

# XI GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND X INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR OF THE COIMBRA GROUP OF BRAZILIAN UNIVERSITIES (CGBU)

**“GLOBAL UNIVERSITIES IN THE XXI CENTURY: CHARACTERISTICS, TRENDS AND MAIN CHALLENGES”**

## Logistical Information



From September 24, to  
September 27, 2018



Budapest, Hungary  
Budapest University of  
Technology and Economics (BME)

*Inscriptions:* <https://form.jotformz.com/80816005202645>

## Budapest, Hungary



Budapest is the capital of Hungary and one of the largest cities in the European Union. With more than 1,7 million people, Budapest is also one of the most densely populated major cities in the EU. Furthermore, Budapest is the center of financial, cultural and business of Hungary.

# Budapest Airport

Budapest **Liszt Ferenc International Airport** (formerly known as Budapest Ferihegy International Airport), is the main airport in Hungary and it is located about 10 miles from the city center.



Airport facilities include the usual, duty free shops, ATMs, money exchange, post office, restaurants, baggage wrapping, short- and long-term parking, tourist information and car rental. The following car rental companies offer airport pickup in the terminal: Avis, Budget, Dollar, Alamo, Europcar, Hertz, National and Thrifty. E-Z is off terminal, accessible via shuttle.

# Budapest Public Transportation

The main public transports in Budapest are:

## Subway (Metro)



## Trolley Bus



## Yellow Streetcars



## Bus



# Hungarian Currency, Costs and Money

Although Hungary is part of the European Union, it does not use the Euro as its currency. The Hungarian currency is the **Forint (Ft, HUF)**, which has the following denominations: notes - 500Ft, 1,000Ft, 2,000Ft, 5,000Ft, 10,000Ft and 20,000Ft; coins - 5Ft, 10Ft, 20Ft, 50Ft and 100Ft.



Prices, such as hotel rates, sightseeing tours, etc. are often quoted in Euros. Many businesses, even including some select supermarkets accept Euros. Don't forget to check their exchange rates, as you might be better off exchanging your currency first and paying in Forints.

## Budapest Weather

The XI General Assembly and X International Seminar of the CGBU will take place during the **fall**, when **temperatures can stay above 70F (20°C)** until the end of October; however, nights can get colder.



*The Danube River, Budapest.*

# Passport & Visa Requirements



Your **passport** is your ticket to Hungary - as of since May 1, 2002 Hungary is part of the European Union, and everyone entering the country is required to have a valid passport.



*For visa requirements, please check Hungarian consular informations at [HUNGARIAN CONSULAR SERVICES](#)*

## Accommodation

Deadline for reservation of accommodation without penalty for cancellation or change of date: **July 23, 2018**. In the same period of the XI General Assembly and X International Seminar of the Coimbra Group of Brazilian Universities, there will be another conference in Budapest with an expectation of 3000 participants, for this reason, **we suggest that the reservation should be made as soon as possible.**



**MERCURE BUDAPEST CITY CENTER**  
*OFFICIAL HOTEL OF THE EVENT*

Superior Single Accommodation (EUR 149)

Superior Double Accommodation (EUR 159)

Privilege room supplement (+ EUR 20)

Breakfast and internet WIFI included in the price

[Mercure Budapest City Center\\*\\*\\*\\*](#)



## NOVOTEL BUDAPEST DANUBE

Standard Single Accommodation (**EUR 159**)

Standard Double Accommodation (**EUR 169**)

Executive Room supplement (+ **EUR 22**)

[Novotel Budapest Danube\\*\\*\\*\\*](#)

Danube View Room Supplement (+ **EUR 30**)

Executive Danube View Room Supplement (+ **EUR 52**)

Breakfast and internet WIFI included in the price



## MERCURE BUDAPEST KORONA

Single Accommodation (**EUR 139**)

Double Accommodation (**EUR 149**)

[Mercure Budapest Korona\\*\\*\\*\\*](#)

Privilege Room Supplement (+ **EUR 25**)

Breakfast and internet WIFI included in the price