# The Pre-plan of working Group on Numerical Experimentation (WGNE) 40<sup>th</sup> Annual Meetings

# CEMC, Beijing, China 3-7 November 2025

## 1. Where will the meeting take place

**China Meteorological Administration (CMA)** 

### **Earth System Modeling and Prediction Centre (CEMC)**

No.46, Zhongguancun South Street, Haidian District, Beijing,

#### China



## 2. Contact the organizers:

For questions regarding the meeting, please contact:

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### 3. Accommodation Recommendation:

## Option 1: Hotel Nikko New Century Beijing (Beijing NewCentury

Hotel 北京市海淀区首体南路6号北京新世纪饭店)

Hotel Address: No. 6 South Shouti Road, Haidian District, Beijing, China

(within 20-min walk to CMA)

Hotel Website: <a href="https://en.hotelnikkobeijing.cn">https://en.hotelnikkobeijing.cn</a>

Price Range: ~600 to 750 CNY per night

Key feature: English-speaking front desk, Currency exchange,

Restaurant, Lobby bar



**Option 2: Beijing Zhongguancun South Street Mercure Hotel** 

## (Shenzhou Building Branch) (北京中关村南大街美居酒店)

Hotel Address: No. 31 Zhongguancun South Street (Shenzhou Building),

Haidian District, Beijing, 100081, China

(within 10-min walk to CMA)

Price Range: 600 to ~650 CNY per night (600 CNY by September)

Key feature: Closer to CMA than option 1.



# **4. Accommodation Map APP in China** Beijing Map

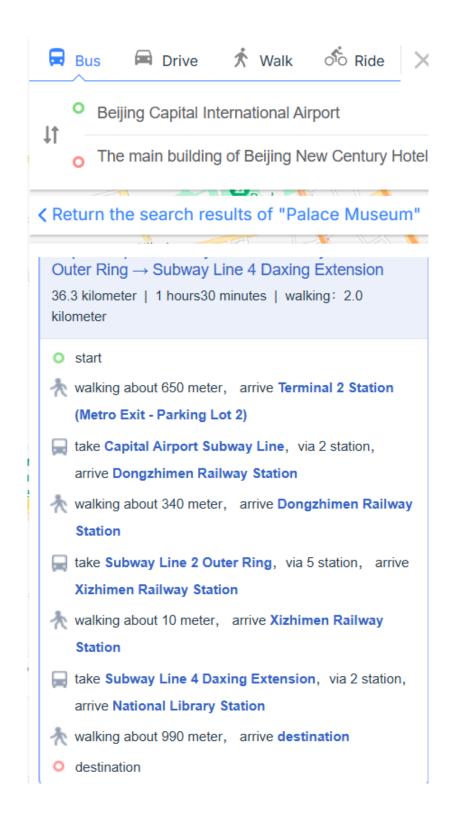
(English-supported bus and subway route search)



# **5.** Transportation from International Airports to Hotel

A. Beijing Capital International Airport (PEK)

• Airport Express + Metro (~¥30, ~90 minutes):

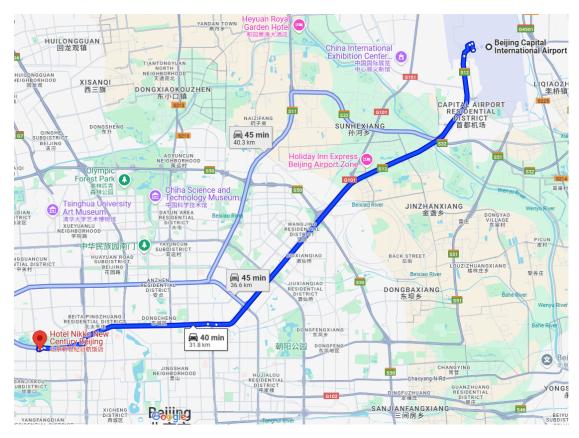


## Taxi or Didi (~30 km, ~¥120–150, ~50 minutes):

Direct ride to the hotel. Show the Chinese address to the driver: 北京市海淀区首体南路6号北京新世纪饭店.

