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ULAANBAATAR, MONGOLIA

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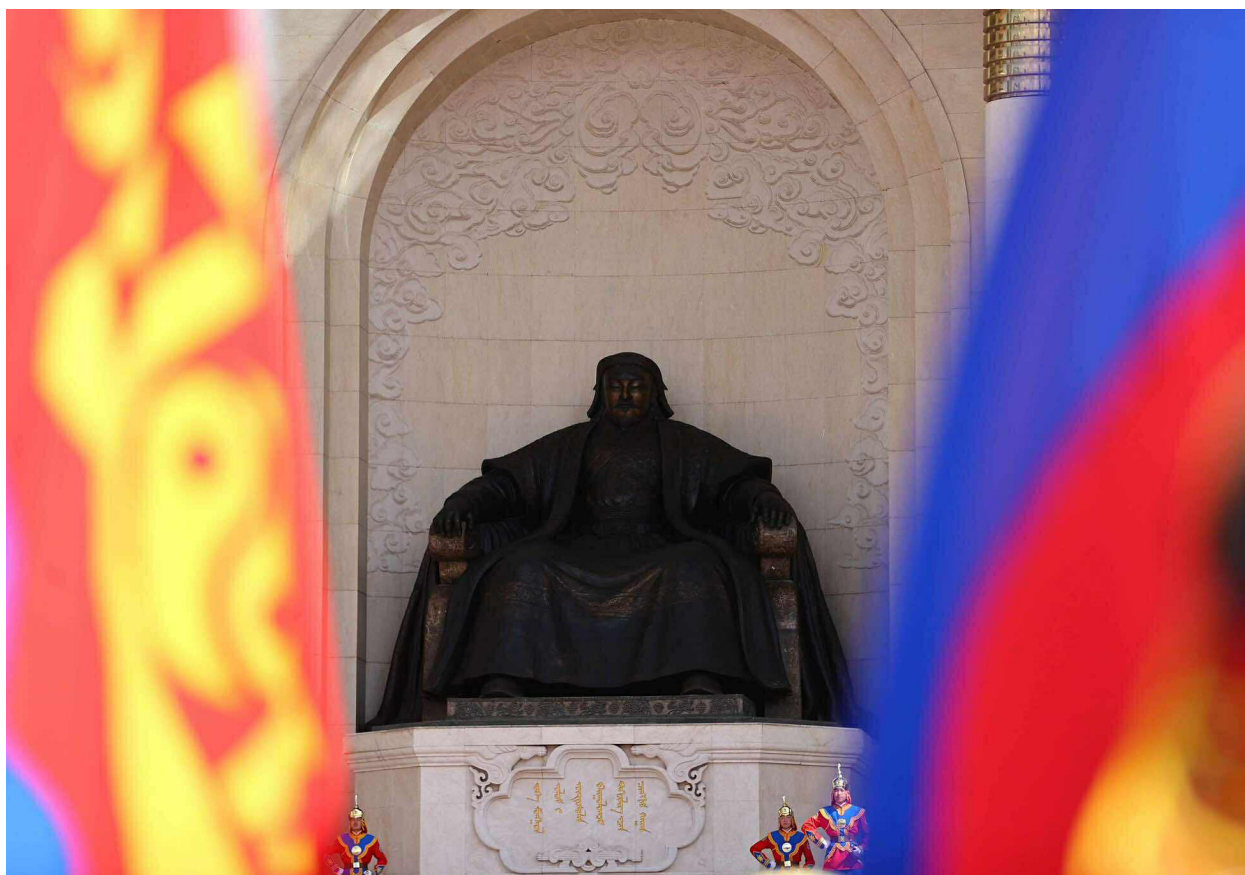




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GREETINGS



Dear Participants, Welcome to the 9th IPAF Summit & Conference!

We are delighted to host you in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia, and extend our warmest greetings as you prepare for this important gathering. This handbook has been carefully prepared to support your planning and ensure a productive, comfortable, and memorable stay.

Should you require any assistance before your arrival or during the event, our team is always available and happy to help.

We look forward to welcoming you in Ulaanbaatar for a remarkable and impactful event ahead!

*The Organizing Committee
9th IPAF Summit & Conference
Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia*





MONGOLBANK
CENTRAL BANK OF MONGOLIA

THE BANK OF MONGOLIA

OFFICIAL INTRODUCTION

The Bank of Mongolia, the Central Bank of Mongolia, is a statutory institution established by the Government of Mongolia with the primary mandate of safeguarding the stability of the national currency, the Mongolian tögrög (MNT). Since its inception, the Bank has remained the cornerstone of the country's financial system, ensuring monetary and macroeconomic stability while fostering an environment conducive to sustainable economic growth. In the discharge of its duties, the Bank formulates and implements monetary policy, supervises and regulates the banking sector, and promotes the development of a sound, resilient, and inclusive financial system.

