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**Lima, Peru
23-24 May 2017**

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**World Association of Public Employment Services
Association Mondiale des Services d'Emploi Publics
Asociación Mundial de los Servicios Públicos de Empleo**

Dates and venue of the event

Dates **23 - 24 May 2017**

Venue **SWISSOTEL**
Av. Santo Toribio 173 – Via Central 150 Centro Empresarial Real –
San Isidro C.P. 15073 - Peru

Accommodation

SWISSOTEL

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In order to secure your booking you should give your credit card details (number and validity date) to Ms. Karina Peching by email to karina.peching@swisslim.com.pe or by filling this information in the online registration form.

Special negotiated rate for the international workshop IDB – WAPES:

- For single room: 150 USD ~ 140 EUR + 10% service tax. This includes buffet breakfast and free internet.
- For double room: 165 USD ~154 EUR + 10% service tax. This includes buffet breakfast and free internet.

We would like to remind you that the number of rooms are limited. Therefore you should make your booking as soon as possible.

How to get to the hotel

We recommend travelling from the airport to the hotel and vice versa by taxi.

Taxi companies	Phone	E-mail and website	Price (in soles)
CMV Servicio Ejecutivo S.A.	Switchboard: +51 (0)1 422-4838 Airport phone number: +51 (0)1 517-1891	cmv@exalmar.com.pe www.cmvtaxi.pe	S/. 140.00 ~ \$ 43
MITSOO S.A.	Switchboard: +51 (0)1 261-7788	Reservas@mitsoo.net http://www.mitsoo.net/	S/. 147.00 ~ \$ 45
Green Airport S.A.	Switchboard: +51 (0)1 484-4001	contacto@taxigreen.com.pe http://www.taxigreen.com.pe	S/. 60.00 ~ \$ 19

Registration

In order to facilitate event organisation, we kindly ask you to fill in the [online registration form](#) by **12 May 2017**

Participation costs

Participation in the event is **free** for WAPES members. Costs for transport to the event, overnight hotel accommodation (see *Accommodation*) and meals that are not included in the programme must be borne by the participants, as well as additional personal expenses, room service charges and other hotel fees.

Information about the host PES

For information about:

The Peruvian Ministry for Labour and the Promotion of Employment:
<http://www.trabajo.gob.pe/mostrarContenido.php?id=896&tip=909>

The National Employment Services in Peru:
<http://www.mintra.gob.pe/mostrarContenido.php?id=909&tip=909Incluir>

The services from the Peruvian PES:
<http://www2.trabajo.gob.pe/servicios/>
<http://www2.trabajo.gob.pe/servicios/centro-de-empleo/>
<http://www2.trabajo.gob.pe/servicios-en-linea-2-2/>

Interesting facts about Lima

Location: Miraflores is a district within the province of Lima, and is located on the coast in south Lima, some 8.5 km from Plaza de Armas in the city centre.

Boundaries of Miraflores: To the north are the districts of Surquillo and San Isidro, to the south is Barranco, to the east are Surquillo and Santiago de Surco, and to the west is the Pacific Ocean.

Altitude: 79 m above sea level.

Climate in Miraflores: The average annual temperature along the Lima coast is 18°C. The maximum temperature in the summer months can reach 30°C and the minimum temperature is 12°C in winter.

The climate in the city of Lima, which is situated along a coastal strip, is arid. Rainfall is infrequent throughout the year; only light drizzle occurs between April and December, with a humid atmospheric environment. The heat and cold sensations produced depending on the season is a result of the high level of humidity that dominates the atmosphere in the capital.

Seasons: Lima and the whole of coastal Peru is characterised by the four seasons: summer, autumn, winter and spring. However they are not well defined.

Average annual temperature in Lima:

- Autumn: From 20 March till 20 June : 15-22°C
- Visitors should wear warm clothing such as jumpers or jackets.

The currency is the Nuevo Sol. All types of credit card and US dollars are accepted.

The exchange rate as of 28/03/17 is:

1.00 EUR = 3.53 PEN (Soles)

1.00 USD = 3.24 PEN (Soles)

For more information about Lima, visit:

<http://www.peruviantravelservice.com/>

<http://www.enlima.com/>

Interesting information about Peru

Location

It borders Ecuador and Colombia to the north.

It borders the Pacific Ocean to the west.

It borders Chile to the south.

It borders Brazil and Bolivia to the east.



Extension

Peru is larger than Spain and France combined.



