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# ISE COMMUNITY OF PRACTICE (3rd) IN-PERSON EVENT

## Travelling | Logistics Info



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## Event Schedule

The 3rd in-person ISE Community of Practice event will take place from **April 2nd to April 4th**, 2025, in **Sarajevo**, Bosnia & Herzegovina. Further details regarding the agenda will be provided separately.

## About the City of Sarajevo

Sarajevo, the capital of Bosnia & Herzegovina, is a vibrant city rich in history and culture. Nestled in a valley surrounded by the Dinaric Alps, Sarajevo blends Eastern and Western influences, reflected in its diverse architecture and lively atmosphere. The city's Old Town, Baščaršija, features cobblestone streets, traditional markets, and historical landmarks such as the Gazi Husrev-beg Mosque and Latin Bridge. Sarajevo is known for its welcoming hospitality, diverse culinary scene, and a rich cultural heritage that spans centuries.

Distance from Sarajevo International Airport (SJJ) to the city center: 12 km (approx. 20-30 minutes by car).



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## How to Reach Sarajevo

### Flights to Sarajevo

Sarajevo International Airport (SJJ) currently offers direct flights from the following cities:

- Rome: Wizz Air
- Frankfurt: Lufthansa, Singapore Airlines, United Airlines
- Istanbul-Sabiha Gökçen: Pegasus Airlines, Wizz Air
- Dubai: Flydubai, Emirates
- Zurich: Swiss International Air Lines
- Vienna: Austrian Airlines, Swiss International Air Lines, TAP Air Portugal, United Airlines
- Istanbul: Turkish Airlines
- Belgrade: Air Serbia
- Zagreb: Croatia Airlines, LOT Polish Airlines
- Gothenburg: Ryanair
- Warsaw: LOT Polish Airlines
- Cologne: Eurowings



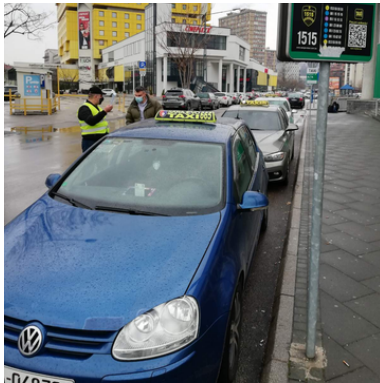
Starting April 1, 2025, Norwegian Airlines will introduce regular flights to Copenhagen, and at the beginning of 2025, a new route to Berlin will be launched. Participants will be notified as soon as additional routes become available.

# How to Reach Sarajevo

## From Sarajevo International Airport (SJJ) to City Center

### By Taxi

Several taxi operators are available at the airport



**Sarajevo Taxi (+387 33 660 666)**



**Crveni Taxi (+387 33 760 600)**



**Kale Taxi (+387 33 570 900)**

Estimated fare: 20-25 BAM (approx. 10-13 EUR)

Travel time: 20-30 minutes

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## How to Reach Sarajevo

### *By Taxi*

#### NOTES



Please do not take taxis that do not have the official registration plate marked with 'TA.'



Traffic congestion is usually heaviest between 3 PM and 5 PM, and during these hours, travel time to the city center can take more than an hour.



For added convenience, you can also use the '[Moj Taxi](#)' app, available for IOS and Android.



# How to Reach Sarajevo

## From Sarajevo International Airport (SJJ) to City Center

### By Public Transport

The bus is the most affordable way to travel to or from Sarajevo Airport. A regular bus line called Centrotans connects the airport with the main bus and railway station in the city center. Buses depart every 30 minutes, and the ticket price is 5 BAM (2.5 EUR). Tickets can be purchased at the counter inside the terminal or directly from the driver. The journey takes approximately 30 minutes, and the buses have ample luggage space. Please note that buses accept cash only, so make sure to have cash with you.

**AIRPORT - BAŠČARŠIJA**  
(city center)

**ONE WAY TICKET 5,00 KM**

First luggage to 23 kg  
FREE OF CHARGE  
Second luggage over 23 kg 5,00 KM

**Timetable**

Airport - City Center

06:20	07:30	09:15	11:00	12:30	14:20	16:10	17:45	20:30
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City Center - Airport

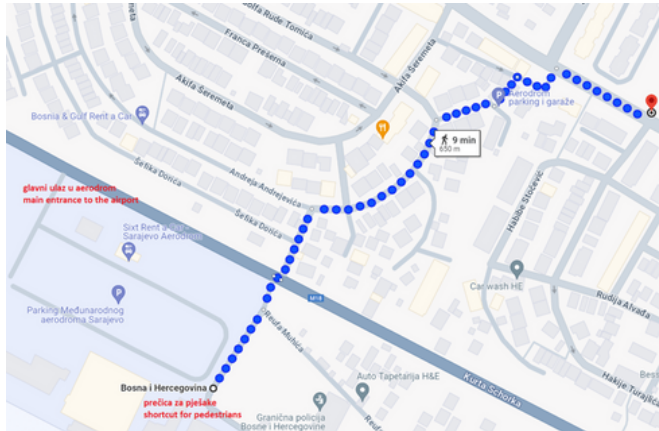
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# How to Reach Sarajevo

## From Sarajevo International Airport (SJJ) to City Center

### The trolleybus



The trolleybus is the most interesting and affordable way to travel to or from Sarajevo Airport. They are a symbol of the city and offer you a chance to experience its history and culture. To reach the trolleybus, you first need to walk to the Dobrinja neighborhood, which is approximately 700 meters from the airport, taking about 8-10 minutes on foot. From there, you can take trolleybus line 103, which goes to Austria Square (Trg Austrije), or line 107, which heads towards the Jezero neighborhood.