Core Functions of the Bank of Mongolia As defined by law, the Bank of Mongolia performs the following core functions:

Monetary Policy: Prepares annual monetary policy guidelines, outlining projections, priorities, and risks, which are submitted to Parliament by October 1 each year.

Currency Management: Has exclusive authority to design, issue, and circulate the tögrög, and manages the withdrawal of damaged notes and coins.

Banking Supervision: Licenses and regulates commercial banks, enforces prudential standards, and implements risk mitigation to ensure financial stability.

Fiscal Agent: Manages the unified treasury account and performs financial operations on behalf of the Government upon request from the Ministry of Finance.

Foreign Exchange Reserve Management: Administers Mongolia's foreign exchange reserves to ensure security, liquidity, and alignment with global standards.

Payment Systems: Operates and oversees the national interbank payment and settlement systems to support secure and efficient transactions.



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MONGOLIA ASSET MANAGEMENT CORPORATION LLC

Mongolia Asset Management Corporation LLC (MAMCO) was established on August 30, 2017, by the Receivership Office of Savings Bank LLC to address real-world challenges in asset management while operating within Mongolia's existing legal framework. Initially launched to manage and recover non-performing loans (NPLs), MAMCO has since expanded its mandate to handle NPLs across both government and private sectors. On October 20, 2022, the Bank of Mongolia acquired a 10% ownership stake in the company. MAMCO's CEO, Enkhtur Minjuur, concurrently serves as the Receiver of Savings Bank. The Receiver of Savings Bank is appointed by the Bank of Mongolia, which also regularly supervises the operations of both Savings bank and MAMCO. In 2022, during the IPAF International Conference in Manila, MAMCO became a general member of the IPAF.

MAMCO is committed to becoming the leading entity in Mongolia for asset management and NPL recovery. This strategic approach is designed to address and mitigate financial risks, provide specialized asset management solutions, and attract investments. MAMCO aims to contribute positively to Mongolia's economic stability and understands what it has been doing helps to reduce total costs in connection with NPL resolutions and to lower the loan interest rates. Furthermore, MAMCO's efforts are expected to reduce the broader social impacts associated with asset management and support overall financial health in the region.



DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION OF MONGOLIA

The Deposit Insurance Corporation of Mongolia (DlCoM) is a state-owned, non-profit, and independent agency established under the Bank Deposit Insurance Law, enacted by Parliament on January 10, 2013. It officially commenced operations on June 14, 2013, with the primary mandate to protect depositors, promote public confidence, and contribute to financial stability in Mongolia.

DlCoM administers the national deposit insurance scheme by collecting premiums from member banks, investing the deposit insurance fund, and executing timely payouts in the event of insured failures.

The Corporation is committed to aligning its operations with international best practices. It became the 72nd member of the International Association of Deposit Insurers (IADI) in 2013, joined the Financial Stability Council in 2018, and became an associate member of IPAF in 2023.

DlCoM is currently headed by Acting CEO Mr. Baatarsuren Sukhbaatar.

ABOUT

ULAANBAATAR, MONGOLIA

WELCOME TO ULAANBAATAR, MONGOLIA



A CITY WHERE HERITAGE MEETS PROGRESS

Ulaanbaatar (often abbreviated as UB) is the capital and largest city of Mongolia, home to nearly half of the country's population and the beating heart of its political, economic, and cultural life.

Nestled at 1,350 meters above sea level in the valley of the Tuul River and surrounded by majestic mountains, Ulaanbaatar is a city of striking contrasts. Here, centuries-old Buddhist monasteries stand beside sleek glass skyscrapers.

Nomadic traditions remain alive through vibrant festivals and markets, while a young, educated generation drives tech innovation, urban development, and cultural reinvention.

A BRIEF HISTORY

Founded in 1639 as a mobile Buddhist monastic center, the city eventually settled permanently in its current location in 1778. Originally named Ikh Khüree, it later became **Ulaanbaatar**, meaning **"Red Hero"**, in honor of Mongolia's independence revolution in the early 20th century.

TODAY, ULAANBAATAR IS:

The political center of Mongolia, hosting the Government Palace, State Great Khural (Parliament), and foreign embassies.

A cultural hub, with institutions like the Mongolian National Museum, Zanabazar Fine Arts Museum, and the

State Opera and Ballet Theatre.

