

Translation

Federal Foreign Office

Representatives of the media,

You have obtained accreditation for the Afghanistan Conference on 5 December 2011. You received a confirmation email after completing the accreditation process.

In order to gain access to the Media Centre, we are sending you some information which you must heed.

Collecting conference badges:

You need a conference badge to access the Media Centre.

You can collect your conference badge at the Press and Information Office of the Federal Government in Welckerstr. 11, 53113 Bonn.

The following documents must be presented in the original when collecting conference badges:

- the valid passport or ID card with which you registered,
- the original letter of confirmation from your editor.

The Accreditation Office is open

Friday, 2 December from 9.00 a.m. to 4.00 p.m.

Saturday, 3 December from 9.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m.

Sunday, 4 December from 9.00 a.m. to 8.00 p.m.

Monday, 5 December from 7.00 a.m. to 4.00 p.m.

It is not possible to collect conference badges outside these hours. Journalists are not permitted direct access to the conference venue.

Arrival by car:

Directions for arriving by car are attached.

Arrival by public transport:

The venue can be reached from Bonn Central Station (Hauptbahnhof) by taking tram nos. 16 or 66 or bus no. 610 to the stop Heussallee/Museumsmeile.

There will be a bus shuttle between the Accreditation Office and the Media Centre.

This service will be available on

Sunday, 4 December from 3.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m.

and

Monday, 5 December from 7.00 a.m. to 4.00 p.m.

Media Centre:

The Media Centre will be located at Hotel Maritim (Godesberger Allee – access: Kurt-Georg-Kiesinger-Allee 1, 53175 Bonn).

Please note that there are very few parking spaces at the hotel. It is recommended that you use public transport.

The Media Centre will be equipped with WLAN and a sufficient number of LAN access points.

Media advisory:

The media advisory can be downloaded at www.diplo.de/afghanistankonferenz. You will receive a copy when you pick up your conference badge.

Pools/limited access:

Registration for a pool is only possible when collecting conference badges at the Press and Information Office of the Federal Government.

TV broadcasting:

During the conference, the host broadcaster will provide all other interested broadcasters with TV images. The registration deadline for SNG parking spaces has already passed. Should you have missed the deadline, it is possible to place yourself on a waiting list.

Registration can only be made by email and only in German, English or French at:
afghanistankonferenz-presse@diplo.de.

You will find the coordinates of the contact partners for the TV broadcast in the media advisory.

Should you have any questions, please contact us at afghanistankonferenz-presse@diplo.de. Please note that we can only answer questions in German, English or French.