LOGISTICAL INFORMATION

ACCOMMODATION IN NEW YORK CITY

The following list of accommodations in New York City (most of them at moderate prices) has been updated as of February, 2013.

We strongly suggest that you make reservations well in advance at all the following hotels and hostels. All rates shown are current, but double check with the hotel/hostel when you make your reservation as the rates shown may have changed at the discretion of the individual hotel/hostel. Rates given do not reflect taxes or other surcharges unless otherwise noted.

Midtown Manhattan

14th to 59th Street (closest to UN)

All neighbourhoods in this category are generally safe and nice.

American Dream Hostel

<u>Phone</u>: (212) 260 9779 <u>Fax:</u> (212) 260 9944

Website and email: www.americandreamhostel.com, americandream24@aol.com

Street Address: 168 East 24th Street (Between Lexington & 3rd Ave.)

<u>Transportation</u>: Take the M101, M102 or M103 from the 23^{rd} St stop on 3^{rd} Avenue to 42nd Street **or** #6 Train (at the 23^{rd} St stop on Park Avenue South) to Grand Central Station and walk to the UN on 45^{th} and 1^{st} Ave.

Rooms and Rates: 4 beds dormitory \$59.00 per night per person (\$69.00 Fri-Sat), private room (one person) \$84.50 (\$110.00 Fri-Sat), private room (two persons) \$60.00 per person (\$75.00 Fri-Sat), private room (three people) \$55 per person (\$60.00 Fri-Sat). Prices include free breakfast in the morning, linen and towels.

Security: free luggage storage.

<u>Amenities</u>: Refrigerator, microwave and flameless warmers, AC, heaters, shared bathrooms, free WiFi, two internet kiosks

Other: Dormitory for guests younger than 30 years old.

Big Apple Hostel UNABLE TO TAKE RESERVATIONS AT THIS TIME (look for updates on their websites http://www.bigapplehostel.com/)

Chelsea International Hostel

<u>Phone</u>: (212) 647-0010 <u>Fax</u>: (212) 727-7289 Website & email: www.chelseahostel.com; Contact form on website

Street Address: 251 West 20th street (between 7th & 8th Avenues)

<u>Transportation</u>: Take the A, C or E train at 23rd and 8th Ave (uptown) or the 1 train (more convenient for transfer) at 18th street and 7th Ave (uptown) to Times Square and transfer to the #7 Train to Grand Central and walk to the UN on 45th and 1st Avenue.

Rooms & Rates: Shared room (3-4 pers.) – \$63.00 per night per person, with bathroom; shared room (2 pers.) \$68.00 per night per person with bathroom, \$58.00 with shared bathroom down the hall; private single room \$80.00 per night with bathroom, \$70.00 per night with shared bathroom down the hall; private double room \$72.50 per person per night with bathroom, \$82.50 per person per night with shared bathroom down the hall. All prices include free breakfast and bed linens, but not towels. Group rates are available for groups of 20 people or more staying for a minimum of 3 nights.

<u>Security</u>: Free lockers in rooms, guests must provide their own lock. After check-out, rental lockers are available for \$3.00 to \$5.00 per day

Amenities: Free WiFi Internet (computers available for \$2.00 for 20 minutes, \$1.00 for every additional minute); Free pizza on Wednesdays; Free coffee/tea; TV area; Dining & fully equipped kitchen areas; Lounge Area; Backyard with picnic table for eating; & Laundry room.

Others: \$10.00 Cash key deposit required at check-in which will be refunded upon check-out

Chelsea Star Hotel

Phone: Toll free: (877) 827-6969, voice: (212) 244 -7827

Fax: (212) 279-9018

Website & email: http://chelseastar.com/en/room/, reservations@starhotelny.com

Street Address: 300 West 30th Street at 8th Avenue

<u>Transportation</u>: Take the A, C or E Train at Penn Station on 34th and 8th Avenue (uptown) or the 1 Train (more convenient for transfer) at Penn Station to 34th and 7th Avenue (uptown) to Times Square and transfer to the #7 Train to Grand Central and walk to the UN on 45th and 1st Avenue.