The economic engine of the country, driving over 65% of national GDP, with strong mining, finance, services, and energy sectors.

ABOUT THE AIRPORT



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ARRIVAL AIRPORT

All international flights arrive at Chinggis Khaan International Airport (UBN), located approximately 50 km southwest of Ulaanbaatar city center. The travel time to central hotels is approximately 1 hour by car.

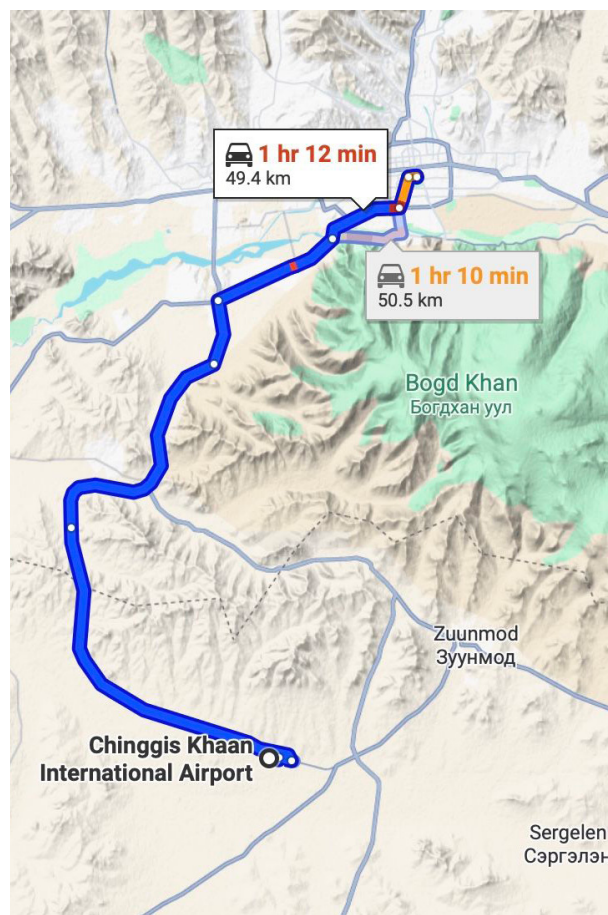
AIRPORT RECEPTION

All IPAF participants will be welcomed by our official airport welcome team. Upon exiting the customs and immigration area:

- Look for representatives holding "9th IPAF Summit & Conference" signs with your name.
- You will be directed to your designated vehicle and transferred to our hotel.

RETURN TRANSFERS

Shuttle buses and private vehicles will be arranged for your return to the airport.



INFORMATION

VISA REQUIREMENTS & ASSISTANCE

Visa-Free Countries (Up to 30 Days Stay)

Participants from the following countries do not require a visa to enter Mongolia:

South Korea, Singapore, Malaysia, Philippines, Thailand, Kazakhstan, Hong Kong, UK, Germany, France, New Zealand and Vietnam.

General visa information:
<https://en.consul.mn/visa/c/83>

Visa Required, Pre-Application Mandatory

Participants from the following countries must apply for a visa in advance:

People's Republic of China (unless holders of diplomatic and official passports)

Nepal, Sri Lanka (including holders of diplomatic and official passports)

Visa Assistance will be provided by IPAF Organizing Committee

For visa-required participants, the Secretariat and MAMCO will:

Issue an official invitation letter

Coordinate with Mongolia's Immigration and Foreign Affairs offices

Provide step-by-step guidance for your visa application

If you have not yet submitted your visa details, please email the following to

Email: bilguun@mamco.mn, munkhjargal.b@sfc.mn, onon@mamco.mn

- Full Name (as per passport)
- Nationality
- Date of Birth
- Passport Number & Expiry Date
- Scanned copy of passport photo page
- Arrival & Departure Dates
- Flight itinerary (if available)





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CURRENCY, BANKING & FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS

Official Currency

The official currency of Mongolia is the Tugrik (MNT).

Most commonly used denominations:



1,000



5,000



10,000



20,000

Exchange Rates (as of 31st of July 2025)

1 USD $\approx$ 3,586.76 MNT

1 EUR $\approx$ 4,143.96 MNT

1 KRW $\approx$ 2.59 MNT

1 CNY $\approx$ 499.61 MNT

CURRENCY EXCHANGE

You may exchange currency at:

- Chinggis Khaan International Airport
- Hotels (limited)
- Commercial banks (recommended: KHAN Bank, Golomt Bank & XacBank)
- Licensed currency exchange offices

Avoid exchanging large sums at unlicensed vendors.



