



# Tashkent International Model United Nations

Honorable Delegates,

On behalf of the Tashkent International Model United Nations Society, let us welcome You to the Biggest International Model United Nations in Central Asia -Tashkent International MUN – 2023!

The Tashkent International MUN Conference (TIMUN) is an annual project organized by the TIMUN Society, a part of Westminster International University in Tashkent (WIUT). Since its establishment in 2012, TIMUN Society has been driven by the dedication and passion of young individuals, aiming to promote diplomacy and address global issues.

With a commitment to inclusivity and diversity, TIMUN actively engages young people from different regions of Uzbekistan and the whole world. Supported by UN Regional Coordinator's Office in Uzbekistan, UNFPA, UN Women, UNODC, the Ministry of Ecology, Environmental Protection and Climate Change of the Republic of Uzbekistan as well as Artel Group, the TIMUN 2023 Conference serves as a gathering point for students from various educational institutions, representing a multitude of nationalities and backgrounds. Its primary objectives include fostering diplomacy, raising global awareness, enhancing public speaking skills, nurturing leadership development, promoting cultural understanding, facilitating networking, encouraging problem-solving, and cultivating critical thinking.

The conference provides a platform for young delegates to engage in stimulating debates, negotiations, and resolutions on international and development issues that reflect the work of the United Nations in Uzbekistan and in the world.

This year, TIMUN 2023 puts forward the concept of "One UN" under the slogan "Together for a Better World, Together for SDGs #LeaveNoOneBehind" to emphasize the power of collective efforts to effect positive change. A dynamic and transformative three-day event has been designed to engage, educate, and empower young delegates from around the world towards achieving sustainable development. With a diverse range of nationalities and backgrounds, the conference will bring together 550 passionate delegates divided into 11 advanced committees, international professional specialists, dedicated organizers, and enthusiastic volunteers to foster an environment of learning, collaboration, and global citizenship. Additionally, the participation in the conference is FREE of charge for ALL international and local Delegates and Chairs. All the resolutions that will be worked out at the committees of TIMUN 2023 will go to the UN Agencies for the consideration and gradual implementation of the solutions proposed by young leaders of the globe.

We wish you a great and successful conference! Welcome to TIMUN 2023!

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#### 1. VISA INSTRUCTIONS

Please do read the information below before filling the online VISA Application

# a) Do I need a VISA to visit Uzbekistan?

There are 2 types of Uzbekistan tourist visa: the electronic visa (eVisa), which covers short stays for business in addition to tourism, and traditional tourist visas issued by Uzbekistani embassies abroad.

The Uzbekistan eVisa is obtained by applying online, which saves a trip to an embassy. However, citizens of some countries are ineligible for this digital visa, leaving diplomatic missions as the only place to obtain an Uzbekistani tourist visa.

Many tourists do not need an electronic or other visa to be able to visit Uzbekistan - they can enter the country using only their passports. These include the individuals qualifying under the following criteria:

90 days, regardless of the purpose of the visit: Citizens of the listed CIS Countries – Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Moldova, Russia, and Ukraine.

60 days, regardless of the purpose of the visit: Citizens of Kyrgyzstan.

30 days (unless otherwise stated), regardless of the purpose of the visit: Citizens of the listed other –

