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Almaty, Kazakhstan

30 September – 4 October 2019

OVERVIEW

Venue	Date	Interpretation	Starting time
Rixos Almaty Hotel	30 September – 4 October 2019	Kazakh Russian English French Spanish	The session will start at 9.30 am on September 30

REGISTRATION

The participants should register in advance through the online registration system by the following link:

<http://www.codexalimentarius.org/registration/en>

The login and password for the online registration were provided to all Codex Contact Points and to the Contact Points of Observer Organizations. If the login and password were not received, please contact: codex@fao.org

In case of technical difficulty you can address to the Kazakhstan Codex Contact Point directly by kazcodex@gmail.com

On-site registration will last from 3 pm to 6 pm on Sunday, September 29, and from 8 am to 9.30 am on Monday, September 30



DOCUMENTATION

Hardcopy versions of the documents will not be provided at the Venue. Please bring ones with you if you need. Documents can be found at the [link](#)

VISA INFORMATION



Normally in Kazakhstan entry conditions are flexible, including up to 30 days of visa-free stay in the country. For more information click



Should you need a personal invitation letter, send us a request to kazcodex@gmail.com

ACCOMMODATION

The session will be held at Rixos Hotel Almaty. You may either book your accommodation at Rixos **at the special rate for CCEURO delegates** or choose any hotel nearby (in the list). Rates are subject to change and should be confirmed at the time of booking. Please contact the hotels directly for up-to-date prices and detailed terms and conditions.



Rixos Almaty Hotel 
Grand Opera Hotel 
Mildom Hotel 



Golden Palace Hotel 
Ambassador Hotel 
D'RAMI Gotel 



Opera Apartments Hotel 
Almaty Hotel 
Grand Voyage Hotel 



Comfort Plus Hotel 
Silkway Hotel 
Dostyk Hotel 

For more information click 



* The form to book an apartment **at the special rate for CCEURO delegates** is available [here](#)



GENERAL INFORMATION

Weather

- The average temperature in the end of September - beginning of October is 17-20°C
- Chance of rain

Time zone

- Almaty UTC/GMT +6 hours

Electrical current

- Electrical appliances operate on 230V and 50 Hz
- Plug type C and F

Currency

to check the official exchange rate click [here](#)



*ATMs and Currency Exchange are available in/nearby the Venue

From/to the airport

Unfortunately, buses don't go straight from the airport to the venue. If you take bus #92 (buses go only during the day, from 6 am to 10 pm), you can stop at the Drama theater Bus-stop and have a 10 minutes walk to the Rixos.

The only night bus #3 goes from the airport up to the Karasay Batyr Bus Stop, after which you will have to walk 1.5 km

You are advised to take a taxi, which there are plenty of at the airport.

Taxi cost is about 3000 – 3500 KZT (~ 8 – 10 \$)

Public transport

In Almaty you can use either buses or metro to move around the city. You can use 2GIS app to find the needed route. Buses are not available at night.



Metro ticket price is around 20-25 cents (80 KZT)

Bus ticket costs around 50-60 cents (150 KZT)

Uber and Yandex Taxi are also very popular services in Almaty.

Uber



Yandex Taxi



TRANSPORT SYSTEM

PLACES OF INTEREST

Medeu High Mountain Skating Rink



Shymbulak Ski Resort



Kok-tobe



Abay National Theater and Opera House



Green Bazaar

Interactive-Entertainment Park EVRIKUM



Museum of Kazakh Musical Instruments



State Museum of Arts named after A. Kasteyev



Central State Museum



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PLACES TO EAT

National cuisine
[Baursak city](#)
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[Restaurant](#)

Not expensive
[Kaganat](#)
[Cinar](#)
[Gastronomy](#)

Fastfood
[Yuframe Burger](#)
[KFC](#)
[Gippo](#)

for more information, click on the name
of the restaurant

ILLUSTRATIVE MAP



Seifullin Avenue

Rixos Hotel Almaty

AIRPORT

“MEDEU” SKATING RINK

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