INFORMATION

PAYMENT METHODS & BANKING

Credit Cards: Widely accepted (Visa, MasterCard, UnionPay, ApplePay)



ATMs: Available throughout Ulaanbaatar; most offer English-language options
Carry some small cash for taxis, markets, and rural venues.

SHUTTLE SERVICE BETWEEN HOTELS & VENUES

To ensure smooth transportation for all participants, shuttle buses will operate between official IPAF hotels and the event venue.

ENTRY GUIDELINE

Power banks and **e-cigarettes** are not allowed across the Mongolian border.

If you are bringing sedative or prescription medication, please ensure it is accompanied by a doctor's note.

CLIMATE & WEATHER – AUGUST IN ULAANBAATAR

August is one of Mongolia's most pleasant months – dry, sunny, and moderate. However, Ulaanbaatar's high elevation (1,350m above sea level) brings significant temperature swings between day and night.

Weather Forecast (Week of Conference)

-  Daytime: 18–22°C (64–72°F)
-  Evening/Night: 9–14°C (48–57°F)
-  UV Index: Moderate to High
-  Chance of Rain: 15–25%

What to Pack:

-  Light jacket or sweater for evenings
-  Waterproof outer layer or umbrella
-  Sunglasses, sunscreen, and hat
-  Comfortable walking shoes



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PRECAUTIONS

Ulaanbaatar is a generally safe city, but visitors should observe common-sense precautions:

- Use ride-hailing apps (UBCab) instead of unregistered taxis, (UBCab offer English-language options)  **UBCAB**
- Avoid walking alone late at night.
- Be aware of pickpockets in crowded markets or bus stops.
- Carry a copy of your passport and hotel card when going out
- Emergency services are responsive.

Police: 102 | Ambulance: 103 | Fire: 105

ELECTRICITY & POWER GUIDE

Voltage: 220V / 50Hz



CONNECTIVITY & SIM CARDS

Mobile Internet & Calling
Local SIM cards are available from:
Mobicom, Skytel & Unitel



COMMUNICATION

Since WhatsApp and Viber are commonly used in Mongolia, please make sure to install them on your phone before you arrive.



POWERBANK

Power banks will be provided for use during the IPAF Summit & International Conference.



Please download and install the **Toki App** from your app store in advance to access this service.

FREE WI-FI

Available at most hotels, cafes, restaurants, and the conference venue.

High-speed Wi-Fi will be available at all IPAF facilities.



INFORMATION

DRESSCODE

-  **For Conference Sessions:** Business formal attire is required. Suits, ties, professional dress.
-  **For Cultural Tour:** The tour will include outdoor activities such as horseback riding, so we recommend comfortable, loose-fitting clothing and flat shoes.

NEARBY SHOPPING MALLS



1. SHANGRI-LA MALL

-  1st-3rd floor, Shangri-La, Sukhbaatar district, Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia
-  10:00- 21:00 (Daily)



2. STATE DEPARTMENT STORE

-  3rd Khoroo 8, Chingeltei district, Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia
-  09:00 – 22:00 (Daily)



3. GOBI CASHMERE STORE

-  Galleria Ulaanbaatar, 17 Sukhbaatar square, Baga toiruu, Khoroo 8, Sukhbaatar district
-  10:00 - 22:00 (Daily)

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Cultural Tour

-  Sky Resort, Bayanzurkh district, Khoroo 11, Ulaanbaatar 13240
-  (976) 7700 0909
-  info@skyresort.mn





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LANGUAGE INFORMATION

Channel Setting:

1. Before setting the channel, plug the earphone into the (2) earphone jack
When "CH" starts blinking on the LCD screen, press and hold the FUN and
2. Volume Down (V) buttons at the same time.
3. Once the channel is set, press the SET button to confirm the channel.



- **Conference Languages**

The conference will be conducted in both Mongolian, English and Russian. Simultaneous Interpretation will be provided for the IPAF Summit and International Conference.