<ul><li>Andorra</li></ul>	<ul><li>Canada</li></ul>	<ul><li>Indonesia</li></ul>	<ul><li>Moldova</li></ul>	<ul><li>Serbia</li></ul>
<ul><li>Argentina</li></ul>	<ul><li>Chile</li></ul>	<ul><li>Ireland</li></ul>	<ul><li>Monaco</li></ul>	<ul><li>Singapore</li></ul>
<ul><li>Armenia</li></ul>	<ul><li>Croatia</li></ul>	<ul><li>Israel</li></ul>	<ul><li>Mongolia</li></ul>	<ul><li>Slovakia</li></ul>
<ul><li>Australia</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Czech Republic</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Italy</li></ul>	<ul><li>Montenegro</li></ul>	<ul><li>Slovenia</li></ul>
<ul><li>Austria</li></ul>	<ul><li>Denmark</li></ul>	<ul><li>Japan</li></ul>	<ul><li>Netherlands</li></ul>	<ul><li>South Korea</li></ul>
<ul><li>Azerbaijan</li></ul>	<ul><li>Estonia</li></ul>	<ul><li>Kazakhstan</li></ul>	<ul><li>New Zealand</li></ul>	■ Spain
<ul><li>Belarus</li></ul>	<ul><li>Finland</li></ul>	<ul><li>Kyrgyzstan</li></ul>	<ul><li>Norway</li></ul>	<ul><li>Sweden</li></ul>
<ul><li>Belgium</li></ul>	■ France	<ul><li>Latvia</li></ul>	<ul><li>Poland</li></ul>	<ul><li>Switzerland</li></ul>
<ul><li>Bosnia and</li></ul>	<ul><li>Georgia</li></ul>	<ul><li>Liechtenstein</li></ul>	<ul><li>Portugal</li></ul>	<ul><li>Tajikistan</li></ul>
Herzegovina	<ul><li>Germany</li></ul>	<ul><li>Lithuania</li></ul>	<ul><li>Republic of Cyprus</li></ul>	<ul><li>Turkey</li></ul>
<ul><li>Brazil</li></ul>	■ Greece	<ul><li>Luxembourg</li></ul>	<ul><li>Romania</li></ul>	<ul><li>Ukraine</li></ul>
<ul><li>Brunei Darussalam</li></ul>	<ul><li>Hungary</li></ul>	<ul><li>Malaysia</li></ul>	<ul><li>Russian Federation</li></ul>	<ul><li>United Kingdom</li></ul>
<ul><li>Bulgaria</li></ul>	<ul><li>Iceland</li></ul>	<ul><li>Malta</li></ul>	<ul><li>San Marino</li></ul>	<ul><li>Vatican City</li></ul>

# b) Who is eligible for an Uzbekistan E-VISA?

Consult the list below to find out which nationalities require the E-VISA to visit Uzbekistan.

<ul> <li>Afghanistan</li> </ul>	■ Democratic Republic of	<ul><li>Ivory Coast</li></ul>	<ul><li>Niger</li></ul>	<ul><li>Sri Lanka</li></ul>
<ul><li>Albania</li></ul>	the Congo	<ul> <li>Jamaica</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Nigeria</li></ul>	<ul><li>Sudan</li></ul>
<ul><li>Algeria</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Djibouti</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Jordan</li></ul>	<ul><li>North Korea</li></ul>	<ul><li>Suriname</li></ul>
<ul><li>Angola</li></ul>	<ul><li>Dominica</li></ul>	<ul><li>Kenya</li></ul>	■ Oman	<ul><li>Swaziland</li></ul>
<ul> <li>Antigua and Barbuda</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Dominican Republic</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Kiribati</li></ul>	<ul><li>Pakistan</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Syrian Arab Republic</li> </ul>
<ul><li>Bahamas</li></ul>	■ Ecuador	<ul><li>Kuwait</li></ul>	■ Palau	<ul><li>Taiwan</li></ul>
■ Bahrain	■ Egypt	■ Laos	<ul> <li>Palestinian Territory</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Tanzania</li></ul>
<ul><li>Bangladesh</li></ul>	■ El Salvador	<ul><li>Lebanon</li></ul>	■ Panama	<ul><li>Thailand</li></ul>
<ul><li>Barbados</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Equatorial Guinea</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Lesotho</li></ul>	■ Papua New Guinea	■ Timor Leste
■ Belize	<ul><li>Eritrea</li></ul>	<ul><li>Liberia</li></ul>	<ul><li>Paraguay</li></ul>	■ Togo
■ Benin	<ul><li>Ethiopia</li></ul>	<ul><li>Libya</li></ul>	■ Peru	■ Tonga
<ul><li>Bhutan</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Federated States of</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Macau</li></ul>	<ul><li>Philippines</li></ul>	<ul><li>Trinidad and Tobago</li></ul>
<ul><li>Bolivia</li></ul>	Micronesia	<ul><li>Macedonia</li></ul>	<ul><li>Qatar</li></ul>	<ul><li>Tunisia</li></ul>
<ul><li>Botswana</li></ul>	■ Fiji	<ul> <li>Madagascar</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Rwanda</li></ul>	<ul><li>Turkmenistan</li></ul>
<ul><li>Burkina Faso</li></ul>	■ Gabon	<ul><li>Malawi</li></ul>	<ul><li>Saint Kitts and Nevis</li></ul>	<ul><li>Tuvalu</li></ul>
<ul><li>Burundi</li></ul>	<ul><li>Gambia</li></ul>	<ul><li>Maldives</li></ul>	<ul><li>Saint Lucia</li></ul>	<ul><li>Uganda</li></ul>
<ul><li>Cambodia</li></ul>	■ Ghana	<ul><li>Mali</li></ul>	<ul><li>Saint Vincent and the</li></ul>	<ul><li>United Arab Emirates</li></ul>
<ul><li>Cameroon</li></ul>	<ul><li>Grenada</li></ul>	<ul><li>Marshall Islands</li></ul>	Grenadines	<ul><li>United States</li></ul>
<ul><li>Cape Verde</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Guatemala</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Mauritania</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Samoa</li></ul>	<ul><li>Uruguay</li></ul>
<ul><li>Central African</li></ul>	<ul><li>Guinea</li></ul>	<ul><li>Mauritius</li></ul>	<ul><li>Sao Tome and Principe</li></ul>	<ul><li>Vanuatu</li></ul>
Republic	<ul> <li>Guinea Bissau</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Mexico</li></ul>	<ul><li>Saudi Arabia</li></ul>	<ul><li>Venezuela</li></ul>
■ Chad	<ul><li>Guyana</li></ul>	<ul><li>Morocco</li></ul>	<ul><li>Senegal</li></ul>	<ul><li>Vietnam</li></ul>
■ China	<ul><li>Haiti</li></ul>	<ul><li>Mozambique</li></ul>	<ul><li>Seychelles</li></ul>	■ Yemen
<ul><li>Colombia</li></ul>	<ul><li>Honduras</li></ul>	<ul><li>Myanmar</li></ul>	<ul><li>Sierra Leone</li></ul>	<ul><li>Zambia</li></ul>
<ul><li>Comoros</li></ul>	<ul><li>Hong Kong</li></ul>	<ul><li>Namibia</li></ul>	<ul><li>Solomon Islands</li></ul>	<ul><li>Zimbabwe</li></ul>
■ Congo	<ul><li>India</li></ul>	<ul><li>Nauru</li></ul>	<ul><li>Somalia</li></ul>	
<ul><li>Costa Rica</li></ul>	■ Iran	<ul><li>Nepal</li></ul>	<ul><li>South Africa</li></ul>	
■ Cuba	<ul><li>Iraq</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Nicaragua</li> </ul>	<ul><li>South Sudan</li></ul>	

