



PRACTICAL INFORMATION

Venue

Odessa National Academy of Telecommunications named after A.S. Popov (ONAT)

Conference hall of the main academic building

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Registration

Registration at the Seminar venue will start on Wednesday, 15 September 2010, at 09:00 a.m.

Working languages

Seminar will be carried out in Russian and English with simultaneous interpretation.

Accommodation

Please note that making hotel reservations is your responsibility. The hotel reservation form can be found in Annex 4.

The rates in USD are approximate and calculated for your convenience based on UAH/USD exchange rate of May 2010. The main fixed rates are in UAH.

Recommended Hotels (all situated in the historical center of the city not far from the Seminar venue):

Hotel «Odessa» - 4*

6a Primorskaya str., Odessa, 65026 Ukraine

tel.: +38 (048) 729-48-08

fax: +38 (048) 729-46-23

e-mail hotel@odessa-hotel.com.ua

Internet: <http://odessa-hotel.com.ua/en/>

Book on-line: <http://odessa-hotel.com.ua/en/order/>

Hotel is situated in the very heart of Odessa overlooking the Black Sea and the Old City about 15 minutes drive from the venue.

Room type	Single occupancy, UAH/ USD	Double occupancy, UAH/ USD
Standard Room	1081 / 136	1281 / 161
Superior Room	1265 / 160	1465 / 184
Junior Suite	1800 / 227	2000 / 252
Harbour Suite	2745 / 346	2745 / 346
Presidential Suite	6480 / 817	6480 / 817

* Payment is in Ukrainian Hrivna (UAH). Credit cards are accepted. Currency exchange rates listed below.

All rates listed are inclusive of taxes, Buffet breakfast and luggage delivery.

Room facilities: phone, satellite TV, Internet access, safe-box, mini-bar, hairdryer, air conditioning and personal electronic key-cards.

Non-smoking rooms to be reserved in advance.

Check-in time is 2 pm. Check-out time is 12 noon.

Hotel «Continental» - 4*

5 Deribasovskaya str., Odessa, 65026, Ukraine

tel.: +38 (048) 7860-399, +38 (048) 7860-155

fax: +38 (048) 786-0550

e-mail: office@continental-hotel.com.ua

Internet: <http://www.hotel-continental-odessa.com/>

Book on-line: <http://www.hotel-continental-odessa.com/reservation>

Hotel is situated in the very heart of Odessa about 10 minutes drive from the venue.

Room category	Single suite	Double suite
Economy	1210 UAH / 152 USD	1550 UAH / 195 USD
Standard	1640 UAH / 206 USD	2030 UAH / 256 USD
Junior suite	2384 UAH / 300 USD	
Luxury suite	2890 UAH / 364 USD	
VIP-apartment	4400 UAH / 555 USD	

* Payment is in Ukrainian Hrivna (UAH). Currency exchange rates listed below. The following credit cards are accepted for payment: VISA, MasterCard, American Express

VAT and breakfast are included in room price

Extra bed is provided at the price of 263 UAH in Standard, Junior, Luxury and VIP providing extra breakfast and bedding for 3 persons.

Check-in time is 2 pm. Check-out time is 12 noon.

Hotel «Chernoye More» (Black Sea) – 4*

25, Panteleimonovskaya Str., Odessa, 65012, Ukraine

tel. + 38 (048) 236 54 11; + 38 (048) 236 54 00.

fax: + 380 48 236 54 12

e-mail: np@bs-hotel.com.ua

Internet: <http://www.bs-hotel.com.ua/privoz.html>

Book on-line: http://www.bs-hotel.com.ua/privoz_book.html

Hotel is situated in the historical center of Odessa about 10 minutes drive from the venue.

Room category	Price (without breakfast)
Single	730 UAH / 92 USD
Double Superior	710 UAH / 90 USD
Standard double occupancy	680 UAH / 86 USD
Extra bed in room	200 UAH / 25 USD
Luxury (2 rooms)	1470 UAH / 185 USD
Semi	1220 UAH / 154 USD

* Invoicing is in Ukrainian Hrivna (UAH). Currency exchange rates listed below.

** breakfast is not included in room price (breakfast 70 UAH/ ~ 9 USD).

Check-in time is 12 noon. Check-out time is 12 noon.

Hotel «Victoriya»

24-A, Genuezskaya St., 65009, Odessa

Tel: +38 (048) 746-52-96, 760-53-33. +38 (048) 760-53-30

Fax: +38 (048) 748-04-33

Internet: <http://www.victoriya.com.ua>

Book on-line : http://www.victoriya.com.ua/reserverooms.php?menu_id=22&lang_code=ru

Hotel is situated in the historical center of Odessa about 10 minutes drive from the venue.

