

**Joint ITU/ATU Workshop on "Cybersecurity strategy in African countries"  
(Khartoum, Republic of Sudan, 24-26 July)**

**Logistical and practical information**

**VENUE**

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**TRANSPORTATION**

Transfers to and from Khartoum Airport and official hotels will be provided to participants who have provided their flight details through the identified channels. They will be met on arrival by an authorized representative in the arrival hall of the Khartoum international Airport.

NTC will provide transportation between the recommended hotels and the venue of the workshop.



**CURRENCY**

The official currency is the **Sudanese Pound (SDG)**.

Banks are opened from Sunday until Thursday, from 8.30 to 14.30.

Visa, American Express, Access/MasterCard, Diners Club cards and travellers checks **cannot be used**.

The exchange current rates in Sudan as of January 2016 are as follows:

 Dollar	6.09 SDG
 Euro	6.87 SDG

**CLIMATE**

Summer starts in April and lasts up to July, and the weather is average hot to moderate, with a little parched with occasional rain in July. Approximate temperatures will vary between 35-27 degrees Celsius.

**SECURITY**

Khartoum is a venue for major conferences and presents a low risk to business travellers. However, as with travel to any major city, it is important to take responsibility for your personal safety and exercise common sense security precautions at all times.

Delegates should observe common sense security precautions and not venture outside the main business and tourist areas unless accompanied by a trusted local guide.

For any security incident, visitors should contact the police on 999.

**PROHIBITIONS**

- Alcohol is not allowed.

## ELECTRICITY

AC power voltage in Sudan is 230 V, frequency 50Hz. Most electrical outlets are British standard mostly two outlets.



## SERVICES AVAILABLE FOR PARTICIPANTS DURING THE WORKSHOP

### Communication Center:

Internet Access free of charge will be available at the event meeting rooms.

### Medical Assistance:

Emergency and urgent medical assistance will be provided free of charge within the premises where the workshop will take place. Nevertheless, participants are advised to have an international travel insurance to cover any medical expenses in case of medical treatment.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

### General Information about the Sudan:

Government	Federal dominant party presidential republic
Area	1,886,068 km <sup>2</sup>
Population	39,105,664
Capital	Khartoum
Official Language	Arabic
Country Code	+249 / .sd
Time Zone	GMT+3