Rooms & Rates: Dormitory Beds \$50.00 per night per person, bed linens provided but not towels. Single room \$109.00 per night with shared bathroom, double room \$129.00-179.00 per room per night, 4-6 people apartments \$189.00-309.00 per apartment / room per night. (all non-dormitory options do include towels) plus City and State tax - 13.375%

Security: safety deposit boxes available for \$5.00

<u>Amenities</u>: Internet kiosk, free universal WiFi connection. Kitchenette in the apartments fax and laundry are available up on additional charges.

Eastgate Tower Hotel

<u>Phone</u>: (212) 687-8000 <u>Fax:</u> (212) 490-2634

<u>Website & email: http://www.affinia.com/New-York-City-Hotel.aspx?name=Eastgate-Tower, reservations@affinia.com</u>

Street Address: 222 East 39th Street (between 2nd and 3rd Avenue)

Transportation: 10-minute walk to the UN on 45th and 1st Ave.

Rooms & Rates: Studio for two \$259.00 per room per night, 1 bedroom for two \$359.00

per room per night, 2 bedroom \$459.00 per room per night. All prices + taxes

<u>Amenities</u>: Wireless High-Speed Internet (charge of \$13.95 per day, \$44.95 for 5–7 days or \$174.95 for 30 days). Two-line phones with voicemail. Dataport (computer, fax, modem hook-up). Fitness Center.

Other: Concierge Pet-friendly Secretarial services Grocery shopping services Valet Parking is \$35 for cars and \$45 for oversized vehicles per 24-hour period.

Gershwin Hotel

<u>Phone:</u> (212) 545 8000 <u>Fax</u>: (212) 684 5546

Website, Email & Skype: www.gershwinhotel.com, askus@gershwinhotel.com, Skype: gershwin.hotel

Street Address: 7 East 27th Street (between 5th Avenue and Madison Ave)

<u>Transportation:</u> Take the # 6 train (uptown) on 28th and Park Ave to Grand Central and walk to the UN on 45th and 1st Ave.

Rooms & Rates: 4 to 6 beds dormitory with inside bathroom \$44.00-64.00 per night per person, Linens are provided. No towels, no TV, no locker, no phone.; essential (single bed room). Room with one double bed or two single beds + private bathroom \$139.00-319.00 per night per room. Room with two double beds and private bathroom \$279.00 per room per night, room with double bed and two twin beds and private bathroom \$329.00. Linens and towel are provided. There is a TV and a phone with voice mail.

Security: 24 hours security, safe deposit box is available to rent at \$5.00 for the stay.

<u>Amenities:</u> wireless internet, telephone, voice mail, color TV, AC, private baths, hair drier, iron & iron board, dry-cleaning; baby-sitting and laundry, airport shuttle

Herald Square Hotel

Phone: (212) 279-4017 Fax: (212) 643-9208

Website & email: www.heraldsquarehotel.com, info@heraldsquarehotel.com

Street Address: 19 West 31 Street (between 5th Ave and Broadway)

<u>Transportation</u>: Take the N or R or W Train at 29^{th} and Broadway (uptown) to Times Square and transfer to the #7 Train to Grand Central and walk to the UN on 45^{th} and 1^{st} Avenue.

Rooms & Rates:

Standard room, one double bed, private bathroom (one or two persons) – \$189.00-\$229.00 per room per night;

Large room with two double bed, private bathroom (up to four people) - \$219.00 per room per night

Rates do not include 13.625% tax and \$3.50 city tourist tax per day.

Security: In-room safe

<u>Amenities</u>: All rooms have satellite direct TV, voice mail messaging, free wireless internet connection and air conditioning.

Hotel Bedford

Phone: (800) 221-6881; (212) 697-4800

Fax: (212) 697-1093

Website & email: www.bedfordhotel.com; reservations@bedfordhotel.com Street Address: 118 East 40th Street (between Lexington and Park Avenues)

Transportation: Walk to the UN on 45th and 1st Ave.

