



# UN OPEN SOURCE WEEK 2025

UN Headquarters, NYC  
16–20 June 2025



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## UN Open Source Week Logistics

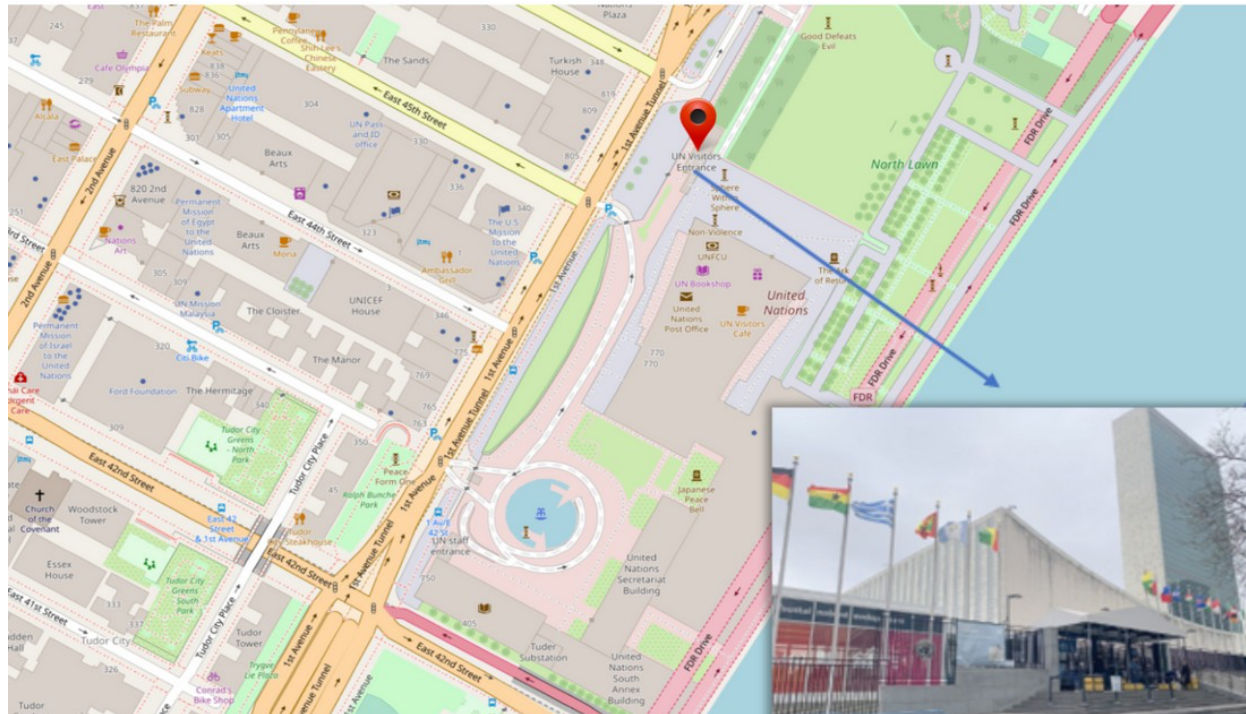
An Open Community for the Global Digital Compact

This symposium will take place on 16 – 20 June 2025 at the United Nations Headquarters, New York, located at:

**United Nations – 1<sup>st</sup> Ave & 46<sup>th</sup> Street, New York, NY, 10017**

**Important:** Please plan to arrive between 8:00 AM and 9:00 AM to collect your passes. This will help you avoid lines and ensure you are seated on time for the 10:00AM conference start time.

**You must bring a national ID or Passport.** Please wear your UN Security Pass at all times inside the UN.





## Entry to the United Nations

1. Participants who have registered for the event and have received confirmation will receive their **name-specific Special Event Tickets (SETs)** to access the meeting venue if they do not hold a valid UN Grounds Pass. Please note that the SETs are non-transferrable and registration on the spot will not be accepted.
2. The SETs will be distributed in front of the Visitors Entrance from **08:30 to 10:00** on First Avenue & 46th Street to hand you your security pass. A volunteer with a sign will be waiting for you. **Visitors arriving late will not be permitted.** UN Missions, Special Envoys, and employees with valid UN Grounds access may also enter via the Staff Entrance (located at 42nd Street and 1st Avenue).
3. Please show your confirmation email to the meeting organizers to confirm your ticket. Kindly bring a **government-issued ID or passport** to pick up your name-specific SET and enter the visitor's security. SETs must be kept visible at all times while on UN premises.
4. Once you have obtained your pass, please proceed to the security check prior to accessing the building.
5. After you have passed the security check, please direct yourself toward Conference Room 2, located on the First Basement level of the United Nations Secretariat.

