

COURSE VENUE:

Conrad International Hotel (<http://conradhotels1.hilton.com>)
1191 Cornich El-Nile, Cairo, Egypt
It is 20 Km from the airport

COURSE LANGUAGE:

English is the official language of the course

REGISTRATION DESK:

Located at Conrad Hotel

Working hours:

- Friday: 11:00 am - 8:00 pm
- Saturday, Sunday and Monday: 9.00 am - 4:00 pm

REGISTRATION INCLUDES:

- Administration to scientific program
- Abstracts book
- Certificate of attendance
- Course bag and kits
- Abstracts CD
- Daily Coffee breaks, snacks and lunches

NAME BADGES

Participants are requested to wear their name badge at all times during the event

The colors of the name badges have the following significance:

Green badges : Participant in the Post Graduate Course

Brown badges : Participant in the Workshop

Grey Badges : Exhibitors

EXHIBITION:

An exhibition of pharmaceutical and technical equipment companies is organized at Conrad International Hotel

TRANSPORTATION:

- Friday:
Shuttle bus service is available every one hour
From the event hotels to the event venue at Conrad hotel: 12:00 - 4:00 pm
From the event venue to the hotels: 9:30 - 11:30 pm
- Saturday, Sunday and Monday:
Shuttle bus service is available every one hour
From the event hotels to the event venue at Conrad hotel: 8:00 - 11:00 am
From the event venue to the hotels: 5:30 - 6:30 pm

RESERVATION:

Can be made **online** by VISA or MasterCard before deadline
On-site registration will be available at Conrad hotel during the working hours

HOTEL ACCOMMODATION:

Can be reserved online according to availability

TOURIST PROGRAMS:

- Tourist program within Cairo during the course and workshop days.
- Post Workshop tours to Luxor & Aswan and Hurghada.

Kindly, contact the official organizer for more details

CURRENCY:

The official currency in Egypt is the **Egyptian Pound**

- 1 US\$ = 5.40 L.E.
- 1 Euro = 7.70 L.E. (Approximately)

CLIMATE:

The weather is expected to be sunny in the early morning, average temperature is 20-22 degree C, slight cooler in the afternoon, wearing overcoats is recommended at night

TIME ZONE:

Cairo is 2 hours ahead of Greenwich Mean Time (GMT).

ELECTRIC CURRENT:

The electric current in Egypt is 220 volt

CREDIT CARDS:

Visa, MasterCard and American Express are generally accepted in most hotels, famous shops and restaurants

ATM's :

Automatic transactions (or teller) machines are common in most hotels, It is advisable to make sure that your card is compatible, by checking with your bank before leaving home

VISA REQUIREMENTS:

Participants are requested to check with the Egyptian Consulate in their home countries or with their travel agencies for visa requirements. It is the responsibility of the participant to obtain a visa if required.

OFFICIAL LETTER OF INVITATION:

Official letter of invitation will be sent from the official organizer after registration and can help overcome administrative difficulties for visa purpose in certain countries.

HALF DAY TOURS WITHIN CAIRO

Pyramids of Giza & Sphinx:

The Pyramids of Cheops, Chephren and Mycerinus were reckoned by the Greeks to be one of the seven wonders of the world. Cheops Pyramid is especially interested since its interior burial chambers are opened for the public. Not far from the Pyramids there is the Sphinx of Giza. Hawn from natural yellowish limestone and standing 65 feet high and 187 feet long. This unforgettable statue combines the head of a Pharaoh with a lion's body.

Approximately 40 min. drive by taxi from Conrad Hotel



Memphis & Sakkara:

Memphis served as the capital of upper and lower Egypt some 5000 years ago during the first Dynasty, built a great, white walled palace and the Temple of Ptah here.

One of the most exciting historical and archaeological areas in all Egypt is Sakkara, situated about 12 miles south west of Cairo. The site is dominating by the famous step Pyramid to be built in ancient Egypt.

Approximately 60 min. drive by taxi from Conrad Hotel

HALF DAY TOURS WITHIN CAIRO

Egyptian Museum:

The Egyptian Museum is the most important depository of Egyptian Antiquities anywhere in the World. It features artifacts from the Pharonic and Greco- Roman periods, including the celebrated mummies of ancient Egypt's Kings and Tut Ankh Amun treasures.

Approximately 10 min. drive by taxi from Conrad Hotel



Citadel & Khan El-Khalili:

Its construction was initiated in 1176 by Salah El Din and completed by Muhammad Ali Mamluke Sultans and Turkish governors later on made it their residence, building Palaces and mosques within the Citadel walls. The tour will also include a visit to the famous Khan El Khalili Bazaar dating back to the late 14th century.

Approximately 20 min. drive by taxi from Conrad Hotel

Coptic Museum:

The famous Coptic Museum is built on the site of the Roman Fortess of Babylon, constructed about 30 B.C under Augustus and rebuilt in the time of Trajan. Inside there are the richest collection of Coptic art in the world.

Approximately 30 min. drive by taxi from Conrad Hotel



ONLINE RESERVATION IS AVAILABLE

POST WORKSHOP TOURS

Discover Egypt (4 nights - 5 days)

02-06 December, 2008

Discover Egypt on one of the Luxurious Boats to explore the Mystery and beauty of the Nile. Your itinerary can be tailor - made to meet with your needs allowing you to visit the highlights of Luxor, Esna, Edfu , Kom Ombo and Aswan in a 4 nights 5 days cruising. Our program is on full board basis including excursions and transfers from / to airport, Based on 5 stars Deluxe Cruises



Hurghada Beaches & Resorts (3 nights - 4 days)

02-05 December, 2008

Experience the beauty of the Red sea. Hurghada is located on the Red Sea about 450 Km. from Cairo, where you can practice all your favorite hobbies as diving, snorkeling and water sports. Your program will include 3 nights accommodation, based on 5 stars, at Sofitel Hurghada on All inclusive basis.

CONTACT THE ORGANIZER FOR MORE INFORMATION



CAIRO HOTEL MAP

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| Ramses Hilton ▶ 1 | Grand Hyatt ▶ 7 |
| Holiday Inn City Stars ▶ 2 | InterContinental City Stars ▶ 8 |
| Nile Hilton ▶ 3 | Semiramis InterContinental ▶ 9 |
| Sheraton Cairo ▶ 4 | Four Seasons Nile Plaza ▶ 10 |
| Le Meridien Pyramids ▶ 5 | Sofitel El Gezirah ▶ 11 |
| Cairo Marriott ▶ 6 | Conrad Cairo ▶ 12 |

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