Rooms & Rates: Standard room: starting at \$216.75 per room per night single or double occupancy has one queen or king bed and pantry with microwave, refrigerator and coffee maker

Studio room: starting at \$225.25 per room per night single or double occupancy, has one king or 2 twin beds with fully equipped kitchenette

One bedroom suite: : starting from \$267.75 up to four people can have one king, queen or 2 twin beds plus 1 or 2 pullout sofa beds with kitchenette

Tower suite: starting from \$310.25 up to 4 people can have one king, queen or 2 twin beds plus pullout sofa bed with kitchenette.

Rates are per night per room and do not include 13.38% and \$3.50per room/ \$5.50 per suite per night.

Security: In-room safe

<u>Amenities</u>: complimentary coffee / tea, flat screen cable television, air conditioning, dataport telephone, and complimentary wireless internet access

Others: Please advise if you would like to a set block of rooms as availability changes on a daily basis.

Hotel 31

<u>Phone</u>: (212)685 3060 <u>Fax:</u> (212)532 1232

Website & email: www.hotel31.com, hotel31@verizon.net

Street Address: 120 East 31st Street (between Lexington Avenue and Park Avenue)

<u>Transportation:</u> Take the M101, M102 or M103 bus (uptown) (at the 34th street stop) on 3rd Avenue to 42nd Street and walk to the UN on 45th and 1st Ave.

<u>Rooms & Rates</u>: Double room with shared bath \$152.68; twin room with shared bath \$175.63; Double room with private bath \$198.58 per room per night; double twin rooms with private bath \$233.00 per room per night. Room with two double beds and private bath \$255.95 per room per night. Rates include tax.

<u>Amenities</u>: Colour TV, Telephone, Air Conditioning, Daily Maid Service, Cable Service, Hairdryer, Iron Board (On Request) & Toiletries, Safe, Wifi

Hotel 373

Phone: (212) 213-3388 For reservations: (888)382-7111

Fax: (212) 366-6801

Website & email: http://www.hotel373.com/, info@hotel373.com

Street Address: 373 Fifth Avenue New York (at 35th street)

<u>Transportation</u>: Take the M42 bus on 42nd Street and 5th Ave to the UN (1st Ave stop).

Rooms & Rates: Contemporary Full \$309.00 per room per night, Contemporary Queen

\$319.00 per room per night, Contemporary King \$329.00 per room per night.

<u>Amenities</u>: Complimentary WiFi, Designer furnishings, Italian marble bathrooms, Plush bathrobes and luxurious spa amenities, Cable TV with complimentary movie channels, iPod docking station, Hairdryer, 24-hour concierge

Jolly Madison Tower Hotel

Phone: (212) 802-0600 Fax: (212) 447-0747

Website & email: www.jollymadison.com/, ResNYC@NH-Hotels.com

Street Address: 22 East 38th Street (corner of Madison Avenue)

<u>Transportation</u>: Take the M42 bus on 42nd Street and 5th Ave to the UN (1st Ave stop).

Rooms & Rates: Superior Room \$254.80 per room per night, Deluxe Room \$300.70 per

room per night . Rates include tax.

<u>Amenities</u>: High speed Internet, mini-bar, cable TV, pay per view with HBO, iron and ironing board, individually controlled room temperature, Italian marble bathrooms, hairdryer and telephone, concierge.

The Leo House (A Catholic Guest House)

<u>Phone</u>: (212) 929-1010 <u>Fax</u>: (212) 366-6801

Website & email: http://www.retreatfinder.com/Accommodation/2271.asp,

lhreservations@332west23nyc.org

Street Address: 332 West 23rd Street (Between 8th and 9th Avenues)

<u>Transportation</u>: Take the A, C or E train on West 23rd and 8th Ave (uptown) to Times Square take the #7 train to Grand Central and walk to the UN on 45th and 1st Avenue.

Rooms & Rates: Single room \$115.00 with private shower, \$105.00 with shared shower per room per night; Double room \$135.00 with private shower, \$125.00 with shared shower per room per night); Room with two twin beds \$140.00 with private shower, \$130.00 with shared shower per room per night; Family room with private shower (up to 4 guests) \$205.00 per room per night.

<u>Security</u>: Only registered guests are permitted in guest rooms. Non-guests are restricted to the lobby. Outside doors are locked at midnight. Security boxes are available.

