

# ADVOC EUROPE AGM PROGRAM

Lyon 10<sup>th</sup> - 13<sup>th</sup> of May 2018



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# EDITORIAL

Dear Friends,

Our firm is pleased and honored to host the 2018 edition of the meeting for the European network, ADVOC.

This event will be the occasion for you to discover our city, but also to discuss and develop the business relations between the participants, according to the ADVOC ethos since its creation.

You are most welcome at the event and we are looking forward to meeting you.

We take this opportunity to wish you and your family a happy and successful 2018, both personally and professionally.

Yours faithfully,

For YDES, Philippe Delorme



# ABOUT LYON

## A charming French town

Designated as a UNESCO world heritage site since 1998 and ex-capital of Gauls, the town is a reflection of 2,000 years of history. Its exceptional heritage is the fruit of the following leading contemporary architects: Renzo Piano, Jean Nouvel, Santiago Calatrava, Coop Himmelb(l)au.

The Lyon metropolis is impressive with its incredible momentum and its countless activities: museums, festivals, shopping, theatre, opera, monuments, cinemas, parks... More than 21,000 cultural and artistic events feature in Lyon's calendar: Fête des Lumières (festival of lights), Biennale de la Danse (dance biennial), Nuits sonores, Biennale d'art contemporain (contemporary art biennial), Les Nuits de Fourvière (Fourvière Nights)...

The town can also boast its gastronomy with Paul Bocuse, its 15 Michelin-starred restaurants, the future City of Gastronomy, and 4,000 restaurants: it goes without saying that Lyon's reputation as global capital for gastronomy is now well-established.

With the reconstruction of the Rhône and Saône riverbanks for leisurely strolls and recreation, the success of the Vélo'V (self-service bike hire) and the equivalent service for cars, Parc de la Tête d'Or, an idyllic park in the center of town and the complete overhaul of the Confluence sector... Lyon offers superb residential conditions for all.

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CULTURAL CITY OF FRANCE  
(EXCLUDING PARIS)
- 1 **ST**  
EUROPEAN CITY FOR  
A "CITY BREAK"
- 3 **RD**  
FAVORITE DESTINATION  
OF INTERNATIONAL  
TRAVELERS



# THURSDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> OF MAY

WHEN ?	WHO ?	WHAT ?	WHERE ? HOW ?
10h00 - 17h00	<i>Delegates</i>	Tax Practice Group at YDES'office	12 Rue de la Navigation - Lyon 9 <sup>th</sup>
17h00 - 19h00	<i>All</i>	Arrival of the participants - Check-in	Sofitel - Globe & Cecil - Mercure Beaux Arts
19h00 - 22h30	<i>All</i>	Dinner cocktail at YDES'office	Sofitel hotel – Return trip by bus 4 shuttles scheduled between 20h30 and 22h00





# FRIDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> OF MAY

WHEN ?	WHO ?	WHAT ?	WHERE ? HOW ?
07h30 - 08h15	<i>All (optional)</i>	Jogging excursion: "A la découverte des Quais de Saône"	Sofitel hotel - By foot
09h00 - 12h00	<i>Delegates Accompanying pers.</i>	Conferences Visit of the <i>Musée des Confluences</i>	Sofitel hotel Sofitel hotel – Return trip by bus
12h00 - 13h30	<i>All</i>	Buffet-lunch	Sofitel hotel
13h30 - 17h00	<i>All</i>	Urban Rally in the Vieux Lyon	Sofitel hotel - By foot
17h00 - 19h00	<i>Young Lawyers</i>	Activities	Surprise
19h00 - 00h00	<i>All</i>	Boules competition (pétanque) - Buffet barbecue	Sofitel hotel – Return trip by bus



# SATURDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> OF MAY

WHEN ?	WHO ?	WHAT ?	WHERE ? HOW ?
07h30 - 08h30	All (optional)	Jogging: "Promenons-nous à la Tête d'Or"	Place Bellecour (Louis XIV statue) – Subway to the Tête d'Or
09h30 - 13h30	Delegates	ADVOC AGM followed by a buffet-lunch	Sofitel hotel
09h30 - 14h00	Accompanying pers.	Visit of the Paul Bocuse workshops, cookery course then tasting of our culinary creations	Sofitel hotel – Return trip by bus
13h30 - 15h00	Delegates	Practice groups	Sofitel hotel
15h00 - 18h00	All Young Lawyers	Free time Activities	Surprise
19h30 - 22h30	All	Gala dinner on the boat "Les Célestins"	Sofitel hotel – Boarding
22h30 - 02h30	All	Gala evening	Docked at Confluence Shuttles to Sofitel hotel every 45 min



# SUNDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> OF MAY

WHEN ?	WHO ?	WHAT ?	WHERE ? HOW ?
07h00 - 12h00	All	Participants' departure - Check-out	Sofitel - Globe & Cecil - Mercure Beaux-Arts
10h00 - 15h00	All (optional)	<b>POST AGM PROGRAM</b> Discovery tour day of Beaujolais	Sofitel hotel – By bus Sofitel hotel – Return by 3:00 p.m.





# PRACTICAL INFORMATION

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**REGISTRATION ON :** [www.advoc2018.com](http://www.advoc2018.com)

## CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FEES\*

Standard ADVOC registration fee : EUR 950  
Junior ADVOC registration fee : EUR 450  
Accompanying person registration fee : EUR 850

The registration fees include :

- Conference facilities and meeting costs
- Lunch on Friday and Saturday
- Activities on Friday and Saturday
- Cocktail on Thursday and Friday nights
- Gala dinner on Saturday
- Bus transfers for activities and dinners

The registration fees do not include :

- Hotel costs
- Transportation to and from the airport or train station
- Additional drinks
- Any costs after the Thursday, Friday and Saturday night dinners
- Preconference Tax Practice seminar (Wednesday dinner and hotel for Wednesday night)
- Optional sightseeing Sunday (EUR 150)

*\*Only registrations made on [www.advoc2018.com](http://www.advoc2018.com) will be taken into account. The registration will be finally validated once the payment has been received. No payment on-site will be accepted.*



# PRACTICAL INFORMATION

## POST-CONFERENCE ACTIVITIES

### Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2018

Sunday from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. there is an optional day trip to discover Beaujolais, including the bus transfer, lunch, visit and activities.

The price of this trip is EUR 150 and has been fixed based upon 25 attendees. The price can be subject to adjustment if fewer attendees.

Please indicate on [www.advoc2018.com](http://www.advoc2018.com) website whether you will attend the post-conference activities.

## ACCOMPANYING PERSONS PROGRAM

Reference is made to the specific programs for Friday and Saturday.

## DRESS CODE

Smart casual.

Friday activity : Practical clothes for the afternoon activity.

Gala dinner : black tie, evening gown, cocktail dress, full dress or festive national dress.

## PAYMENT DETAILS

When you register on [www.advoc2018.com](http://www.advoc2018.com) website, you will choose between the online payment (until 20<sup>th</sup> April) or bank transfer (until 13<sup>th</sup> April).

Bank account details as follows :

BIC : SOGEFRPP

IBAN : FR76 3000 3022 8000 0203 2408 786

Bank Number : 30003

Agency Number : 02280

Account number : 00020324087

Key : 86

## TEMPERATURE

Lyon has a tropical, warm and humid climate without any dry season.

The climate in May is warm, but humid.

The average temperature is 16°C (11°C in the morning and up to 20°C in the afternoon).

The average daylight duration in Lyon is 14h55. The sun rises at 05h10 and sets at 20h05.

# HOTELS

## AGM CONFERENCE LOCATION

### Sofitel Bellecour hotel

20 Quai Dr Gailleton  
69002 LYON  
FRANCE  
Telephone : +33 (0)4 72 41 20 20

**Hotel tax** : 2,47€/night/pers

**Check-in** : 3:00 pm

**Check-out** : 12:00 am

## ALTERNATIVE HOTELS

### Mercure Beaux-Arts

73-75 Rue du Président Edouard Herriot  
69002 LYON  
FRANCE  
Telephone : +33 (0)4 78 38 09 50

