



**IECnet APAC
Asia Pacific Regional Meeting
Shanghai
16th - 18th May 2024**





PROGRAM DELEGATES

16 May	Afternoon	Hotel	Arrival
	6:30 pm	Hotel Lobby	Gather for welcome drinks and followed by dinner
17 May	8:45 am	Shanghai Tower	Registration for Asia Pacific Meeting
	9:00 am	Meeting Room	Welcome speech (Yanjun Sun, Star Accounting & Consulting Co.)
	9:05 am	Meeting Room	Opening address (Vincent Domon, IECnet Chairman)
	9:15 am	Meeting Room	IECnet opportunities for success, profit and growth (Mark Schiliro, IECnet APAC Representative)
	10:30 am	Meeting Room	Coffee break
	11:00 am	Meeting Room	Understanding and navigating climate disclosures effectively (MNSA Australia)
	12:30 pm	Lunch	Lunch
	2:00 pm	Meeting Room	External Speaker on ESG
	3:00 pm	Meeting Room	Business Environment in China
	3:20 pm	Meeting Room	Afternoon Tea
	3:40 pm	Meeting Room	Presentation of Star Accounting (Yanjun Sun)
	4:30 pm	Meeting Room	Summary of the day's coverage
	5:00 pm	End of the meeting	Back to the hotel & short rest
	6:30 pm	River Cruise	Dinner on River Cruise
18 May	9:00 am	Hotel Lobby	Visit of the ancient water town Zhujiajiao
	3:00 pm		Back to the hotel



PROGRAM ACCOMPANYING PERSONS

16 May	Afternoon	Hotel	Arrival
	6:30 pm	Hotel Lobby	Gather for welcome drinks and followed by dinner
17 May	9:00 am	Hotel Lobby	Bus pick up
	9:30 am	Shanghai Tower	Shanghai Tower Observation Deck: 2nd tallest building in the world
	11:15 am	Bund	Bund Free Walk
	12:00 pm	tbc	Lunch Break
	2:00 pm	Yuyuan Garden	Yuyuan Graden: an extensive tradicional Chinese garden and one of the best instances of the art of gardening
	3:30 pm	Yuyuan Garden	Chinese Style Afternoon Tea
	6:30 pm	River Cruise	Dinner on River Cruise
18 May	9:00 am	Hotel Lobby	Visit of the ancient water town Zhujiajiao) (til 3 pm)
	3:00 pm		Back to the hotel

PRACTICAL INFORMATION



Hotel: We stay at the [Hilton Garden Inn Shanghai Lujiazui](#). The hotel is on the 23rd floor in Lujiazui, overlooking Huangpu River. Oriental Pearl TV Tower, Jinmao Tower, and Shanghai Tower are less than a 10-minute drive. Several Metro stations and restaurants are within one block. Shanghai Hongqiao International Airport SHA is 19 km away. Enjoy the restaurant and bar, free WiFi, and exercise center. **Please book your accommodation via [trip.com](#) or [booking.com](#).**



- **Hilton Garden Inn Shanghai Lujiazui**, 506, Block B Shangcheng Rd, Shanghai, 200120
- <https://www.hilton.com/en/hotels/shapdgi-hilton-garden-inn-shanghai-lujiazui/gallery/>
- +86 21 3891 9988
- Check-in time: 3 pm
- Check-out time: 12 pm

From the airport

The easiest way to the hotel from airport would be by taxi. It is advisable to book transport to the hotel directly at the airport (e.g.: Airport Travel, service@aipot.com.cn). The journey from the airport would take approximately 40 minutes.

Weather around the time of year

The average temperature in Shanghai in May for a typical day range from a high of 75°F (24°C) to a low of 63°F (17°C). Some would describe it as pleasantly warm and breezy.

Wifi

There's wifi available inside the hotel area.

Power plugs in Shanghai

In China, power plugs and sockets (outlets) of **type A, type C and type I** are used. The standard voltage is 220 V at a frequency of 50 Hz.



Currency

The official currency in China is the Chinese yuan renminbi ¥ (CNY).

You should be able to make purchases fairly comfortably using Visa/Master cards. If you are feeling adventurous and want to have fun paying with QR code instead of cash, you could download "Alipay" app and try to link your international debit/credit cards with your account.

WhatsApp

In China, access to many foreign websites and services, including WhatsApp, is sometimes restricted. It is recommended to subscribe to a reliable VPN service before your trip and install it on your device to bypass the so-called "Great Firewall" and ensure smooth access to WhatsApp.

Dress code

Conference: business casual

Activities: casual

Visa Requirements

All delegates are advised to check well in advance with the [Chinese Visa Application Service Center](#) to determine if they require a Visa to travel to China. Also, make sure you check the latest [Covid-19 regulations](#) before departure.

The hotel can provide a booking confirmation for visa purposes.

Should you require an invitation letter, please send an email to: assistant1@iecnet.net



PACKAGE PRICES

APAC package for delegates: \$ 450 per person

(Excluding accommodation, air fares, transportation from and to the airport, additional meals and drinks)

- **Thursday 16 May 2024**
Welcome drink and welcome dinner.
- **Friday 17 May 2024**
Full-day APAC Meeting at the Shanghai Tower, including coffee breaks and buffet lunch. Dinner on River Cruise.
- **Saturday 18 May 2024**
Half-day tour to Ancient Garden Town.

APAC package for accompanying persons: \$ 410 per person

(Excluding accommodation, air fares, transportation from and to the airport, additional meals and drinks.)

- **Thursday 16 May 2024**
Welcome drink and welcome dinner.
- **Friday 17 May 2024**
Visit Shanghai Tower Observation Deck, Bund Free Walk, Lunch, Yuyuan Garden, Chinese Style Afternoon Tea, Dinner on River Cruise.
- **Saturday 18 May 2024**
Half-day tour to Ancient Garden Town.

To register for the APAC, you need to take the following steps:

1. register yourself (and accompanying persons if applicable) [here](#)
2. transfer the money and send us a proof of payment
3. book your accommodation at the [Hilton Garden Inn Shanghai](#) ([trip.com](#) or [booking.com](#))

PAYMENT FOR APAC PACKAGE

Please make your payment with your registration before the 15 April 2024 to the following bank account:

- Account name : Star (Shanghai) Accounting & Consulting Co., Ltd
- Bank name : Shanghai Pudong Development Bank, Pu Tuo Branch
- Account number : 98140155300000300 (RMB)
98141455300000400 (USD)
- SWIFT Code : SPDBCNSHXXX
- Payment Reference : IECnet APAC 2024
- Bank address : No. 746 Changshou Road, Putuo District, Shanghai, PRC

Kindly note that **evidence of payment must be sent along with the Registration form** to: Nancy Chen nancy@star-acc.com and IECnet gensec@iecnet.net



Kindly ensure that your name is included in the remittance order. All transfer expenses/commissions will be borne by senders.

Cancellation policy

No fees will be charged for bookings canceled before 15 March 2024. For cancellations before 30 March 2024, 50% of the fee will be charged. The transfer costs and 16% withholding tax must be borne by the delegate.

However, in no-show instances or late cancellations (i.e. after 1 April 2024), 100% of the booking fee will be charged and no refunds will be made.

IECnet will take photos and video recordings at the event. The photos will be published on the website, in social media channels and maybe in print media like in IECnet newsletter, brochures, folders to present our activities. Further information can be found at www.iecnet.net.

By attending the event, you consent to the taking of photos and video recordings

Thank you for your kind understanding and co-operation!