Amenities: Buffet breakfast at \$9.00 per person (except Sunday).

Language: Spanish speaking staff

Other: minimum stay is 2 nights on weekdays and 3 nights on weekends, maximum stay is 14 nights

Millennium UN Plaza Hotel

<u>Phone:</u> (212) 758-1234 <u>Fax:</u> (212) 702-5051 Website & email: www.millenniumhotels.com/millenniumunplazanewyork, unres1@mill-usa.com

Street Address: 1 UN Plaza on East 44th Street (between First and Second Avenue)

<u>Transportation</u>: 2-minute walk

<u>Rooms & Rates</u>: Superior Room \$389.00-\$439.00, Superior Room with two double beds \$389.00. Also available: Standard Rooms, One –Bedroom and Two-Bedroom suites.

Amenities: high speed internet access, safe, iron and board, hairdryer and radio alarm clock, newly renovated fitness center, full-service health club and indoor swimming pool, year-round tennis at the only indoor tennis court of any NYC hotel

The Pod Hotel

Phone: (212) 355-0300; Toll free U.S. (800) 742-5945; Toll free Canada (800) 874-0074.

Fax: (212) 755-5029

<u>Website & email</u>: <u>www.thepodhotel.com</u>; <u>info@thepodhotel.com</u> <u>Street Address</u>: 230 East 51st Street (between 2nd and 3rd Avenues)

<u>Transportation</u>: 10 minute walk to United Nations on 45th Street and 1st Avenue.

Rooms & Rates: Economy Single room (single bed w/ shared bath) – From \$159.00 + tax; Standard Room (One double bed or two single beds w/ private bath) – From \$159.00 + tax; Two Twins (bunk-bed style) – From \$169.00 + tax; Double Pod Room - \$299.00 + tax Amenities: all rooms have TVs, clock radio with iPod docking station, complimentary wireless internet access.

<u>Security</u>: Small safe deposit boxes are available at no charge; however, a \$100 key deposit is required for the safe deposit box.

Other: A popular place for indigenous peoples visiting New York.

Contact: Tony Termini

Sanctuary Hotel New York

Phone: (212) 234-7000, (800) 388-8988

Fax: (212) 382-0684

Website & email: http://www.sanctuaryhotelnyc.com/

Street Address: 132 West 47th Street (between Broadway & 6th Avenue)

<u>Transportation</u>: Go to Times Square and take the #7 train to Grand Central and walk to

the UN on 45th and 1st Avenue.

Rooms & Rates: Double Room from \$297.00 to \$489.00 per room per night, Room with two double beds from \$348.00 per room per night.

<u>Amenities:</u> includes breakfast, wireless internet and gym access, morning newspaper, valet parking. in-room safe

The Seton Hotel

Phone: (212) 889 5301, (888) 697 3866

Fax: (212) 889 5302

Website & email: www.setonhotelny.com, info@setonhotelny.com Street Address: 144 E 40th Street (between Lexington & 3rd Avenues)

<u>Transportation</u>: Walk to United Nations in 10 minutes at 40th Street and 1st Avenue.

Rooms & Rates: Economy Double Guestroom shared bath \$169.00-\$189.00 per room per night, Double Guestroom with private bath \$249-\$259.00 per room per night, Room with Two Doubles (up to 4 people at extra charge) \$269.00 per room per night Executive Suite w/ Living Room (up to 4 people at extra charge) \$309.00 per room per night

<u>Amenities:</u> Complimentary Wi-Fi, Guest lounge, Complimentary hot chocolate, coffee, and tea in the lounge, 24 hour front desk, daily housekeeping

Vanderbilt YMCA

<u>Phone</u>: (212) 912-2500; <u>Fax</u>: (212) 752-0210

Website: http://www.ymcanyc.org/index.php?id=968; ecolon@ymcanyc.org

Street Address: 224 East 47th Street (between 2nd & 3rd Avenues)

<u>Transportation</u>: Walk to United Nations in 10 minutes at 45th Street and 1st Avenue.

Rooms & Rates: Single room (1 person maximum) shared bath \$105.00 per room per night. Double (bunk bed) shared bath \$139.00 per room per night. Double bed private bath \$160.00 per room per night.

