



Practical Information

Meeting venue & hotel

Hotel Sofitel Marrakech has been selected for the location of the meeting and as a hotel to accommodate all the participants.

Hotel Sofitel Marrakech

Address: Rue Harroun Errachid Quartier de l'hivernage, 40000 MARRAKECH, MOROCCO
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Transportation

The Court of Accounts of Morocco will provide transport on arrival and departure between the Marrakech airport (Aéroport Marrakech Ménara) and the hotel Sofitel Marrakech for all participants. Transport to all the social events will also be provided.

Meals

During the meeting (9–11.03) lunches and coffee breaks are covered by the Court of Accounts of Morocco. The breakfast is included in the hotel accommodation rate.

The Court of Accounts of Morocco will host the Welcome Dinner on 8 March and the SAI of Estonia will host the Reception on 10 March.

Dress Code

- Casual attire for the excursion
- Business casual attire for the hosted dinners
- Business casual attire for the meeting

Money, exchanging currency and banks

The national currency in Morocco is the dirham. It cannot be converted outside the Kingdom's borders, the importation and exportation of Moroccan currency is strictly forbidden.

There are bureaux de change in airports, certain hotels and most banks. Some counters require your passport for the transaction. Remember to change the dirhams you have left before leaving.

Also, find out from your bank where you can withdraw cash with your credit/charge card. Banking establishments in large Moroccan cities are often equipped with ATMs. Exchange money as you need it. The vast majority of purchases or services are paid for in cash, after the usual negotiation.

Immunizations

No vaccinations are required by law to enter Morocco but Typhoid and Hepatitis A are two vaccinations that are strongly recommended. It is also a good idea to be up to date with your polio and tetanus vaccines. Morocco is basically malaria-free.

Electricity

Electrical plugs: 220V 50Hz, sockets are two round prongs, the same as most European countries.

Time

Morocco standard time is Greenwich Mean Time (GMT).