



INTERNATIONAL GEOMINING FORUM



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**October 26-27, 2023
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ABOUT



The first International Geology-Mining Forum

The forum will be organized by the State Agency for the Use of Mineral Resources under the Ministry of Ecology and Natural Resources on October 26-27, 2023.

The main goal of the forum is to showcase Azerbaijan's current and potential opportunities in the fields of mining and geology on the international stage, exchange experiences in these areas, establish communication and create and develop partnership potential. Specialists and geologists in the field of mountain-mining from many countries around the world will speak at this forum, which will provide an opportunity to exchange experiences on modern trends, new technologies and the use of international methodology in their application. In addition, the forum will play an important role in adapting Azerbaijan's mountain-mining industry to new approaches in the world. Moreover, the forum will address topics such as investment trends and reporting in the mining industry, new methodologies, and conceptual modelling in geological exploration, as well as the environmental impact of the mining industry.

Representatives of more than 30 countries will be participating in the forum.



PROGRAM

26 October

09:00 – 17:00

SESSION 1

The role of the mining industry in the international supply chain and the place of the mining industry in Azerbaijan

SESSION 2

New technologies in the geology and mining industry and the application of new methodologies

19:00

GALA DINNER

27 October

10:00 – 16:00

SESSION 1

Investment trends and reporting in the mining

SESSION 2

Geological problems and environmental protection in the mining industry

PANEL DISCUSSIONS

1. Actual metals
2. New energy era
3. Artificial intelligence
4. Geoinformation systems and modeling of geological processes in geology
5. Effect of tectonic faults on earthquake activity

The Working Language of the Meeting

The meeting will be held in Azerbaijani, English and Russian languages. Simultaneous interpretation in Azerbaijani, Russian and English will be provided at the main meeting.

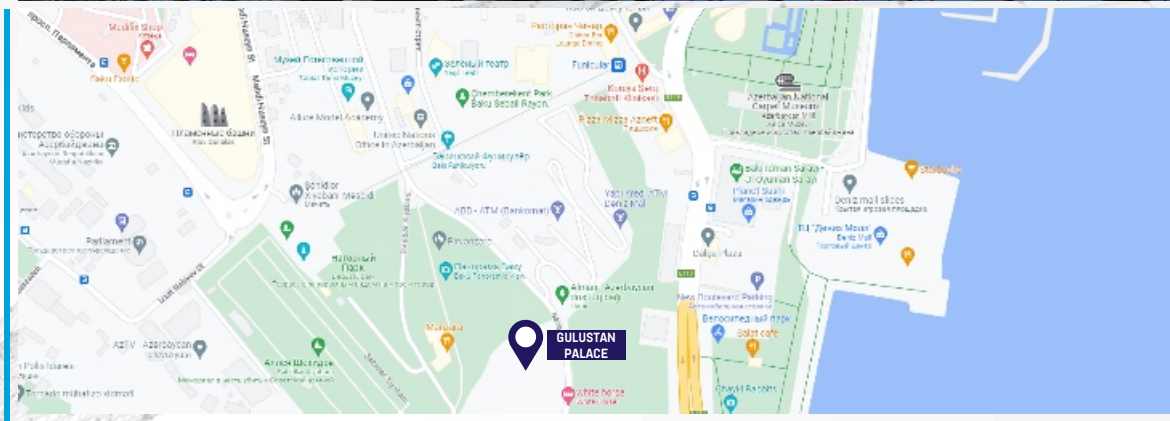


VENUE INFORMATION

International Geo-Mining Forum Baku 2023 will be held at the “Gulustan Palace” on October 26 and 27, 2023 Registration of the participants will be held in the lobby of the meeting venue.

B2B meeting room will be provided in a separate room in this palace for conducting bilateral meetings between interested state agencies and private companies of both sides.

Coffee breaks, Lunch and Dinner will be provided at the palace on October 26 and 27, 2023.



