### How to get to the venue?

Participants coming from Northern or Southern Luzon, Visayas and Mindanao through plane opting to reach the venue via **NAIA Terminal 2 and NAIA Terminal 3** shall take the following:

 From NAIA Terminal 2 take taxi (metered taxi/yellow taxi or regular taxi)

**Route Option No. 1** (via Roxas Boulevard/R-1, 28 minutes without traffic)

**Route Option No. 2** ( via NAIA Rd and Diosdado Macapagal Blvd, 30 minutes without traffic)

**Route Option No.3** ( via NAIA Rd and Roxas Blvd, 31 minutes without traffic)

 From NAIA Terminal 3 take taxi( metered taxi/yellow taxi or regular taxi)

Route Option No. 1 (via Metro Manila Skyway and Buendia Avenue, 26 minutes without traffic)

**Route Option No. 2** (via Roxas Blvd/R-1, 27 minutes without traffic)

Route Option No. 3 (via EDSA/C-4), 31 minutes without traffic)

The metered taxi or yellow taxi, flag down is Php 70.00 including the first 500 meters, the counter raises by Php 4.00 every 300 meters for 2 minutes waiting time while Regular Taxi rate from NAIA Terminal 2 and NAIA Terminal 3 to the Philippine International Convention Center (PICC) is between Php 120.00 to Php 200.00.

• Other option: take premium airport bus service, (PHP 300 flat rate)

From **NAIA Terminal 2/NAIA Terminal 3**, the passenger may avail of the premium airport bus service. He/she may approach the transportation desk personnel at the arrival curbside area for assistance.

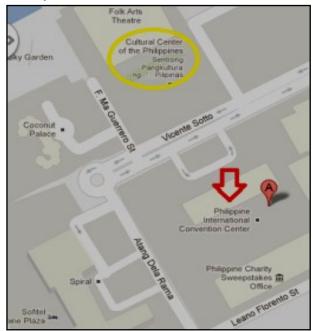
Routes are headed to **Roxas Boulevard** and Makati Central Business District where there will be designated off-street passengers stops such as malls and hotels.

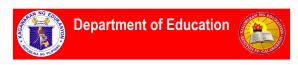
For the **Roxas Boulevard routes**, passengers will be allowed to board and descend from the bus at Midas Hotel, Hotel Jen, Manila Hotel, Mall of Asia and the Entertainment City.

Participants within Luzon Region (Northern, Central, Southern) may get to the PICC through any of the following **public transportation**:

**Bus:** The Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas complex at Pablo Ocampo Street corner Roxas Boulevard is a regular stop for a number of bus routes, connecting the CCP complex to the Baclaran city bus terminal in Parañaque to southern Metro Manila, the Plaza Lawton bus terminal in Ermita to the north, and the northern fringes of Metro Manila and southern Bulacan going east through Malate, Makati and points along Epifanio de los Santos Avenue (EDSA)

Jeepney: At the Rizal Memorial Sports Complex in Pablo Ocampo Street, orange jeepneys are available to shuttle passengers at designated points along the CCP complex, including the PICC. A direct Pasay to PICC air-conditioned jeepney (PHP 10.00) connects the complex, Makati and Fort Bonifacio in Taguig, passing through Gil Puyat LRT Station and Buendia railway station.





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# 2016 PHILIPPINE CONFERENCE OF BASIC EDUCATION RESEARCHERS (PCBER)

Theme: "Building a Powerhouse of Educational Leaders as Learners."

Philippine International Convention Center, Vicente Sotto St. Pasay, Metro Manila, December 5-7, 2016

# Philippine International Convention Center (PICC)

Brief History: The Philippine International Convention Center is the Asia's first convention center, setting a trend that lead other countries to build their own.



It was designed by Leandro V. Locsin, a Filipino National Artist in Archeticture. The **PICC complex** formally opened on September 5, 1976 to host the World Bank's International Monetary Fund Annual Meeting. After this, the **Philippine International Convention Center (PICC)** established itself as one of the most versatile event arenas in the Asia-Pacific region by being the venue of political summits, medical conventions, and concerts of international artists as varied as Luciano Pavarotti, the Bolshoi Ballet, Ricky Martin and Burt Bacharach.

Built on reclaimed land along scenic Manila Bay in the Philippine capital, the PICC has more than 70,000 square meters of floor area and a range of facilities that can accommodate almost any gathering of any size.

The PICC has five (5) building modules, the **Delegation Building**, **Secretariat Building**, **Plenary Hall**, **Reception Hall** and **The Forum**.

