



G7 2017
ITALIA

**MEETING OF MINISTERS OF FINANCE AND CENTRAL
BANK GOVERNORS**

11-13 May, Bari

MEDIA HANDBOOK



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WORKING PROGRAMME

Thursday, 11 May 2017

Arrival of delegations

Friday, 12 May 2017

8.40 a.m.	Start of the Symposium (Heads of delegation, deputies, speakers) <i>(Castello Normanno Svevo)</i> First part (<i>Inclusive growth</i>) Second part (<i>Finance, regulation and growth</i>)
12.30 p.m. – 1.30 p.m.	Lunch
01.30 p.m. – 5.30 p.m.	First G7 working session (Heads of delegation, deputies) <i>(Castello Normanno Svevo)</i>
5.40 p.m.	Departure for Matera, the site of the dinner (Heads of delegation, deputies, Symposium speakers)

Saturday, 13 May 2017

8.30 a.m. – 10.00 a.m.	Second G7 working session (Heads of delegation, deputies) <i>(Castello Normanno Svevo)</i>
10.00 a.m. - 10.30 a.m.	Family photo
10.30 a.m. - 12.00	Third G7 working session (Heads of delegation, deputies)
10.30 a.m. - 12.00	Fourth G7 working session (Heads of delegation, deputies)
1.00 p.m.	G7 Presidency press conference (Heads of Delegation, Deputies) National press conferences

ITALIAN G7 PRESIDENCY 2017



G7 participating countries



France



United States



United Kingdom



Germany



Japan



Italy



Canada



European Union
Non-enumerated member

REACH AND MOVE IN BARI

Bari can be reached either by plane or train.



The **Aeroporto Internazionale “Karol Wojtyla” of Bari** is about 13 Kilometres away from the city center. You can get to the city center by the local train **FR2** that takes to **“Bari Centrale”** railway station (4 stops, €5).



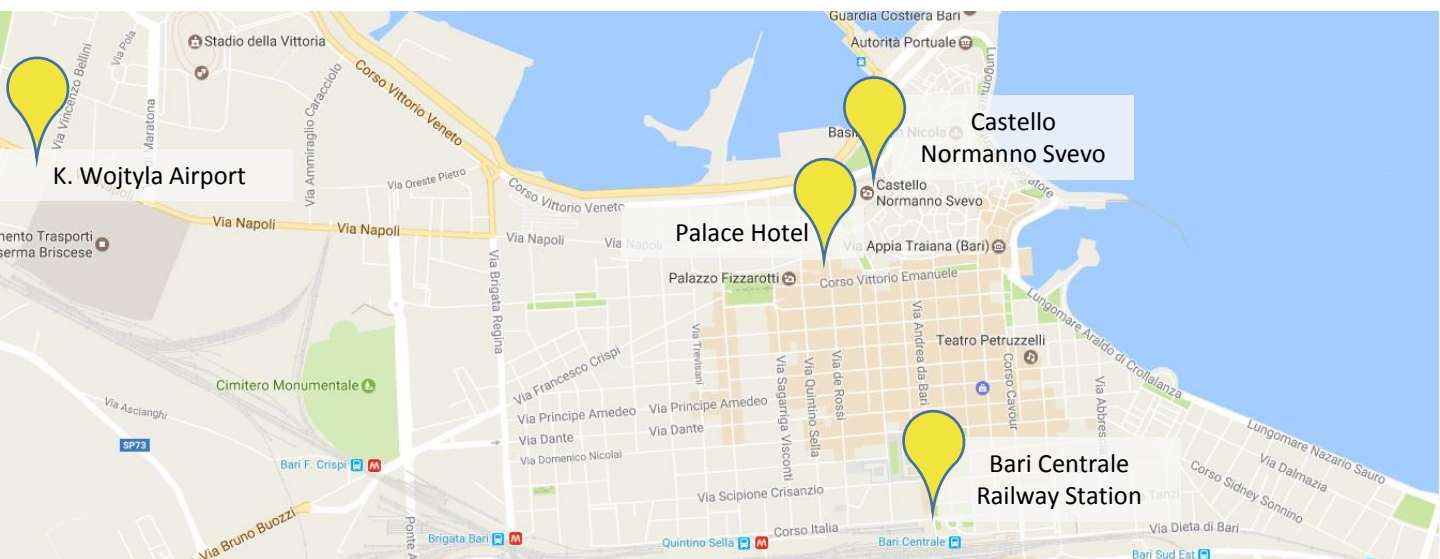
For those who reach Bari by train, **“Bari Centrale” station** is about 1 Kilometer away from the city center which is reachable by Public buses and taxi:



Bus: Amtab S.p.A. runs the Public Transport system in Bari. Information about bus routes can be found online at www.amtab.it.