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## How to Reach Sarajevo

### *From Sarajevo International Airport (SJJ) to City Center*

#### *The trolleybus*

The ticket price is 1.80 BAM, and tickets can be purchased at kiosks or from the conductor. The ride takes approximately 40 minutes, but please note that trolleybuses have limited luggage space. Trolleybuses accept cash only, so make sure to have small change with you.

To reach Dobrinja, you can use Google Maps ([link to the trolleybus station location](#)), which will guide you through the main airport entrance, but this route is slightly longer. Below is a shortcut map to the station that will save you a few precious minutes.



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## How to Get Around Sarajevo

The easiest way to get around Sarajevo is by tram, as it provides a straightforward and convenient transportation option.

The main tram line (Line 1) runs in a straight line from the city's western suburbs (Ilidža) to the city center and continues towards Baščaršija, the historic old town. This makes it very easy to navigate without the risk of getting lost.

Trams run frequently throughout the day, and the route passes by major landmarks such as the Sarajevo City Center (SCC), the National Museum, and the historic Latin Bridge. Since the tram follows a single track along the main boulevard, it's nearly impossible to make a wrong turn.

Tickets cost 1.80 BAM if purchased at kiosks or 2 BAM if bought directly from the driver. Trams accept cash only, so it's advisable to carry small change.

For added convenience, Google Maps can help you locate tram stops.

# How to Get Around Sarajevo



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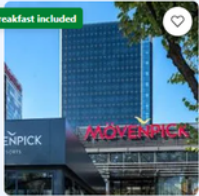

## Accommodation


Whichever hotel you choose in Sarajevo, you can't go wrong. The city's compact size and efficient tram network make it easy to reach key locations, allowing you to explore the entire city effortlessly. The tram takes approximately 40 minutes to cover the main route from Ilidža to Baščaršija, passing through all major attractions.

No matter where you stay, you'll find yourself conveniently close to the city's vibrant cultural and historical sites.

# Accommodation

Our recommended hotels are:

**Breakfast included**  

**Movenpick hotel Sarajevo** ★★★★★ 

[Sarajevo](#) [Show on map](#) 3.3 km from centre

**Superior Double Room with King Bed**  
1 extra-large double bed

**Breakfast included**  
✓ Free cancellation  
✓ No prepayment needed – pay at the property

**Fabulous** **8.8**  
1,453 reviews

2 nights, 1 adult  
**€ 230**  
+€ 2 taxes and charges

[See availability >](#)

**Courtyard by Marriott Sarajevo** ★★★★★ 

[Bačarska Sarajevo](#) [Show on map](#) 1.3 km from centre

**Twin Room**  
2 single beds

**Fabulous** **8.8**  
781 reviews

**Location 9.3**

2 nights, 1 adult  
**€ 245**  
+€ 3 taxes and charges

[See availability >](#)

**Breakfast included**  

**Swissotel Sarajevo** ★★★★★ 

[Sarajevo](#) [Show on map](#) 20 m from map centre

**Standard King Room**  
1 extra-large double bed

**Breakfast included**  
✓ Free cancellation

**Fabulous** **8.9**  
2,125 reviews

**Location 9.5**

2 nights, 1 adult  
**€ 398**  
+€ 3 taxes and charges

[See availability >](#)

**Breakfast included**  

**Hotel Holiday** ★★★★★  **Genius**

[Sarajevo](#) [Show on map](#) 2.1 km from centre

**Standard Single Room**  
1 single bed

**Breakfast included**

**Very good** **8.1**  
3,196 reviews

2 nights, 1 adult  
**€ 172**  
+€ 3 taxes and charges

[See availability >](#)

## Must-Try Experiences in Sarajevo

Sarajevo is a city rich in history, culture, and gastronomy, offering visitors a unique blend of Eastern and Western influences. To truly experience the essence of Sarajevo, here are a few things you must try:



### Ćevapi

These small grilled minced meat sausages, served with somun (a type of flatbread) and chopped onions, are Sarajevo's most famous dish. The best places to try them are traditional Ćevabdžinicas in Baščaršija, such as Željo or Hodžić.



### Burek and Pita

A staple of Bosnian cuisine, burek is a flaky pastry filled with minced meat, while other varieties include cheese (sirnica), potatoes (krompiruša), and spinach (zeljanica). Look for authentic shops like Buregdžinica Sač or Buregdžinica Bosna.



### Bosnian Coffee

Experience the traditional Bosnian way of drinking coffee, served in a džezva (small copper pot) with a sugar cube and rahat lokum (Turkish delight). Visit places like Ministry of Ćejf or Café Sevdah for an authentic experience.



### Walk Through Baščaršija

Strolling through the old bazaar, you'll encounter artisan shops, Ottoman-style architecture, and the iconic Sebilj fountain, a perfect place to soak in Sarajevo's charm. While exploring, make sure to stop by Pekara Imaret, a well-known bakery offering delicious traditional pastries and bread.



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