

Airlines

Two major airlines, - Delta and Aeroflot, offer a direct flight *New York – Moscow* which normally takes about 10 hours. The round trip rate for May 11, 2007 is approximately \$ 1 200. This information is available at www.delta.com and www.usa.aeroflot.aero

A lot of airlines offer non-direct flights with different connection points. Please, check the information with the major airlines in your cities.

There are two main international airports in Moscow: Sheremetyevo (SVO) and Domodedovo (DME) which are approximately 40 minutes from Moscow by car.



Domodedovo Airport

Sheremetyevo Airport

Visas

You need to get a visa to go to Russia. Those who register at the Conference will receive an official letter of invitation from Moscow ACEI Branch.

Please, consider to have travel/medical insurance during your stay in Russia.

Please, visit <http://www.russianconsulate.org/>

Pick up/Drop off

On June 16 and 17, 2008 a reserved bus/shuttle will be taking you from the airport to a hotel every 3 or 4 hours.

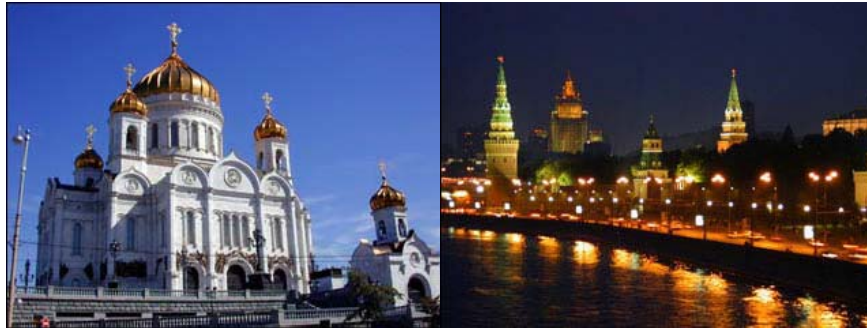
For your convenience pick up/drop off service during the excursions in Moscow will also be arranged.

Please see the rates for pick up/drop off, tours and excursions in the table below.

Hotel

To meet your expectations and make your stay in Moscow comfortable we are now considering different offers from a travel agency. Definitely, this will be a hotel within the city; the approximate room rates are \$175 – 250. Please, note that all the rates are given for 2007 and may change by 2008.

Excursions



During the 2008 ACEI World Conference and Exhibition you will have a chance to enjoy the most beautiful places of interest, like *The Cathedral of Christ the Savior*, *The Novodevichy Convent*, *The Kremlin*, *The Armory and Diamond Fund*, *Tretyakov Gallery*, *Pushkin art Museum* and so on.

There will be an option of traveling to Saint Petersburg after the Conference officially ends. All the details of a trip to Saint Petersburg will be provided later by a travel agency.

Please, see the rates for the tours and excursions in the table below.

Please, be advised that tours and excursions offered to you are a program for the official dates of the Conference, June 18-21, 2007. The Moscow Conference Committee will recommend you the contact information of a travel agency with which you can make arrangement for further travels prior or after the Conference dates. The travel agency will provide a variety of offers in terms of trips to Saint Petersburg or other cities in Russia.

Prices

All prices are normally quoted in Russian rubles. You may exchange currency at hotels, banks and currency exchange kiosks. Visa and Master Cards are widely honored. The official dollar exchange rate of Central Bank on May 11, 2007 is:

1 US dollar = 25. 7771 rubles

Climate

June is normally a warm summer month, but nowadays you can never predict what weather can be like. The average June temperature here is up to 74-76 degrees Fahrenheit. Nevertheless, bring clothes that will warm you up in case of a cold or rainy weather.

Time

Moscow, Russia is on GMT + 03:00

- +8 hours Eastern Standard Time (New York City, Washington D.C., Miami, Boston)
- +9 hours Central Standard Time (Chicago, St. Louis, Dallas)
- +10 hours Mountain Standard Time (Denver)
- +11 hours Pacific Standard Time (Los Angeles, San Francisco, Seattle)

Registration fees

For the Full Conference only – June 18 – 21, 2008

- 1 ACEI members: \$250 (\$325 after April 10, 2008)
- 2 Non-Members: \$320 (\$350 after April 10, 2008)
- 3 Retiree: \$175 (\$200 after April 10, 2008)
- 4 Professional Group Rate: \$235 for Groups of 4+ from the same org (\$310 after April 10, 2008)
- 5 Students: \$175 (\$ 150 for Groups of 4+ students from the same school) (\$215/\$255 after April 10, 2008)

Registration will be open online, at www.acei.org from June 10, 2007.

Cancellations and Refunds

Please note that registered participants should stay in the official headquarters hotel of 2008 Moscow Conference. Also, we can guarantee available rooms only to those registered till November 15, 2007.

All cancellation requests, either conference registration or hotel reservation must be received 5 (five) weeks prior to the Conference. The cancellation requests must be faxed to +7 495 932 78 11. We guarantee 50% refund. No refund requests made after May 15, 2008 will be honored.

**MOSCOW, 2007
GROUP NET RATES
GROUP TOURS & EXCURSIONS**

Tours & Excursions, from / to a hotel, Transfer time included	Duration	Groups of 10-15	Groups of 16-29	Groups of 30+	Bus group
City tour without inside visits	4 hours	34	25	17	11
City tour including visit to Novodevichy Convent, Smolensky Cathedral & Cemetery	5 hours	46	37	29	22
City tour with visit to the Cathedral of Christ the Savior including observation platform	4,5 hours	46	37	29	22
City tour with visit to Kremlin and one cathedral	5 hours	57	49	38	27
Kremlin including visit to one cathedral & Armory	4 hours	75	64	54	53
Kremlin including visit to one cathedral & Diamond Fund	4 hours	81	70	61	57
Visit to Pushkin Arts Museum	4 hours	48	41	34	27
Visit to Tretyakov Gallery	4 hours	48	41	34	27
Visit to Museum of Andrey Rublev	4 hours	48	41	34	27
Visit to Kolomenskoye Estate	4,5 hours	48	41	34	27
Trip to Zagorsk (Sergiev Possad) with visits to cathedral & Museum, lunch included	7 hours	77	61	52	40

The above rates are net, quoted in **US dollars per person**. All prices include transportation, guide's (English or German speaking) services, museum fees & current local taxes. V.A.T. and other taxes are subject to change without notice.

TRANSPORTATION

Airport-Hotel/Hotel-Airport	189 (for groups of 10-13), 283 (for groups of 14+)
Round trip to a restaurant or a cultural event	189 (for groups of 10-13), 283 (for groups of 14+)

The above rates are net, quoted in **US dollars per transfer**. All prices include transportation, English or German speaking guide's services & current local taxes.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE: All fees and rates are subject to change.

