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# Participant Pack In-person Washington D.C.

## Forum Venue

The GISF Spring Forum will take place at: Ronald Raegan Building and International Trade Center

Address: 1300 Pennsylvania Ave NW, Washington, DC Phone: 202.312.1552 Website: https://www.rrbitc.com

Attendees will go through Security at entrance of building. Upon entrance, take a right and go past the service desk where you will see a set of elevators in a hallway on your left. Take the elevator to the 7th floor, exit to the left to enter the International Room for the Forum. There will be signs along the entrance/exit to guide you to the event.

Detailed Directions with photos included on following page.

- Distance from airport/Dulles In't Airport: 43 min drive
- Distance from nearest public transport 2 min walk

14th St & Constitution Ave	2 min walk	VIEW
14th St @ Pennsylvania Ave Nw	3 min walk	VIEW
Pennsylvania Ave NW + 14th St NW	4 min walk	VIEW
14th St & Constitution Ave NW Sb	4 min walk	VIEW
Nw Constitution Av & Nw 14th St	4 min walk	VIEW
Pennsylvania Ave & 12th St Nw Eb	5 min walk	VIEW

#### Parking:

There is limited parking next to the venue and on-street parking for those arriving by car, please utilize a parking garage nearby.

Approx ~\$20/day (please see <u>link</u>)

## **Venue Directions**

#### Building Entrance for GISF Forum Event



Entry at 1300 Pennsylvania Ave, this is the most direct route but you can enter from any entrance and follow signs for the Pennsylvania towers. Elevator Entrance/Exit for GISF Forum Event



Upon Entry from double doors, you will go through Security



Take a right after the security check point, continue forward past the concierge desk to reach the elevators to the 7th floor, the elevator will be on your left









#### International Room Entrance GISF Forum Event



The International room is to the right of the receptionists desk



# Accomodation



The GISF Secretariat will be staying at: The Washington Marriott at DC Metro Center

Address: 775 12th Street NW Washington, D.C. 20005 Website, <u>here</u>. Phone: +1 202-737-2200

Please note that whilst GISF does not cover accommodation for guests; the hotel has kindly extended a discount to our members who book with them. This is eligible through August 22nd, please contact Marriott Hotels for more information.

- Distance from venue: 9 min walk
- Distance from Dulles Int'l Airport/Metro: 1 hour and 20 min from airport public transport/ 42 min uber
- The hotel is approximately two blocks from the Metro Center station:
  - Metro Center (300 ft) 1 min walk
  - McPherson Square (0.3 miles) 7 min walk
  - Gallery Place-Chinatown (0.4 miles) 7 min walk



Public transportation from hotel

Walking distance from the hotel to the venue

# Tuesday Reception

Afterwards, we will be having a security social at Elephant & Castle in Washington, D.C.

Elephant and Castle Address: 1201 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20004, United States

This social will be open to GISF members, prospective members, business partners, affiliates, and network friends. If you would like to invite other colleagues from within the sector, you may share this <u>Interest form</u>.

# *i* Miscellaneous

Two days of the forum (20-21 September) will be held in-person and virtually. The third day (22 September) will be held fully virtually.

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