



District Grand Lodge of the Middle East

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INTERNATIONAL SCOTTISH MASONIC CONFERENCE 2016

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT AND TENTATIVE PROGRAMME

Our District Grand Lodge of the Middle East is very pleased to inform you that following the successful First All Africa and Asia Scottish Masonic Conference held in Mombasa, Kenya in February 2014 organised by the District Grand Lodge of East Africa, the Grand Lodge of Scotland has entrusted us with the organization of the next Conference which will be held in February 2016 in Penang, Malaysia.

PRELIMINARY DETAILS of this Conference are as follows:

1, Name - International Scottish Masonic Conference 2016

2, Dates and Conference Programme :

Wednesday, 24th February 2016	-	Arrival, Check in and Welcome Dinner
Thursday, 25th February 2016	-	Opening Ceremony First Day of Conference and Informal Dinner
Friday, 26th February 2016	-	Second Day of Conference, Closing Ceremony and Conference Dinner
Saturday, 27th February 2016	-	Centenary Celebration of District Grand Lodge of The Middle East Afternoon : Rededication Ceremony by Grand Lodge of Scotland Evening : Cocktails and Centenary Banquet
Sunday, 28th February 2016	-	Check out from Hotel

LADIES PROGRAMME

Separate and joint activities are also being planned for ladies who will be accompanying you, and we can assure you all of an enjoyable time with us in Penang.

PENANG

Penang is located on the north-west coast of Peninsular Malaysia and is a thriving and popular tourist destination. With a heterogenous population it is diverse in its ethnicity, culture, language and religion and it is unique in its history and offers many interesting tourist attractions and places to visit. The Penang International Airport is well connected to all major Malaysian and other cities in this region as well as internationally via Kuala Lumpur and Singapore.

PENANG FOOD

Penang has long been known as the food capital of Malaysia and has been ranked as among the top ten Street Food Cities in Asia (CNN Go 2014) as well as the Top Food Destination (Lonely Planet 2014) at all affordable prices and informal settings.

3, CONFERENCE VENUE :

Bayview Beach Resort Hotel,
Batu Ferringi Beach,
11100 Penang, Malaysia.

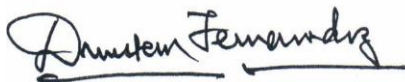
The Bayview Beach Hotel is located on the beachfront on the north west coast of Penang and at the scenic Batu Ferringi area. With its comfortable and affordable rooms (including sea facing ones) it is a great place for conference participants and their families to unwind and enjoy the many food and beverage and entertainment outlets in and around the hotel.

4, CENTENARY CELEBRATIONS OF THE DISTRICT GRAND LODGE OF THE MIDDLE EAST

2016 marks the Centenary of our District and we are happy to inform you that as part of the Celebrations we will have a Rededication Ceremony conducted by Grand Lodge on Saturday 27th February 2016 followed by a Centenary Banquet. These events will also be held at the Bayview Beach Hotel the day after the closing of the Conference. We look forward to seeing you all and joining us in celebrating this joyous occasion.

Please circulate the above preliminary information to all Lodges and Brethren in your District or Province to keep these dates free in order to plan your trip to Penang next February. More information will be circulated to you soon.

With kind regards and fraternal good wishes.



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Dunstan Fernandez
District Grand Master
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