WGISS Future Meetings



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3-7 October 2022

Upcoming WGISS Meetings:

WGISS-55 (Spring 2023)

- Date (proposed): 18-20 April 2023
- Host: Comisión Nacional de Actividades Espaciales (CONAE), Homero Lozza
- Location: Buenos Aires, Argentina
- Format: Hybrid

WGISS-56 (Fall 2023)

- Date (proposed): 3-5 October 2023
- Host: Centre National d'Etudes Spatiales (CNES), Richard Moreno
- Location: CNES HeadQuarters (Paris, France)
- Format: Hybrid

WGISS-57 (Spring 2024) – contact Tom Sohre if interested in hosting





WGISS - 55

Hosted by

Comisión Nacional de Actividades Espaciales (CONAE)

Buenos Aires, Argentina

April, 2023

Buenos Aires City, Argentina







Buenos Aires City (Ciudad Autónoma de Buenos Aires) is the capital of Argentina. Please do not confuse it with the province of Buenos Aires, which covers a much larger area of the country. In some places and services the city is listed by its acronym, CABA.

Buenos Aires City is globally known for Tango dance and music. Its gastronomy is also famous offering tasty menus of exclusive products from the Pampas, Andes and Patagonia regions. Many cultural activities and options are available, or you can take a walk to enjoy 200 years of stunning architecture.

Toursim: https://turismo.buenosaires.gob.ar/en



Most international flights arrive at Ministro Pistarini International Airport, best known as Ezeiza (EZE), which is 32 km (20 miles) away from downtown Buenos Aires, a journey of about 50 minutes long.

- For more information about the airport and flights, please visit the official
- website: http://www.aa2000.com.ar/ezeiza

There is also a domestic in Buenos Aires: Jorge Newbery Airport, best known as Aeroparque (AEP).

To the city centre:

Once you get to the airport, you have several options to reach the city center : <u>http://www.aa2000.com.ar/ezeiza/Transporte?qa=EZE</u>

- Taxi "Ezeiza": http://www.taxiezeiza.com.ar/
- Shuttle/Bus/remis: "Manuel Tienda León" https://www.tiendaleon.com/

Meeting venue





The meeting will be held in "Centro Cultural de la Ciencia – (C3)" in Palermo, a lively neighborhood of Buenos Aires city. http://c3.mincyt.gob.ar/ Godoy Cruz 2270, CABA https://goo.gl/maps/QgEp FX5rxDFVNFPa7



Public transport



The Palermo subway station is at 300m and connects in 15' to the town center. (Look for the "Subte D" signal and Catedral-Cathedral directions).

For Public transport (bus/subte) you will need a "SUBE" travelcard. https://youtu.be/cgHXMWww930

You can buy one at the station booth. The metro does not run between 11:00PM and 5:30AM approximately. On Saturdays starts at 6:00AM and on Sundays at 8:00AM. There are many bus lines, also, connecting to the town center running all night long.





Requirements for all travelers regarding COVID-19:

https://cnyor.cancilleria.gob.ar/en/visas-2

Individuals holding passports issued by the following countries do not require a visa to enter Argentina for tourism purposes:

https://cnyor.cancilleria.gob.ar/en/countries-list-do-not-require-tourist-

visa-when-visiting-argentina

If your country is not on the list, you will need a visa to enter Argentina. More information about the requirements and instructions on how to apply can be found in:

https://cnyor.cancilleria.gob.ar/en/node/1817

Accomodation



A list of hotels nearby the Workshop venue:

Whyndham Dazzler Palermo https://www.wyndhamhotels.com/dazzler/destinations

Krista Boutique Hotel http://www.kristahotel.com.ar

BA Sohotel http://www.basohotel.com/

Nuss https://www.nusshotel.com/

Malabia House https://www.malabiahouse.com.ar/

Vain Boutique hotel https://www.vainhotel.com/en/

Hotel Cristoforo Colombo http://www.hotelcc.com.ar/



For further help concerning the Scientific Organization of the Workshop you may contact Dr. Laura Frulla or Dr. Homero Lozza.

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The local currency is the Argentine peso (ARS). Please notice that locally, the same symbol as for the dollar (\$) is used for the peso. Don't be confused, in shops and restaurants prices expressed using the \$ symbol are in Argentine pesos always, unless stated otherwise. US dollars are usually referred to using the symbol: U\$S.

It is easy to exchange money in Buenos Aires at casas de cambio (bureaux de change/currency exchanges) and at most banks - note that you'll need to provide identification. Local currency can also be withdrawn 24 hours a day from ATMs. Some shops, hotels and restaurants may accept cash payments in US dollars or euros.

Most large shops and restaurants accept credit or debit cards. For more information, please visit this link (https://turismo.buenosaires.gob.ar/en/article/money).



Type I sockets

AC current outlets in Argentina are 220V, 50Hz. The standard outlet has three pins with a layout like in China (type I socket). Most sockets accommodate both the two-pin European (type I socket compatible with type E and F sockets, "two thin round pins") like plugs and the three-pin plugs (see figure).



Note: in most of the cases, this small adapter could be enough:





We wish you a pleasant stay in Buenos Aires!