

AOA Seminar 2023 Sydney Tue. 26 – Wed. 27 September, 2023

Information on Sydney

Sydney Airport

Sydney Airport is located just 8km from the Sydney CBD and driving takes about 20-25 minutes in light traffic. Most routes to the airport carry regular signs of the universally recognisable aeroplane symbol.



Transport

Various forms of transport are available to arriving delegates:

Taxi and Uber

You can access taxis and Uber services when you arrive. The Sydney CBD is a short, 20 minute ride away and will cost about \$55 one way. You'll find taxi ranks at the front of all terminals - simply follow the signs to the nearest ranks.

To Pre-book your taxi

You can also pre-book a taxi to collect you from the airport. Pre-booked parking bays are available at the international and domestic terminals.

Some taxi companies that offer pre-booking include:

13CABS	Web:	http://sydney.13cabs.com.au/
Premier Cabs – Airport Taxi Service	Web:	http://www.premiercabs.com.au/
Silver Service Fleet	Web:	https://www.silverservice.com.au/

To Pre-Book your Uber

For Uber services, simply send the request once you've exited the terminal, and your driver will meet you at the **Priority Pick-up Zone** outside of the **International Terminal**.

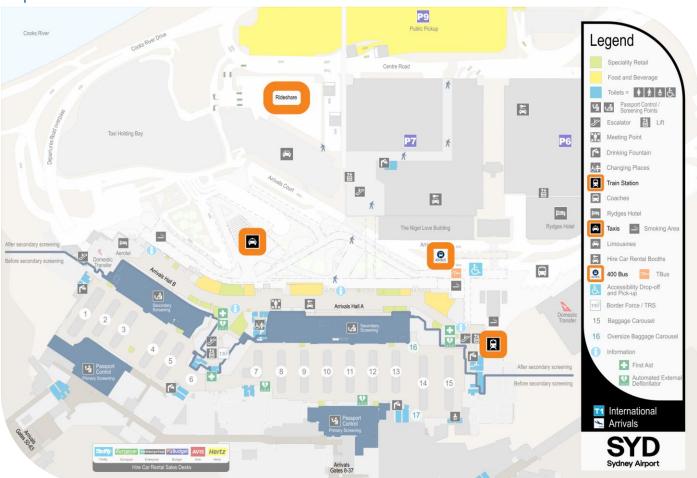
Fares to Sydney city vary depending on the selected vehicle option, travel time, and total distance.

Use the **Uber Fare Estimator** to get estimated prices. Web: https://www.uber.com/fare-estimate/

Ola also provides rideshare services to and from Sydney Airport.

Web: https://ola.com.au/

Map of International Terminal Arrivals



Train

Sydney Airport is located just 13 minutes by train from the city. Airport Link offers a fast and convenient way to reach the city and suburbs, with trains running approximately every 10 minutes. The station is located at the northern end of the terminal past the MacDonalds outlet and accessible from the Arrivals level. To use this service, you can tap on with your Amex, Visa or Mastercard.

For more information, including fares, maps, timetable Web: https://airportlink.com.au/ changes and travel planners, select the link

By shuttle

If you're looking for transfer services that provide transport between the airport and most Sydney suburbs and regional areas.

You can find a range of providers via **Mozio** Web: https://sydneyairport.mozio.com/en-us/

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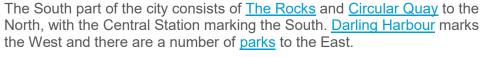
Sydney, the capital of <u>New South Wales</u>, Australia. It is Australia's oldest and largest city with a population of around 4 million. Sydney is built around a huge harbour and hosts many tourist attractions as well as a number of <u>beaches</u>, <u>bays</u> and a couple of <u>national parks</u>.

September is the beginning of spring in Sydney, average daytime temperatures are around 16°C while high temperatures can hit peaks of 20°C on warmer days.

The city is divided into <u>North</u> and South by the <u>Sydney Harbour</u>, with both <u>Sydney Harbour Bridge</u> and Tunnel connecting them. Most of the tourist attractions are in the South part of the city, with a large business and residential area in the North.



The Rocks Link to Image Source



On the corner of Market and Elizabeth Streets you will find the country's most prestigious department store - David Jones. Be sure to stop at their equally renown 'Food Glorious Food' Department. You can choose from one of their many gourmet delights and then stroll over to the beautiful Hyde Park for a picnic.



