

## VII FINTECH FORUM MEETING

March 6 – 7, 2024

Mexico City, Mexico

### BULLETIN

#### VENUE



#### CEMLA

Durango 54, Roma, Zip Code 06700, Mexico City, Mexico

#### LANGUAGE

English and Spanish with Simultaneous translation

#### MEETING COORDINATION

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#### DRESS CODE

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#### LOCATION

Mexico City is located in the center of the country, surrounded by mountains, within the remains of an ancient lake at an elevation 2,300 meters above sea level. The city is connected to multiple destinations and it is plenty of entertainment, dining, cultural, educational and even religious activities and health.

#### REQUIREMENTS TO VISIT MEXICO

Participants are responsible for their passport, visa and health insurance arrangements. Further information regarding visas and immigration procedures is available at: <https://www.inm.gob.mx/gobmx/word/index.php/paises-requieren-visa-para-mexico/>

Regarding health requirements, there is no obligation or need to be vaccinated before entering Mexico, however, please check this information directly with the consulate of Mexico in your country.

#### LANDING MEXICO CITY AIRPORT

Documents requiring the visitor to enter Mexico are:

- Visa (for some nationalities) and
- Valid passport

In addition, visitors must complete immigration and customs forms. It is important to keep these forms and deliver at departure with the official stamp after passing the immigration procedures.

#### TRANSPORTATION

Airport-hotel-airport transportation is recommended to be purchased at official taxis kiosks located outside customs area of the airport and at hotel front desk, the fare is USD25 approximately.

Recommended hotels are walking distance from/to CEMLA. Authorized taxis should be required at hotel front desk. Visitors can use public transportation system (Metro, MXN5.0 and Metrobus, MXN6.0) with a smart card that can be purchased in any subway stop. Uber is also available at Mexico City.

#### WEATHER

The average temperature in March ranges from 11°C and 26°C. More information about the weather in Mexico City is available at: <https://smn.conagua.gob.mx/>

#### CURRENCY AND EXCHANGE

Official currency is the Mexican peso, the average exchange rate is around 17.20 pesos per USD. Updated information can be found at: [banxico.org.mx](http://banxico.org.mx)

**NOTE: Currency exchange can be done only at exchange houses located in the airport and near recommended hotels. Banks do not exchange foreign currency and hotels and commercial outlets do not accept cash payments in USD.**

#### VAT AND OTHER TAXES

The VAT is 16%. Hotels also charge a 3.5% lodging tax.

## FOOD

Near CEMLA and recommended hotels visitors will find many restaurants. For more information please go to: [timeoutmexico.mx/df/restaurantes-cafes](http://timeoutmexico.mx/df/restaurantes-cafes)

**It is not recommended to buy food on the street.**

## SHOPPING

Mexico City is plenty of commercial corridors that offer products and services at designers' boutiques and small craft shops with clothing and souvenirs. Some commercial areas are Polanco, Condesa and Roma.

The following shopping centers are easily accessible: Parque Delta and Reforma 222. Crafts can be found in the market "La Ciudadela" (near CEMLA and downtown area), and in bazars located in Coyoacan and San Angel, among others.

## COMMUNICATIONS

Country code is 52 and the code for Mexico City is 55.

**CEMLA (24 hours): 5061-6640**

*Emergency numbers*

**Any emergency: 911**

Tourist Police: 078

## ELECTRICITY

AC supply is 127 volts +/- 10%. It is recommended to travel with an adapter to avoid problems with the use of electrical appliances.

## ACCOMMODATION

CEMLA recommends the following hotels. Rates are in US dollars and include taxes. Reservations should be made by each participant, so please contact the hotel of your choice. Please note that a credit card is required to guarantee the reservation.

HOTEL	SHERATON MARÍA ISABEL ****	FOUR POINTS BY SHERATON***	STANZA ****
Address	Reforma 325, Mexico City, Mexico, Zip Code 06500	Álvaro Obregón 38, Roma, Mexico City, Mexico, Zip Code 06700	Álvaro Obregón 13, Roma, México City, Mexico, Zip Code 06700
Distance hotel-CEMLA	1.6 km Approx. 21 minutes walking and 10 minutes in taxi	0.5 km Approx. 6 minutes walking.	0.5 km Approx. 6 minutes walking
Telephone	(52-55) 5242-5555	(52-55) 1085-9500	(52-55) 5080 0900
E-mail	<a href="mailto:reservations.mariaisabel@sheraton.com">reservations.mariaisabel@sheraton.com</a>  Contact: Srta. Elena Morales  Website: <a href="https://sheratonmexicocitymariaisabel.com-hotel.com/es/">https://sheratonmexicocitymariaisabel.com-hotel.com/es/</a>	<a href="mailto:diana.diaz@fourpointsmxroma.com">diana.diaz@fourpointsmxroma.com</a> : <a href="mailto:ventas@fourpointsmxroma.com">ventas@fourpointsmxroma.com</a>  Contact: Srta. Diana Díaz  Website: <a href="https://www.espanol.marriott.com/hotels/travel/mexfp-four-points-mexico-city-colonia-roma/">https://www.espanol.marriott.com/hotels/travel/mexfp-four-points-mexico-city-colonia-roma/</a>	<a href="mailto:reservaciones1@stanzahotel.com">reservaciones1@stanzahotel.com</a>  Contact: Srta. Alejandra Gasser  Website: <a href="https://www.stanzahotel.com/">https://www.stanzahotel.com/</a>
Rates (in USD)	Single: \$199.00 approx. (taxes and breakfast included)	Single: \$115.00 approx. (taxes included)	Single: \$83.00 approx. (taxes included)
Code	Indicate your participation in a CEMLA event	Indicate your participation in a CEMLA event	Indicate the Code: CEMLA-00124