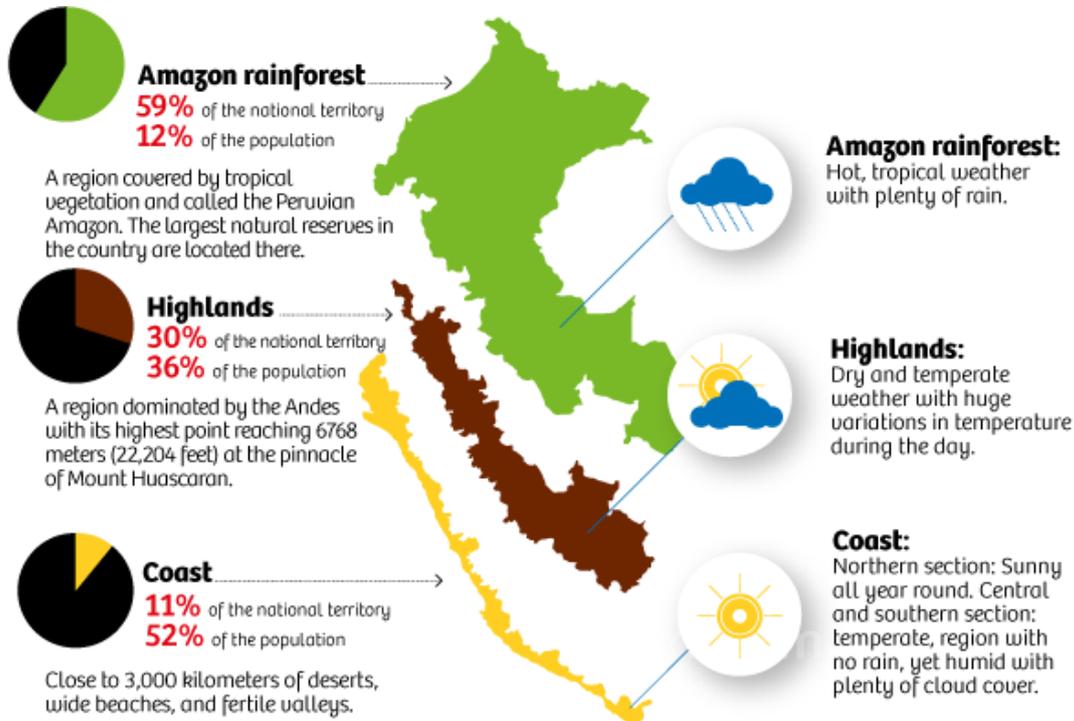
Peru is located in the west of South America, and has borders with Ecuador, Colombia, Brazil, Bolivia and Chile. It has sovereignty over 1,285,215 km² of land and 200 nautical miles of the Pacific Ocean, as well as 60 million hectares of the Antarctic.

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It is the third largest country in South America and one of the 20 largest countries in the world. Its sovereignty extends over 200 nautical miles. Having been a consultative party to the Antarctic Treaty it has a Scientific Station called Machu Picchu on that continent

Geography and Climate

Peru is an extremely diverse country, with 11 ecological regions and 84 of the world's 117 different types of "life zone". It has a huge variety of scenery thanks to its geography, which also provides it with a wide range of natural resources. The country has 3 main regions according to the traditional method of dividing the country by altitude: coast, mountains and jungle.



Coast:

Characterized by a narrow band of deserts and fertile valleys alongside the Pacific Ocean. The fertile valleys spring from the rivers that flow down from the Andes mountain range itself, as opposed to the lower-lying sierra, and into the sea. The coast has a warm-temperate climate, without extreme heat or cold but with high humidity and dense fog that makes it feel extremely cold in winter. In the summer there is very little fog and temperatures reach 30°C. In the north, the coast is hot almost all year round, with a short rainy period in November and December. The central and southern coast has two distinct seasons, winter (April to October) and summer (November to March).

Highlands:

This is the mountainous region of Peru, where the Andes mountain range dominates the landscape and contains various ecological regions and altitudes. The northern Andes are lower and more humid than the rest, while the central Andes are the tallest and steepest, and it is here where you find the country's highest peak, Huascarán, at 6,768 meters above sea level. The southern Andes are wider, and are also known as the altiplano, or high Andean plateau. The sierra has two seasons: summer (April to October) with sunny days, cold nights and little rain – this is the perfect time to visit; and winter (November to March), when it rains heavily. During the day, temperatures can reach 24°C, and at night they can fall to -3°C.

Jungle:

Located in the east, this is a vast region of plains covered by vegetation in the Amazon River basin, which begins at the confluence of the Marañón and Ucayali rivers. It is Peru's largest region, and consists of highland jungle, or ceja de montaña – the mountain's eyebrows, (over 700 meters above sea level), which is characterized by its cloud forests, and lowland jungle (less than 700 meters above sea level). Like the sierra, the jungle has two distinct seasons. From November to March it rains frequently, while from April to October it is fairly dry, making this the ideal time to visit as the rivers subside and the roads are easily accessible. There is high humidity all year round. Occasionally, between

May and August, there are "frijajes" or "surazos", cold snaps caused by winds from the extreme south of the continent, during which the temperature can fall to between 8 and 12°C.

World Heritage: Cradle of South American Civilization

Peru's culture is one and many at the same time. Modern-day Peruvians are heirs to traditions of civilizations that flourished for centuries before the arrival of the Europeans. The resulting cultural blend was further enhanced by African and Asian contributions, which also took root in this land.

Peru shows 12 world sites recognized by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site: eight cultural, two natural and two mixed. Its rich cultural heritage and biodiversity value is a universal admiration.

There is also a wide variety of events such as dances, music, pilgrimage, textile art, among other traditional expressions of which 6 are part of the relationship of the Intangible Cultural Heritage of UNESCO and a figure as a special program.

For more information about Peru, visit:

The official website of PROMPERÚ (the Commission for the Promotion of Peru for export and tourism) <http://www.promperu.gob.pe/>

Peru as a brand: <http://www.peru.travel/es-es/> (in Spanish, English, German, French, Italian and Japanese)

<http://www.peru.info/#brand> (in Spanish and English)

<http://internacional.peru.info/es/home/Inicio> (in Spanish, English, German, French, Portuguese and Chinese).

Dinner and Cultural Programme on 23 May 2017 at 18:30

You will be picked up at the venue-hotel by Mirabus (www.mirabusperu.com) for a tour of Lima and show at the Sheraton Hotel Restaurante to enjoy a Peruvian folk show, with live music and a gourmet tasting buffet. Everything will last nearly 4h30.

Visas

Participants must ensure they obtain a visa to enter the country, if applicable. Visit your country's Ministry of Foreign Affairs or a Peruvian Consulate in your country of residence if necessary.

The following link provides a list of countries that do and do not require a visa to enter Peru:

http://www.rree.gob.pe/Documents/REQUERIMIENTOS_DE_VISAS_PARA_CIUDADANOS_EXTRANJERO.pdf

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