

9.4.3. 2019 rankings: Most popular 2019 meeting destinations by continent (Type A)

This table shows the countries and cities, by continent, hosting the most international association meetings of Type A in 2019.

Africa – all countries / territories Meetings of Type A in 2019

Country	Meetings	Country	Meetings
South Africa	102	Cameroon	4
Egypt	48	Angola	4
Morocco	42	Senegal	4
Ethiopia	37	Algeria	3
Kenya	30	Burkina Faso	3
Uganda	21	Togo	3
Rwanda	20	Madagascar	3
Nigeria	17	Benin	2
Ghana	16	Niger	2
Tunisia	16	Mozambique	2
Côte d'Ivoire	13	Djibouti	2
Tanzania UR	12	Chad	2
Botswana	7	Sierra Leone	2
Namibia	7	Malawi	1
Cape Verde	7	Liberia	1
Mauritius	7	Seychelles	1
Mali	6	Eswatini	1
Equatorial Guinea	5	Cameroon	4
South Africa	102		

Africa – top cities

Meetings of Type A in 2019

City	Meetings	City	Meetings
Cape Town	40	Casablanca	5
Addis Ababa	37	Arusha	5
Cairo	37	Luanda	4
Marrakech	24	Entebbe	4
Nairobi	22	Hammamet	4
Kigali	20	Dakar	4
Durban	17	Stellenbosch	3
Kampala	15	Ouagadougou	3
Johannesburg	15	Lomé	3
Accra	14	Port Louis	3
Abidjan	12	Luxor	2
Abuja	10	Douala	2
Tunis	10	Swakopmund	2
Pretoria	8	Antananarivo	2
Sharm el Sheikh	7	Niamey	2
Rabat	7	Flic en Flac	2
Mombasa	6	El Gouna	2
Gaborone	6	Maputo	2
Bamako	6	Skukuza	2
Lagos	6	Yaoundé	2
Windhoek	5	Sun City	2
Praia	5	Marrakesh-Safi	2
Malabo	5	Cotonou	2
Dar es Salaam	5	Bloemfontein	2

Americas – all countries / territories
Meetings of Type A in 2019

Country	Meetings	Country	Meetings
USA	906	Uruguay	5
Canada	311	Trinidad-Tobago	4
Mexico	89	Guyana	4
Argentina	70	Bermuda	3
Brazil	60	Bahamas	3
Colombia	50	Cayman Is	3
Chile	40	El Salvador	3
Peru	27	Curaçao	2
Dominican Rep	18	Antigua-Barbuda	2
Panama	16	Anguilla	2
Ecuador	13	Martinique	2
Costa Rica	12	Nicaragua	1
Paraguay	10	Suriname	1
Jamaica	10	Honduras	1
Puerto Rico	8	St Maarten	1
Cuba	7	St Kitts-Nevis	1
Guatemala	5	Grenada	1
Bolivia	5		

Americas – cities
Meetings of Type A in 2019

City	Meetings	City	Meetings
Montréal QC	128	Cancún	16
New York NY	100	Rio de Janeiro	15
Toronto ON	55	Baltimore MD	14
Buenos Aires	49	Cartagena de Indias	13
Vancouver BC	49	Seattle WA	11
Boston MA	38	San José	11
Chicago IL	34	Medellin	11
Mexico City	33	Santo Domingo	10
Santiago	32	Cleveland OH	10
Orlando FL	29	Portland OR	10
New Orleans LA	29	San Antonio TX	10
Atlanta GA	28	Minneapolis MN	10
San Francisco CA	26	Mérida	9
Lima	26	Québec QC	8
Ottawa ON	25	Albuquerque NM	8
Los Angeles CA	24	Austin TX	8
Sao Paulo	22	Honolulu HI	8
Houston TX	22	Nashville TN	8
San Diego CA	20	Pittsburgh PA	8
Miami FL	20	Banff AB	8
Bogota	19	Punta Cana	7
Las Vegas NV	18	Asunción	7
Philadelphia PA	17	Quito	7
Denver CO	16	Havana	7
Panama	16	San Juan	7
Montréal QC	128	Cancún	16
New York NY	100	Rio de Janeiro	15

Asia – all countries / territories
Meetings of Type A in 2019

Country	Meetings	Country	Meetings
Singapore	1,021	Jordan	15
Korea Rep	968	Sri Lanka	14
Japan	607	Oman	14
Thailand	347	Saudi Arabia	13
China	240	Nepal	12
United Arab Emirates	161	Qatar	12
Indonesia	119	Bangladesh	11
Philippines	106	Kuwait	10
Malaysia	104	Kazakhstan	9
India	102	Pakistan	8
Taiwan	76	Bahrain	8
Vietnam	68	Uzbekistan	6
Hong Kong	44	Mongolia	5
Myanmar	35	Bhutan	4
Cambodia	32	Kyrgyzstan	4
Israel	30	Iran Islamic Rep	2
Laos	26	Timor-Leste	2
Brunei Darussalam	25	Tajikistan	1
Macau	17	Maldives	1
Lebanon	16	Turkmenistan	1

