



Guide To the 1st Asia-Pacific Open Memory Championships

Standards:

The 10-discipline international standards stipulated by WMSC

Notes to competitors:

1. Venue: Guangdong Asia International Hotel (No.326-1 East Huanshi Road, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou)
2. Sign-in location: The lobby on the 1st floor at Guangdong Asia International Hotel.



3. Time for sign-in: 9:00-17:00 August 24th 2017
9:00-12:00 August 25th 2017
4. Time of the opening ceremony: 14:00-15:00 August 25th 2017
5. Time for Q&A:
15:00-17:00 August 25th, 2017
6. Time of the competition: August 26th-August 27th

7. Schedule:

Schedule of the Asia-Pacific Open Memory Championships				
Date	Time	Events	Memory Time	Recall Time
August 24th	9:00-17:00	Sign in	Receive participation certificate and hand in cards	
August 25th	9:00-12:00			
	14:00-15:00	Opening Ceremony		
	15:00-17:00	Question-and-answer Meeting for Players		
August 26th	9:10-10:05	1. Names & Faces	15min	30min
	10:10-11:50	2. Binary Digits	30min	60min
	12:00-13:10	Break Time		
	13:25-14:20	3. Abstract Images	15min	30min
	14:25-14:55	4. Speed Numbers (Round 1)	5min	15min
	15:00-15:30	5. Virtual Events and Dates	5min	15min
	15:35-16:05	4 Speed Numbers (Round 2)	5min	15min
	16:00-18:00	6. Random Cards	30min	60min
August 27th	8:30-8:40	Results are Released		
	8:40-9:45	7. Random Words	15min	40min
	9:50-11:30	8. Random Numbers	30min	60min
	11:30-12:40	Break Time		
	12:55-13:07	9. Spoken Numbers ((Round 1))	100sec	5min
	13:25-13:50	9. Spoken Numbers (Round 2))	300sec	15min
	14:05-14:43	9. Spoken Numbers (Round 3)	450sec	25min
	14:50-15:10	10. Speed Cards (Round 1 Group A)	5min	5min
	15:10-15:30	10. Speed Cards (Round 1 Group B)	5min	5min
	15:30-15:50	10. Speed Cards (Round 2 Group A)	5min	5min
	15:50-16:10	10. Speed Cards (Round 2 Group B)	5min	5min
	17:30-19:00	Closing Ceremony		

8. Articles Required:

(1) A stopwatch or a speedcube timer (The brand appointed: Speed Stacks. Types: The third generation or the fourth generation);

(2) Ordinary cards: 4 packs of cards for Speed Cards (There're 2 rounds and please organize 2 packs for recall in order and then hand in). The number of cards for Random Cards or One Hour Cards is determined by the number of challenges. Please label cards with label paper and plastic bags offered at the sign-in site. (P.S. The label of Speed Cards includes: 1. memory 2. recall 1. memory 2. One Hour Cards and players' name.) Speed Cards and Random Cards should be put into bags and given to the registration staff;

(3) A transparent ruler which is 3cm wide and 30cm long; a pencil; a roller pen; a writing pad (Tables in the game are covered with tablecloth); Earphones or earplugs (It depends on players' needs);

(4) Carry the valid identification document (the original and a photocopy): ID (applicable to adults and teenagers. Both side of the ID are photocopied on one side of the paper) or household register (only applicable to teenagers. Both householders' information and players' information are photocopied on one side of the paper). The original will be used to check information on the spot and the photocopy will be archived;

(5) A 2-inch color photo (the background color is not limited) which will be used to make entry card.

9. The registration procedure: sign in—check players' information (check the original and collect the photocopies)—make entry cards—collect cards—issue clothes and guides. Those who have reserved a room at the sports hotel are supposed to check in at the Reception Desk.

