

CONTEMPORARY FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE (CFMC | 2022)

-PRACTICAL INFO FOR PARTICIPANTS-

ABOUT THE CONFERENCE>>

The First International Contemporary Financial Management Conference (CFMCl2022) will be held from **December 7-10, 2022**. It is designed to be the premier forum for the presentation of new advances in the theory and practice of financial management. This conference is a prestigious event hosted by the University of Belgrade.

More information about the conference is available at conference web site: cfm.fon.bg.ac.rs

VENUES>>

The conference will be held at four locations in Belgrade:

1. <u>Rectorate</u>, UNIVERSITY OF BELGRADE Address: Studentski Trg 1 Web page: <u>https://www.bg.ac.rs/</u>



2. FACULTY OF ECONOMICS, UNIVERSITY OF BELGRADE Address: Kamenička 6, 11000 Belgrade Web page: <u>http://www.ekof.bg.ac.rs/</u>



3. FACULTY OF LAW, UNIVERSITY OF BELGRADE Address: Blvd. Kralja Aleksandra 67 Web page: <u>http://ius.bg.ac.rs/</u>



4. FACULTY OF ORGANIZATIONAL SCIENCES, UNIVERSITY OF BELGRADE Address: Jove Ilića 154 Web page: <u>http://www.fon.bg.ac.rs</u>





THE CITY OF BELGRADE>>

Belgrade is a modern European city with a population of about 1.7 million people. Built at the confluence of the Sava and Danube rivers, Belgrade is rightly known as "the Gate of the Balkans" and "the Doors to Central Europe". It is an administrative, political and cultural center of Serbia. Belgrade is one of the oldest cities in Europe and has since ancient times been an important focal point for traffic and an intersection of the roads of Eastern and Western Europe. What gives Belgrade its unique identity is its location: it lies at the confluence of two large rivers, the Sava and the Danube, with popular promenades on their banks. This is an area lined with parks, dotted with many restaurants and cafés, most of them on river barges, with stunning views of the river and the city itself.

You can get to Belgrade by airplane, train, bus or car. Distance from Belgrade Nikola Tesla Airport to the city center is about 20 km. The fastest option is taking a taxi. Trip takes around 30 minutes and costs around 2.200 RSD (≈20 EUR). On the airport exit there is a Taxi information desk, where you can order taxi with the fixed price. You just have to say the address to the Taxi information desk officer, they will give you a voucher with fixed price and will be going with you right to the first available taxi driver.



GENERAL INFORMATION>>

CURRENCY: Serbian Dinar (RSD) **Conversion rate (RSD to EUR):** The exchange rate ranges from 117.8 to 120 RSD for 1 EUR.

CLIMATE IN DECEMBER: December is a cold month in Belgrade with average temperature fluctuating between 0°C and 5.6°C.

LANGUAGE: Serbia has only one nationwide official language, which is Serbian. English is widely spoken.

PUBLIC TRANSPORT & TAXISERVICE

Public Transport: Belgrade public transport consists of buses, trolleybuses, and tram routes run by GSP "Beograd" and bus services operated by private bus companies, on around 130 routes.

Tickets can be bought:

- in public transport vehicles, from the driver or conductor;
- at kiosks marked with a ticket salessticker;
- ✤ at GSP points-of-sale.

Paper cards (most suitable for tourists):

If you are not a frequent user you can buy a paper card that costs RSD 89 (if purchased on the kiosk) or RSD 150 (if purchased on the bus) and drive with that card for 90 minutes on all lines (for 1st or 2nd public transportation zone).



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Paper cards that you can use:

- 1 day for 1st or 2nd public transportation zone RSD 250,
- ◆ 3 days for 1st or 2nd public transportation zone RSD 700,
- 5 days for 1st or 2nd public transportation zone RSD 1000.

Tickets must be validated immediately upon entry into the vehicle, using touch screen monitor machines installed at every vehicle, by each set of doors. The best way to navigate is to check the map available online from the GSP site. At some more prominent stops, you can find the same map only with marked lines available there.

