

COVID 19 Safety Measures, Rules & Testing

Our top priority is the health and safety of our participants and everyone involved in this event. Herewith we wish to inform you of the safety measures taken at the event, applicable rules and testing facilities for those who need them. We thank you in advance for complying with those rules.

- Conference participants and their partners will be the only group in the hotel. Other guests are not accepted for the duration of our stay. So interactions with people from outside our group, except hotel staff will be very limited.
- As per Dutch law **all participants must be holding an EU digital Covid certificate (full vaccination or recovery or recent test) emitted by an EU or Schengen country** to attend the conference or go to any bar or restaurant in The Netherlands.
- **Participants who do not hold such a certificate must get tested every 24 hours.** Unfortunately, under the current version of the rules (it may change), this also applies for non-EU / non-Schengen visitors even if they are fully vaccinated. In order to allow our friends and colleagues from the UK, Turkey, Russia, Japan... and unvaccinated EU citizens to attend in acceptable conditions, we will have a small **test centre in the hotel** where people can get and antigen **test for 30 EUR that allows to attend the conference** in 30 minutes.

Opening hours of Testing Centre in the hotel:

- Nov. 2 from 12.00-21.00 hrs
- Nov. 3 from 08.00-16.00 hrs

- **We have to verify the Covid certificates of ALL participants every day before they enter sessions.** To avoid this to become too cumbersome, colored bracelets will be given by the registration desk (one color per day) like at festivals. Please go to the registration desk every morning to have your QR code scanned.
- On-site we require that participants **wear a face mask in all instances when they are moving** / are very close to each other (corridors, lifts, buses...). As per Dutch law, masks are not required during lunches, coffee breaks and when seated in the meeting rooms.
- Non-EU or Schengen area residents should also check conditions of entry into the Netherlands [HERE](#)