**Hotel tax** : 1,65€/night/pers

**Check-in** : 3:00 pm

**Check-out** : 12:00 am

## ALTERNATIVE HOTELS

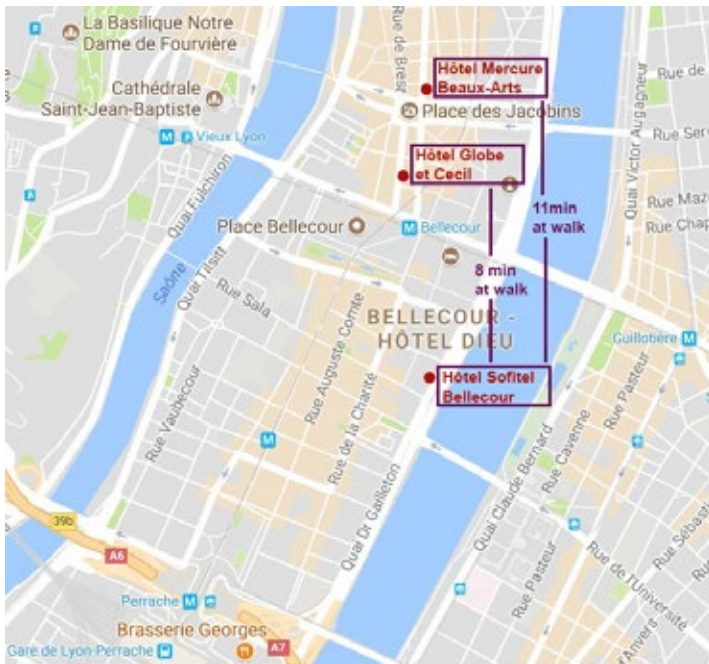
### Globe & Cecil

21 Rue Gasparin  
69002 LYON  
FRANCE  
Telephone : +33 (0)4 78 42 58 95

**Hotel tax** : 1,65€/night/pers

**Check-in** : 2:00 pm

**Check-out** : 12:00 am



## PRICES

*The below mentioned in the offer can only be booked on [www.advoc2018.com](http://www.advoc2018.com).*

*This offer cannot be combined with any other offers.*

*This excludes the hotel tax which has to be paid at the hotel.*

### Sofitel Bellecour

Superior single room : 195 €/ night

Superior double room : 215 €/ night

Including breakfast

### Mercure Beaux-Arts

Standard single room: 149 € for the 1<sup>st</sup> night, then 125 € per each following night

Including breakfast

### Globe & Cecil

Single room: 118 €/ night

12 € for breakfast per person



# TRANSPORT

## TRANSPORT FROM THE AIRPORT

### By Taxi

There is a taxi rank in front of the airport terminals 1 or 2 and the train station. The trip from the airport to the conference hotel takes app. 30 minutes and costs app. EUR 50 - 60 (or less if you use UBER).

### By Lyon Express (to all hotels)

You take the "Lyon Express" tram from the train station, which is located in front of Terminal 1 (a 5 minute walk).

Every Lyon Express tram goes in the same direction from the airport, so you don't have to worry about getting on the wrong train.

There is a tram every 15 minutes (from 6:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.).

It takes 30 minutes to arrive at the Lyon Part Dieu train station.

Then, you take the subway to go to the hotel (see "By subway" leaflet).

The price for a one-way ticket is EUR 15.90. You can buy tickets in the subway or online.

## TRANSPORT FROM THE TRAIN STATION

If you arrive at the Lyon Part Dieu train station, the distance between the station and the Place Bellecour is 3km.

For all hotels, you have to take the subway station or a taxi.

### By Subway

The entrance of the subway station is located right outside the train station, "Porte Rhône" entrance (Place Charles Béraudier).

Take line B, going to "Gare d'Oullins", and get down at "Saxe Gambetta". Then take line D, going to "Gare de Vaise", and get down at "Bellecour".

The subway operates at a 2-5 minute interval during the day.

The 3 hotels accessible by foot:

- Sofitel: 7 minutes
- Mercure: 6 minutes
- Globe & Cecil: 3 minutes

The price for a one-way ticket to Lyon is EUR 1.80.

## TRANSPORT BY CAR - To Place Bellecour

From the A6 motorway, you take the "Lyon Presqu'île" exit.

Then, you turn left into the "Rue Sala", right into "Rue de la Charité", and right into "Rue Biennier" until "Quai Gailleton".

From A6 motorway - 4.00 km / 2.50 miles

From A7 motorway - 4.00 km / 2.50 miles

From A42-43 motorway - 10.00 km / 6.25 miles