#### **Nearby Affordable Hotels**

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Standard Room

and Superior

Room

Studio

Queen

Standard 1 and 2

Standard Room

Standard

Room

Room

Superior

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and Deluxe

# **Nearby Affordable Hotels**

K. JJM Grand Suites (PHP 2,200- 2,800 average price per night) Address: 1622 Birch Tower Jeorge Bocobo St, Along Pedro Gil Malate,Manila Contact Details: 521-5954/09276118327 Website/E-mail Address: jmmgrandsuites.com/jmm.grandsuites@yahoo.com	Deluxe Studio and Executive Room
L. Lotus Garden Hotel (PHP 1,800-2,000.00 average price per night)  Address: 1227 A. Mabini St. cor. Padre Faura St. Ermita, Manila  Contact Details: 02-522-1515 /523-2575  Website/E-mail Address: sales_lgh@citygardenhotels.com/www.lotusgardenhotelsmanila.com	Standard and Moderate
M. Red Planet Aseana (PHP 2,000.00 – PHP2,500.00 average price per night)  Address: Lot 38, Blk. 2, Aseana Business Park, Manila Contact Details: 02-866-0888  Website/E-mail Address: philippines@redplanethotels.com	Standard Room
N. Red Planet Ermita (PHP 1,700.00- PHP 1,800.00 average price per night)  Address: 1740 A. Mabini St., Malate, Manila  Contact Details: 02-708-9888  Website/E-mail Address: philip-pines@redplanethotels.com	Standard Room
O. Silver Oaks Hotel and Suites (PHP 1,200- PHP 1,700.00 average price per night)  Address: 1520 A. Mabini St., Malate, Manila Contact Details: 02-521-6000/ 521-0700  Website/E-mail Address: www.silveroaks.co	Standard Room

P. Sunny Bay Suites formerly Boulevard Mansion (PHP 1, 998.00 average price per night)  Address: 1440 Roxas Blvd cor. Salas St., Ermita, Manila Contact Details: 02-521-8888  Website/E-mail Address: mansiongroup.com.ph/	Studio Room
Q. Time Travellers Hotel (PHP 1, 450.00 – 1,650.00 average per night)  Address: 1184 A. Mabini St., Malate, Manila Contact Details:02-230-4433/625-9099  Website/E-mail Address: www.timetravellershotel.com / reservations@timetravellershotel.com	Economy Room and Standard Room
R. Vieve Hotel (PHP 2,000. 00– PHP 2,200 average price per night )  Address: 1548 A. Mabini Street, Ermita, Metro Manila Contact Details: 02-526-4211  Website/E-mail Address: vievehotel@gmail.com/ reservationsvievehotel.com	Standard Double and Standard Twin
S. Mabini Mansion (PHP 1,700 – 2,300.00 average price per night)  Address: 1011 A. Mabini St., Ermita, Manila  Contact Details: 02-521-4776  Website/E-mail Address: www.mansiongroup.com.ph	Deluxe and One Bed Room Suite
<ul> <li>T. Paragon Tower Hotel (PHP 2,200.00- PHP 2,400.00 average price per night)</li> <li>Address: 531 Antonio Flores St., Ermita, Manila Contact Details: 02-526-5541 to 47/526-2679</li> <li>Website/E-mail: reservation@paragontowerhotel.com</li> </ul>	Standard Room and Double Twin

U. Malate Pensionne (PHP 950.00 – PHP 1,900.00 average price per night  Address: 1771 Adriatico St., Malate, Manila Contact Details:02-523-8304 to 06/522-6626 Website/E-mail Address: info@mpensionne.com	Economy Room and Deluxe Room
V. Leez Inn (PHP 1,200.00-1,800.00 average price per night)  Address: Nakpil Street corner Angel Linao Street, Malate, Manila  Contact Details: 02-775-4982  Website/E-mail Address: reservations_leezinn@yahoo.com	Superior, Deluxe and King
W. BP International Hotel (PHP 1000- PHP1,800.00 average price per night)  Address: 181 Natividad Almeda Lopez St., Ermita, Manila  Contact Details: 02-522-0047/09228610101	Standard and Deluxe Room
X. Best Western Hotel La Corona (PHP 1,800– PHP 2,300 average price per night)  Address: 1166 MH Del Pilar Corner Arquiza St. Ermita, Manila  Contact Details: 02-524-2631/525-8268  Website/E-mail Address: re- serve@bestwesternhotelmanila.com	Superior Room and Su- perior Double Room
Y. The Ambassador Hotel (PHP 1,600– PHP 2,300 average price per night)  Address: 2021 A. Mabini Street, Malate, Manila  Contact Details: 02-303-8718/303-8750	Standard and Deluxe Double Room