10. NEED-TO-KNOW:

(1) Players are required to volunteer for the game;

(2) Everyone must be inspected on reaching. A player's participation certificate is a must when entering, and is only valid for the player himself. Any electronic products except for equipment required such as cellphone and electronic watch are forbidden;

(3) Players must write down their name, group and table number. Paper without name will be considered invalid;

(4) Players must be present 15 minutes before the game starts. Those are 5 minutes or longer late are not allowed to enter;

(5) Players' places will be arranged by the chief referee and players shall not change their designated places at will;

(6) Players must obey Competition Management' arrangement and the rules of the game;

(7) At the avenue, please obey following requirements: No talking loudly; No shaking tables and chairs; No shaking bodies frequently; No tapping; or other behaviors of disturbing others. If players have any questions, they should be sure to signal the referee by raising hands and whisper to him after he approaches;

(8) In case any player is not satisfied with the results, he should fill in the result-check application form, hand it in to the assistant referee to review and wait for reply;

(9) Players who participate in the Chinese game must dress the uniform required by the Competition Management and mustn't wear clothes carrying other organizations' logos or wear any article with such logos during the opening ceremony, closing ceremony and the game. Players mustn't take photos for organizations not authorized by means of banners, plates, etc.;

(10) Players who are against the rules shall be disqualified and the participation results shall be cancelled; Players who cheat in the game shall be criticized in a circulated notice in their work units and be banned to participate in this competition forever.

Awards

Award Distribution of the First Asia-Pacific Open Memory Championships Final					
Awards	National Team Award	Overall Ranking in the Game	Overall Ranking in the Group	Ranking in an individual event	Asian Grand Master of Memory

1st	20,000	15,000	5,000	500	10,000/ The Number of Winners
2nd	18,000	12,000	4,000	400	
3rd	16,000	10,000	3,000	300	
4th	14,000	7,000	2,500	-	
5th	12,000	6,000	2,000	-	
6th	10,000	5,000	1,500	-	
7th	8,000	3,000	1,000	-	
8th	6,000	2,000	500	-	
Subtotal	104,000	60,000	78,000	48,000	10,000
Total: RMB300,000					

Each participant will receive a participation certificate besides the awards. Besides, the first, second and third position winners will receive a trophy, a medal and an honor certificate respectively.

Accommodation (Recommended)

I. Guangdong Asia International Hotel (Five-star)

Location: No.326-1 East Huanshi Road, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou

Introduction: Guangdong Asia International Hotel, a business hotel located in Guangzhou's most prosperous commercial center - the East Huanshi Road, boasts convenient transportation. The spacious and comfortable rooms are designed by famous designers, integrating concepts of fashion& home with technology perfectly. Each room type is equipped with separate shower and free broadband Internet access. The magnificent exhibition center with a professional exhibition planning team spares no effort to organize various kinds of large-scale banquets, wedding banquets and commodity exhibitions etc.

Room Rates of Guangdong Asia International Hotel (Reception Tel: 13539895593, Miss Zhong)

Room Type	Rack Rate (RMB)	Agreement Rate (RMB)
Deluxe Twin /King Room	563	500
Business Twin /King Room	800	590
Executive Twin /King Room	900	690
Elite Twin /King Room	1,000	790
Deluxe Suite	1,380	900
Executive Suite	1,980	1,680
※Breakfast is not included		

1. Free access to the hotel fitness center
2. Free access to high-speed broadband Internet
3. Free WIFI access in the hotel



Exterior



Lobby



Deluxe Twin Room



Business Twin Room



Executive Twin Room



Executive Suite

II. Tokai Hotel (Three-star)

Location: No. 318-1 East Huanshi Road, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou

Introduction: Tokai Hotel is a star building belonging to Cosco, one of Fortune 500 companies. It is directly managed by COSCO Guangzhou. It is famous for its brand new and perfect facilities and meticulous care, and it is the first option for large amounts of guests at home and abroad.

Room Rates of The Tokai Hotel

Reception Tel: 18028001990, 020-83839966

Room Type	Rack Rate (RMB)	Agreement Rate (RMB)
Budget Single Room	358+15%	218
Standard Single Room	428+15%	278
Standard Twin Room	428+15%	288
Business Single Room	568+15%	298
Business Twin Room	568+15%	308
Business Triple Room	588+15%	358
Deluxe Single Room	588+15%	338
Deluxe Twin Room	588+15%	358
Honeymoon Suite	608+15%	388
Family Suite (3 beds)	808+15%	428
Business Suite	868+15%	450
Extra Bed	120+15%	120

* * The above agreement rate is net RMB price, excluding the period of Canton Fair. Guests of budget single room can enjoy free breakfast.

