

Practical Information

(1) VISA application

The local organizer offers the invitation letter for each foreign participant in order to obtain the necessary visa to enter China. Please provide us with below the information at your early convenience. If one needs an official invitation letter provided by the Government Foreign Affairs Agency, please send us a photocopy of the passport (the primary page).

Name	Gender	Date of Birth	Nationality	Passport No.	TEL. No.	E-mail

Moreover, please contact the hotel people [See (4)] to apply for the booking confirmation, for which the arrival and departure dates are needed.

We highly recommend you to apply for a tourist visa, which application process is usually much faster and less complicated.

(2) Meeting venue

Meteorological Building, No. 219, Ningliu Road, Nanjing, 210044, Jiangsu China

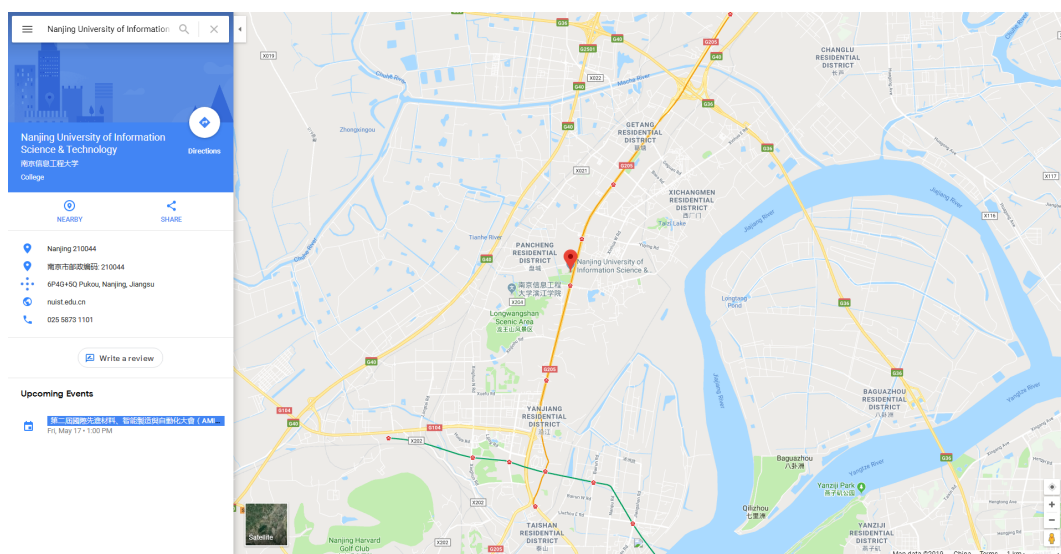


Fig. 1 Location of the NUIST campus in Nanjing



Fig. 2 Location of meeting venue (red arrow) in the NUIST campus

(3) Transportation

The NUIST campus is about 64 km to Lukou International Airport, 20 km to Nanjing railway station, and 34 km to Nanjing South railway station.

From Lukou International Airport, you may reach the venue by:

- 1) *Metro*: About 2.5 hours, take metro line S1 and transfer to line 3 at Nanjing South railway station, then transfer to line S10 at TaiFeng Road, and finally get off at Nanjing University of Information Science and Technology.
- 2) *Taxi*: About one hour at the cost of ¥230 – 280.

From Nanjing railway station, you may reach the venue by:

- 1) *Metro*: About 45 minutes, take metro line 3 and transfer to line S10 at TaiFeng Road, and then get off at Nanjing University of Information Science and Technology.
- 2) *Taxi*: About 30 minutes at the cost of ¥60 – 80.

From Nanjing South railway station, you may reach the venue by:

- 1) *Metro*: About 1.5 hours, take metro line 3 and transfer to line S10 at TaiFeng Road, and then get off at Nanjing University of Information Science and Technology.
- 2) *Taxi*: About 45 minutes at the cost of ¥120 – 150.

For people who arrive in Shanghai Pudong International Airport (PVG), you

may reach Nanjing Railway Station by:

First, take metro line 2 and transfer to line 4 at **Shiji Dadao** stop, and then get off at **Shanghai Railway Station**. This trip takes about 1.5 hours. **Alternatively**, take a taxi from PVG to Shanghai Railway Station, which costs about ¥200 and takes about 50 minutes (depending on the traffic condition).

Second, take the high-speed train from **Shanghai Railway Station** to **Nanjing Railway Station**. This trip takes about 1.7 hours. The high-speed train from Shanghai to Nanjing is available every hour from ~ 7:00 to ~22:00.



Fig. 3 Connection between Pudong International Airport and Shanghai Railway Station

For people who arrive in Shanghai Hongqiao International Airport (SHA), you may reach Nanjing South Railway Station by taking the high-speed train from Shanghai Hongqiao Railway Station (close to Hongqiao Airport) to Nanjing South Railway Station. This trip takes about 1.5 hours. The high-speed train from Shanghai Hongqiao to Nanjing South Railway Station is available from ~ 6:00 to ~22:00.

(4) Hotel Reservation

All the participants will be accommodated in the Jinling New City Hotel (nj.xc@jinlinghotels.com) or the Nanqi Hotel (310859139@qq.com). Please reserve the hotel through the above Emails by YOURSELF. **Please describe the meeting name (CFOSAT 4th International Science Team meeting) in the reservation email. Each delegate is responsible for his or her own accommodation cost.**

1) Jinling New Town Hotel Nanjing (about ¥380/Night, Breakfast included)

Address: 488 Yuanxi Road, Dachang, Luhe District, 210048 Nanjing, China.

This distance from this hotel to the workshop venue is about 5 km. Shuttle service between the hotel and the workshop venue will be available during the meeting period.

The schedule of shuttle is shown as follows:

- 08:00 : From Jinling New Town Hotel to NUIST:
- 18:00 : From NUIST to Jinling New Town Hotel.

The return schedule may be adapted according to the practical activities in each day.



Fig. 4 Jinling New City Hotel Nanjing

2) Nanqi Hotel (about ¥330 /Night, Breakfast included)

Address: Ningliu Lu 219, Pukou District, Nanjing, 210044, Jiangsu China

This distance from this hotel to the meeting venue is about 500 m (5 minutes on foot).

(8) Social Program

The local organizer NUIST kindly organizes a banquet for all of the meeting participants.

- Location : Nanqi Hotel
- Time : November 30, 19:00 – 21:00