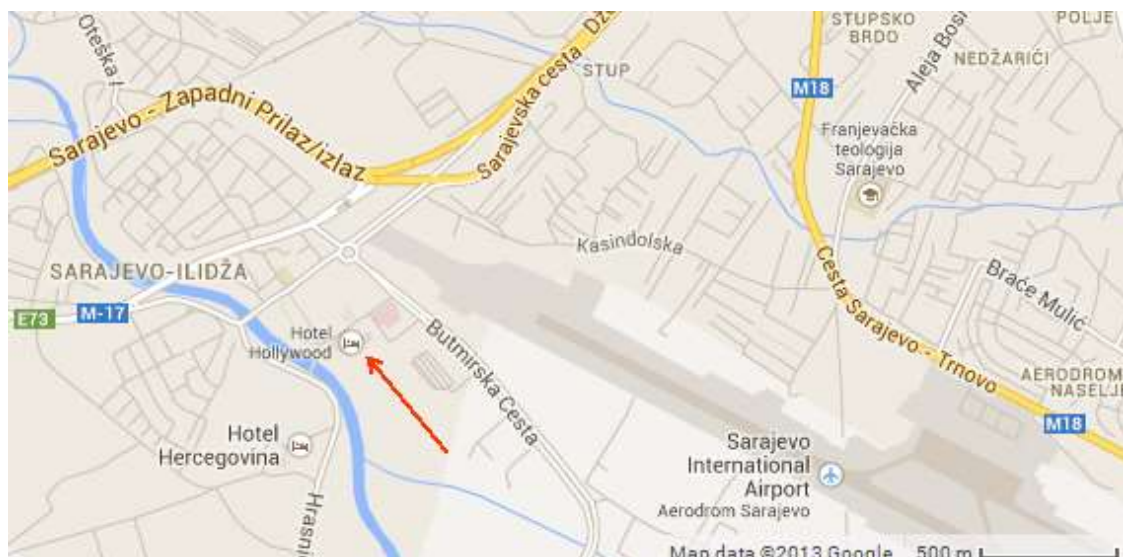
Hotel address

HOTEL HOLLYWOOD, Dr. Mustafe
Pintola 23, Ilidža, 71000 Sarajevo,
Bosnia and Herzegovina

Getting there

All flights to Sarajevo land at Sarajevo International Airport (<http://www.sarajevo-airport.ba/?lang=eng>) which is located close to the center of the town. The hotel is near the airport, but to reach the Hotel from the airport some driving around is necessary. Transport options are taxi and hotel shuttle that would be arranged for arrivals.

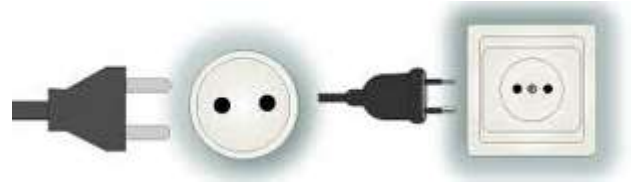
Taxi to the hotel costs 10-15€. There is a taxi stop just outside the arrivals area, with taxis queuing for customers. Credit cards are not accepted for payment and you can not get a printed receipt. Exchange office at the airport.



Practicalities

Power supply

The electricity supply is 220 V/50 Hz with 2 pin wall sockets (Type C/F).



Currency

The official currency in Bosnia and Herzegovina is the Bosnian Convertible Marka (BAM), locally abbreviated KM, with the fixed currency rate 1 EUR= 1.95 BAM.

There are a number of exchange offices, also ATMs. Card payments are accepted in almost all retail outlets but not by street vendors.

Time zone

In October, the Time Zone in Sarajevo is CEST (UTC + 2)

Weather

In Sarajevo weather in October can vary during a day from very cold mornings and nights to sunny and warm afternoons. Check weather reports before starting your travel, and don't forget your umbrella and a thin coat.

Weather Averages for Sarajevo in October

Temperature	11°C	52°F
Low Temperature	5°C	41°F
High Temperature	17°C	63°F

<http://www.holiday-weather.com/sarajevo/averages/october/>

Sightseeing

There is a wealth of information about Sarajevo on the Sarajevo Tourism Association webpage <http://www.sarajevo-tourism.com/eng/>

Iliđža is connected with the city center by electrical tram, and if you take a tram you will need 30 minutes to the center if it is not a rush hour. Taxi to the center costs up to 8€ and it takes 20 minutes.



Saturday afternoon

We will take you on a city tour and to a dinner in the HS Pivnica (Brewery).

Welcome to Sarajevo!

Dusanka Boskovic

Bosnia and Herzegovina Section Chair