

# Visiting Prague



## About

Prague is the capital city of the Czech Republic. Not only is it a beautiful architectural gem, but also one of the most cultural cities in the world. You can easily get to Prague by plane or train from many major European cities. Prague is one of the safest and most cultured cities in the world. In addition, it's very compact and easy to get around on foot or by tram and metro. You'll see that the creative spirit is still alive in the city where Kafka, Mozart, and Einstein lived and worked.

Learn about Prague from [Prague City Tourism](#).

## Quick Reminders

- Prague is in the Central European Time Zone.
- While we encourage you to explore Prague, please plan on attending Congress sessions.
- The legal drinking age is 18 years old.
- It is illegal to use cannabis or other narcotics in Czech Republic, and please do not travel with any narcotics.



## Airport Location

Václav Havel Airport Prague is located at Aviatická, 161 00 Praha 6, Czechia. The airport is a 30-minute car ride or a 60-minute tram/metro ride to Clarion Congress Hotel Prague.



## Hotel and Congress Location

Clarion Congress Hotel Prague  
Freyova 945/33  
190 00 Praha 9-Vysočany, Czechia.

# How to Prepare



## Average Weather in March

In mid-March, Prague, Czechia is chilly but warming up with daytime highs near 52°F (11°C) and lows near 36°F (2°C). There is a chance of rain or snow, and cloud cover is more likely at the beginning of the month.



## Packing

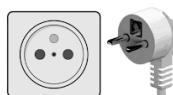
During the day, you can expect to be primarily indoors at the Clarion Congress Hotel. However, you may want to take advantage of the event location and explore Prague. Check your travel arrangements before you begin packing to determine your suitcase size options. Here are some helpful hints as you prepare for your trip:

- Items to be securely packed:
  - Passport
  - Passport Copy
  - Travel Documentation (Visa)
  - Money/Credit Cards (notify credit card company about traveling internationally before you leave)
  - Cell Phone (contact provider, so you don't incur unexpected charges or look into eSims options)
- Personal Items
  - Clothes for your entire trip
    - Check the weather forecast
    - Dress is casual for the entire event
    - Comfortable shoes
    - Sweater in case the conference rooms are cold
  - Toiletries & Personal Hygiene Items (Clarion will have some in your room)
  - Necessary medications
  - Electronic chargers
  - Plug Converter (see below)
  - Umbrella, raincoat or heavier coat depending on weather



## Plugs and Outlets

Type E plug (with two pins) is the most common plug type in Prague. Often Type C and F can fit and Type E is the standard. The voltage in Prague is 230V and 50Hz, when looking for a plug converter consider looking for a combo plug and voltage converter to protect your electronics.



Type E

# Transportation

**Note: HDYO will not be covering any transportation fees.**



## Public Transportation

Prague's extensive public transportation network is rated as one of Europe's best and most reliable. Thanks to public transport, you can reach even the most remote corners of the metropolis quickly and easily. The Metro, Trams, and Buses are the most common public transportation options in Prague.

The city offers multiple-day public transport passes ranging from 30 CZK for a 30-minute pass to 330 CZK for a 72-hour pass. [Check them out here!](#)



## Private Transportation

Uber and Bolt are common car services used in Prague. Also, if you are traveling to Clarion Congress Hotel Prague (where Congress is being held) the hotel offers various car services for a fee, [access here](#).



## Want to Carpool or Ride Share?

We have set up different WhatsApp groups for attendees to find others who may be arriving or leaving at similar times. Check it out!

[Arriving Wednesday Group](#)

[Departing Sunday Group](#)

[Arriving Thursday Group](#)

[Departing Monday Group](#)

[Arriving Friday Group](#)



## Accessibility in Prague

Prague's Tourism Center has compiled a list of accessible services across the city from accommodations, monuments, shopping, public transport, and more!

[Access Prague's Accessibility Page here.](#)

[Access an Accessibility Map of Prague Here.](#)

[Access Prague's "Barrier-Free Travel" information here.](#)

# Other Details



## Meals

As a part of your registration, the following meals will be included:

- **Friday, 14 March**
  - Lunch
- **Saturday, 15 March**
  - Lunch
  - Dinner
- **Sunday, 16 March**
  - Lunch

\*If you are staying at the Clarion Congress Hotel, your breakfasts will be included in your stay as well.



## Important Phone Numbers

Numbers can be accessed from local Prague phones and by phones connected to the local mobile network.

**112**

General Emergency

**155**

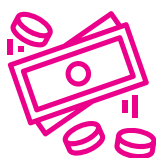
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**150**

Fire brigade

**158**

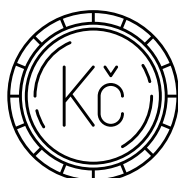
Police



## Currency

The best currency to use in Prague is Czech Koruna (CZK) which will also be represented with the symbol Kč. Most shops will not accept € (Euros). You may run into a few shops that do but it is not standard practice in the Czech Republic.

MasterCard and Visa are widely accepted across Prague; however, we encourage travelers to carry some Kč in case an establishment does not take credit cards.



Czech Koruna



Some Credit Cards