

3rd Annual Conference of the Global Forum on Productivity

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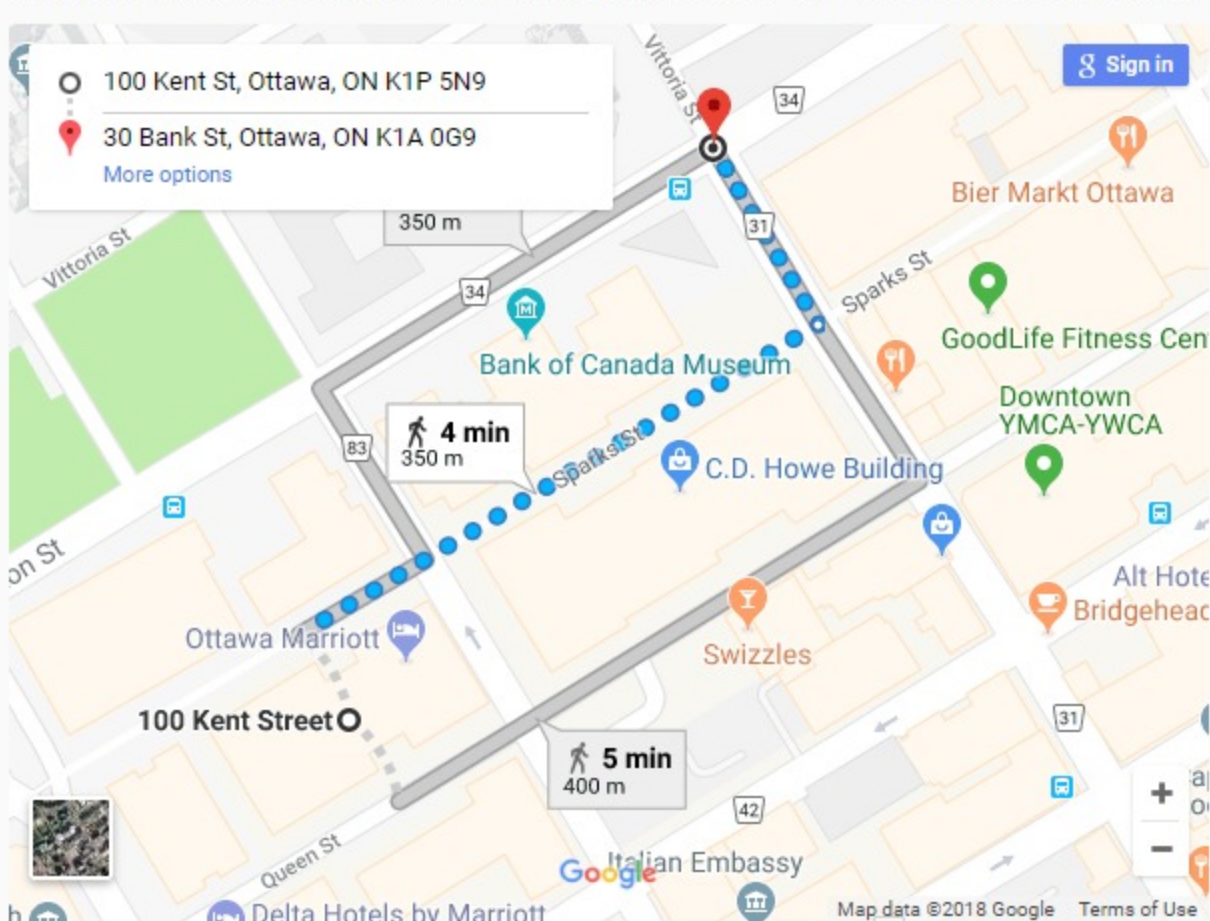
Conference Venue

Ottawa Marriott
100 Kent Street
Ottawa, Ontario
K1P 5R7

Telephone: +1-613-238-1122

Check-in time: 15:00
Checkout time: 12:00

Walking directions from the Ottawa Marriott Hotel to the Bank of Canada – Museum/Conference Centre entrance, 30 Bank Street.