Applicants must complete an Uzbekistan E-VISA application form online, filling in their basic personal details, passport information, and a contact email address to receive the approved visa. They must supply supporting documents, including a passport from an eligible sovereign state. Travelers can select either a single or multiple entry E-VISA for Uzbekistan, depending on whether they wish to enter the country once or on multiple occasions.

Visitors can spend a maximum of 30 days per visit in Uzbekistan with the E-VISA. With a multiple entry E-VISA, travelers may leave the country and then return.

Once approved, the Uzbekistan E-VISA is valid for 90 days. It can be used to enter the country for the purposes of leisure, tourism, and business within this time.

# c) How long does it take to get an Uzbekistan E-VISA?

Processing and issuing the e-visa takes 2 working days, so you should submit your e-visa application at least working 3 days before you plan to enter Uzbekistan.

# d) How long are Uzbekistan E-VISAs valid for?

E-VISAs are valid for 90 days from the date of application. You can enter Uzbekistan at any time during this period (single-entry only) and then spend up to 30 consecutive days in the country.

Please Note: Your stay may be limited to less than 30 days if you enter Uzbekistan when your E-VISA has less than 30 days of validity left. For instance, if you enter Uzbekistan when your E-VISA is only valid for 20 more days, the duration of your stay in the country will be limited to 20 days.

# e) What documents do I need to provide when applying for an E-VISA?

The required documents include the following:

- A clear scan of your passport It must remain valid for another 6 months after your trip.
- A scan of the last page of your passport (if applicable).
- A passport-sized photo (size 35x40 mm, quality 300 dpi, the face occupying 70-80% of the frame, and a uniform background).
- Email address, to receive your visa once ready.
- Payment method. It can be a credit or debit card.

# f) How much does the E-VISA cost and how do I pay for it?

The E-VISA costs \$20 USD, regardless of nationality. Payments must be made via the portal, using a VISA card. If you do not have your own VISA card, you may use one in someone else's name. There is no other way to pay for the E-VISA.