## Security Disclaimer

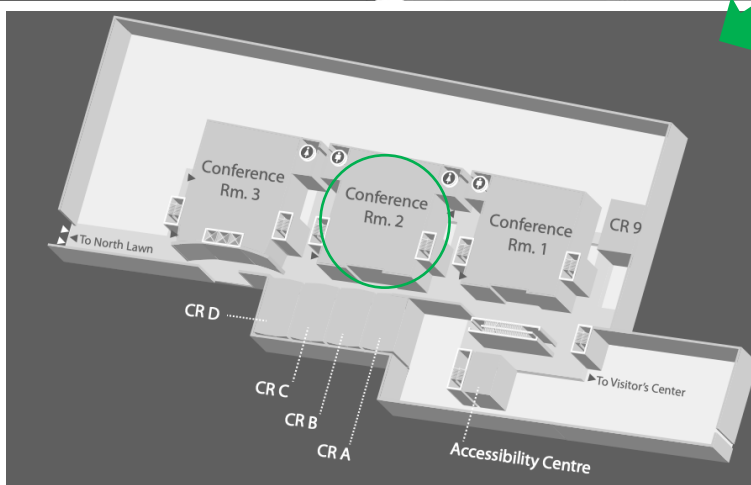
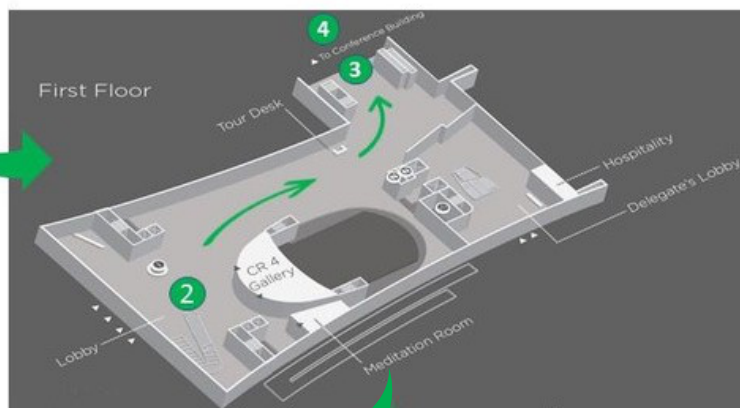
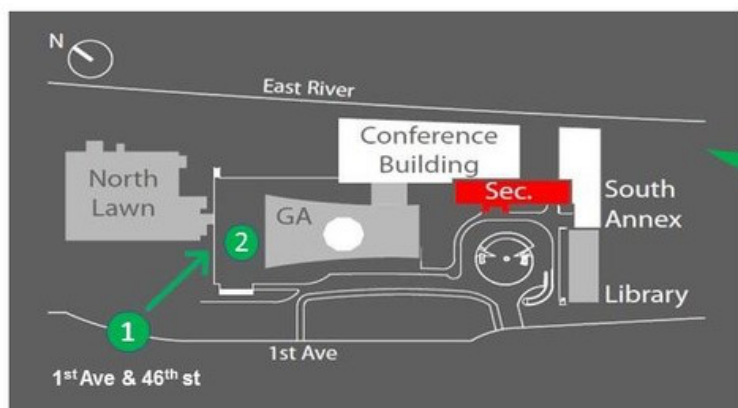
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## Directions to Conference Room 2

- Once you pass the security screening at the Visitors Entrance, direct yourself to the General Assembly (GA) Lobby after crossing the plaza.
- Inside, pass the round Visitors Information desk, the exhibit space on the left, and veer to the left after the Guiding Tours area.
- Present your security badge to the Security officer at the turnstile.
- After the turnstile, take the elevators in front of you to floor 1B. 3rd floor. Conference Room 2 is located to your left.







## List of Hotels

Please find a list of current hotels and apartment buildings in the vicinity of the United Nations Headquarters. Please check with the Hotel if preferential rates for participants attending UN meetings will be applicable to your reservation. Reservations should be made directly with the hotel and must be booked with a credit card. Please check with the hotel for their cancellation policy.