1. Electronic safe; LCD TV including English, French and Arabic television channels; Special restroom for Muslims and worship directions; Free wireless WIFI access; Free mineral water; Free separate kitchen and washing machine service.
2. Muslim café on the 1st floor; Turkey Muslim Restaurant on the 2nd floor; ¥ 25 per person for Western breakfast buffet in the Tokai Bar on the 4th floor.

3. A 50-square-meter meeting room for rent; a 70% discount for the signing of a business company.
4. Ticketing, foreign exchange and shopping services provided at the lobby.
5. Please pay the room rate at the Reception. All reservations are supposed to be confirmed by phone call, QQ, WeChat, fax (opening hours: 8:30-18:00). The room reserved are kept till 18:00 generally without down payment. If you want to keep a room, please contact Party A's contact person.(Please inform the company name —Guangzhou World Mind Education Technology Co. LTD — during reservation for agreement rate.)



Exterior



Reception



Standard Twin Room



Business Twin Room



Business Suite

III. Jin Ying Hotel Guangzhou (Three-star)

Location: 19 Huanshi Beijiao Chang Road, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou (Exit B of the Xiaobei Metro Station)

Introduction: Jin Ying hotel Guangzhou, located in the most central administrative and commercial area of Guangzhou, is surrounded by many high-end office buildings such as Guangdong Asia International Hotel, Guangdong International Hotel, Peace World Plaza and World Trade Center. Almost zero distance to Exit B of the Xiaobei Metro Station, it is adjacent to TEEMALL, Beijing Street (a commercial pedestrian street), China International Center, Friendship Store etc. Downstairs are a galaxy of gourmets, like Teochew cuisine, Cantonese cuisine, Hu'nan cuisine and Sichuan cuisine, etc. Both Jianshe Liuma Road and Taojin Road nearby are widely known for the bar streets and classic foods all over the world. Here, some foreign trade business centers are adjacent, such as Tianxiu Building, Guangzhou Baima clothing wholesale Market near the railway station, Bu Yun Shoes World Plaza, International Leather & Shoes Center, West Station Fashion Market. It is also a hotel designated by the Pazhou International Exhibition Centre, with the subway extending to Pazhou Pavilion. It's about three minutes' walk from the airport express and Guangdong Radio and Television station.

Room Rates of The Jin Ying Hotel (Reception Tel: 020-83811888)

Room Type	Agreement Rate (RMB)
Standard Room (King/Twin)	238
Superior Room (King/Twin)	288
Deluxe Room (King/Twin)	368

1. Time for Check-in and check-out:
Check in: After 12:00.
Check out: Before 12:00.
2. Guests under 18 mustn't check in alone
3. Breakfast is not available
4. No pets



Exterior



Lobby



Standard Twin Room



Superior King Room



Deluxe King Room

Reservation :

Due to the large number of participants and limited rooms, we can't make sure everyone has access to hotel rooms above. If there are no vacant rooms, please make reservations nearby by yourself (Please refer to accommodation guides below).

Accommodation Guides Nearby		
Name	Location	Tel
Luxurious Hotels		
Crowne Plaza Guangzhou City Centre	339 East Huanshi Road, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou	020-83638888
The Garden Hotel	368 East Huanshi Road, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou	020-83338989
The Guangzhou Baiyun Hotel	367 East Huanshi Road, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou	020-83333998
Comfortable/Top Hotels		
The Yihe Business Hotel	416 East Huanshi Road, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou	020-83969888
The Guangzhou Ocean Hotel	412 East Huanshi Road, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou	020-87765988
The Likto hotel	48, Six Road Construction, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou	020-61897333
The Guangzhou Easun Guotai Hotel	376 East Huanshi Road, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou	020-83783476
The Ying Shang San Mao Hotel	374 East Huanshi Road, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou	020-83866139
Budget Hotels		
7 Days Inn (Guangzhou Huanshi Zhong Guangdong Radio and Television station Branch)	5B Luh Road, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou	020-83659788
7 Days Inn (Guangzhou Xiaobei Subway Station Branch)	14 North Jiaochangheng Road, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou	020-83277229
7 Days Youpin Hotel(Guangzhou Damalu Branch)	13 Jianshe Main Street, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou	020-83293388
The Lucky Hotel	326 East Huanshi Road, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou	020-28826888

Tips: All the hotels above can be reserved through Ctrip, Fliggy, Meituan, Dianping, Qunar etc. We have no cooperation with the above platforms. If you make a hotel reservation through them, please call the hotel Reception Desk in advance for confirmation.