Taxi: Apulia Taxi Tel: +39 080-5346666
Nuova CO.TA.BA. Tel: + 39 80-5543333



ACCREDITATION

Only accredited journalists, cameramen and photographers will be allowed to the **G7 meeting of the Finance Ministries and Central Bank Governors in Bari.**

Media representatives must register via the online accreditation system available on the G7 Presidency official website www.g7italy.it/en/accreditation **at the latest on than Tuesday, 2 May 2017 at 5 p.m. (local time).**

To fill up the online accreditation form you will need a photo (Jpeg format) and a scanned copy of the following documents:

- Id card or passport
- Press card (if the letter of the company is not available/mandatory only for freelance)
- Letter of the editor to confirm the assignment

BADGE PICK-UP

Journalists and technical staff will receive their badges upon arrival at the Media Centre (press registration desk) at the Palace Hotel. Identification document will be required.

The accreditation badges can be picked up on Thursday, 11th May from 12.00 to 8.00 p.m. at the Media Centre.

We advise you that on-site accreditation is not allowed.

MEDIA CENTRE

The Media Centre is at the Palace Hotel, which is at a walking distance from the Castello Normanno Svevo.

Opening hours

Thursday, 11 May: from 12.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m.

Friday, 12 May: from 7.00 a.m. to 10.00 p.m.

Saturday, 13 May: from 7.00 a.m. to 8.00 p.m.

The **Media Centre** will be equipped with:

- A large press room with 150 work stations
- Smaller briefing rooms
- TV and CCTV
- WiFi connection
- Photocopiers
- 3 printers
- 5 personal computers
- 5 desks for news and updates

Buffet lunch will be served in the near coffee/lunch area.

PRESS CONFERENCES

The G7 Presidency press conference will take place in the Castello Normanno Svevo (Multimedia Room - Level 0) on Saturday, 13 May at 1.00 p.m. A simultaneous interpretation service will be available (English-Italian/Italian-English). The other national press conferences will follow starting from 1.30 p.m.

HOST BROADCASTER

RAI (Radio Televisione Italiana) is the Italian national broadcaster and it is the host broadcaster for the G7 meeting of the Finance and Ministries and Central Bank Governors. RAI will provide the signal of the event for free to registered partners.

Free International Signal

Below satellite data for downlink **Rome Time**:

(12 May 2017)

- Timing 08.00-10.30 ; 14.00-14.30 (RT)
- Satellite EUT 7B – 7 E
- Frequency RX 12.600,300 MHz
- Polarization Y
- Encoding H264
- Modulation DVB-S2 ; 8PSK
- Symbol Rate 7200
- FEC 3/4
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Ch2 international sound right
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Routing of international signal on permanent connections via CNC, will be defined by Raiway.

TV BROADCASTERS

TV broadcasters who need to place their technical equipment (e.g. OB Vans) in the nearby areas of the castle, must send a request to portavoce@mef.gov.it indicating the make/model of the vehicle, the plate number, the weight and the dimensions. The parking permit may be withdrawn at the Media Center at the Palace Hotel. All Broadcast and Media Service Providers using microphones or wireless systems have to request a specific mandatory authorization issued by the Ministry of Economic Development.

[Please click here](#)

ACCESS TO THE CASTLE

Press, photographers, cameramen and video-makers will have access to the Castle for the press conferences. The access is allowed to professionals registered via their delegations. Groups will be pooled at the entrance of the Castle ahead of each event:

- Tour de table and meeting kick off first G7 working session, Friday 12th May at 1,30 pm
- Family photo, Saturday 13 May at 10,00 am
- Tour de table second G7 working session, Saturday 13 May at 08,30 am

In case, other opportunities will be timely communicated.