Hotel Name	Street Address	Website	Phone Number
Ameritania Hotel at Times Square	230 West 54th Street	<a href="https://www.ameritanianyc.com">https://www.ameritanianyc.com</a>	(212)247-5000
Club Quarters Hotel, Grand Central	128 East 45th Street	<a href="https://www.clubquartershotels.com/new-york-city/grand-central">https://www.clubquartershotels.com/new-york-city/grand-central</a>	(212)986-6400
EVEN Hotels New York – Midtown East	221 East 44th Street	<a href="https://www.ihg.com/evenhotels/hotels/us/en/new-york/nycev/hoteldetail">https://www.ihg.com/evenhotels/hotels/us/en/new-york/nycev/hoteldetail</a>	(212)239-0002
Fitzpatrick Grand Central	141 East 44th Street	<a href="https://www.fitzpatrickhotels.com/fitzpatrick-grand-central/">https://www.fitzpatrickhotels.com/fitzpatrick-grand-central/</a>	(212)351-6800
Hampton Inn Grand Central	231 East 43rd Street	<a href="https://www.hilton.com/en/hotels/nycunhx-hampton-manhattan-grand-central/">https://www.hilton.com/en/hotels/nycunhx-hampton-manhattan-grand-central/</a>	(212)897-3385
The Kimberly Hotel	145 East 50th Street	<a href="https://www.kimberlyhotel.com/?mcid=gptag52k1">https://www.kimberlyhotel.com/?mcid=gptag52k1</a>	(212)702-1600
M Social Hotel	226 West 52nd Street	<a href="https://www.msosocial.com/en/new-york/m-social-new-york/">https://www.msosocial.com/en/new-york/m-social-new-york/</a>	(212)315-0100
The Algonquin Hotel	59 West 44th Street	<a href="https://www.algonquinhotel.com">https://www.algonquinhotel.com</a>	(212)840-6800
The Beekman Tower	3 Mitchell Place	<a href="https://www.thebeekmantowerny.com">https://www.thebeekmantowerny.com</a>	(646)921-6001
The Benjamin Royal Sonesta	125 East 50th Street	<a href="https://nyc.sonesta.com/the-benjamin/">https://nyc.sonesta.com/the-benjamin/</a>	(212)715-2500
The Fifty Sonesta Hotel	155 East 50th Street	<a href="https://www.sonesta.com/sonesta-hotels-resorts/ny/new-york/fifty-sonesta-hotel-new-york">https://www.sonesta.com/sonesta-hotels-resorts/ny/new-york/fifty-sonesta-hotel-new-york</a>	(212)751-5710
The Gardens Sonesta ES Suites	215 East 64th Street	<a href="https://www.sonesta.com/sonesta-es-suites/ny/new-york/gardens-sonesta-es-suites-new-york">https://www.sonesta.com/sonesta-es-suites/ny/new-york/gardens-sonesta-es-suites-new-york</a>	(212)355-1230
The Lexington Hotel	511 Lexington Ave	<a href="https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/nyclx-the-lexington-hotel-autograph-collection/overview/">https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/nyclx-the-lexington-hotel-autograph-collection/overview/</a> (accessibility info provided at end of webpage)	(212)755-4400
ONE UN New York	One United Nations Plaza	<a href="https://www.hilton.com/en/hotels/nycuphh-millennium-hilton-new-york-one-un-plaza/">https://www.hilton.com/en/hotels/nycuphh-millennium-hilton-new-york-one-un-plaza/</a>	(212)758-1234



The Pod 51 Hotel	230 East 51st Street	<a href="https://www.thepodhotel.com/pod-51">https://www.thepodhotel.com/pod-51</a>	(212)355-0300
Westgate NY Grand Central	304 East 42nd Street	<a href="https://www.westgateresorts.com/hotels/new-york/midtown-manhattan/westgate-new-york-grand-central/">https://www.westgateresorts.com/hotels/new-york/midtown-manhattan/westgate-new-york-grand-central/</a>	(212)986-8800
Westin New York Grand Central	212 East 42nd Street	<a href="https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/nyczw-the-westin-new-york-grand-central/overview/?scid=f2ae0541-1279-4f24-b197-a979c79310b0">https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/nyczw-the-westin-new-york-grand-central/overview/?scid=f2ae0541-1279-4f24-b197-a979c79310b0</a>	(212)490-8900

## Transportation in New York City

- **Subway:** Number 4, 5, 6, or 7 trains to Grand Central Station; walk East to 1st Avenue.
- **Buses:** Coming from lower Manhattan, bus M15 will stop at 1st Avenue in front of the United Nations. From uptown, bus M15 will run on 2nd Avenue and stop on 46th and 42nd Streets. Buses M42 and M104 stop at 42<sup>nd</sup> Street and 1st Avenue in both directions.
- **New York City taxis** are available from any destination.
- **Ride-sharing services**, such as **Uber** or **Lyft**, are also available. Please register online and get a fare estimate to ride with Uber.

**For any questions regarding the substantive and logistical preparations of the UN Open Source Week 2025 conference, please email [opensourceweek@un.org](mailto:opensourceweek@un.org).**



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GUIDED TOUR TICKETS AND BRIEFINGS ARE NOW AVAILABLE THROUGH 5 SEPTEMBER 2025.