# Services & Help Desks

#### Information & Assistance

▶ At the Gimpo Airport (Busan) Arrival Hall, look out for staff in BEXCO uniform behind AOG\$2008 Help Desks

▶ The Information & Assistance (I&A) desk is located beside the elevator at BEXCO Convention Hall, Level 1 Lobby and opens 8.30am to 5pm daily

## **Useful Telephone Numbers**

►	(65) 9125 9090	Patrick CHA Customer Service Officer, Korea
►	(65) 9125 9393	Alex CHIA, Event Manager, Singapore

#### **Registration Hours**

Registration desks are located at Convention Hall, Level 1 Lobby throughout the conference. Admission to all sessions and hosted functions requires identification. Please wear your name badges at all times.

-	15 June, Sunday:	Opens 3pm to 5pm
-	16 June, Monday:	Opens 8am to pm and 6pm to 8pm
-	17 June, Tuesday to 19 June, Thursday:	Opens 8.30am to 5pm
-	20 June, Friday:	Opens 8.30am to 3.30pm

## Poster Help Desk

This is located by the poster area at Convention Hall, Level 1 Lobby and opens during poster set-up hours only. After this time, please approach Information & Assistance if help is needed.

- 17 June, Tuesday to 19 June, Thursday: Opens 10am to 4pm daily

#### Internet Access

Internet access is available at Convention Hall, Level 2 Lobby, from 8.30am to 5pm daily.

#### Coffee/Tea Breaks at Exhibition Hall on Level 2

- 16 June, Monday
  From 10.30am to 11.00am and 3.45pm to 4.15pm
- 17 June, Tuesday to 20 June, Friday From 10.30am to 11.00am and 3.30pm to 4.00pm



## CURRENCY

Korean Won (KRW)is the official currency here. Exchange rate is approximately USD1 to KRW1000

VISA - Full Details at http://www.asiaoceania.org/aogs2008/public.asp?page=visa.htm)

Email info@asiaoceania.org to request Invitation Letter.

In general, these are documents required for visa application. It is highly recommended that you contact the nearest Korean Embassy (<u>http://www.kr.embassyinformation.com/</u>) for advice and assistance.

- A valid passport
- Visa application form
- Letter of Invitation
- Certificate of business registration
- Certificate of incumbency

Visa Application Fee

- Single-entry: USD 30
- Multiple-entry: USD 50

#### HOW TO GET TO BEXCO - LAND, RAIL & SUBWAY

Visit http://www.bexco.co.kr/english/location/location\_traffic.jsp

## OUT AND AROUND BEXCO

#### $\circ$ Kimhae international airport $\rightarrow$ BEXCO (17 miles)

- Taxi / Airport Limousine Bus : Approx. 40 minutes
- Bus no. 307 : Approximated time depends on traffic condition Get off at **Olympic Intersection** Station

#### $\circ$ Haeundae (Train) Station $\rightarrow$ BEXCO (1.3 miles)

- Bus/Taxi : Approx. 5 minutes
- Available buses (each number indicates bus numbers)
- 109, 115, 115-1, 240, 36, 38, 200-1, 5, 139, 140, 141, 142, 239

#### $\circ$ Busan (Train) Station $\rightarrow$ BEXCO (12.4 miles)

- Bus/Taxi : approx. 40 minutes
- · Available buses (each number indicates bus numbers)
- 40, 139, 239, 240, 302, 140, 2003
- Subway : approx. 40 minutes
  - take subway line no.1 (going toward No Po Dong station)
  - get off at **So Myoun** station and transfer to line no.2 (going toward **Jang San** Station)
  - get off at Centum City Station  $\rightarrow$  exit no.1  $\rightarrow$  **BEXCO** within 100 m

## $\circ$ Busan bus terminal $\rightarrow$ BEXCO (12 miles)

- Taxi : approx. 40 minutes
- Express bus, no.2002 : approx. 1 hr.
- Subway : approx. 1 hr. and 10 min.
  - take subway line no.1 (going toward Shin Pyuong station)
  - get off at So Myoun station and transfer to line no.2 (going toward Jang San Station)
  - get off at Centum City Station a exit no.1 a BEXCO within 100 m

#### $\circ$ If You Are Driving $\rightarrow$ BEXCO

There are basement and open car parking space in and around BEXCO

#### What to do, Where to go in Busan

\*Information with courtesy from Meeting Planners' Guide Book BUSAN by Busan Convention & Visitors Bureau.

## Sight-seeing

## Attractions in Haeundae

#### Haeundae Beach

Haeundae Beach is the most famous beach in Korea. Surrounded by divine natural scenery, it features world-class luxury hotels and restaurants.

#### Dongbaek Island

The island is famous for its beautiful scenery surrounded by tall camellias and thick pine groves. On a clear day, visitors can see the Japanese island of Daema (Tsushima). Nurimaru APEC House (the 2<sup>nd</sup> APEC Summit venue) is located here, drawing increasing tourists.

#### Dalmaji Gogae (Hill)

Famous for its wonderful views at sunset and sunrise. The curvy road with 15 turns is actually a beautiful path where you can see cherry blossoms and pine groves. The hill is full of grand and cozy cafes and provides the perfect place for a memorable visit.

## Attractions in Gwangalli

#### Gwangan Bridge

This double-deck bridge built over the sea between Haeundae and Suyeong is 7,420 meters long. The night view of the bridge is second to none and thus, called "Korea's Golden Gate Bridge". It is also acclaimed as Korea's masterpiece of structural and architectural genius.

#### Shopping

#### Busan Lotte Duty-Free Shop – 09:30 to 19:30

Take Subway Line No. 1, 2 and get off at Somyeon (Exit 5, 7).

## Lotte Department Store Busan - 10:30 to 20:00

Take Subway Line No. 1, 2 and get off at Somyeon (Exit 5, 7).

#### Gukje Market - 09:00 to 20:00

Take Subway Line No. 1 and get off at Jagalchi (Exit 7).

## MUST VISIT!

Jagalchi Seafood Market & Nampo-dong Dried-fish Market - 02:00 to 24:00, 07:00 to 21:00 Take Subway Line No. 1 and get off at Jagalchi (Exit 2), and walk 3 mins.