Sydney's Central Business District is home to some of the best shopping centres in the city. There is something for everyone with over 400 specialty stores in just 8 retail centres. Pitt Street Mall is where you will find the popular re-branded Myer Store.

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Don't miss the chance to shop in the famous Queen Victoria building. This stunning shopping centre occupies an entire city block. Initially completed in 1898, the Queen Victoria was restored during the 1970's and is now home to a huge array of boutiques and designer stores.

Queen Victoria building Link to Image Source

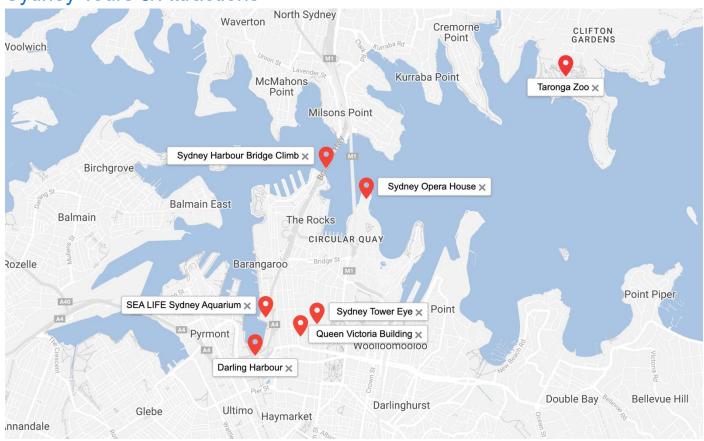


Sydney Town Hall Link to Image Source

Opposite the Queen Victoria building is the historic Sydney Town Hall, built in the 1880's. While in the city travel to the top of Sydney Tower, the tallest structure in Australia, and see amazing 360° views of Sydney.

Sydney offers a whole range of great tourist attractions from the world famous Sydney Opera House and Sydney Harbour Bridge to the sandy shores of Bondi Beach. A great way to get to see as much of Sydney as possible is to take an organised tour such as a walking tour, cycling tour, bus tours, or even a helicopter tour

Sydney Tours & Attractions





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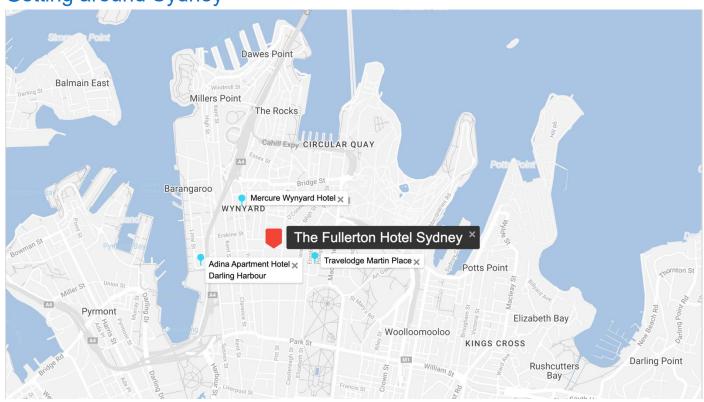


Sydney Harbour Bridge Climb Visit their website



Taronga Zoo – take a tour of Sydney's iconic zoo <u>Visit their website</u>

Getting around Sydney



Summit Accommodation - The Fullerton Hotel



The AOA Seminar will be held at **The Fullerton Hotel**, which is located in the heart of Sydney alongside Martin Place. It is within walking distance of Sydney train stations and bus terminals (Wynyard and Martin Place), and the Sydney light rail is conveniently located very close by in George Street.

Originally it was the General Post Office, designed by colonial architect James Barnet, opened in 1874. The Pitt Street section was added later, between 1881 and 1885. Until the Harbour Bridge was completed in 1932, the Victorian Italian Renaissance building was the city's best-known landmark. The sculptures on the Pitt Street façade, depicting well-known men and women of the time in contemporary dress.





The Fullerton has a range of Conference facilities and a Business Centre.





The accommodation rooms are light and airy with large bathrooms, and amenities typical of a five star hotel including unlimited complimentary wifi.

There are a wide variety of restaurants and tourist attractions within walking distance of the Hotel including the Merivale precinct, the Opera House, the Royal Botannical Gardens, NSW Parliament House and the Mint, Barangaroo precinct (accessible via the walkway at Wynyard) and The Rocks.