Taxi Service: The passenger is only required to pay for taxi services according to the current price list and to the amount indicated by the taximeter at the end of the journey. Negotiating a price for taxi services, where the taximeter is not switched on, is not recommended, especially at the airport. <u>Taxil Γραμ Београμ</u> (beograd.rs)

HOW TO GET FROM THE BELGRADE AIRPORT TO THE CITY CENTER?

Minibus A1: Route: Airport – Slavija Square (Kralja Milutina Street) – Airport Ticket price: RSD 300 (on the bus) Approximate travel time: 30 minutes

Public Transport Line 72: Route: Airport-Zeleni venac Square

Ticket price: RSD 89 (if purchased on the kiosk), RSD 150 (if purchased on the bus) Approximate travel time: 30–40 minutes

Taxi:Taxi price: about RSD 2500 (EUR 20)Approximate travel time: 15-20 minutes





CUISINE

The irresistibly delicious and very spicy Serbian dishes are a feast for all senses. The people of Serbia enjoy cooking and eating, often traditional dishes made according to old family recipes which are passed on from one generation to the next. The rich central daily meal in Serbia is always preceded by a tasty starter, followed by a broth or soup and then the main course made of vegetables and meat, boiled on slow-burning fire, baked in clay vessels, or roasted.

With Serbia being located on the crossroads between East and West, its cuisine has gathered elements from different cooking styles across the Middle East and Europe to develop its own hearty gastronomy with an intricate balance of rich meats, vegetables, breads, cheese, fresh pastries, and desserts. It has much in common with the cuisines of neighboring Balkan countries; its flavors are mild, fresh, and natural. Seasonings are usually salt, black pepper, and paprika, while ingredients are known for being fresh and high-quality.



USEFUL LINKS

Tourist Organization of Belgrade <u>Tourist Organization of Belgrade (tob.rs)</u>

National Tourism Organization of Serbia <u>Home | National Tourism Organisation of Serbia | National Tourism</u> <u>Organisation of Serbia</u>

BelGuest - Belgrade & Serbia Visitors' Magazine <u>Home - BelGuest</u>

Belgrade Insight, Serbia's only English-language newspaper <u>Belgrade Insight - The only English language-</u> <u>newspaper in BelgradeBelgrade Insight</u>



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ACCOMMODATION

Courtyard by Marriott Belgrade City Center

4-star Hotel **Address:** Vase Čarapića 2-4 **Website:** <u>https://www.marriott.com/</u>



Belgrade Art Hotel 4-star Hotel Address: Kneza Mihaila 27 Website: <u>https://www.radissonhotels.com/</u>

Garni Hotel Opera 3-star Hotel Address: Braće Jugovića 16 Website: <u>http://hotelopera.rs/</u>





VISA REOUIREMENTS

The Government of the Republic of Serbia adopted the Decision on visa free entry to the Republic of Serbia for holders of foreign national passports having a valid Schengen, UK and other EU Member States' visa, or visa of the United States of America, and for holders of foreign national passports having residence permit in the countries of the Schengen area, EU or the United States of America.

On basis of this decision, the above-mentioned categories of foreign nationals may, without prior visa application, enter, transit and stay in the Republic of Serbia up to 90 days during a six-month period, and within validity of said visas or residence permits.

Before travelling to the Republic of Serbia, you can check here whether you need a visa: https://www.mfa.gov.rs/en/citizens/travel-serbia/visa-regime

General visa requirements can be found at: https://www.mfa.gov.rs/en/citizens/travel-serbia/visarequirements

COVID 19 MEASURES AND ARRIVAL RECOMMENDATIONS

COVID 19 situation in Serbia is changeable and we are trying to put pandemic situation under control. Therefore, please before arrival check info on the COVID 19 situation on the official Serbian government websites: COVID-19 - Entry Conditions | Ministry of Foreign Affairs (mfa.gov.rs)

CONTACT PERSONS

* If you need any further information or help please do not hesitate to contact CFM Conference secretary:

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