Gulustan Palace
Istigaliyyat street 1

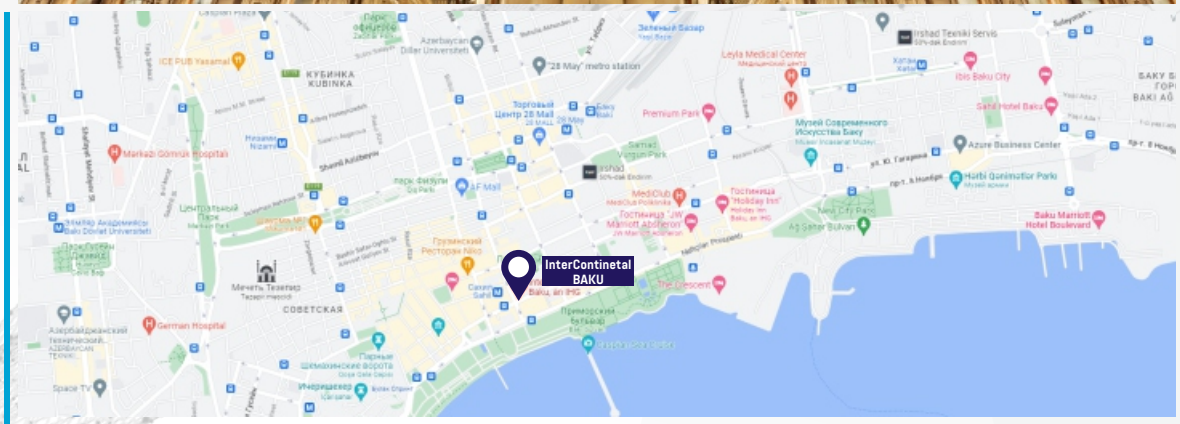
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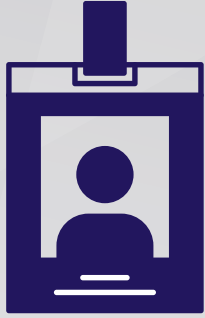
HOTEL & ACCOMMODATION

All the foreign participants of Geomining Forum will be placed in InterContinental Hotel. Including breakfasts, all the expenses will be met by the organizations of the forum. More info on the hotel can be accessed through the link below

<https://www.ihg.com/intercontinental/hotels/us/en/baku/bakha/hoteldetail>



InterContinental Baku, an IHG Hotel
31 Zarifa Aliyeva Street



REGISTRATION

The participant can log into the website as soon as they receive the invitation and sign up. The confirmation letter will be sent to their email.

According to the letter, on 25th of October - the day of their arrival to the hotel, they can receive a personalized badge.

Notice: 1 month before the event, the participant's arrival time to Baku will be confirmed with them and they'll be greeted from the airport.





TRAVEL TO AZERBAIJAN

VISA

The travelers must get a visa for travelling Azerbaijan by applying online via the ASAN Visa portal or at an embassy.



The electronic visa issued within 3 working days through "ASAN Visa" system determines the duration of stay in the country up to 30 days and the visa fee is 20 USD.

For applying the e-visa please visit

<https://www.evisa.gov.az/en/>

and to find the countries eligible for e-visa please check:

<https://evisa.gov.az/en/countries>

Travelers who cannot apply for e-visa can still make their journey to Azerbaijan by requesting a visa physically at the nearest embassy or consulate of the Republic of Azerbaijan.

The host country may also provide with an official letter, which aims to facilitate visa issuing procedures upon arrival to the Heydar Aliyev International Airport.

COVID

Starting March 28th, 2023 COVID-19 entry regulations have been lifted for foreign travelers travelling to Azerbaijan





ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

AIRPORT PICK-UP AND TRANSFER TO THE HOTEL

All participants will be picked up at Heydar Aliyev International Airport and transferred to their respective hotel (tbc) by Ministry of Ecology and Natural Resources (MENR) representatives.