E-VISA related payments are non-refundable, even if your application is denied or if you cancel your trip to Uzbekistan after receiving the E-VISA.

# g) What if my E-VISA contains errors?

Check for typos, and if you have to, read your application two or three times. This is because there is no coming back from an error. You must re-apply if you make a mistake. If there are discrepancies between your passport and your visa, the document is considered invalid. In the end, you will be required to apply for a new e-visa.

# h) How do I use the E-VISA to enter Uzbekistan?

E-visa holders may enter the Republic of Uzbekistan through all border crossing points.

When entering the Republic of Uzbekistan, you will need to present the e-visa in printed form, along with your valid passport (this must be the same passport you used to apply for the e-visa). Please do not affix your e-visa to your passport. You must also carry a copy of the e-visa with you throughout your trip around Uzbekistan. Electronic copies of

the e-visa (such as on your mobile phone) are not sufficient – you must carry a hard copy.

# i) What steps should I follow to get an E-VISA?

You can apply for an e-visa via the Government of Uzbekistan's e-visa portal.

The portal link is: <a href="https://e-visa.gov.uz/what-you-need-to-know">https://e-visa.gov.uz/what-you-need-to-know</a>

Currently, the Uzbekistan e-visa portal is available in English, Russian, and Uzbek.

# **Step 1. Complete the application form.**

After entering the e-visa portal, you must fill in an application form. This involves providing personal data, indicating your planned date of entry into Uzbekistan, and attaching a portrait photo together with a scanned copy of your passport. If you are a citizen of a country with which there is an agreement on visa-free entry to Uzbekistan, the portal will terminate the application process and notify you that you do not need to obtain a visa.

# Step 2. Finalize the application and pay for the E-VISA.

After providing the information required, you must indicate the e-mail address to which the temporary link to the visa application and access code should be sent. After entering the access code on the portal, you will be able to pay for your Uzbekistan e-visa. After making the payment, you will receive a second email that confirms your request has been received.

## Step 3. Receive the E-VISA.

The processing time is 2 working days (excluding the day on which you submit your application). After this time, you will receive a notification by email. If the visa has been granted, you will receive an electronic visa in the form of a PDF file that can be saved on your phone or printed for presentation at the border. If the visa has not been granted, you will also receive a notification by email. Reasons for the refusal may include an incorrectly completed application form, errors and inconsistencies in the information provided, or specific circumstances defined in Uzbekistan's legislation.

#### Additional Details and Information

- The applicant is responsible for the accuracy of the information he or she provides and/or of information that is sent to him or her as part of the process of obtaining an electronic visa to Uzbekistan.
- The applicant does not need to be the owner of the VISA card used to pay the fee for an electronic visa

- In case of future or additional applications for an electronic visa, the applicant must pay the fee again.
- The applicant must request an electronic visa for a valid passport. If the passport is replaced, the applicant must obtain a new visa.
- An applicant with dual citizenship must, when applying for an electronic visa, enter the data of the passport that he or she plans to use to enter Uzbekistan.

The e-visa online application form has a box for 'Citizenship of other states'. We recommend ignoring this box (even if you are a dual national) because ticking it often results in a system error. There should be no need to provide information on your other passport to obtain the e-visa, or to show this other passport when entering or travelling around Uzbekistan.

- The citizens of some countries are not eligible for the simplified visa procedure. If the applicant chooses one of these countries when applying for an electronic visa, the system will notify the appropriate embassy or consulate of Uzbekistan abroad.
- Notifications about the acceptance of e-visa applications and payments, including information about issuance or cancellation of the e-visa, will be sent to the applicant's e-mail address. Therefore, applicants should enter their e-mail addresses carefully.
- If the applicant experiences technical problems when using the portal, he or she should contact (+998 71) 200-00-88, or send an email to <a href="mailto:info@evisa.gov.uz">info@evisa.gov.uz</a>.

#### 2. FISCAL TRANSACTIONS

# a) Exchange of Currency

As plainly, the currency exchange is subject to change and does not remain steady. However, \$1 is around 12,150 UZS, and if you exchange \$50 then it's going to be 607,000 UZS – a decent amount for one to explore the city and have good days during conference days. However, hotels are to be booked beforehand. The list of preferable hotels is shown below, and price varies due to the taste of the attendant. However, if the attendant wants to book even cheaper hostels let's say around \$10-20 per night, it is advised to contact +998 91 779 51 01.

