

PLAN YOUR TRIP TO THE 8TH WORLD CONGRESS FOR RELIGIOUS FREEDOM

KEY DATES	September 1, 2016	Registration opens at www.irla.org . Receive the discounted registration rate if you register before April 30, 2017.
	March 1, 2017	Discounted early registration ends. General registration begins.
	June 30, 2017	Congress registration ends.
	August 21, 2017	Arrival and registration at the Diplomat Resort and Spa, Hollywood, Florida.
	August 22, 2017	8 th World Congress for Religious Freedom begins.
	August 24, 2017	8 th World Congress for Religious Freedom ends.
	August 25, 2017	Hotel check-out and departure for airport.
TRANSLATION SERVICES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We will provide headsets for simultaneous translation of general Congress sessions in French, Portuguese and Spanish. Please indicate during registration whether you require this service • Breakout sessions will be offered in English, Spanish, French and Portuguese. 	
VISITOR'S VISA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If you need a letter of invitation from the International Religious Liberty Association in order to apply for a visitor's visa to the United States, please contact Mrs. Gail Banner at banner@gc.adventist.org 	

<p>ACCOMMODATION</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We encourage attendees to take advantage of specially discounted room rates at the Diplomat Resort and Spa, which is also the venue for all Congress meetings. • Each attendee is responsible for reserving his or her own accommodation. • To receive the discounted hotel rate, use the hotel reservation link on the IRLA website. <p>IMPORTANT NOTE: Please do not make reservations directly with the hotel—you will not receive the discounted rate.</p>
<p>TRANSPORTATION</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SuperShuttle is offering World Congress attendees a discounted rate for transportation between the airport (either Miami-Dade International or Ft. Lauderdale-Hollywood International) and the Diplomat Resort and Spa. Use the link on the IRLA website to book transportation with SuperShuttle. • Other airport transportation options include Uber, taxi, or car rental. The daily parking rate at the hotel is approximately US\$26.
<p>MEALS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • World Congress registration does not cover any meals. Attendees can choose to eat at the various restaurants located on the hotel property, or at nearby restaurants. • Free shuttle buses will be available to Congress attendees each lunchtime. These will travel to local shopping areas, which have a range of restaurants to suit different budgets. • When reserving your hotel accommodation, you can choose an option that includes breakfast at the hotel.
<p>INCIDENTAL EXPENSES</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Congress attendees are responsible for all incidental expenses, including travel insurance, airfares, meals, and transportation between the airport and hotel.