

**Logistic Information for the 28th IOCCG Committee Meeting and
39th IOCCG Executive Meeting
CONAE Headquarters, Cordoba, Argentina
22-26 April 2024**

Meeting Details

The 28th annual IOCCG Committee meeting and associated training course in ocean colour will take place from 22 - 26 April 2024. The meeting will be hosted by CONAE, and will take place at the Teofilo Tabanera Space Center located in Córdoba (Centro Espacial Teofilo Tabanera CETT, Córdoba Province, Argentina).

An associated training course is scheduled for 22-23 April 2024. The IOCCG-28 meeting will be from 24-26 April 2024 (2.5 days), and will be followed by a closed meeting of the IOCCG Executive committee on Friday 26 April 2024 (half day, Executive members only).

Entry & Visa Information

Since 20 October 2022, It is not required to show proof of being fully vaccinated against COVID-19 to enter Argentina.:

<https://cnyor.cancilleria.gob.ar/en/requirements-entry-argentine-republic>

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

Airports

The airport in Córdoba is the Aeropuerto Internacional de Córdoba Ingeniero Aeronáutico Ambrosio Taravella (COR).

However, most international flights may arrive at [Ministro Pistarini International Airport, best known as Ezeiza \(EZE\)](#), which is 32 km (20 miles) away from downtown Buenos Aires, and then connect to Córdoba airport (1 hour flight time) via many daily flight connections.

There is also a domestic airport in Buenos Aires -Jorge Newbery Airport, best known as Aeroparque (AEP) - with more frequent connections to Córdoba. “Tienda León” offers different shuttle services from airport to airport.

Getting from the Airport in Córdoba City

Once you arrive at COR, there are several options to reach the Córdoba city centre. Visit this website for transportation options:

<https://www.aa2000.com.ar/cordoba/Transporte?qa=COR>

Getting from Córdoba City to CONAE Headquarters (Meeting Venue)

The meeting will be held in “Centro Espacial Teófilo Tabanera” (CETT) located [30 km southwest of the city of Córdoba](#).

Daily transportation via shuttle service to and from CETT will be provided thanks to CONAE. The meeting point to catch the shuttle is a central mall: **Patio Olmos Shopping** (Av. Vélez Sarsfield 361, X5000JJD Córdoba, Argentina), which is a short walk from several hotels.

Accommodation

There are several suggested options for accommodation opportunities in Córdoba City. Hotels listed below are close to the pick-up and drop-off location for the shuttle service provided by CONAE, but are not your only options. The shuttle will provide daily pick up and drop off at **Patio Olmos Shopping** (see above). Information on the exact meeting location around the mall, and on daily pick-up times will be given closer to the meeting.

Hotel NH Córdoba Urbano (from ~\$69,000 ARS per night, breakfast included)

Av. Marcelo T. de Alvear 363, X5000KGF Córdoba, Argentina

<https://www.nh-hotels.com/hotel/nh-cordoba-urbano>

3 min walk from Patio Olmos Shopping (CONAE pick-up/drop-off location)

Hotel NH Córdoba Panorama (from ~\$84,000 ARS per night, breakfast included)

Av. Marcelo T. de Alvear 251, X5000KGE Córdoba, Argentina

<https://www.nh-hotels.com/hotel/nh-cordoba-panorama>

5 min walk from Patio Olmos Shopping

Amérian Córdoba Park Hotel (from ~\$85,000 ARS per night, breakfast included)

X5000ATB, Boulevard San Juan 165, X5000ATB Córdoba, Argentina

<https://english.amerian.com/hotel/amerian-cordoba-park-hotel/>

2 min walk from Patio Olmos Shopping

Amérian Executive Córdoba Hotel (from ~\$89,100 ARS per night, breakfast included)

Bldv. San Juan 137, X5000ATB Córdoba, Argentina

<https://english.amerian.com/hotel/amerian-executive-cordoba-hotel/>

3 min walk from Patio Olmos Shopping

Weather in Córdoba

Fall!

Argentina and Córdoba are located in the southern hemisphere, so April is autumn, with very mild weather. Temperatures in Córdoba during this month are typically lower than 25°C (77°F) and higher than 13°C (55°F).

You can visit the National Weather Forecast (<https://www.smn.gob.ar>) and select *Córdoba (Capital)*, *Córdoba* to see the weather before you go.

Currency in Argentina

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: US\$.

Most large shops and restaurants accept credit or debit cards, but some small businesses may only accept cash.

It is easy to exchange money at “casas de cambio” (bureaux de change/currency exchanges) and at most banks. Note that you'll need to provide identification to do this. 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.

For more information, please visit:

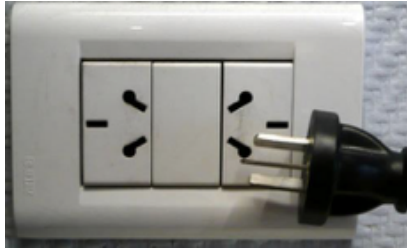
<https://turismo.buenosaires.gob.ar/en/article/money>.

Also see <https://www.oanda.com/currency-converter/> for up-to-date exchange rates.

Electricity in Argentina

Type I sockets

AC 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:



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Teófilo Tabanera Space Center and Córdoba City, Argentina



Córdoba City, Argentina



Córdoba, the capital of the Argentine province of the same name, is known for its Spanish colonial architecture. Córdoba City, Argentina's second city, is also known as "La Docta" because in 1613 the first Argentine university was founded there. Its historic center is a summary of colonial architecture where you can walk through it and be surprised on every block. As a university city, Córdoba has a happening nightlife scene.

Toursim: <https://www.cordobaturismo.gov.ar/>

<https://turismo.cordoba.gob.ar/>