The exchange offices in Tashkent, the capital of Uzbekistan, are quite numerous. Usually, they are open in hotels, or you can find ATM machines near supermarkets or restaurants. In addition, foreign exchange transactions are carried out by the banks. If you are exchanging money in the bank:

- Bring your passport;
- Make sure your money is crisp and clean;
- Bank opening hours are 9 to 18 Monday to Saturday;
- You can exchange money in the airport, but not at the border (officially);
- Banks now exchange foreign money into sum, as well as the other way around.

Duty Free is available for the attendants that wish to exchange their money at the airport. However, in case of the absence of the duty-free attendants or if there are other problems with exchange, attendants are advised to exchange money in the proximate banks.

# b) Use of Credit Card

In Uzbekistan, it is advisable for tourists to always have cash on hand. Often the credit cards of the VISA and Master Card payment systems are accepted in the major hotels of the international networks, or certain restaurants, and sometimes in the most touristic places. Simple shopping centers, cafes, or hotels may not serve VISA or Mastercard cards.

# c) Bank Information

# **List of Largest Banks**

Bank	Website
National Bank of Uzbekistan (NBU)	https://nbu.uz/en/
AgroBank	https://agrobank.uz/
Asaka Bank	https://www.asakabank.uz/
Ipoteka Bank	https://www.ipotekabank.uz/en/
Kapital Bank	https://kapitalbank.uz/en/welcome.php
Asia Alliance Bank	https://kapitalbank.uz/en/welcome.php

**Bank Working Hours:** 8:00 am – 6:00 pm.

#### 3. TRANSPORTATION

The transportation in Tashkent is very affordable in terms of price. Underground trains are available all around the city and will cost you around \$0.12 cents (= 1,400 UZS) per person. On your first trip from the airport to the hotel, you will need to take a taxi, which may cost you more – around \$5 to \$10. On those rides, make sure that you bargain properly. In case you face problems with transportation from the airport, feel free to contact +998 91 779 51 01.

The Conference is going to be hosted by the Westminster International University in Tashkent, which is located at the very heart of the city. The University is located at the "Amir Temur Xiyoboni" station of the metro. The opening ceremony, on the other hand, will be held at the Youth Center, which is located at the "Mustaqillik" station of the subway.

We do not provide transportation beyond the conference's interest. Therefore, attendants are responsible for their travel around the city and the safety as they did sign the waiver, which stated the terms and conditions. Entertainment destinations are to be listed below in this guide. Attendants should also bear in mind that we do not provide any logistics from the airport at the outset and to the airport at the end. This is due to

the fact that the time of arrival of each delegate is different and is subject to be placed in different places.

# **Types of Transportation**

# **International Transportation**

Air. Tashkent International Airport (TAS) is the country's most important airport. Facilities include currency exchange, duty-free shops, bars, and restaurants. Buses operate from the Airport to the city center every 10 to 20 minutes with a travel time of 20 to 30 minutes. Taxis are readily available. You may also use Airport Transfer services provided by most hotels.

**Train.** Tashkent is a main connecting point for all rail services in Central Asia. Routes lead west to Ashgabat, in Turkmenistan; south to Samarkand and on to Dushanbe, in Tajikistan; east to Bishkek, in Kyrgyzstan, and Almaty, in Kazakhstan; and north to Moscow. In the east of the country, there is a spur line to the Ferghana Valley, which leads to Osh, in Kyrgyzstan. In Almaty, it is possible to connect to China.

# **Domestic Transportation**

Air. If you plan to travel outside Tashkent on business or leisure tours, there are a number of options to pursue. Uzbekistan Airways (HY) flies to all major towns and cities in Uzbekistan on a regular basis. Destinations include Tashkent, Samarkand, Navoi, Nukus, Karshi, Termez, Andijan and Namangan. Tickets can be bought at the Uzbekistan Airways (HY) ticket agency or at the domestic departure terminal of the airport (located in a separate building from the international terminal).