Room type	Single occupancy, UAH/ USD	Double occupancy, UAH/ USD
First Class Luxury Room	680 / 86	725 / 91
Second Class Luxury Room	610 / 77	655 / 83
Semi Luxiry Room	550 / 69	595 / 75
Standard Single Room with Air-conditioner	430 / 54	475 / 60
Standard Single Room	400 / 50	445 / 56
First Class Standard Single Room	380 / 48	425 / 54
Second Class Standard Single Room with Air-conditioner	350 / 44	-
Second Class Standard Single Room	320 / 40	-
Economy Class Standard Single Room	315 / 39	360 / 45
Single Room	285 / 36	-
Standard Double Room	365 / 46	400 / 50
First Class Standard Double Room	315 / 39	350 / 44
Economy Class Standard Double Room	275 / 35	310 / 39

* Folding bed or convertible sofa is provided at the price of 90 UAH / 11 USD for 24 hours.

* Advance booking is prepaid at 10% from the price of the first day stay.

* All rates listed are inclusive of Buffet breakfast.

* Extra set-meal is provided at the price of 60 UAH / 7,7 USD, dinner at the price of 50 UAH / 6,3 USD.

Hotel "Passage"

34, Preobrazhenskaya St., 65012, Odessa

Tel: +38-048-728-55-00

Fax: +38-048-728-55-02

Room type	Single occupancy, UAH/ USD	Double occupancy, UAH/ USD
First Class Double Room	280 / 35	380 / 48
Second Class Double Room	180 / 23	230 / 29
Double Room, 2 Suits	450 / 57	600 / 76
Double, 3 Suits Luxury Room	840 / 105	840 / 105

* All rates listed are inclusive of living arrangements.

* Check in/Check out time is 12-00

Information about other hotels in Odessa available on website - <http://www.odessa.ua/hotels/>

Information about the city available on website - <http://www.odessa.ua/>

Currency exchange

National currency of Ukraine is Ukrainian hryvnia (UAH). All payments are made in national currency. Foreign currency can be exchanged at exchange offices at hotels and banks and currency exchange points. Banks are open from 09:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. from Monday to Friday.

Currency exchange rates as for 10.06.2010 (National Bank of Ukraine - http://www.bank.gov.ua/KURS/last_kurs1.htm):

Code	Currency	Units	Rate (UAH)
USD	US dollar	100	791.81
RUR	Russian ruble	10	2.4954
EUR	Euro	100	950.9638

Transportation

ITU Seminar participants will be transferred from the airport to respective hotels and back as well as from a hotel to the Seminar venue and back. If you need the transportation upon arrival and for the departure, please provide the relevant information in Registration form (Annex 2).

General Information

Odessa — city on the Black Sea, administrative center of Odessa region, largest sea-port of Ukraine, important industrial, cultural, scientific and recreation center. Odessa received the honorary title of "Hero City" during the World War II.

Odessa is the fourth city in the country in terms of population (1 008 600 inhabitants as of 1 February 2010).

The city is situated on the Black sea north-western seashore on the trading routes from the Central and Northern Europe to the Close East and Asia crossing. Developed highways network, city location near Danube, Dnestr, Southern Bug, and Dnepr rivers, as well as large seaports of Odessa, Illyichevsk and Yuzhny with Odessa international airport and railway create the unique favorable conditions for loads accepting, processing, saving and transporting and the powerful passenger flows processing.

Odessa economics is dominated by the establishments dealing with the sea business, and also the food and processing establishments of light industry. Odessa government offers its priority support to the industry branches aimed at different customers' needs satisfaction. We also administrate the spheres of healthcare, education, housing building, city transport, culture, communal services, municipal property ground areas and realty sales.

Since Odessa has got a lot of educational establishments, theaters, museums, libraries and other cultural and educational profile establishments, the city is known all over the world and is considered to be both the economical and the cultural center of Ukraine. Odessa is the only city in Ukraine which has so many nations living in it and having really great relationships with each other.

Sister cities: Alexandria, Baltimore, Valencia, Vancouver, Varna, Genoa, Armenia, Yokohama, Calcutta, Kishinev, Constanta, Liverpool, Lodz, Marseilles, Nicosia, Oulu, Piraeus, Regensburg, Szeged, Split, Istanbul, Tripoli, Haifa, Qingdao

Additional information about the city can be found on the website - <http://www.odessa.ua/> .

Climate

The climate of Odessa is moderately continental and comparatively dry. The average number of sunny days in any given year is around 290. Winters are short and mild with average temperatures hovering around 0 degrees Celsius. Snow and temperatures of below -10° C are not frequent occurrences. Summers in Odessa are long and warm with average temperatures of 25° C. Temperatures above 35° C are not rare events. In mid September the temperature can be from 15° C to 25 ° C during the day.

Visa Requirements

Participants requiring entry visa to Ukraine are requested to fill in the attached Visa Support Form (Annex 5) and mail, fax or e-mail it (to address irina.sikach@onat.edu.ua) to the Seminar organizers not later than August 23, 2010.

Contacts

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