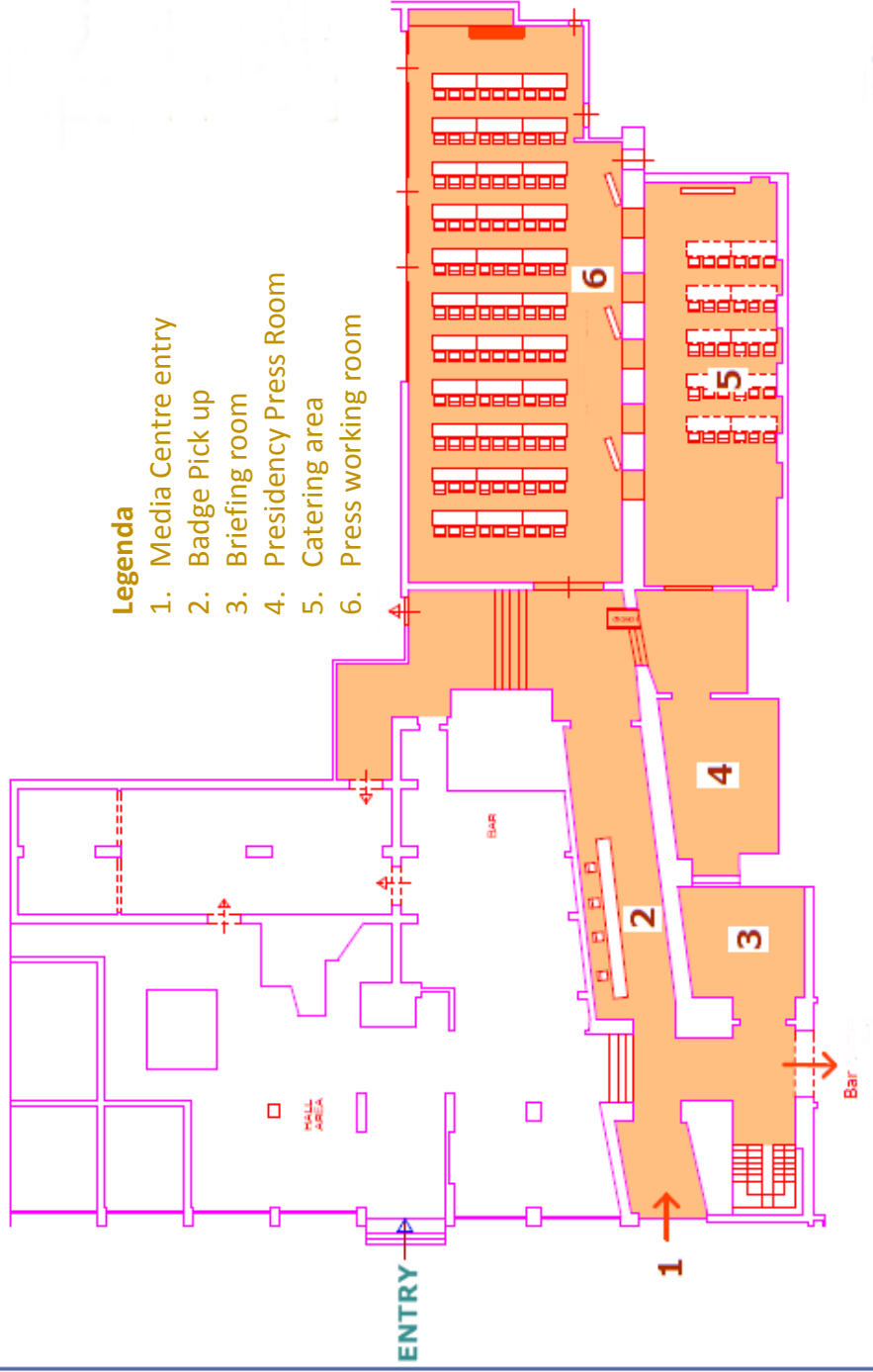
Registration at the Media Centre is compulsory to take interviews and to be part of the pooled groups.

There will be a dedicated area for stand-up and interviews at the Castle and at the Palace Hotel.

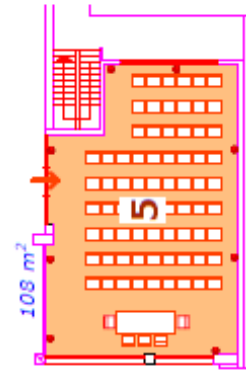
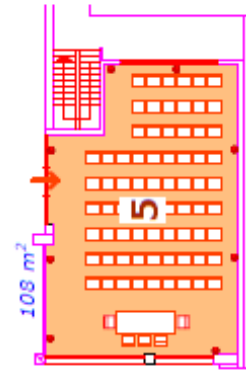
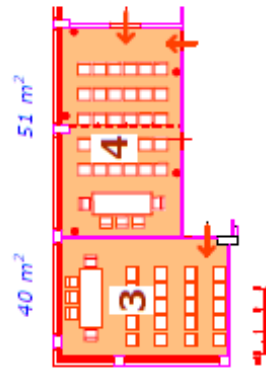
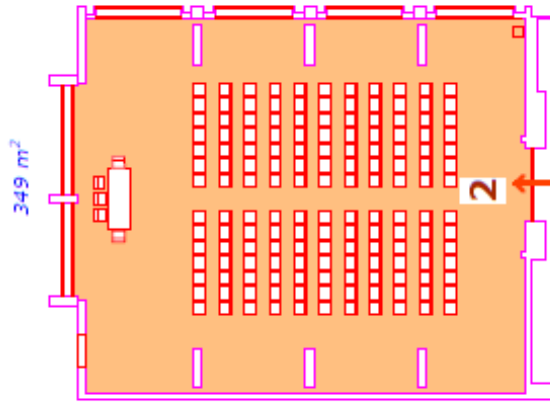
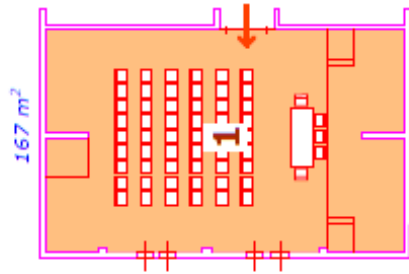
Electric supply