Dining

Considering the large number of participants, difference in hometowns, customs and time, we are not planning unified meals. Restaurants nearby for your reference.

- **Central Plaza:** 22 Jianshe Main Street, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou. It's close to Asia International Hotel's Genting Court. All kinds of foods are available including Cantonese and Sichuan cuisine or Japanese, Muslim and Western cuisine etc.
- **La Perle & Guangzhou Friendship Store:** 367 East Huanshi Road, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou
- **Deyue Restaurant:** 3F, Sanmao Building, 374 East Huanshi Road, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou (at the exit A of Taojin Metro Station, near Zhengjia Eastern International Plaza)
- **To To Kui (East Huanshi):** 2F, Xinyuexin Building, 329 East Huanshi Road, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou
- **Asia International Hotel's Genting Highlands – a 360-degree rotating restaurant:** 45th floor of the hotel

Transport:

Airport

1. Airport Express Line 2A

Baiyun Airport↔**Crowne Plaza Guangzhou City Centre** (¥19)

Baiyun Airport First bus: 7:00 Last bus: till the flight is over

Crowne Plaza Guangzhou City Centre: First bus: 5:30 Last bus: 21:10

The bus runs every 30min to 45 minutes, lasting about 50 minutes for a single trip.

Baiyun Airport departure time: 07:00-19:00: 1 bus /45 min; 19:00-23:00: 1 bus /30min; (night shift) 23:00- till the flight is over 1 bus /20 min

Crowne Plaza Guangzhou City Centre departure time: 05:30-06:30: 1 bus /30 min; 06:30-20:00: 1 bus /45min; 20:00-21:10: 1 bus /30 min

2. Metro: North section of Metro Line 3: Airport South Station→North section of Metro Line 3: Jiahewanggang Station (transfer to Metro Line 2) → Line 2:Guangzhou Railway Station (transfer to Metro Line 5) → Line 5: Xiaobei Station(Exit B,walk about 300m towards East Huanshi Road)
3. Didi fast ride/tailored taxi/taxi: It costs about ¥90-120 to Asia International Hotel (Guangdong Radio and Television Station)

Train

1. Guangzhou Railway Station:

Route 1: take Metro Line 5 to Xiaobei Station(exit B, walk about 300m towards East Huanshi Road)

Route 2: take Bus 30/550 to Xiaobei Station or Bus B2A/b2/b10 to The Garden Hotel

2. Guangzhou East Railway Station:

Route 1: take Metro Line 1 to Yangji Station (transfer to Metro Line 5) → Xiaobei Station(exit B, walk about 300m towards East Huanshi Road)

Route 2: take Bus 810/810A/233/256 (Guangzhou East Railway Station Bus Terminal——

Guangdong Radio and Television station)

3. Guangzhou South Railway Station:

Route 1: take Metro Line 2 to Guangzhou Railway Station(Wenchong Direction) →transfer to Metro Line 5 to Xiaobei Station(Exit B, walk about 300m towards East Huanshi Road)

Route 2: take Bus 301A to Guangzhou Baiyun Hotel Station

City transport:

1. Metro: Asia International Hotel is close to Xiaobei Station and Taojin Station. Players who stays in Tokai Hotel and Jin Ying Hotel can get on at Xiaobei Station; players who stays in Garden Hotel, Guangzhou Baiyun Hotel, Guangzhou Ocean Hotel and Yihe Business Hotel should get on at Taojin Station.
2. Bus: Guangdong Radio and Television station (whose reverse destination is The Garden Hotel Station): take Bus 545 /10 /125 /189 /191 /219 /220 /225 /233 /256 /30 /482 /550 /63 /6 /810A /810 /833 /886 /B10.