

IEEE 802 Plenary Session March 8-13, 2015 Berlin, Germany

Limited Number of Rooms Still Available at Estrel Berlin Standard Registration Deadline February 6, 2015

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IEEE-802 Plenary at the Estrel Hotel, Berlin Germany

Participating IEEE-802 Working Groups: **802.1**, **802.3**, **802.11**, **802.15**, **802.16**, **802.18**, **802.19**, **802.21**, **802.22**, **802.24** and **EC Study Group on Privacy Recommendation**.

IEEE 802 Plenary Session Special Group Hotel Rates

Estrel Berlin Sonnenallee 225 12057 Berlin, Germany Phone +49 30 6831 0

IEEE 802 has made a special arrangement with the Estrel Hotel in Berlin to provide rooms with special rates for IEEE 802 Plenary Session attendees. A limited number of IEEE Group Rate rooms are still available. If you require a room please book as soon as possible.

Please use the following Link to reach the IEEE 802 reservation site and book your Estrel reservation:

https://bookings.ihotelier.com/bookings.jsp?groupID=1223675&hoteIID=17417

IEEE 802 GROUP RATE (SINGLE) EUR 157.00 per Night

- Includes service charges & VAT
- Includes Basic Internet Access, Full Buffet Breakfast
- Rate applies to Single Occupancy Run of House Rooms

IEEE 802 GROUP RATE (DOUBLE) EUR 188.00 per Night

- Includes service charges & VAT
- Includes Basic Internet Access, Full Buffet Breakfast
- Rate applies to Double Occupancy Run of House Rooms

ROOM RATES SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY

- The Group Rates are subject to the availability of rooms in the IEEE 802 Group Room Block.
- If the block is sold out the IEEE 802 rates may no longer be available.

HOTEL CANCELLATION POLICY

- Individual guest room reservations can be cancelled free of charge until <u>4 weeks prior to arrival</u> <u>date</u>.
- After this date, all cancellations or no shows, the Estrel will charge **80% of the room rate as** cancellation charges.
- Cancel Reservation email: <u>reservation@estrel.com</u>

ESTREL BERLIN CONTACT INFORMATION

- Hotel Information Website: <u>https://www.estrel.com/en/</u>
- Reservation Inquiries: <u>groups@estrel.com</u>
- Cancel Reservation by email: <u>reservation@estrel.com</u>

Registration Fees & Deadlines

Standard: Before 6:00 PM Pacific Time, February 6, 2015

(UTC Time: 2:00 AM Saturday February 7, 2015)

- \$US 600 for attendees staying at the Estrel Berlin
- \$US 900 for all others (including local attendees not staying at the group hotel)

Late/On-site: After 6:00 PM Pacific Time February 6, 2015

(UTC Time: 2:00 AM Saturday, February 7, 2015)

- \$US 800 for attendees staying at the Estrel Berlin
- \$US 1100 for all others (including local attendees not staying at the group hotel)

Student Registration:

- \$US 150 for a limited number of student attendees (full-time at bachelor or post- graduate level)
- Available only one time per person.
- The person using the Student meeting fee will <u>not be able to use meeting attendance to gain or</u> <u>maintain voting rights</u>.
- A valid current student ID must be shown when picking up the meeting badge.

Social Event: \$US 30.00 for Attendees \$US 60.00 for Guests

"Stars in Concert", Estrel Festival Center on Wednesday, March 11 2015 from 6:30pm to 9:30pm" Show information (<u>https://www.estrel.com/en/entertainment/current-shows/stars-in-concert.html</u>)

- The cost of the social event is **not included** in the registration fee.
- Tickets for the show at the Estrel Festival Center are available on a first come, first serve basis and can be purchased at the same time as registration.
- Tickets are non refundable but are transferable.

Registration & Event Website: <u>http://802world.org/plenary</u>

What is included in the registration fee?

The registration fee covers AV equipment, network/Internet services, power hook-ups, morning and afternoon refreshments as well as meeting services and supplies. The combined hotel room stays of attendees is used to offset the cost of the meeting. For this reason, anyone who is not a registered guest at the Estrel Berlin for one or more nights is not be eligible for the hotel discount.

For the March 2015 Session Food and Beverage Service includes: AM Break, PM Break, Lunch

Registration, Cancellation and VISA Letter Websites

- Registrations (<u>https://802world.org/apps/session/90/register2</u>)
- Cancellation (<u>https://802world.org/apps/session/90/register2/cancel</u>)
- Visa Invitation (<u>https://802world.org/apps/session/90/register2/visa</u>)

Cancellation & Refund Policy

CANCELLATION TYPE	DEADLINE
EARLY - FULL REFUND	6 PM Pacific Time, Friday, February 6, 2015
LATE – CANCELLATION FEE \$US 100	6 PM Pacific Time, Wednesday, February 25, 2015
NO REFUNDS AFTER	6 PM Pacific Time, Wednesday, February 25, 2015

Cancellation requests must be made either by submitting an online request at <u>http://802world.org/plenary</u> or by submitting an email request direct to: Email: <u>802info@facetoface-events.com</u>

Registration Discount Policy (Group Hotel)

The combined hotel room stays of IEEE 802 attendees' is used to offset the cost of the meeting. For this reason, anyone who is not a registered guest at the **Estrel Berlin for one or more nights** will not be eligible for the hotel discount

Attendees who elect to share accommodations must ensure that all members of the rooming party are listed on the hotel register before arrival (or upon check-in at the hotel) so that the hotel can verify their hotel stay.

Please note: The correct registration fee must be paid prior to receiving your badge, which permits entrance to scheduled meetings.

Germany VISA Applications

Instructions for Obtaining an Invitation Letter for in German Visa Applications

The Estrel Berlin has agreed to partner IEEE Standards Association to provide you with a letter inviting you to attend the session.

- You must register for the upcoming plenary session in order to obtain an Invitation Letter.
- To register for the IEEE 802 plenary session you must pay the registration fee using a valid credit card that can accept charges in US dollars.
- If for any reason you should be unable to attend the plenary session you may request a refund of your registration fee according to the IEEE 802 Cancellation Policy (<u>http://802world.org/plenary/cancellation-policy/</u>)
 - 1. Once your registration has been approved you may at any time select the link to "Generate a Visa Letter" from the dropdown menu under the VISA tab on event website.
 - 2. Log in using the same UserID and Password that you used to register.
 - 3. Provide some additional information that is necessary for your Invitation Letter:
- Your Date of Birth
- Your Place of Birth
- Passport Issuing Country
- Passport Number
- Passport Expiration Date
 - 4. Once this information has been accepted your personalized letter will be generated in Acrobat PDF format and then displayed on the screen for printing and saving.
 - 5. In addition, a copy of the generated visa letter PDF format file will be sent as an attachment in an email to your email address. These letters have the necessary logos at the top, are properly signed by the Estrel Berlin, and should be printable on any common personal computer printer.

If you are still unsure of what to do, or if you have any other questions, please contact our meeting organizers by email: <u>802info@facetoface-events.com</u> or by phone: +1 (408) 241-8906.

Email Distribution List

We provide e-mailed session announcements and updates. To join this list and stay informed, send email to <u>listserv@listserv.ieee.org</u> with no subject and with the following 2 lines appearing first in the body of the message:

subscribe stds-802-all end

Meeting Planner Contact Information

Please contact us directly if we may be of any assistance in your preparations for this event. We are accessible via telephone and email.

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