

Practical Information Note

***Catalysing Financing for
Climate Change Adaptation
in the Mediterranean coastal area:
The role of the Private Sector***

2-3 December 2024, Brown Acropol Hotel, Athens & Online

Meeting Venue



The **Regional Roundtable** will take place at the **[Brown Acropol Hotel](#)**.

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Brown Acropol is situated in Omonia Square, the capital's commercial and business district, with direct access to the all means of transportation and to some of Athens' iconic attractions.

For Room Reservations:

Guests may proceed with reservations via the hotel's booking engine by using the promotional code "**CORPBROWN**", for a discount of 10% on the published rates (Non-Refundable or Flexible).

*Please find the link of **[Brown Acropol, Athens Promo code CORPBROWN](#)** that leads directly to the booking engine with the promo code already embedded.*



Meeting details

Participants will have to register at the secretariat desk outside the meeting room, on the 2nd and 3rd of December 2024.

The working language of the Roundtable will be **English** and **French** with simultaneous interpretation.

The Roundtable will be also **online**, giving the opportunity to the remote attendees to join via a virtual meeting platform.

The organisers will be offering **coffee breaks** and **lunches** for all participants during the days of the meetings.

Transportation from/to the airport

The Hotel is about 35 km away from Eleftherios Venizelos International Airport.

Kindly find below the different ways to commute from the Eleftherios Venizelos Airport to the Brown Acropol Hotel:

By metro:

From the Airport you can use the metro (Line 3: Blue Line) from the airport to SYNTAGMA station, then change to Line 2 (Red Line - Direction Anthoupoli) to the OMONIA station and walk from the station to the hotel (1 min).

The ticket costs approximately €8.00 and it takes about 40 minutes to reach the OMONIA station.

Find here more information on the frequency of routes from and to the airport:

<https://www.stasy.gr/en/timetables/line-3/>

By bus:

There are several buses operating at Athens Eleftherios Venizelos Airport, circulating 24 hours/day. You should take the X95 bus which serves the route: Athens Eleftherios Venizelos airport – SYNTAGMA square. It will take you about 40 – 60 minutes depending on traffic. The single fare costs approximately €8.

From Syntagma square to the Brown Acropol Hotel the distance is approximately 1,3km (18' walking distance) and you may use the metro (Line 2: Red Line) from SYNTAGMA station to OMONIA station (Direction Anthoupoli) or directly take a taxi to the hotel.

By taxi:

It will take you about 35-45 minutes, depending on traffic, to get from the airport to the city centre and the hotel. It will cost you about €35 - 55 for one way.

Note: In Athens taxis are yellow in colour and have appropriate identification. At the airport, taxis park in front of the terminal. According to the Greek Legislation, taxi drivers should provide, upon request, a receipt for the amount paid for transportation services.



Useful Information

For more information on the **city of Athens**, you can visit the following: <https://www.thisisathens.org/>

The average **daily temperature** for Athens in December can reach highs of 22°C or drop to an average minimum temperature of 11°C. If you wish to check the local weather conditions you can visit the website: <http://www.weather.gr/gr/en/>

The **monetary unit** in Greece is the EURO. For more information on the currency exchange rate: www.xe.com