- **Simultaneous Interpretation Channels**

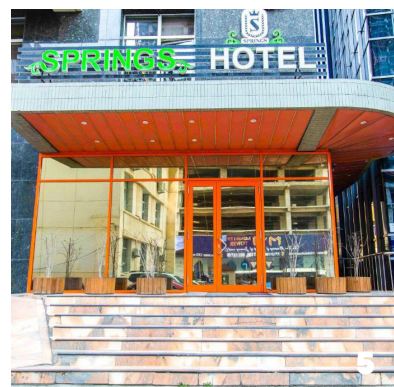
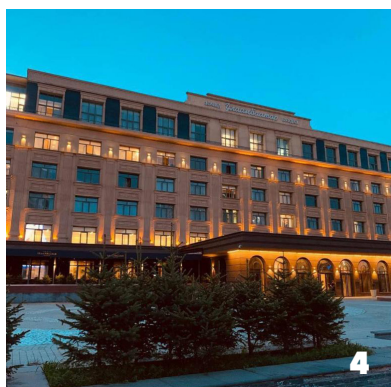
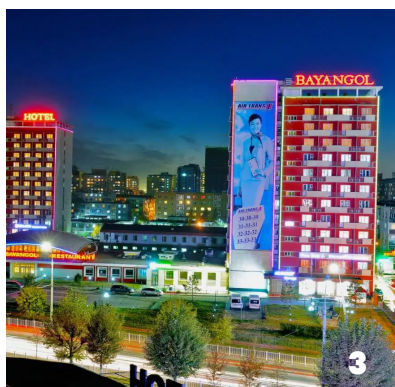
Interpretation equipment will be available at your seat. At the end of the meeting, please leave the Simultaneous Interpreting equipment on your seat and do not take it away from the meeting place.





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1. SHANGRI-LA HOTEL

📍 19 Olympic Street, Sukhbaatar District-1, Ulaanbaatar 14241 Mongolia
☎ (976) 7702 9999
✉ slub@shangri-la.com

2. THE BLUE SKY HOTEL

📍 Peace Avenue 17, Sukhbaatar District, 1st Quarter, Sukhbaatar
☎ (976) 70100505
✉ smc@hotelbluesky.mn

3. BAYANGOL HOTEL

📍 Bayangol Hotel, Chinggis Avenue-5, Ulaanbaatar 14251, Mongolia
☎ (976) 11312255
✉ info@bayangolhotel.mn

4. ULAANBAATAR HOTEL

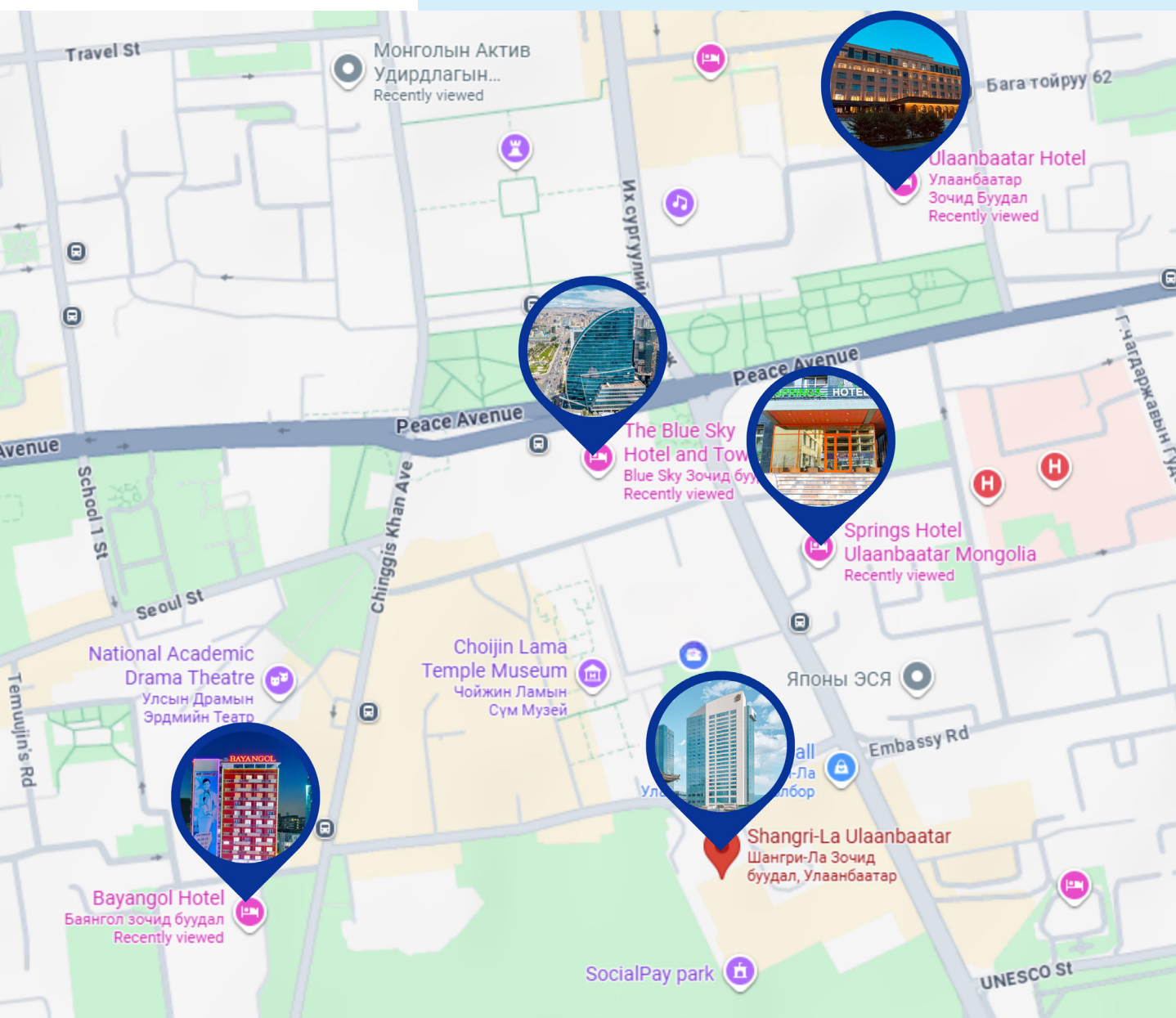
📍 B.Altangerel street-7, 8th subdistrict, Sukhbaatar district, Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia
☎ (976) 11320620
✉ info@ubhotel.mn