Asia – top cities

Meetings of Type A in 2019

City	Meetings	City	Meetings
Singapore	1,021	Chiang Mai	20
Seoul	550	Nagoya	19
Bangkok	288	Hangzhou	19
Tokyo	268	Nay Pyi Taw	19
Busan	127	Siem Reap	18
Abu Dhabi	84	Kobe	16
Jeju	81	Fukuoka	16
Dubai	72	Macau	16
Kyoto	67	Muscat	14
Manila	58	Hiroshima	14
Kuala Lumpur	56	Tel Aviv	14
Shanghai	56	Mumbai	14
Incheon	49	Phnom Penh	14
Taipei	49	Beirut	13
Beijing	47	Phuket	13
Bali	42	Kuching	13
Hong Kong	41	Chengdu	12
Jakarta	40	Putrajaya	12
Daegu	35	Doha	12
Daejeon	33	Dhaka	11
Yokohama	25	Sendai	11
Bandar Seri Begawan	24	Cebu City	11
Pohang	23	Hyderabad	11
Delhi	22	Nanjing	11
Vientiane	22	Sapporo	11
Osaka	22	Colombo	11
Gwangju	20	Kitakyushu	11
Singapore	1,021		

Europe – all countries / territories
Meetings of Type A in 2019

Country	Meetings	Country	Meetings
Belgium	1,003	Bulgaria	35
France	673	Iceland	33
Spain	525	Slovakia	28
UK	491	Serbia	27
Germany	489	Cyprus	26
Austria	390	Luxembourg	25
Italy	379	Ukraine	20
Netherlands	345	Latvia	20
Finland	304	Lithuania	16
Switzerland	293	Azerbaijan	14
Portugal	283	Malta	14
Norway	242	Georgia	11
Sweden	226	Bosnia-Herzegovina	10
Denmark	180	North Macedonia	9
Poland	145	Monaco	6
Greece	117	Armenia	6
Czechia	90	Montenegro	6
Russia	89	Türkiye	4
Ireland	80	Czech Rep	4
Hungary	79	Albania	4
Romania	75	Faeroe Is	3
Croatia	71	Andorra	2
Turkey	56	Vatican	2
Estonia	44	Belarus	2
Slovenia	40		

Europe – top cities
Meetings of Type A in 2019

City	Meetings	City	Meetings
Brussels	869	Rotterdam	50
Paris	391	Edinburgh	44
Vienna	296	Utrecht	41
London	216	The Hague	39
Lisbon	201	Valencia	39
Madrid	195	Istanbul	39
Berlin	193	Porto	37
Helsinki	183	Krakow	37
Geneva	183	St Petersburg	35
Barcelona	150	Moscow	34
Copenhagen	140	Munich	33
Stockholm	132	Antwerp	33
Amsterdam	130	Trondheim	32
Oslo	108	Strasbourg	31
Rome	89	Ljubljana	30
Prague	81	Reykjavik	30
Athens	71	Tallinn	30
Budapest	68	Gothenburg	30
Dublin	64	Florence	29
Lyon	58	Zagreb	28
Warsaw	52	Bergen	26
Milan	52	Glasgow	26
Ghent	51	Frankfurt-Main	26
Bucharest	51	Bratislava	25

Australasia / Oceania – all countries / territories
Meetings of Type A in 2019

Country	Meetings	Country	Meetings
Australia	292	Samoa USA	1
New Zealand	60	Guam	1
Fiji	11	Tuvalu	1
Samoa	5	Polynesia Fr	1
New Caledonia	3	Cook Is	1
Vanuatu	2	Papua New Guinea	1

Australasia / Oceania – all cities
 Meetings of Type A in 2019

City	Meetings	City	Meetings
Sydney NSW	104	Launceston TAS	3
Melbourne VIC	52	Wollongong NSW	3
Brisbane QLD	37	Suva	2
Auckland	27	Hamilton	2
Adelaide SA	21	Canterbury	1
Perth WA	18	Rarotonga Is	1
Gold Coast QLD	15	Tahiti Is	1
Wellington	13	Newcastle NSW	1
Canberra ACT	12	Hervey Bay QLD	1
Hobart TAS	8	Noosa Heads QLD	1
Nadi	7	Tully QLD	1
Apia	5	Cuvu	1
Dunedin	5	Alice Springs NT	1
Darwin NT	5	Pago Pago	1
Cairns QLD	4	Terrigal NSW	1
Queenstown	4	Funafuti	1
Christchurch	4	Port Moresby	1
Rotorua	4	Manly NSW	1
Nouméa	3	Barrigada	1