

VISA REQUIREMENTS

- ▶ Passport must be valid for at least 6 (six) months from the date of your departure to Brazil.
- ▶ Participants are strongly advised to make sure they fulfill all legal requirements to enter in Brazil. Besides a valid passport, an entry visa may also be required. Because of the diplomacy principle of reciprocity, Brazil requires a visa for citizens from countries that require a visa from Brazilian citizens. Please check with your nearest Brazilian Consulate:

<https://www.gov.br/mre/pt-br/assuntos/portal-consular/vistos/informacoes-sobre-vistos-para-estrangeiros-viajarem-ao-brasil>
- ▶ The need for a visa to Brazil depends on your nationality and **NOT** on the country where you live or from where you are traveling to Brazil. Cost and time to get a visa depend on nationality.
- ▶ We can provide an invitation letter for a registered participant upon request by email cosmo2022.rio@gmail.com. Before making travel arrangements check with a Brazilian Consulate about all entry requirements.

VACCINATION

- ▶ A valid international vaccination certificate for yellow fever, under the auspices of the World Health Organization, is demanded by the Brazilian Government for travellers who are resident (or have been in transit within the past three months) of Angola, Benin, Bolivia, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Colombia, Ecuador, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea-Bissau, French Guyana, Liberia, Nigeria, Peru, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Sierra Leone, Sudan, Venezuela and Zaire. Please consult the health department office in your city.
- ▶ According to the “World Health Organization” yellow fever vaccination is recommended for international travellers in many areas in Brazil, in particular if going to wild forest areas. The vaccination must be taken at least 10 (ten) days before travelling. Yellow fever vaccination is not mandatory to enter Brazil. No cases of yellow fever have been reported in the urban area of the city of Rio de Janeiro.
- ▶ If a vaccine is required check how in advance you must be vaccinated before travelling to Brazil.
- ▶ COVID 19 - Requirements for the entry in Brazil

<https://www.gov.br/anvisa/pt-br/assuntos/paf/coronavirus/viajantes/regras-para-entrada-portaria>

USEFUL INFORMATION

LANGUAGE

- ▶ The official language in Brazil is Portuguese, but the official language of the Conference is English.

CURRENCY

- ▶ Brazilian currency is the REAL. Its sign is R\$ and its ISO code is BRL. It is subdivided into 100 centavos ("hundredths").

Today exchange rate: BRL to USD and USD to BRL.

<http://www.google.com/finance?q=BRLUSD>

<http://www.google.com/finance?q=USDBRL>

HEALTH CONCERNS

- ▶ Check with your health insurance about coverage in Rio. COSMO 22 does not offer any medical or dental service. You may consider buying health insurance before arriving in Rio de Janeiro.

REACHING RIO DE JANEIRO

- ▶ Rio de Janeiro Tom Jobim airport connects Rio to several domestic and international destinations. It is located about 25 km from PLANETÁRIO (CONFERENCE VENUE).

ACCOMMODATION

We recommend that participants stay at the hotels listed to take advantage of special rates and conditions provided to participants of COSMO 22 in IPANEMA, COPACABANA and BOTAFOGO neighborhoods.

HOTEL / DISTANCE FROM THE VENUE

- ▶ **Hotel Vermont Ipanema / ~5 km**
- ▶ **Ipanema inn, Ipanema / ~5 km**
- ▶ **Sol Ipanema, Ipanema / ~5 km *(more info soon)***
- ▶ **Ibis Botafogo, Botafogo / ~9 km *(more info soon)***
- ▶ **Windsor Excelsior, Copacabana / ~10 km**
- ▶ **Windsor Copa, Copacabana / ~10 km**

ACCOMMODATION

<http://www.hotelvermont.com.br>

VERMONT IPANEMA HOTEL



How to get your reservation

Get the special rates informed below applying the discount code COSMO22 on hotels website <https://www.hotelvermont.com.br/>.

Any information please contact us: cosmo2022.rio@gmail.com

This special rates is valid for bookings made until July 15, 2022.

STANDARD		
Single	Double	Triple
R\$299	R\$321	R\$418

Includes Buffet Breakfast and Wi-Fi.

Additional Taxes & Fees is not applicable

Please note the deposit and cancellation policies on the website. Usually the hotel practice cancellation free of charge 72 hours in advance.

ACCOMMODATION

<http://ipanemainn.com.br/>

Ipanema Inn



How to get your reservation

Get 5% off applying the promocode METAIPA5 on hotels website www.ipanemainn.com.br

Any information please contact us: cosmo2022.rio@gmail.com

Promocode is valid for bookings made until July 31, 2022.

STANDARD

Single/Double

R\$430 + TAXES

SUPERIOR

Single/Double

R\$495 + TAXES

Includes A la carte breakfast and Wi-Fi.

Additional Taxes & Fees: Rate + 10% service tax + 5% city taxes

Please note the deposit and cancellation policies on the website.

The hotel rates are fluctuate, there is a difference in value when looking for different periods but the discount with the code is available.

Sol Ipanema



How to get your reservation

We are working to get a discount (~15%) rate. *More information soon.*

Includes Buffet Breakfast and Wi-Fi. Additional Taxes & Fees is applicable. Please note the deposit and cancellation policies on the website. The hotel rates are fluctuate, there is a difference in value when looking for different periods but the discount code is available.

Ibis Botafogo Styles



How to get your reservation

We are on the final stages of an agreement with IBIS Botafogo Styles.
More information soon.

STANDARD		
Single	Double	Triple
R\$219 + 5% TAX	R\$254 + 5% TAX	—

Includes Buffet Breakfast and Wi-Fi. Additional Taxes & Fees is applicable. Please note the deposit and cancellation policies on the website. The hotel rates are fluctuate, there is a difference in value when looking for different periods but the discount code is available.

ACCOMMODATION

<https://windsorhoteis.com/hotel/windsor-excelsior/>

Windsor Excelsior



How to get your reservation

Get the special rates informed below accessing the website:
<https://www.windsorhoteis.com/especiais/cosmo-22?lang=en>

Any information please contact us: cosmo2022.rio@gmail.com

Special rate is valid for bookings made until July 15, 2022.

STANDARD		
Single	Double	Triple
R\$383 + TAXES	R\$443 + TAXES	R\$581 + TAXES

SUPERIOR		
Single	Double	Triple
R\$440 + TAXES	R\$506 + TAXES	R\$660 + TAXES

Includes buffet breakfast and Wi-Fi.

Additional Taxes & Fees: Rate + 10% service tax + 5% city taxes

Please note the deposit and cancellation policies on the website.

The hotel rates are fluctuate, there is a difference in value when looking for different periods but the discount with the code is available.

ACCOMMODATION

<https://windsorhoteis.com/hotel/windsor-copa/>

Windsor Copa



How to get your reservation

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<https://www.windsorhoteis.com/especiais/cosmo-22?lang=en>

Any information please contact us: cosmo2022.rio@gmail.com

Special rate is valid for bookings made until July 15, 2022.

STANDARD		
Single	Double	Triple
R\$276 + TAXES	R\$326 + TAXES	—

SUPERIOR		
Single	Double	Triple
R\$301 + TAXES	R\$354 + TAXES	R\$469 + TAXES

Includes buffet breakfast and Wi-Fi.

Additional Taxes & Fees: Rate + 10% service tax + 5% city taxes

Please note the deposit and cancellation policies on the website.

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