



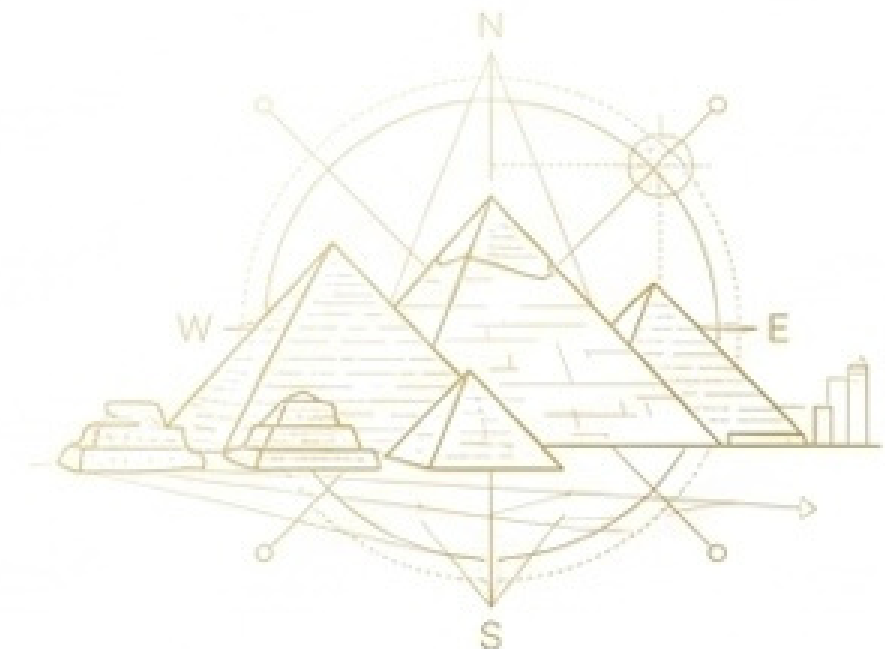
Practical Information

WGITA & KSC Annual Meeting

Host: Accountability State Authority

Location: Cairo, Egypt

Dates: September 28 - 30, 2026





THE ACCOUNTABILITY STATE AUTHORITY (ASA) ARAB REPUBLIC OF EGYPT

Welcomes participants to the 35th Annual Meeting of the INTOSAI Working Group on IT Audit (WGITA) and The 18th Knowledge Sharing Committee (KSC) and Steering Committee.

This document presents practical details and logistical and administrative arrangements to assist participants regarding the meeting held from September 28 to 30, 2026, in Cairo, Egypt.

The Accountability State Authority (ASA) wishes all participants an enjoyable and fruitful visit to the Arab Republic of Egypt.

STRUCTURE & NAVIGATION

1. PRE-DEPARTURE LOGISTICS

2. TRAVEL & VISAS

3. ARRIVAL & TRANSPORT

4. ACCOMMODATION

5. VENUE & EVENT PROTOCOLS

6. LOCAL INTELLIGENCE DASHBOARD

Electronic registration is required via the official website:

<https://saiegyptevents.com/wgita-ksc/> >>



Please note that registration must be completed as soon as possible.

For any inquiries, please contact:

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(SAI India)**

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**Host Egyptian Organization
(Accountability State Authority)**

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Visa Requirements & Entry Protocols

Passport validity must exceed six months or the duration of stay (whichever is longer). Verify if a valid visa is required prior to entry into Egypt.

Participants needing a **visa** should contact the nearest Egyptian diplomatic consulate in their country of residence.

Available exclusively for countries without Egyptian diplomatic representation. Requires presentation of a valid passport and a recent personal photo submitted during electronic registration.

Arabic Portal: <https://www.visa2egypt.gov.eg/eVisa/ar/Home?VISTK=VZ2F-WACE-8W73-M25N-NZDO-4778-BXQ0-5BTI-2637-7RZR-FGTK-0D79-DGHT-V74H-9L6Q-HCB7>

English & Other Languages: <https://www.visa2egypt.gov.eg/eVisa/Home?VISTK=8HBS-1T93-V45U-1FY3-UEG9-1BOZ-8DAB-RYL0-86T8-BL1P-V0Q4-VP00-Q806-2KT1-ITPP-LSSX>



Luggage & Prohibited Items

Airlines strictly enforce luggage size and weight restrictions. Participants are advised to familiarize themselves with air transport rules on airline websites to avoid additional expenses.