Security: Lockers free. 24-hour security. Safe-deposit boxes

<u>Amenities</u>: Swimming pool & fitness included. Free Wi-Fi Internet access. Cable TV, airconditioning, housekeeping services.

Language: Spanish speaking staff

Other: Check-in time after 3:00 PM (exceptions possible depending on occupancy rate). Meals can be taken in the same building. Payment is due in full upon arrival, with no exceptions. Indigenous peoples are frequent visitors to this hostel. For 20 or more people, group rates are available.

Lower Manhattan

Below 14th Street

Chelsea Center Hostel

Phone: (646)669-8495

Website & email: http://www.chelseacenterhostel.com/index.htm

reservation@chelseacenterhostel.com

<u>Street Address</u>: 83 Essex Street (between Delancey and Broome) <u>Transportation</u>: Take the M15 bus at Allen Street to the UN 44th street.

Rooms & Rates: Co-ed dormitories sleep 6-12 people - \$35 per night per person (payable in cash on arrival) Women only dorms also available. Price includes: Tax, light continental breakfast, sheets and blankets. Need to bring own towels Private rooms available for 2-5 person occupancy starting at \$100 per night.

Security: free luggage storage & safety deposit box.

<u>Amenities:</u> Kitchen Facilities, Free Breakfast, Common Rooms, Free Safe Deposit Box Access, Small Night-lamp on Each Bed

Uptown Manhattan

59th Street and up (not that far from the UN via public trains or buses)

The Belnord Hotel

Phone: (212) 873-5222 Fax: (212) 873-8907

Street Address: 209 West 87th Street (between Broadway & Amsterdam Avenue)

Web site & email: http://www.belnord.com/

<u>Transportation</u>: Take the #1 Train at 86th Street and Broadway to Times Square and transfer to the #7 Train to Grand Central and walk to the UN on 45th and 1st Ave.

Rooms & Rates: Double room, up to 2 people, \$312.18 per night per room; Twin room, up to 2 people, \$335.13 per night per room; Suite, up to 4 people, from \$358.08 per night per room.

<u>Amenities</u>: Free Wi-Fi, Cable TV, Individual Climate Control, Daily housekeeping, Iron (on request), ATM, Internet kiosk

Hostel Broadway Hotel & Hostel

<u>Phone</u>: (212) 865-7710 <u>Fax: (</u>212) 865-2993

Website & Email: www.broadwayhotelnyc.com

Street Address: 230 West 101 Street (between Broadway and West End)

<u>Transportation</u>: Take the #1 Train at 103 Street and Broadway (downtown) or (slightly longer walk but faster train) the #2 or #3 train at 96th Street and Broadway (downtown) to Times Square and transfer to the #7 Train to Grand Central and walk to the UN on 45th and 1st Ave.

Rooms & Rates: 2 bed dorm \$76.94 per room per night; Superior twin shared bath for two people \$104.48 per room per night; Superior queen shared bath for 2 people \$104.48, Twin private ensuite with private bathroom for 2 people \$127.43. Linens, towels and blankets included. Different rates for single occupant. Valid driver's license or passport!!! Only out of New York State Photo IDs accepted.

<u>Security:</u> 24-hour reception and security, Luggage storage available (\$2 per day). <u>Amenities</u>: Internet access in the lobby, AC in rooms, no curfew.

International Student Center

Phone: (212) 787-7706

Website & Email: http://www.nystudentcenter.org/, info@nystudentcenter.org

<u>Street Address</u>: 38 West 88th Street (between Central Park West and Columbus Avenue) <u>Transportation</u>: Take the C train on 86th Street (downtown) to Times Square and transfer to the #7 Train to Grand Central and walk to the UN on 45th and 1st Ave.

Rooms & Rates: Dormitory Beds (8-10 person dorm rooms) with bathroom - \$30 per

person + \$10 key deposit. 2 Female/2 Male/Mixed Dorm Rooms

Security: luggage kept in office/no lockers. Passports can be kept in safe in office.

