

General Assembly 2011 Delegate Brochure

or

How to Survive in Estonia

16th – 17th of September 2011



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What to bring with you

- Appropriate clothes for early autumn weather. Temperature is around 12-17 degrees during the day and 8-13 at night and it might be raining but for the latest forecasts you can check: <http://www.weather.ee/4day/>
- Dress codes for the upcoming activities/dinners are as follows:
 - Dinner with EX-Board on Thursday – Smart Casual
 - CLGE working sessions – Business attire
 - GALA Dinner and reception on Friday – Smart, Formal
 - Tallinn City tour and Dinner on Saturday – Casual
 - Jäneda/Palmse tour for accompanying persons – Casual. That tour includes some hiking in bog so it's good to have something comfortable and to be prepared in case it starts to rain. Nevertheless you won't need some special shoes for walk.
- Photo camera for capturing beautiful nature of Estonia, medieval old town of Tallinn and your great moments during the GA
- Good mood :)

Tallinn – European Capital of Culture 2011

In case you have time and interest, you have a great possibility to visit various Culture events. You can choose whatever you like from <http://www.tallinn2011.ee/events>

Program of General Assembly

Delegates

Thursday 15.09.2011

- Arrival
- 15.00 - 18.00 Ex-Board meeting (only for Ex-board)
- 19:00 - 19:15 Gathering in front of Hotel
- 19.15 Bus from Hotel to restaurant
- 19.30 - 22.00 Optional dinner with EX-Board at Pirita TOP restaurant (Regati pst 1)
- Bus from restaurant to hotel

Friday 16.09.2011

- 8.15 - 9.00 Registration of participants
- 9.00 - 12.00 CLGE GA
- 12.00 - 14.00 Lunch at Hotel
- 14.00 - 18.00 CLGE GA
- 18:45 - 19:00 Gathering in front of Hotel
- 19:00 - 19:30 Walking from Hotel to Teachers House
- 19.30 - ... Reception of representative of Tallinn City Government at Teachers House
- ... - 23.00 GALA Dinner at Teachers House (Raekoja plats 14)

Saturday 17.09.2011

- 10.00 - 13.00 CLGE GA
- 13.00 - 14.00 Lunch at Hotel
- 14:15 - 14:30 Gathering in front of Hotel
- 14.30 - 17.30 Tallinn guided City Tour, bus + old Town (it ends in old town)
- 17:30 - 18:45 Free time
- 18:45 - 19:00 Gathering in [Olde Hansa Restaurant](#) (Vana turg 1)
- 19.00 - 23.00 Dinner in Olde Hansa

Accompanying persons

Thursday 15.09.2011

Same as delegates program

Friday 16.09.2011

- 10:15 - 10:30 Gathering in front of Hotel
- 10.30 - 12.00 Bus from Hotel to [Jäneda](#)
- 12.00 - 12.45 Concert performance of Urmas Sisask - astronomical composer
- 12.45 - 13.45 Bus to Palmse
- 13.45 - 14.20 Lunch in Palmse restaurant
- 14.20 - 15.20 Guided tour in [Palmse Manor](#)
- 15.20 – 15.45 Bus to [Viru bog](#)
- 15.45 - 17.00 Viru bog boardwalk between the bools
- 17.00 - 17.50 Bus to Hotel
- 18:45 - ... Same as delegates program

Saturday 17.09.2011

- 10.00 - 13.00 Free time
- 13.00 - ... Same as delegates program

Arrival information and How to reach your Hotel

Check-in to the hotel will be done by yourself.

For those who participate at dinner with EX-Board on Thursday evening we ask to gather in front of the Hotel at 19:00 because we have organized bus for you which will leave exactly at 19:15. Dinner will take place at Pirita TOP restaurant (address: Regati pst 1) so if you miss the bus you could still catch us with taxi.

For those who will not participate dinner at Thursday: we will meet you Friday morning at the registration desk in the Hotel which starts 8:15. You will easily find the Conference Room "Peterson-I" the screens on walls will guide you to right place.

When you need to contact organisers then Mrs Marju Toova is glad to help you, her contacts can be found in the end of this brochure.

Taxi

Easiest way to get to Hotel is by taxi. Airport is very close to the city center and to Meriton Hotel so it will cost less than 10 euros to get there with those recommended good quality taxi companies.

Tulika takso

Phone: +372 612 0000, short dial: 1200

www.tulika.ee

Tallink takso

Phone: +372 640 8921, short dial: 1921

www.tallinktakso.ee

In case you want more information about different taxi companies and prices you can check out this website: <http://www.taksod.net/index.php?la=en>

Public Transport

Public transport tickets cost 1-2 euros depending if you buy it from Kiosk or from the bus/tram or if it is single ticket or one hour ticket. You could also buy 1 or 3 day tickets for 4 or 6 euros depending on how long you are planning to stay. During the event transportation is provided by organiser so you do not need tickets for this period.

If you do not want to take taxi then there are other options to reach Hotel as well

From airport

Easiest way would be to take commerce bus line 90K (similar price range as public transport) which will take you directly to the Hotel. Ride will last approximately half an hour and you have to get off at stop called "Hotell Tallinn". This bus operates every 30 min, but only from 8:00 to 18:00. For late arrivals is easier to use taxi.

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Basic phrases in Estonian

Tere - Hello

Minu nimi on ... - My name is ...

Mis su nimi on? - What is your name?

Üks õlu palun - One beer please

Ma ei soovi rohkem õlut - I don't want another beer (seldomly used)

Üks bussipilet palun - One bus ticket please

Kui palju? - How much?

Tänan - Thank you

Vabandust - Sorry

Appi - Help

Õlu - Beer

Vesi - Water

Jah - Yes

Ei - No

Võib-olla, kui sul veab - Maybe

Terviseks! - Cheers!

Ma ei oska eesti keelt - I do not speak Estonian

Ära löö, olen turist - Don't hit me, I'm a tourist

Su hääl on pehme nagu suvevihm - Your voice is soft like summer rain

Ma tahan sulle massaaži teha - I want to give you a massage

Mulle meeldivad pikad jalutuskäigud rannal ja õhtusöögid küünlavalgel –
I enjoy long walks on the beach and candle light dinners

- Meriton Hotel
- 1- Teachers House (Friday's Gala dinner)
- 2- Olde Hansa Restaurant (Saturday)
- 3- Railway station
- 4- Bus station
- 5- direction to airport
- A,B,C,D - terminals of Port of Tallinn

