LOGISTICS NOTE

65th Annual Epidemic Intelligence Service (EIS) Conference  
Monday - Thursday, May 2nd – 5th, 2016

FETP International Night  
Tuesday - Wednesday, May 3rd – 4th, 2016

We are pleased to provide you with the following information regarding the practical arrangements for the above meeting.

1. Conference venue
Crowne Plaza Atlanta Perimeter at Ravinia  
4355 Ashford Dunwoody Road  
Atlanta, Georgia 30346  
Phone: 1-877-834-3613 (reservations)  
Website: www.cpraviniacom

2. Language
The conference will be held in English.

3. Registration
Conference registration is free and it is recommended that participants and attendees register in advance. You can register online before midnight EST Sunday, May 1st, 2016 at http://conference.eisalumni.org

Onsite: Onsite registration will be available at the hotel during the conference. Allow up to 1 hour if registering in person.

4. Accommodation
To book your accommodation at the recommended hotel with special rates for delegates please find a link and follow the instruction: http://www.crowneplaza.com/redirect?path=hd&brandCode=cp&localeCode=en&regionCode=1&hotelCode=atlcp&_PMID=99801505&GPC=e65

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Check in: 3:00 pm  
Check out: 12:00 pm

5. Banks/exchange rate facilities
You can exchange funds at the airport or hotel after you arrive.

6. Visa
It is your responsibility to make sure you obtain the proper travelling visas including transit visas for this trip, please check in advance and let us know of any issues.
7. Transport to the hotel
If arrival is before 6pm, you can take the train (MARTA) directly from the airport:

At the airport board the Red Marta Line going north towards North Springs Station. The ride will take about 35 minutes. The station is located 0.3 MI/ 0.48 KM East to the Hotel.

   a. Complimentary Train Station Shuttle: runs every 10 min from 7am -7pm. Look for a large van with Crowne Plaza Hotel sign on it. If you arrive after 7pm you can call the hotel and they will come and pick you up (1-877-834-3613) / (770-395-7700 front desk)
   b. Taxi: Fee from train Station: $7.00 (USD)
   c. Walking: (10 min) Leaving from MARTA station turn LEFT on to Perimeter Center Blvd. At the light turn LEFT on to Hammond Dr. Cross over Ashford-Dunwoody Rd and the Crowne Plaza Ravinia will be on your left.

If arrival is after 6pm or you prefer taxi, taxis can be hailed at the airport. The ride will take about an hour, depending on traffic.

8. Transport cost
1) MARTA train: Costs $3.00 (USD) per ride and a $1.00 additional charge for the first “breeze” ticket purchased. You buy your tickets at the kiosks outside the MARTA train stations.

2) Taxi will cost approximately $55.00 (USD) from the airport to the hotel.

9. Climate
At this time of the year, the temperature has an average low of 50°F and average high of 75°F.

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AGENDA
You may find the conference program here:

MARTA Rail Map
You may find the complete, printable Marta Rail Map here:
MONDAY

WELCOME AND CALL TO ORDER ........................................................................................................... 8:15–8:30 am
SESSION A: Stephen B. Thacker Opening Session .................................................................................. 8:30–10:15 am
SESSION B: J. Virgil Peavy Memorial Award Finalists ........................................................................... 10:45 am–12:10 pm
LUNCH/SPECIAL SESSION 1: Zika Virus Infection .................................................................................. 12:15–1:15 pm
POSTER SYMPOSIUM I ............................................................................................................................. 1:30–2:45 pm
CONCURRENT SESSION C1: Foodborne Outbreaks ........................................................................... 3:00–4:45 pm
CONCURRENT SESSION C2: Influenza .................................................................................................. 3:00–4:45 pm
EIS CONFERENCE SOCIAL ....................................................................................................................... 4:45 pm
EIS Alumni Association Meeting ........................................................................................................... 5:15–7:00 pm

TUESDAY

CONCURRENT SESSION D1: Tuberculosis ............................................................................................ 8:30–9:55 am
CONCURRENT SESSION D2: Environmental Health .............................................................................. 8:30–9:55 am
SESSION E1: Donald C. Mackel Award Finalists .................................................................................. 10:15 am–12:00 pm
LUNCH/SPECIAL SESSION 2: Using Advanced Molecular Tools to Direct Public Health Action ........ 12:05–1:05 pm
LUNCH/SPECIAL SESSION 3: Data for Community Action: Non-traditional Epi-Aids in Chronic Diseases 12:05–1:05 pm
CONCURRENT SESSION F1: Vectorborne Diseases ............................................................................. 1:25–3:30 pm
CONCURRENT SESSION F2: HIV and STD .......................................................................................... 1:25–3:30 pm
POSTER SYMPOSIUM II .......................................................................................................................... 3:45–5:00 pm
PREDICTION RUN ..................................................................................................................................... 6:00 pm
SESSION G: FETP International Night (Poster Presentations) ................................................................. 6:00–10:00 pm

WEDNESDAY

CONCURRENT SESSION H1: Zoonotic Diseases .................................................................................. 8:30–10:15 am
CONCURRENT SESSION H2: Occupational Safety and Health ............................................................... 8:30–10:15 am
CONCURRENT SESSION I1: Injury ......................................................................................................... 10:35 am–12:00 pm
CONCURRENT SESSION I2: Malaria ..................................................................................................... 10:45 am–12:00 pm
LUNCH/SPECIAL SESSION 4: E-cigarette Advertising ............................................................................ 12:05–1:20 pm
LUNCH/SPECIAL SESSION 5: Frontline Field Epidemiology Training Program ..................................... 12:05–1:20 pm
CONCURRENT SESSION J1: Emerging Infections .................................................................................. 1:20–3:05 pm
CONCURRENT SESSION J2: Child Health ............................................................................................... 1:20–3:05 pm
CONCURRENT SESSION K1: Global Health ............................................................................................ 3:20–5:05 pm
CONCURRENT SESSION K2: Healthcare-associated Outbreaks ............................................................ 3:20–5:05 pm
SESSION L: FETP International Night ..................................................................................................... 6:30–10:00 pm

THURSDAY

CONCURRENT SESSION M1: Drug-related Illness ................................................................................ 8:30–9:55 am
CONCURRENT SESSION M2: Enteric Diseases ...................................................................................... 8:30–9:55 am
SESSION N: Alexander D. Langmuir Lecture ......................................................................................... 10:15–11:45 am
LUNCH/SPECIAL SESSION 6: Global Rapid Response Team ................................................................. 12:00–1:30 pm
LUNCH/SPECIAL SESSION 7: Laboratory Leadership Service – A Partner Program of EIS .................. 12:00–1:30 pm
CONCURRENT SESSION O1: Vaccine Preventable Diseases ............................................................... 1:30–3:15 pm
CONCURRENT SESSION O2: Chronic Diseases ..................................................................................... 1:30–3:15 pm
SESSION P: Awards and Late-Breaking Reports ..................................................................................... 3:30–5:10 pm
CLOSING REMARKS .............................................................................................................................. 5:15–5:20 pm
POSTCONFERENCE EIS SATIRICAL REVIEW ......................................................................................... 7:30 pm