5. SPRINGS HOTEL

📍 Olympic street 2-A, Sukhbaatar District, Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia
☎ (976) 70119010
✉ info@springshotel.mn

HOTEL

INFORMATION



- Bayangol Hotel → Shangri-La Ulaanbaatar Approx. 8 minutes on foot (approximately 600 m)
- Springs Hotel → Shangri-La Ulaanbaatar Approx. 5 minutes on foot (approximately 400 m)
- Ulaanbaatar Hotel → Shangri-La Ulaanbaatar Approx. 12 minutes on foot (approximately 850 m)
- Blue Sky Hotel → Shangri-La Ulaanbaatar Approx. 6 minutes on foot (approximately 500 m)





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9TH IPAF SUMMIT & CONFERENCE VENUE

9th IPAF SUMMIT & CONFERENCE
AUGUST 13-15 2025
ULAANBAATAR, MONGOLIA



The 9th IPAF Summit & Conference will be held at the prestigious Shangri-La Ulaanbaatar Hotel, a five-star luxury hotel renowned for its world-class facilities, exceptional service, and central location.

Located in the vibrant heart of Mongolia's capital city, Shangri-La Ulaanbaatar is ideally positioned for both international and domestic guests.

The venue is situated approximately 1 kilometer (0.6 miles) from the historic Sukhbaatar Square and the Government Palace, which are regarded as the symbolic and political center of Mongolia. This prime location offers attendees convenient access to major government institutions, cultural landmarks, embassies, banks, and business centers.





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VENUE

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INFORMATION/SERVICE CENTER

If you encounter any problems during the activity, there will be information desk at the 1st floor of Shangri-La Hotel, and our service hour will be:

- August 12, 2025 06:00 PM - 00:00 AM
- August 13, 2025 08:00 AM - 10:00 PM
- August 14, 2025 08:00 AM - 10:00 PM
- August 15, 2025 08:00 AM - 08:00 PM

EMERGENCY SERVICES AND NEARBY HOSPITALS

IPAF Medical Team

Service Hours: 09:00-22:00

August 13th-15th, 9:00-22:00

For medical assistance, please visit the service desk or contact a conference representative.

