Intergovernmental Conference to Adopt the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration

Logistical Briefing

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Introduction

• Today’s briefing will have few updates/reminders on the following issues:
  • Protocol for VVIP and VIP;
  • Security;
  • Side events;
  • Media;
  • Hotel and transportation;
  • Visa.

• Another detailed briefing dedicated to VVIP and VIP will be scheduled soon.
• Every delegation will have a Moroccan liaison officer.
• Heads of States and Governments will be provided with special Protocol (details information will be shared during the next briefing).
• All heads of delegations at ministerial level and above will be provided with close security protection, including police convoys/motorcades.
• Official cars will be given **special decals** to access the area around site (VIP and VVIP access points and parking lots). Requests to be sent to: 
  
  GCMigration-protocole@maec.gov.ma
• Importing weapons for the security personnel requires an authorization.
• Only “hidden weapons” are allowed.
• Requests should be made to the Moroccan Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation:
  • by email to GCMigration-protocole@maec.gov.ma
  • through Embassies of Morocco or Embassies accredited in Rabat.
Side events

- Confirmed side events (chart available online):
  - Around 59 side events in PGP Conference Center
  - 5 requests for exhibitions
  - 4 side events outside PGP Conference Center

- Access to PGP Conference Center:
  - GCM Conference Badge
  - GFMD Summit Badge
  - Special badges for those who do not have GCM or GFMD badge (Contact organizers to receive the form to be filled by 20 November)

- Services: organizers to contact directly Agency.
Media

• Importing equipment to Morocco:
  • All Media importing equipment to Morocco require an authorization.
  • Requests should be made to the Moroccan Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation: by email to dicom@maec.gov.ma, or through Embassies of Morocco or Embassies accredited in Rabat.
  • Data required: name of journalist, affiliation, details about the equipment.
  • Drones are not allowed in Morocco.

• Filming authorizations:
  • Filming outside the Conference venue requires a specific filming authorization (Side events site or other venues).
  • Requests should be made to the Moroccan Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation: by email to dicom@maec.gov.ma, or through Embassies of Morocco or Embassies accredited in Rabat.
  • Additional data required: synopsis.
Hotel Reservations and transportation

• We encourage participants to use the reservation platform for accommodation at:
  
  http://stoursevents.com/cim2018/

• Transportation will be provided for free between the hotels and the Site of the Conference.

• Important: reservations through the platform will allow the Agency determine the required itineraries for transportation between the hotels and the site of the Conference.
Entry visa to Morocco

• Approved participants requiring a visa to enter Morocco are kindly requested to apply for visas ASAP.

• List of visa exemptions is available on the web site of the Conference.

• Visa applications should be submitted in Moroccan Embassies and Consulates in countries of residence.

• For visas upon arrival, the necessary documentation should be sent to:

  gcmigration-visa@maec.gov.ma
Thank you for your attention