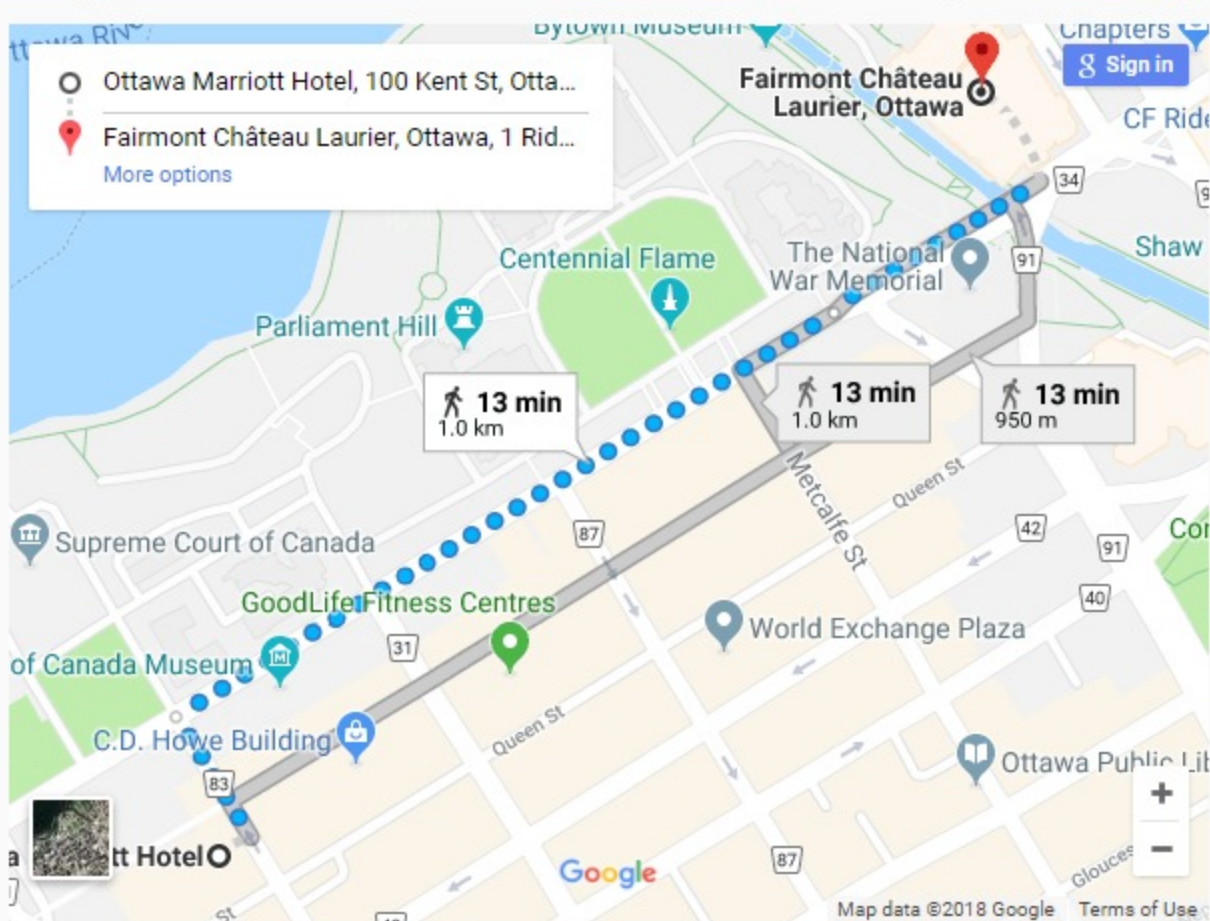


Ottawa Marriott Hotel, 100 Kent Street
Head northwest on Kent toward Sparks Street
Turn right onto Wellington Street
Walk east towards Bank Street
Destination will be on the right
Bank of Canada Museum/Conference Centre Entrance, 30 Bank Street, corner of Wellington Street

Dinner Venue – June 28, 2018

Fairmont Château Laurier
1 Rideau Street
Ottawa, Ontario
K1N 8S7
Telephone: +1 613 241-1414

Walking directions from the Ottawa Marriott Hotel to the Fairmont Château Laurier Hotel (dinner venue June 28)



Ottawa Marriott Hotel, 100 Kent Street
Head northwest on Kent toward Sparks Street
Turn right onto Wellington Street
Slight left to stay on Wellington Street
Destination will be on the left
Fairmont Château Laurier Hotel, 1 Rideau Street

Other events taking place in Ottawa

Canada Day 2018

Canada Day is a national holiday that celebrates the anniversary of Confederation, when, on July 1, 1867, the *Constitution Act, 1867* (then called the *British North America Act, 1867*) came into effect. Confederation united the three separate colonies of Canada, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick into a single Dominion within the British Empire.

This year, July 1 falls on a Sunday, therefore the federal statutory holiday is on Monday, July 2, 2018. Many events and activities take place over the Canada Day weekend in Ottawa and the capital region. Hotels, tourist attractions and restaurants in the downtown core are very busy over this holiday long weekend.

[TD Ottawa Jazz Festival](#)

[RCMP Musical Ride Sunset Ceremonies](#)

[Ottawa Tourism Events Calendar](#)

Transportation



By Air
[Ottawa International Airport](#)

Recommended check-in times before flights:

Domestic (Toronto or Montréal flights): 1 hour
All other Canadian destinations: 1 1/2 hours
U.S. departures: 2 hours
International departures: 2 1/2 hours

Travel time between the downtown core and the Ottawa International Airport can vary from 30 to 40 minutes, depending on the time of day. The approximate cost (one way) is \$30.00 to \$35.00 CDN.

Airport taxis are available at the taxi stand located directly outside of the main exit of the Ottawa International Airport



By Ground
[Ottawa Bus Terminal](#)
For information and ticket reservations, visit the [Greyhound website](#).



[VIA Rail Canada – Ottawa Station](#)
For inquiries and reservations, visit [Via Rail](#).

Currency

The latest exchange rates for converting to and from Canadian dollars/foreign currencies are available [online](#).

Some hotels, merchants, and restaurants will accept U.S. dollars; however, their exchange rate will likely differ from posted rates offered by financial institutions. Most will accept standard credit cards such as American Express, Visa, and MasterCard.

Electrical voltage in Canada

Note that electrical sockets (outlets) in Canada usually supply electricity at between 110 and 120 volts. Please remember to bring a converter or adapter, since the Bank of Canada does not supply these items.

Weather

[Local Weather](#)

Visitor Information Services

Capital Info Kiosk (Visitor Services):
90 Wellington Street

The Capital Info Centre is more than an information centre. You'll find a complete range of services and tools to help you plan your stay according to your needs. Call toll free at 1-844-878-8333 or email - pch.kic.cik.pch@canada.ca

Where to Shop



[Byward Market](#)
Within four square blocks, you will find museums, cafés, specialty food shops, boutiques, galleries, restaurants, pubs, hair and esthetics salons, and more! Easily accessible on foot, by transit, or by car, the Byward Market offers a unique indoor/outdoor experience for all.



[Rideau Centre](#)
The Rideau Centre Shopping Complex is home to over 180 of the biggest names in retail and one-of-a-kind specialty stores and boutiques. Come and experience all we have to offer at 50 Rideau Street, in the heart of downtown Ottawa.