

ECINEQ CONFERENCE LOGISTIC INFORMATION

VENUE:

The conference will take place at the World Bank Headquarters in Washington DC, at **1818 H Street NW**. Registration will take place at the main entrance where our team will issue visitor passes. Conference participants need to bring a **passport or national identification** for the registration process but also for re-entry the following days.

POLICY CONFERENCE JULY 8:

The World Bank is organizing a high-level policy conference to bring together leading policy experts and scholars to discuss and highlight the importance of addressing inequality pressures globally with a special focus on the Global South. This one-day conference will take place on July 8 between 9.00am – 5.30pm and will be open to all participants of the ECINEQ conference. For those who are interested in attending, please make sure to arrive a day in advance and book your hotel stay accordingly. The local organizing team will provide more details on the agenda in the coming weeks.

VISA:

The local organizing committee can provide an invitation letter from the World Bank to facilitate the visa process, however each participant is responsible to obtain their own visa. If you want to receive this letter from the World Bank, please write to: ecineq2025@worldbank.org and provide the following information:

- Name & Last name (as it appears in your passport)
- City & country of residence
- Phone number

Please allow 3 business days for the local organizing committee to process your invitation letter.

ESTA:

The Electronic System for Travel Authorization (ESTA) is available for travelers under the Visa Waiver Program (VWP).

HOTELS:

The local organizing team is negotiating access to reduced hotel fees for conference participants with a number of hotels in the vicinity of the World Bank Headquarters. Conference participants will receive a list with negotiated rates and booking links by the end of this week. The list will be updated weekly to reflect the latest room availability.

TRANSPORTATION:**By Air (International and National):**

- Washington Dulles International Airport (IAD)
- Ronald Reagan Washington National Airport (DCA)
- Baltimore/Washington International Thurgood Marshall Airport (BWI)

By Railway (National):

- Washington Union Station (WAS)

Metro and Bus (Local): Metro and bus services provide transport between all parts of the D.C.-Maryland-Virginia (DMV) area and the World Bank Headquarters. The metro runs from 5am – 12am Monday-Thursday, and from 5am-1am on Friday. There are several metro and bus stops close to the WB Headquarters:

- Farragut North Metro Station (Red line)
- Farragut West Metro Station (Blue, Orange, and Silver lines)
- H St NW & 18th St NW Bus Station
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