Train. There is a network of railways connecting Bukhara, Samarkand, Termez, Fergana Valley and Nukus. There are two railway stations in Tashkent - North and South. Uzbekistan Railways provides a reliable way to travel. You can buy the tickets at the railway station. "Registon" and "Sharq": The "Registon" brings you from Tashkent in 3h30min to Samarkand, and the "Sharq" makes a 600-km-journey Tashkent - Bukhara (with intermediate stop in Samarkand) in about 6.5 hours. A daily overnight train from Tashkent to Bukhara offers the possibility to travel during the night and win one day. Comfortable sleeping cars allow a good sleep. Overnight trains also run from Tashkent and Samarkand to Urgench (3 times weekly) and to Nukus - Kungrad (2 times weekly). It is also possible to travel to Khiva (30 kilometers from Urgench, taxi/bus available) or to the Aral lake (Moynaq, 70 km from Kungrad) by train.

**Bus.** Tashkent has regularly scheduled bus, tram, and trolley service. Buses also provide connections with all the cities and major towns in Uzbekistan and are inexpensive and reliable. The average price of a bus ride within the city will be around \$0.12 cents per person.

**Car.** Uzbekistan has a reasonable road network, with traffic driving on the right. Although cars can be hired, it is most common to hire a car with a driver.

**Taxi.** Taxis and cars for hire are readily available in all cities and major towns. Although it is safer to use only officially marked taxis, many are unlicensed. It is advised to agree a fare in advance and not to share a taxi with strangers. It is advised to download MyTaxi or Yandex. Taxi (similar Uber Taxi services) application on your phone and order a taxi easily. It is considered much safer and cheaper than the street taxi.



#### 4. HOTEL INFORMATION



# Hotel Uzbekistan

Price: \$114 for three nights
= per person it is \$38 per night
Location: 600 meters away from
the Conference Venue
Booking through: Booking.com



# **Shodlik Palace**

Price: \$137 for three nights
= per person it is \$46 per night
Location: 5 km away from
the Conference Venue
Booking through: Booking.com



## **Art Plaza Hotel**

Price: \$120 for three nights
= per person it is \$40 per night
Location: 4 km away from
the Conference Venue
Booking through: Booking.com



#### **Eco Art Boutique Hotel**

Price: \$142 for three nights
= per person it is \$7 per night
Location: 5.6 km away from
the Conference Venue
Booking through: Booking.com



#### **Musafir Hotel**

Price: \$107 for three nights
= per person it is \$36 per night
Location: 900 meters away from
the Conference Venue
Booking through: Booking.com



#### **Art Inn Hotel**

Price: \$105 for three nights
= per person it is \$35 per night
Location: 2.3 km away from
the Conference Venue
Booking through: Booking.com



#### **Jules Verne Hostel**

Price: \$57 for three nights
= per person it is \$19 per night
Location: 2.6 km away from
the Conference Venue
Booking through: Booking.com



#### **City Hotel**

Price: \$138 per 2 people for three nights = per person it is \$23 per night Location: 3.5 km away from the Conference Venue Booking through: Booking.com



#### **Art Hostel**

Price: \$44 for three nights
= per person it is \$15 per night
Location: 4.8 km away from
the Conference Venue
Booking through: Booking.com



#### **Loona Family Hostel**

Price: \$39 for three nights
= per person it is \$13 per night
Location: 5.5 km away from
the Conference Venue
Booking through: Booking.com



#### **Novza Palace Hotel**

Price: \$231 per 2 people for three nights = per person it is \$40 per night

Location: 4 km away from the Conference Venue

Booking through: Booking.com



# Vatan Plaza Price: \$137 per 2 people for three

nights = per person it is \$23 per night Location: 7.4 km away from the Conference Venue Booking through: Booking.com

#### 5. RESTARAUNTS



#### City Grill

Cuisine: European, Central European

Address: Shahrisabz, 23
Reference point: Westminster
International University in Tashkent

**Phone:** +998 90 977 71 16 **Work hours:** 12:00 – 00:00



## **Georgian Yard**

Cuisine: Caucasian, Georgian Address: Abdulla Kakhkhar St. 15 Reference point: Israeli Embassy Phone: +998 90 945 00 08 Work hours: 12:00 – 00:00



#### Franklin's BBQ & Steakhouse

Cuisine: American, South American Address: Buyuk Ipak Yuli 156 A Reference point: Bus stop "Sayohat"

**Phone:** +998 99 804 48 48 **Work hours:** 07:00 – 03:00



#### **Furusato**

Cuisine: Japanese, Asian

Address: NijozBek Juli, 3-proezd, 6A Reference point: Tashkent Institute of

Finance

Phone: +998 95 005 61 32

Work hours:12:00-15:00 17:30-22:00



#### **GŌSHT**

Cuisine: Steakhouse, Barbecue
Address: Shahrisabz, 5A
Reference point: Westminster
International University in Tashkent

