



## HELCOM Workshop with River Basin Management Authorities

18-20 September 2019, Riga, Latvia

### Practical information for participants

#### Location of the venue

Ministry of Environmental Protection and Regional Development

Address: Peldu iela 25, Riga, LV-1494

Meeting room No. 409 (fourth floor).

The meeting venue is located in the city centre, the Old Town - around 10 min walking distance from the Central Train Station and International Bus Station (see on the map) and 20 min walking distance from the ferry terminal.

#### Transport to the meeting venue

##### From the airport

The Riga International Airport is located outside the city, around 35 min driving distance from the city centre by bus or minibus -- around 20 min by taxi (depending on traffic).

From the airport you can also take public transport bus No. 22 or Express bus No. 322 (tickets can be bought from the driver for 2 EUR), the stop closest to the meeting venue is "11. novembra krastmala" (3 min walking distance to the meeting venue).

A taxi will cost around 15-20 EUR.

##### If coming to Riga by bus or train

The International Bus Station and the Central Train Station are located around 7 and 12 minutes walking distance from the meeting venue.

Information about public transport in Riga: <https://www.rigassatiksme.lv/en/>.

#### Hotels

Since the meeting venue is located in the Old Town, there are many hotels within walking distance from the venue (see [www.booking.com](http://www.booking.com)) or <http://www.meetriga.com/en/>.

#### Visas

Latvia is a Schengen Member State. More information about visa requirements for citizens of other countries can be found at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs website:

<http://www.mfa.gov.lv/en/consular-information>. Participants are responsible for their visa arrangements, if needed.

