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## EUROPEAN INLAND FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE ADVISORY COMMISSION

### Thirtieth Session

**Dresden, Germany, 11 – 13 September 2019**

### Information Note for Participants

#### Venue for the Session

The Thirtieth Session of the European Inland Fisheries and Aquaculture Advisory Commission (EIFAAC) will be held at:

Deutsches Hygiene-Museum (Marta-Fraenkel-Saal Room)

Lingnerplatz 1

01069 Dresden, Germany<sup>1</sup>

The event will start at 14.30 hours on Wednesday, 11 September, and will conclude at 17.00 hours on Friday, 13 September.

#### On-site Registration

The on-site registration of participants will take place from 11.00 to 13.00 hours on 11 September, during which participants will be provided with the Session's working documents on a pen-drive.

<sup>1</sup>[https://www.google.com/maps/place/German+Hygiene+Museum/@51.0444011,13.7464793,15z/data=!4m2!3m1!1s0x0:0xdb2008d56e48d7aa?sa=X&ved=2ahUKewjypKTY5anjAhVKzqQKHeeGA\\_IQ\\_BIwGnoECAoQCA](https://www.google.com/maps/place/German+Hygiene+Museum/@51.0444011,13.7464793,15z/data=!4m2!3m1!1s0x0:0xdb2008d56e48d7aa?sa=X&ved=2ahUKewjypKTY5anjAhVKzqQKHeeGA_IQ_BIwGnoECAoQCA)

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## **Field Trip**

For those who will be participating in the EIFAAC Symposium half-day Field Trip (please see details in the attached leaflet), the registration is open until 14:00. This half-day field trip is free of charge for the Session participants, but in order to join, please register with [EIFAAC-Secretariat@fao.org](mailto:EIFAAC-Secretariat@fao.org) until 18 August 2019.

## **Catering Services**

Buffet lunch and coffee breaks will be provided on all three days of the Session.

## **Reception**

The Government of Germany will host a reception for all participants of the EIFAAC Symposium, to which all Session delegates are cordially invited. The reception will be held prior to the Session on Tuesday, 10 September. For your participation, please register writing an email to [EIFAAC-Secretariat@fao.org](mailto:EIFAAC-Secretariat@fao.org) no later than 18 August 2019.

## **Working languages**

The working language of the Session will be English.

## **Working documents**

All documents will be made available on the dedicated subpage of the [EIFAAC website](#) as they become ready and will also be provided to participants on pen-drives during registration on site. As there will be WiFi at the Session's venue enabling access to pre-session documents online, participants are encouraged to carry personal lap-tops (for which electrical outlets will be made available in the meeting room) in order to reduce the need for hard copy documents. Printed copies of documents will be made available on the spot only upon request and in limited quantities, in an effort to achieve a paperless Session.

## **Accommodation for Session Participants**

Accommodation is to be booked and covered directly by the participants. A list of proposed hotels, with a location nearby the venue of the Session, can be found below. There were some block reservations made (valid until July 28), please book using this Group Name: EIFAAC 2019<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>2</sup> In case of any issues with group reservations, please contact [eifaac2019@ble.de](mailto:eifaac2019@ble.de)

<i>Name of the Hotel</i>	<i>Address</i>	<i>Website</i>	<i>Price incl. breakfast</i>	<i>Booking</i>
Hotel NH Collection Dresden Altmarkt	An der Kreuzkirche 2, 01067 Dresden	<a href="https://www.nh-hotels.com/hotel/nh-collection-dresden-altmarkt">https://www.nh-hotels.com/hotel/nh-collection-dresden-altmarkt</a>	71,00 €	<a href="mailto:nhgroupsales.ce@nh-hotels.com">nhgroupsales.ce@nh-hotels.com</a>
Dorint Hotel Dresden	Grunaer Str. 14, 01069 Dresden	<a href="https://hotel-dresden.dorint.com/en/">https://hotel-dresden.dorint.com/en/</a>	99,00 €	+49 (0)351 4915-774
Hotel Hilton Dresden	An der Frauenkirche 5 01067 Dresden	<a href="http://dresden.hilton.com">dresden.hilton.com</a>	129,00 €	<a href="http://group.hilton.com/EIFAAC2019">http://group.hilton.com/EIFAAC2019</a>
Hotel Am Terrassenufer	Terrassenufer 12 01069 Dresden	<a href="https://www.hotel-terrassenufer.de/">https://www.hotel-terrassenufer.de/</a>	72,00 €	+49 (0)351 4409500 <a href="mailto:hat@hotel-terrassenufer.de">hat@hotel-terrassenufer.de</a>

### **Formalities for entry into Germany**

Passport holders of some countries outside the Schengen area require a visa to enter Germany. For information regarding visa issuance, participants are encouraged to contact their local German Embassy/Consulate, or visit the website of the Federal Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Germany. Participants are advised to commence their visa application process well ahead of their intended travel dates to allow for the visa processing delays (at least two weeks).

Participants who require a visa to enter Germany, and have indicated this during the online registration, will be issued an official invitation by the FAO Regional Office for Europe and Central Asia, supporting them in their application for the entry visa at their local German Embassy/Consulate.

### **Arrival and transportation to the city centre**

Upon arrival to Dresden airport you can use the S-Bahn line S2 to Dresden Hauptbahnhof, from where you can reach all hotels easily, either continuing on foot or by public transportation: <https://www.dresden-airport.de/passengers-and-visitors/to-and-from-the-airport-parking/rail-and-bus.html?newLanguage=en>

More information on public transport and connections can be found on this website: <https://www.dvb.de/en-gb/>

The following link will help you find the venue of the Session: <https://www.dhmd.de/en/your-visit/directions/>

**Exchange of foreign currency**

Foreign currency can be exchanged at the airport or at exchange offices and banks in town. It is not advisable to exchange foreign currency at the airport, as the rates are usually higher than in the exchange offices/banks in town. Another convenient way could be to withdraw the necessary amount of EUR directly from an ATM.

**Electricity**

Electricity voltage in Germany is 230 volts with European model sockets. Should there be a need for an electricity adapter, participants should make sure they bring it along with them.

**Contact details for the Session:**

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FAO Regional Office for Europe and Central Asia  
Budapest, Hungary  
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