**Phone:** +998 99 516 88 00 **Work hours:** 08:00 – 03:00



#### **Assorti**

Cuisine: Uzbek, Asian

**Address:** Uzbekistan Ovozi St., 2 **Reference point:** Le Grande Plaza

Hotel

**Phone:** +998 71 129 99 90 **Work hours:** 12:00 – 23:00



#### **Na Nebe Restaurante**

**Cuisine:** European, Russian, Caucasian **Address:** Khurshid St., 57 TS-5 **Reference point:** Subway station

"Minor"

**Phone:** +998 71 235 10 00 **Work hours:** 12:00 – 23:00



#### **Teppanyaki**

**Cuisine:** Japanese, Asian **Address:** Shakhrisabz St. 33A

Reference point: Opposite of the Le

Grande Plaza Hotel **Phone:** +998 90 955 55 45 **Work hours:** 11:00 – 23:00



#### **Xibei Noodles China**

Cuisine: Chinese

Address: Nukus St., 83A

Reference point: Russian Embassy

**Phone:** +998 90 018 68 88 **Work hours:** 10:00 – 22:00



#### **Sharshara**

Cuisine: Uzbek, European

Address: Severniy Almazar St., 10 Reference point: big waterfall Phone: +998 99 813 00 03 Work hours: 12:00 – 23:00



#### Köşebaşı

Cuisine: Turkish

Address: Furqat Kochasi, 1A

Reference point: Residential Complex

Boulevard

Phone: +998 95 300 70 70 Work hours: 10:00 – 23:00



#### **Golubie Kupola**

**Cuisine:** European, Uzbek, Asian **Address:** Sharofa Rashidova St., 77

**Reference point:** TsUM **Phone:** +998 98 361 27 27 **Work hours:** 11:00 – 23:00



#### Caravan

Cuisine: Middle Eastern
Address: Abdulla Qahhor, 22
Reference point: Israeli Embassy
Phone: +998 90 350 71 15



#### **The Host-Indian Restaurant**

Cuisine: Indian, Asian Address: Oybek Street 65

Work hours: 11:00 - 00:00

Reference point: Judicial Association

of Uzbekistan

**Phone:** +998 94 659 15 55 **Work hours:** 10:00 – 22:00



# **Plov Center**

Cuisine: Uzbek

Address: 1 Iftihor Street, 1 Reference point: TV Tower Phone: +998 71 200 94 44 Work hours: 9:30 – 23:30



#### **Dayako Chicken & Beer**

Cuisine: Korean

Address: Yangi Tashkent St, 1
Reference point: Tashkent City Park

**Phone:** +998 97 717 57 89 **Work hours:** 12:00 – 00:00



#### Nomdor

Cuisine: Uzbek

Address: Shahrisabz, 21a/1
Reference point: Westminster
International University in Tashkent

Phone: +998 71 207 04 04

Work hours: 24/7



#### Rayhon

Cuisine: Uzbek, European Address: Buyuk Ipak yuli array,1 Reference point: Subway station

"Amir Temur Khiyoboni"

Phone: +998 99 732 67 67

Work hours: 10:00 – 22:00



#### **Efendi**

Cuisine: Turkish

Address: Sadik Azimov St., 79a Reference point: School №145 Phone: +998 71 233 15 02 Work hours: 07:00 – 22:00

## 6. NATIONAL CUISINE

Uzbekistan national cuisine will satisfy anyone fond of meat, sweets, fruits, vegetables... basically, it's a foodie's paradise defined by Uzbek pilaf, samsas, shish kebabs, manty dumplings, laghman noodles, fresh bread, juicy fruits, melt-in-your-mouth Uzbek desserts and more.



SAMSA. Uzbek samsa is a queen of Uzbek cuisine. Uzbek samsa is a hearty baked dish of Uzbek cuisine for holidays and everyday life, with various fillings to suit all tastes. Usually, it is prepared with finely chopped meat or minced meat, but there are also such original versions, in which pumpkin, spinach, potatoes, chicken meat are used as the filling. It is a pastry pie stuffed with meat and onion or pumpkin, potato, cabbage, mushrooms, or

nuts backed in tandyr. Tandyr is a traditional cylindrical clay oven, heated with coal. Skill is needed when placing raw samsas or non on the inside wall of the oven.



