

## IARU Senior Officers' Meeting – Travel Information

### National University of Singapore, 14–15 November 2014

#### Program at a Glance (tentative)

<b>Thursday, 13 November</b>	14:00	<i>Pick up from hotel, transfer to NUS Computer Centre</i>
	14:30	<b>EdTech Workshop</b> (optional) “What can Mobile Technology do to transform learning at universities?” Prof John Traxler, University of Wolverhampton
	15:45	<i>Pick up from hotel, transfer to NUS Computer Centre</i>
	16:00	<i>Pick up of group at NUS Computer Centre, transfer to University Town</i>
	16:30	<b>Tour of University Town</b> (optional) <i>Direct transfer to Welcome Reception</i>
	18:00	<i>Pick up from hotel for transfer to Welcome Reception</i>
	18:30	<b>Welcome Reception</b> with the delegates of the EdTech Workshop <i>Yong Siew Toh Conservatory of Music lobby</i> Tour of NUS Museum and Lee Kong Chian Natural History Museum
<b>Friday, 14 November</b>	<b>08:30 – 17:30</b>	<b>IARU Senior Officers' Meeting – Day 1</b>
	08:00	Pick up from hotel for transfer to University Hall, NUS
	08:30 – 12:00	<b>Morning Session</b>
	12:00 – 13:30	Lunch (The Scholars' Restaurant)
	13:30 – 17:00	<b>Afternoon Session</b>
	17:00	Transfer to hotel
	18:45	Pick up from hotel for transfer to restaurant
	19:30	<b>Formal Dinner</b> (“The Dunearn”, NUSS Bukit Timah Guild House)
<b>Saturday, 15 November</b>	<b>8:30 – 12:15</b>	<b>IARU Senior Officers' Meeting – Day 2</b>
	08:00	Pick up from hotel for transfer to University Hall, NUS
	08:30 – 12:00	<b>Morning Session</b>
	12:15 – 13:15	Buffet lunch (Nexus)
	13:15	Transfer to hotel
	14:00 – 16:15	<b>Visit to the Singapore Botanical Gardens</b> (optional)

## Accommodation

Rooms have been reserved at the Park Avenue Rochester Hotel. The rate is SGD 240.- for single occupancy and SGD 258.- for double occupancy (deluxe room) per night, including breakfast and Wi-Fi access, excluding 10% service charge and 7% GST. Official check-in and check-out time is 14:00 respectively 12:00h. Early check-in or late check-out has been arranged on request at additional one-night charge. You will be responsible for the payment of your accommodation upon check-out.

The hotel is located close to the business hub of one-north. There is a great selection of restaurants, pubs and gourmet marts around the corner. It is in walking distance to the Holland Village (locals refer to it as a 'bohemian' enclave) and about a 10-minutes' drive to Orchard Road.

### Park Avenue Rochester

31 Rochester Drive

Singapore 138637

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<http://www.parkavenuerochester.com>

## Transportation from the Airport to the Park Avenue Rochester Hotel

You will arrive at the Changi International Airport, which is located about 30 kilometers from the Park Avenue Rochester Hotel.

### By Taxi

The journey will take about 30 minutes depending on traffic and will cost approximately SGD 25.- (not including peak hours and expressway surcharges, up to about 50% of the metered fare). Taxi stands are located conveniently outside each terminal. Most drivers should know the hotel Park Avenue Rochester Hotel, but if they are uncertain, please say "next to Buona Vista MRT".

### By Public Transportation

Make your way to Changi Airport MRT station located at Terminal 2 and board the East-West line. Get off at Buona Vista station (<http://www.smrt.com.sg/Trains/NetworkMap.aspx>). The train ride takes approximately 50 minutes and leaves every 12 minutes between 06:00 and 23:00h. The train ride from Changi Airport to Buona Vista will cost about SGD 2.50.

### Getting from Buona Vista Station to Park Avenue Rochester

Use Exit C to leave the station. Park Avenue Rochester Hotel is located south of the station and is just a five minute walk from the station.



## Useful Links and Numbers

Tourism Center Singapore

[www.yoursingapore.com/content/traveller/en/experience.html](http://www.yoursingapore.com/content/traveller/en/experience.html)

Singapore Directory

<http://gothere.sg>

NUS Campus Map

[www.nus.edu.sg/campusmap/](http://www.nus.edu.sg/campusmap/)

Taxi (Comfort and CityCab)

Tel: +65 6552 1111

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