Aviation Rules Links:

Arabic: <https://www.cairo-airport.com/ar-eg/%D8%B4%D8%B1%D9%83%D8%A7%D8%AT-%D8%A7%D9%84%D8%B7%D9%8A%D8%B1%D8%A7%D9%86>

English: <https://www.cairo-airport.com/en-us/Airlines-Companies>



Arrival & Departure Hub

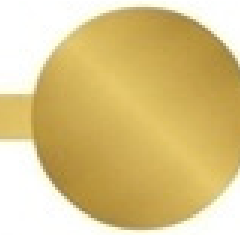
Cairo International Airport (CAI) is located northeast of Cairo and consists of 3 main passenger terminals (1, 2, 3), serving both international and domestic flights.

Arrival Transfers & Local Transport



Meet & Greet

A specialized team will welcome participants at the airport, holding a sign bearing the participant's name, the WGITA logo, and the ASA logo. They will accompany delegates to the transportation.



Dedicated Transfers

Transfer services will be provided for all participants from the international airport to the hotel, as well as return transfers to the airport for departure flights.

Alternative Options

Participants may use personal taxi services at their discretion via electronic applications. Available apps include: Careem, inDrive, Uber, and DiDi.

Accommodation Directory

Steigenberger Pyramids

<https://hrewards.com/en/steigenberger-cairo-pyramids>

Marriott Mena House

<https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/caimrn-mena-house-cairo/overview/?scid=f2ae0541-1279-4f24-b197-a979c79310b0>

JAZ Pyramids Resort

https://www.jazhotels.com/hoteldetail/81-egypt-cairo-https://www.jazhotels.com/hoteldetail/81-egypt-cairo-jaz-pyramids-resort?utm_source=google&utm_medium=gmb-profile&utm_campaign=profile_jazp-pyramids-resort

Pyramids Park Resort Hotel

<https://pyramidsparkresort.com/>



The Venue:

Steigenberger Pyramids Cairo Hotel (Giza, Cairo, Arab Republic of Egypt).

Address: Cairo-Alexandria Desert Road, Al Haram.

Location Link: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/QffYkrd6DsBNJp6B9>



Meeting Languages:

The official language of the meeting is English.
Simultaneous translation into Arabic will be provided.



Meeting Documents:

All meeting documents will be made available via QR
Code provided to participants during the meeting.

Schedule, Hospitality & Dress Code

Lunches and coffee breaks will be provided throughout the event.

September 28

Official Meeting Day

Dress Code: Formal

WGITA

September 29 (Day)

Official Meeting Day

Dress Code: Formal

September 29 (Evening)

Dinner hosted by the WGITA Technical Secretariat (SAI India). Social program organized by the Accountability State Authority (ASA).

Social/Evening Dress Code: Casual

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September 30

Official Meeting Day

Dress Code: Formal

KSC

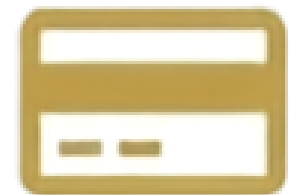
Local Intelligence Dashboard: Finance & Connectivity



The official currency is the Egyptian Pound (EGP). Foreign currencies can be exchanged at banks, exchange offices, and major hotels (passport required). Bank transaction fees may apply. ATMs are available in the hotel and airports.



Wi-Fi will be provided at the meeting venue.



Visa and Mastercard are widely accepted across Cairo.



If you do not have roaming services, major telecom operators (Vodafone, Orange, Etisalat, and WE) offer temporary tourist SIM cards packed with internet data and minutes. Visit any store or request one temporarily to last throughout your trip.

Exchange Rates: Central Bank of Egypt: <https://www.cbe.org.eg/en/economic-research/statistics/cbe-exchange-rates>

Local Intelligence Dashboard: Environment & Power



Egypt is in the UTC+3 Standard Time Zone. Please note time differences when arranging travel and arrival. All sessions and events operate on Cairo Local Time.



During the month of September, the weather in Cairo is moderate, with average high temperatures of 33-35°C (day) and average low temperatures of 20-21°C (night).

Egypt operates on a 220V supply voltage and 50Hz alternating current. plugs are two-pin (Type C/F).