NARYN. In Uzbek cuisine, naryn is a pasta dish made with fresh hand-rolled noodles and horse meat. Naryn can be served as a cold pasta dish (kuruk norin, or "dry" norin) or as a hot noodle soup (khul norin, or "wet" norin). Homemade pasta is rolled very thinly and cut into strips 2–4 mm wide and 50–70 mm long. Naryn is popular among the Uighur, Uzbek, Kirghiz, and Kazak people. It can also be prepared with lamb or beef and is considered one of the delicatesses of the

region. The unusual taste of lace-like noodles in combination with horsemeat (classic version) makes the dish taste fantastic.



LAGMAN. Lagman is one of the most delicious dishes of national Uzbek cuisine. It's one of the common dishes in Xinjiang and can be found in the small and big restaurants all over the region. As the matter of fact, the lagman is Central Asian spaghetti with the addition of meat, greens, spices, and broth. In Uzbekistan, two main types of lagman are widespread; these are Uigur chuzmalagman (stretching lagman) and Uzbek

kesma-lagman (cut lagman). Uzbek lagman is cooked differently in each region of the country.



MANTI. Manti or manty - a traditional meat dish of the peoples of Central Asia, consisting of finely chopped meat in a thin dough, cooked under steam. It's stuffed with lamb, onion and mixture spices of salt and pepper. In Uzbekistan manti are very popular and common dish, steamed out of the delicate fine dough with juicy meat filling inside. Most of the dishes of Uzbek cuisine supposed to eat with your hands, manti are among them.

By the way, it is quite difficult to eat manti with covers, so after a few minutes you will understand that eating manti with hands not only convenient, but also much more delicious - juicy stuffing does not fall out but remains with the juice inside manti.



SHURPA. Uzbek soup shurpa - famous dish of Uzbek cuisine, without which any one meal and even a wedding can't do. In some regions of Uzbekistan, a wedding feast begins from Uzbek wedding shurpa. We can identify some indications of traditional Uzbek soup shurpa. Firstly, it is characterized by a high fat content that is especially noticeable during the cooking shurpa from the pre roasted meat and

vegetables. Secondly, for shurpa the use of many herbs and spices is characterized. Thirdly, at a relatively constant set of coarsely chopped vegetables, namely, carrots, potatoes, and onions in Uzbek shurpa various fruits - apples, apricots (dried apricots), quince, plum may be used (even welcome) in considerable quantities.



PILAF. Plov is a very popular, historic Uzbek dish. Also referred to as "pilaf" or "palov", it's made up of long grain rice, tender chunks of lamb, onions, and carrots. In Uzbekistan, there is a saying that guests can leave the house only after they have tasted the pilaf prepared by the owners. Pilaf is served as an everyday and holiday dish, especially for such events as a wedding, return from a pilgrimage, birth of a child, anniversary, funeral, and as an aid to those in need.

The history of pilaf goes back to the ancient times.



**KEBAB.** Probably everyone is familiar with the indescribable smell of delicious barbeque spreading along the street. Meat is very popular in Uzbekistan and is cooked here a lot. And everyone knows that the most delicious meat is kebab – meat on the skewers, well marinated and cooked on the open fire. In Uzbekistan, a huge number of different types of kebabs are prepared. Classic Uzbek shish kebab is the

tenderest meat, properly marinated with spices and skewered with small slices of lamb fat (dumba). This type of kebab usually is cooked from lamb. In addition, there are also other types of barbecue: beef liver kebab (Dzhigar kabob), chicken BBQ, Beshpanja (formed on five skewers at once), Charvi kabob (meat covered with melted fat). However, the most known and favorite shish kebab in Uzbekistan is Kiyma shish kebab (from minced meat).

#### 7. EMERGENCY CONTACTS

#### **Uzbekistan Phone Codes**

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Provider	Country Code	Provider-specific code
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Uzmobile	+998	(95) or (99)
Ucell	+998	(93) or (94)
Perfectum Mobile	+998	(98)
UMS	+998	(97)

If you need an emergency help during your trip in Uzbekistan, you may call the following numbers:

- Emergency service 112
- Fire service 101
- Healthcare emergency 103
- Emergency gas service 104
- Rescue service 1050
- Inquiry office 109

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