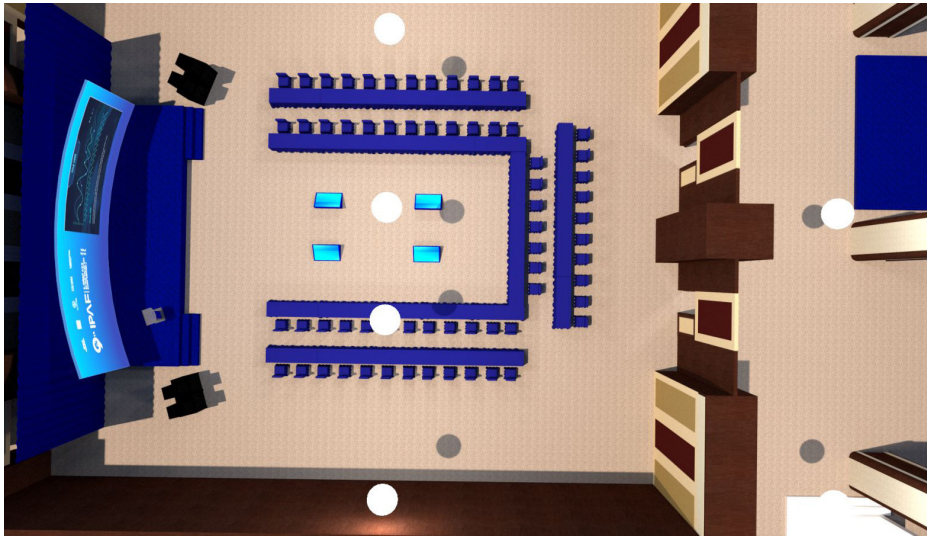
NEARBY HOSPITALS

📍 First Central Hospital of Mongolia
S.Zorig Street 2, SBD - 1 khoroo, Ulaanbaatar 14210
☎ (976) 7711 0111

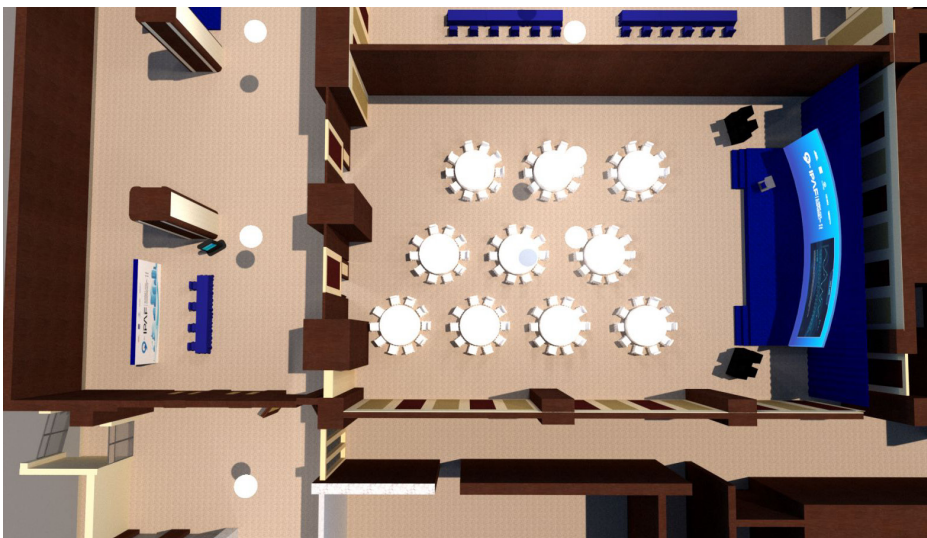
Out of service hours, if needed, please contact the staffs by conference contact.

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☎ (976) 8666 9000

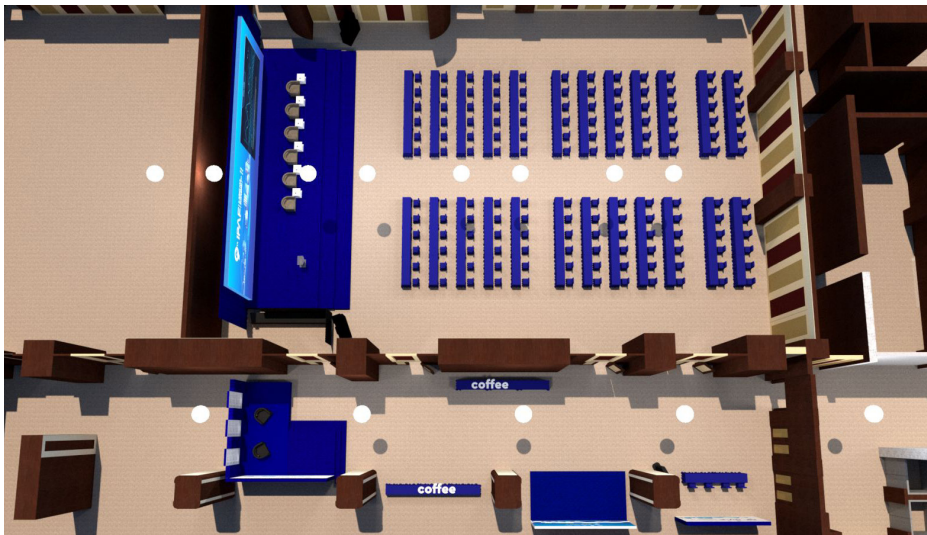
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Day 1, IPAF
Summit
(Ballroom 1)



Day 1, IPAF
Welcome Dinner
(Ballroom 2)