WEATHER FORECAST

October tends to be moderately hot and dry in Baku. Average temperature is fluctuating between 25.5°C (75.7°F) and 28.2°C (79.4°F).



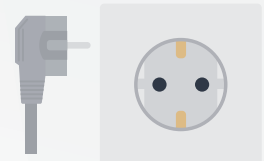
CURRENCY & EXCHANGE RATES

Currency Azerbaijan Manat (AZN)
1 EUR = 1.71 AZN
1 USD = 1.70 AZN



ELECTRICAL & PLUGS

For Azerbaijan there are two associated plug types, types C and F. Plug type C is the plug which has two round pins and plug type F is the plug which has two round pins with two earth clips on the side. Azerbaijan operates on a 220V supply voltage & 50Hz.





ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

TIME

Time zone UTC/GMT + 4 hour



THE OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

Azerbaijani is the official language of Azerbaijan. English & Russian is widely spoken and incorporated into daily transactions and functions.

Some useful Azerbaijani phrases to know:



Hi or Hello	Salam
Thank You	Chokh Sagh Olun
Yes	Beli / He
No	Kheyr / Yokh
How much ?	Necheyedir ?

WI-FI

Internet will be provided throughout the hotel and the venue of the forum for free





EXCURSIONS

26 October, 17:00 – 19:00

Geology Museum



<https://kataloq.gomap.az/en/all-poi/culture/museum/8daad380d56611e0ad4900226424597d>

"Heydar Aliyev" Center



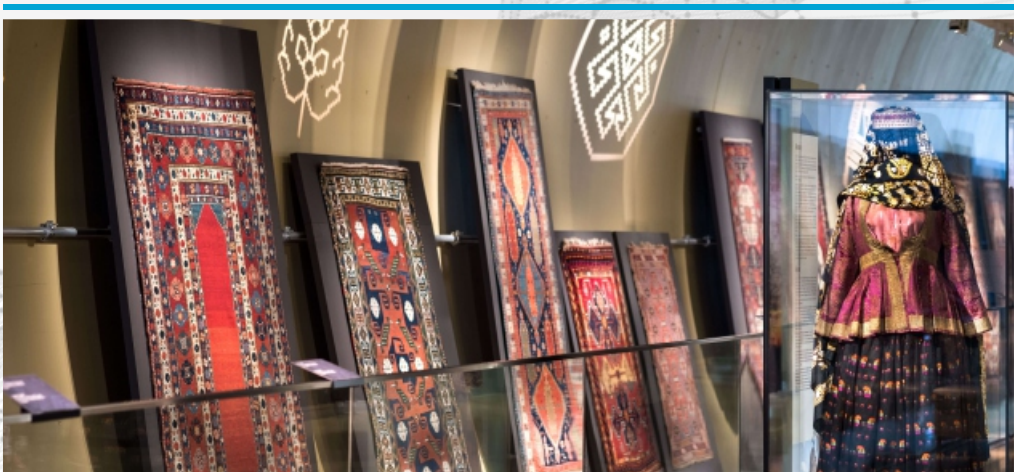
www.heydaraliyevcenter.az



EXCURSIONS

26 October, 17:00 – 19:00

Azerbaijan National Carpet Museum



www.azcarpetmuseum.az



EXCURSIONS

27 October, 16:00

"Yanardagh" the Burning Mountain



www.azcarpetmuseum.az

Gobustan Rock Art Cultural Landscape



<https://whc.unesco.org/en/list/1076>



EXCURSIONS

27 October, 16:00

Garasu & Goturdagh mud volcanos



<http://eco.gov.az/az/tebii-servetlerimiz/palciq-vulkanlari>

National Park "Shirvan"



<https://nationalparks.az/parklar/sirvan-milli-parki>



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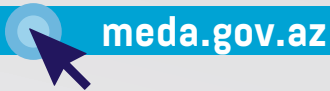
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