

High Level Seminar on “The Digital Economy: A Policy and Statistical Perspective”

Information Note

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I. Introduction

This information note is to assist you in the preparation for your trip to Beijing, China to participate in the High Level Seminar on “The Digital Economy: A Policy and Statistical Perspective” held from 15 to 17 November 2018.

The Seminar is organized jointly by the United Nations Statistics Division (UNSD) and the National Bureau of Statistics of China (NBS).

II. Working Language

The working language of the Seminar will be English.

III. Venue

The Seminar will be held at Beijing Guangxi Hotel.

Address: No.26 Huaweili, Panjiayuan, Chaoyang District, Beijing, China

Tel: (86)-10-67796688

Fax: (86)-10-67802177

Website: <http://guangxihotel.com/en/>

IV. Visa

Participants from most countries are required to apply for visa to enter China. For detailed visa policies, please consult your Ministry of Foreign Affairs and the Chinese Embassy or Consulate in your country.

When you fill out the attached registration form, please indicate if you need the official visa documentation. Upon receipt of the registration form, NBS will prepare and send the official visa documentation to those who need it.

V. Registration

Registration for the Seminar will start at 10:00, Wednesday, 14 November 2018 at the registration desk in the lobby of Beijing Guangxi Hotel. Participants are requested to register and obtain meeting badges at the registration.

Participants not register on 14 November are requested to register and get the meeting badges at the entrance of the Multi-purpose hall on the 2nd floor of the Hotel from 08:15 to 08:50 in the morning of 15 November 2018.

VI. Accommodation



Beijing Guangxi Hotel is invested by the People's Government of Guangxi Zhuang Autonomous Region in Beijing, which is a four star hotel equipped with accommodation, catering, conference, entertainment and shopping center. The location of the Hotel is superior and transportation is convenient. The hotel is in Panjiayuan antique district, Chaoyang District in Beijing, and adjacent to the Central Business District (CBD).

The Hotel officially opened in 2000 and completely renovated in 2008, it covers 15 acres and the main building consists of 22 floors with a total of 290 various types of rooms. It specializes in providing Guangxi authentic dishes and becomes an important window to display the Guangxi minority culture. Its elegant environment, advanced management and attentively personalized service will make Chinese and foreign friends feel at home.

Please be noted that group reservations have been made at preferential rates with Beijing Guangxi Hotel for different room types.

Room Type	Room Rate
Standard Room	RMB ¥ 450
Deluxe Room	RMB ¥ 580
Standard Suite	RMB ¥ 1080

All rates are inclusive of 15% service charge, including one breakfast and non-commissionable. Extra breakfast charges RMB ¥ 48 per person.

Please mark your preferred room type in the registration form. NBS will help you make the reservation.

VII. Points of Contact

For returning registration form and getting official document for visa application, please kindly contact:

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VIII. Local Information

A. Transportation from Beijing Capital International Airport to Beijing Guangxi Hotel

- By subway. Participants could take Airport Express from the Airport to Sanyuanqiao Station, transfer to Line 10 and get off at Panjiaquan Station (Exit C). Then walk about 10 minutes to Beijing Guangxi Hotel.
- By taxi. Estimated cost of taxi fare from the Airport to Beijing Guangxi Hotel is around RMB 110 (about 30 kilometers).

For more information about traffic at Beijing Capital International Airport, please visit: <http://en.bcia.com.cn/traffic/>.

For more information about Beijing's subway system, please visit: <https://www.travelchinaguide.com/cityguides/beijing/subway-map.htm>.

B. Currency Exchange

Exchange rate as of 12 December 2018: 1 USD = 6.88 RMB (Bank of China).

For service information of banks and currency exchange at Beijing Capital International Airport, please visit:
<http://en.bcia.com.cn/server/consultation/exchange.shtml>.

C. Weather in Beijing

In mid-November, on average, temperature reaches 13 °C during the day, and at night drops to 3°C.

D. For convenience, participants could show the Hotel's address in Chinese to your taxi driver:

Please drive me to Beijing Guangxi Hotel.

Address: No.26 Huaweili, Panjiayuan, Chaoyang District, Beijing.

Tel: (86-10) 67796688

请把我送到广西大厦

地址：北京市朝阳区潘家园华威里 26 号（近华威桥）

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