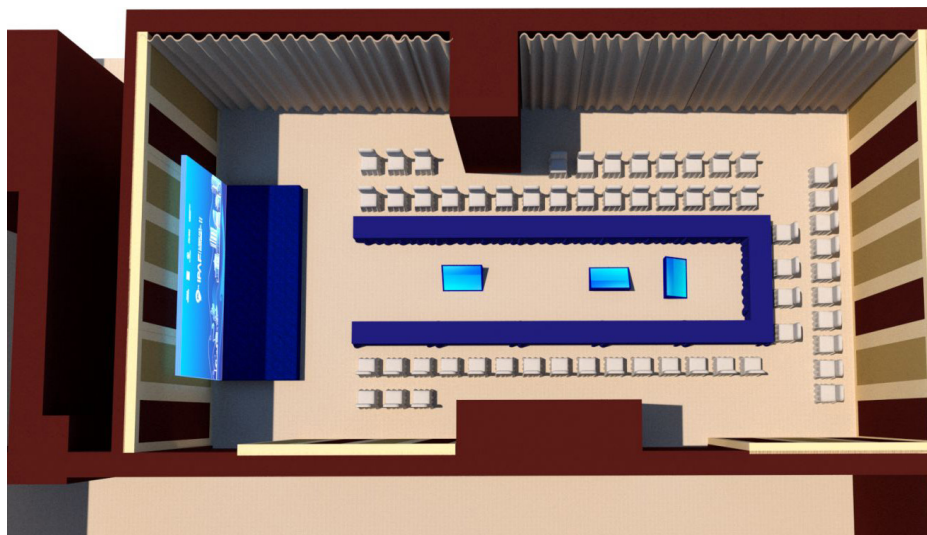
Day 2, IPAF
Conference
(Ballroom 1 + 2)





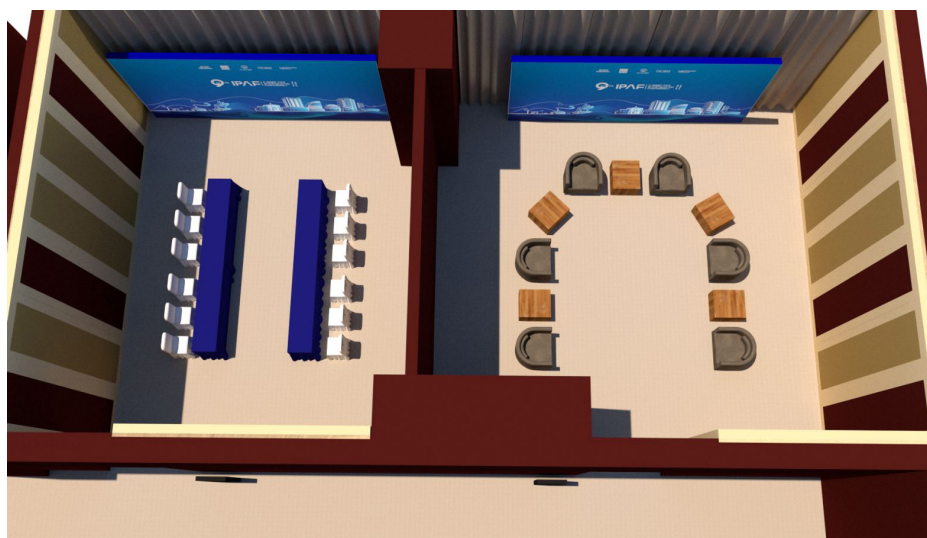
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Day 3, IPAF
Coordinating
Council Meeting
(Paris & Beijing)

VENUE INFORMATION



IPAF Bilateral
Meeting Room
(Paris & Beijing)

9TH IPAF SUMMIT & CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

<i>Date</i>	<i>Event</i>	<i>Event Venue</i>
	IPAF Bilateral Meetings	Paris & Beijing
August 13 th	IPAF Summit	Ballroom 1
August 14 th	IPAF Conference	Ballroom 1, 2
August 15 th	IPAF Coordinating Council Meeting	Paris & Beijing
August 15 th	IPAF Cultural Tour	ASEM Club House

WELCOME DINNER, BUFFET LUNCH & BUFFET DINNER

<i>Date</i>	<i>Event</i>	<i>Event Venue</i>
August 13 th	IPAF Buffet Lunch	Café Park
August 13 th	IPAF Welcome Dinner	Ballroom 1
August 14 th	IPAF Buffet Lunch	Café Park
August 14 th	IPAF Buffet Dinner	Café Park
August 15 th	IPAF Farewell Lunch	ASEM Club House