In Italy you will find a 220-240 Volt system with 50 Hz frequency.

PALACE HOTEL



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ACCOMODATION

Here is a list of suggested hotels that are at a walking distance both from the meeting venue and the Media Centre:

HOTEL BEST WESTERN EXECUTIVE 3 stars (400 mt)

www.executivebusinesshotel.it

HOTEL BOSTON 3 stars (400 mt)

www.bostonhotelbari.com

HOTEL VICTOR 3 stars (800 mt)

www.hotelvictorbari.it

HOTEL LEON D'ORO 4 stars (1,1 km)

www.grandhotel-leondoro.it

Other suggested hotels in Bari:

MERCURE VILLA ROMANAZZI CARDUCCI 4 stars (1,9 km)

www.villaromanazzi.com

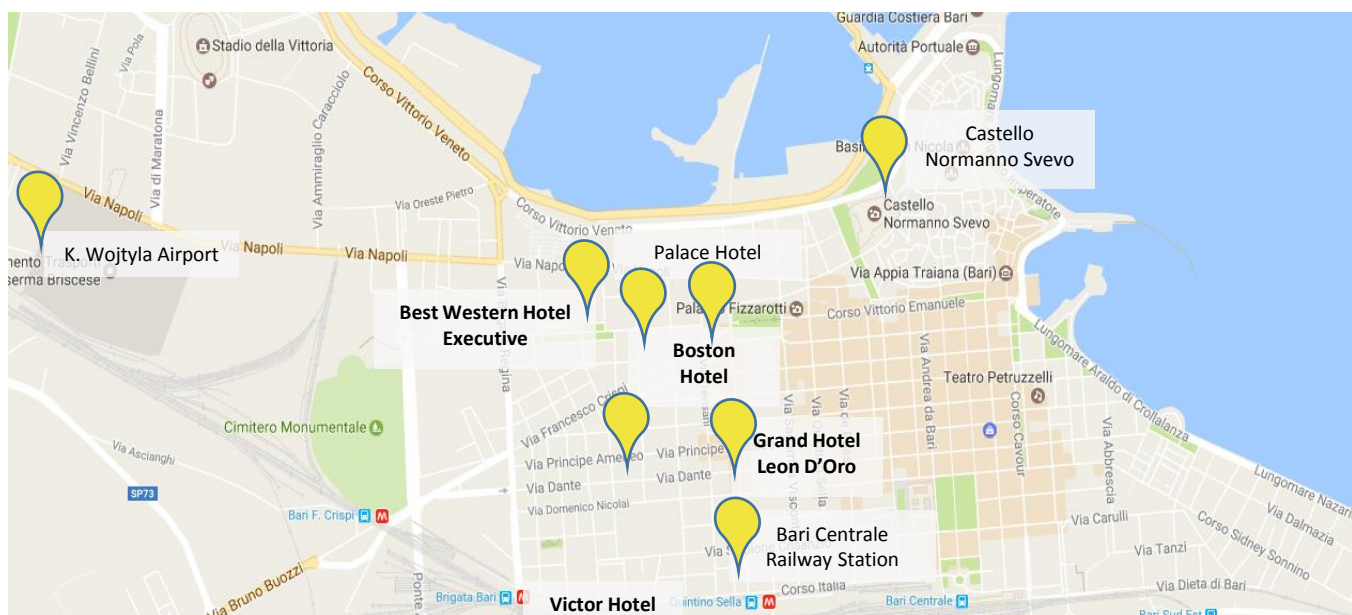
HOTEL NICOLAUS 4 stars (4 km)

www.thenicolaushotel.com

HI HOTEL 4 stars (4,4 km)

www.hihotelbari.com

Pre-booking for media is not provided. It is advisable to make reservation as early as possible.



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