



2nd Congress of the World Conference on Constitutional Justice

“Separation of Powers and Independence of Constitutional Courts and Equivalent Bodies” Rio de Janeiro, 16-18 January 2011

organised by
the Federal Supreme Court of Brazil
and
the Venice Commission of the Council of Europe

PRACTICAL INFORMATION

Arrival / airport pick-up:

A shuttle service will be provided by the Federal Supreme Court of Brazil to collect participants from the airport and drive them to their respective hotels and back between 15 and 19 January 2011. The participants are requested to clearly indicate their arrival and departure times / flights by means of the registration form below.

A shuttle service will also be provided between the Hotel Sofitel (the venue of the 2nd World Congress) and the other suggested hotels (see below).

Hotel information

1) Sofitel Rio de Janeiro Copacabana

Website: <http://www.sofitel.com/gb/hotel-1988-sofitel-rio-de-janeiro-copacabana/index.shtml>

Hotel	Type of accommodation	Rates		Additional taxes
		US Dollar approximateⁱ	Real	
<i>Hotel Sofitel Rio de Janeiro Copacabana (venue)</i> Av. Atlântica, 4240 Copacabana - Rio de Janeiro - CEP-22070-002 Phone: +55 21 21 2525-1225 or 1241 or 1240 Contacts: Daniela Musse Cristianne Maynard cristianne.maynard@sofitel.com	Classic room	USD 311.95	R\$ 551,00	+15% tax + approx USD 5 charge
	Superior room	USD 334.03	R\$ 590,00	+15% tax + approx USD 5 charge
	Luxury room (sea view)	USD 368.00	R\$ 650,00	+15% tax + approx USD 5 charge.
ORLA COPACABANA HOTEL Address: Av. Atlântica, 4122 Rio de Janeiro - RJ CEP 22070-002 Phone: (021) 2525-2425 Contact: Cristina	Standard room	USD 140.41	R\$ 248.00	+15% tax + approx USD 5 charge
	Superior room	USD 146.63	R\$ 259.00	+15% tax + approx USD 5 charge
	Luxury room	USD 177.21	R\$ 313.00	+15% tax + approx USD 5 charge.



MERCURE Address: Rua Francisco Otaviano, 61 – Copacabana Rio de Janeiro - RJ CEP 22080-040 Phone: (021) 2113-8600 Contacts: Larissa Tulio	Standard Single room	USD 183.43	R\$ 324,00	+ 5% tax + USD 1 tourism tax (optional)
	Standard Double room	USD 210.04	R\$ 371,00	+ 5% tax + USD 1 tourism tax (optional)
	Standard triple room	USD 242.31	R\$ 428,00	+ 5% tax + USD 1 tourism tax (optional)
Portinari Design Hotel Rua Francisco Sá, 17 Posto 6 – Copacabana Rio de Janeiro - RJ CEP 22080-010 Phone: +55 21 3222-8800 Fax + 55 21 3813 1773 or 1772 Contact: Mariana Fernandes reservas@hotelportinari.com.br	Standard single room	USD 198.15	R\$ 350,00	+ 15% VAT
	Standard double room	USD 198.15	R\$ 350,00	+ 15% VAT

Other hotels, close to Sofitel but less expensive, are the following:

1) Orla Copacabana Hotel - Av. Atlântica 4122 - CEP: 22070-002 - Copacabana - Rio de Janeiro, BRASIL; phone: 55 (21) 2525-2425 / Fax: 55 (21) 2287-9134; e-mail: reservas@orlahotel.com.br

2) Portinari Design Hotel - Rua Francisco Sá 17 - Posto 6 Copacabana - Rio de Janeiro – Brasil; phone: 55(21) 3222 – 8800/ Fax: 55 (21) 3813 - 1773 | 3813 – 1772; e-mail: reservas@hotelportinari.com.br

3) Mercure Rio de Janeiro Arpoador - Rua Francisco Otaviano, 61, 0 - Copacabana - Rio de Janeiro - RJ – Brasil; phone: 55 (21) 2113-8600 - Fax: (21) 2113-8605 - Email: h5215-re@accor.com.br
(prices for these hotels to follow)

Languages

During the plenary session and in all three working groups on 17-18 January 2011 interpretation is provided in the six languages of the Conference (Arabic, English, French, Portuguese, Spanish and Russian). The organisers cannot provide interpretation for the meetings of regional groups on 16 January 2011.

Visas:

The participants are invited to make sure that they have the necessary visas before arriving in Rio.

Other information:

The Brazilian authorities will provide security at the Congress. Before the Congress, the Federal Supreme Court will send a security leaflet to all participants.

No excursions will be organised, however, upon request the Brazilian Federal Supreme Court will provide participants with the names and contact details of reliable and safe travel agencies.

Contact for indications of travel agencies and possible problems with hotel reservations:



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REPLY FORM

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First Name

Last Name:

Title:

Institution:

Country:

Contact details:

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Hotel reserved:

I will attend *

I will not attend *

(* Delete as appropriate)

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Please send your reply by e-mail (Marian.Jordan@coe.int) or fax (+33 388 41 37 38) to Ms Marian Jordan.

ⁱ **Quotation Date** : 06/21/2010

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