Amenities: Internet access, 10 minutes/\$1.00, Kitchen area/lounge

Language: Spanish speaking staff

Other: ONLY people aged 18 – 30 allowed to stay in this hostel

Jazz on Amsterdam Avenue

Phone: (646) 490 7348

Website & Email: http://www.jazzhostels.com/jazzamsterdam.php;

Amsterdam@jazzhostels.com

Street Address: 201 West 87th Street (on corner of Amsterdam Avenue)

<u>Transportation</u>: Take the #1 train from 86th Street (on Broadway)to Times Square, transfer to the #7 Train to Grand Central and walk to the UN on 45th and 1st Ave.

Rooms & Rates: 6 bed dorm, shared bathroom \$33.00 per person per night; 6 bed dorm with bathroom \$35.00 per night; 4 bed dorm, shared bathroom \$40.00 per person per night; 2 bed dorm, shared bathroom \$45.00 per person per night; twin private rooms shared bathroom \$85.00 per room per night, private room for up to two people with bathroom \$115.00. Rates have additional sales and hotel tax totals 14.75%

<u>Amenities</u>: Free linens, towels, 24-hour Internet kiosk, free Wi-Fi in lobby, 24-hour reception, Luggage lockers, Heat & Air conditioning, Free maps and tourist brochures

New York International AYH-Hostel

Phone: (212) 932-2300 Fax: (212) 932-2574

Website: www.hinewyork.org

Street Address: 891 Amsterdam Avenue at 103rd Street

<u>Transportation</u>: Take the #1 at 103rd Street (downtown) to Times Square and transfer to the #7 Train to Grand Central and walk to the UN on 45th and 1st Ave.

Rooms & Rates: 624 Beds available. All in dorm rooms of 4-12 people per room. Male only/Female only/ mixed rooms at \$35.00-\$49.00 per night per person. Family room for 4 people available at \$135.00 per room per night. Private rooms with bath for 4 people available at \$150.00 per room per night. Prices include tax. Linens and towels provided. Group reservations are available at lower rates.

<u>Security:</u> Safe Area. Free lockers in room, but need own lock. Luggage lockers downstairs: Large/\$3.00 & Small/\$2.00

<u>Amenities</u>: Washer/Dryer \$1.00, Internet access, free Wi-Fi, community kitchen, TV room, games room, backyard area.

West Side YMCA

Phone: (212) 912-2600 or (917) 441-8800

Fax: (212) 875-4291

Website: www.ymcanyc.org/westside, gvillaverde@ymcanyc.org

Street Address: 5 West 63rd Street (on Central Park West)

<u>Transportation</u>: Take the #1 train (downtown) at 59th Street (Columbus Circle) to Times Square, transfer to the #7 train to Grand Central and walk to the UN on 45th and 1st Ave.

Rooms & Rates: Single Bedroom with semi-private bath \$112.00 per room per night; Bunk bed room with shared bath \$112.00 per room per night. Bunk bed room with semi-private bath \$125.00 per room per night; Bunk bed deluxe with semi-private bath \$129.00 per room per night; Double bed room with shared bath \$159.00 per room per night; Quad room with two bunk beds with shared bath \$179.00 per room per night.

Security: 24 hour security and safe deposit boxes

Amenities: Housekeeping Services, linens and towels, Internet Access 20 minutes/\$2.00.

No charge for small conference room.

Language: multilingual staff

Contact: Reservations or for group rates call Carmen Valentine (212) 875-4204.

Search Engines for Accommodation

http://www.hotels.com

http://www.booking.com/

http://www.expedia.com/

http://travelc.priceline.com/

http://bookit.com/us/new-york/new-york-city/

Transportation

Participants must enter the UN through the Visitor's Entrance on 1st Avenue facing 45th Street.

For those using public transport, the nearest MTA subway station is at 42nd Street and Lexington Avenue (Grand Central Terminal). The No 4, 5, 6, and 7 lines as well as the 42nd Street shuttle (S) serve this station. The United Nations is an 8-10 minute walk East of the station.

New York City Subway Map: http://www.mta.info/nyct/maps/submap.htm

Additionally, the following busses stop in close vicinity to the United Nations: M15, M27, M42, or M104

New York City Bus Map: http://www.mta.info/maps/