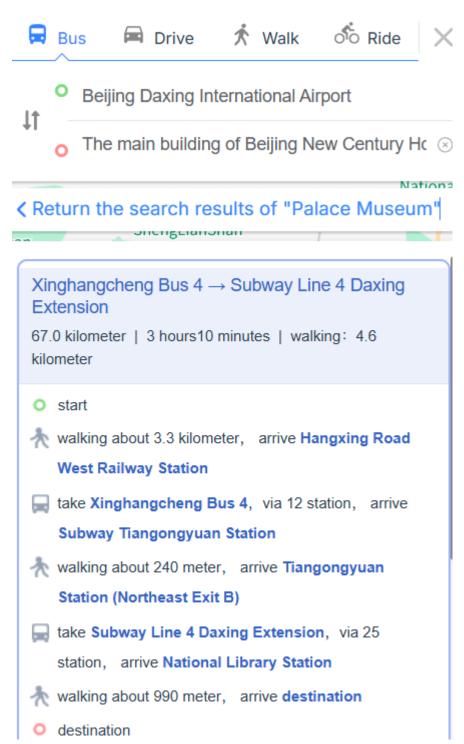
Tips: Use Didi (China's rideshare app) for English-friendly

bookings and payment via international credit cards.



# B. Beijing Daxing International Airport (PKX)

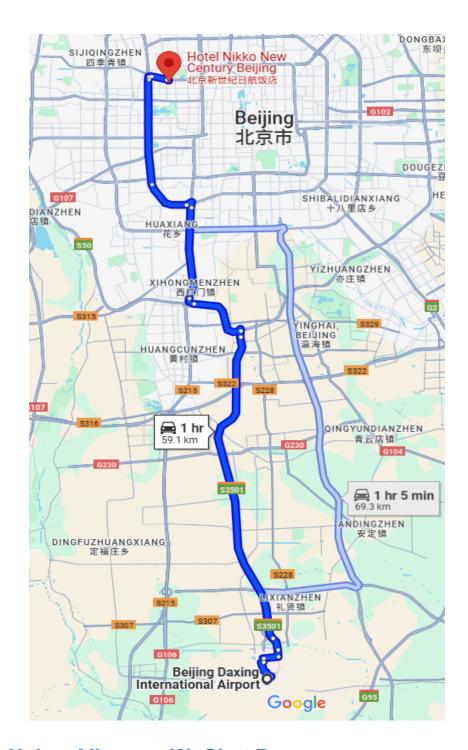
• Airport Express + Metro (~¥40, ~90 minutes):



• Taxi or Didi (~60 km, ~\frac{200}{250}, ~80-100 minutes):

Direct ride to the hotel. Show the Chinese address to the driver: 北京市海淀区首体南路6号北京新世纪饭店.

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# 6. Using Alipay or WeChat Pay

(QR Code System, more convenient and recommended payment methods in China)

## Setup:

1. Install Alipay or WeChat Pay from app stores

- 2. Use a foreign phone number and passport for verification
- Link an international credit card (Visa/Mastercard) to WeChat/Alipay under "Wallet" settings.
- 4. Enable "Tour Pass" on Alipay for short-term spending.

### • Usage:

- 1. Scan QR codes for payments at restaurants, shops, and taxis.
- 2. Use for health code generation (required in some public areas).
- Cash Backup: Carry small amounts of RMB for emergencies.
- Tutorial Link: https://youtu.be/J58RgKAoPZE?si=VTShIPpkbVYpk\_xF

## 7. Program overview(local time)

	Day 1: November 3, 2025
9:00-10:30	Opening and Welcome speech by host
	organization
	and CEMC presentation (TBD)
10:45-12:0 0	Conference Presentation
12:00-14:0 0	Lunch
14:00-18:0 0	Conference Presentation
Day 2: November 4, 2025	
9:00-12:00	Conference Presentation
12:00-14:0	Lunch
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14:00-18:0 0	Conference Presentation
	Day 3: November 5, 2025
9:00-12:00	Conference Presentation
12:00-14:0	Lunch
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14:00-18:0	Conference Presentation
0	Conference Presentation
Day 4: November 6, 2025	
9:00-12:00	Conference Presentation
12:00-14:0	Lunch
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14:00-18:0	Conference Presentation
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Day 5: November 7, 2025	
09:00-18:0	Panel discussion and closing
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Important Notes: The venue for the opening ceremony on the first day is at a separate location from the conference rooms. Guides will be available on-site to direct you.

Detailed agenda is available at the following link:

• 40<sup>th</sup> WGNE Meeting Agenda

## 8. Recommended tourist attractions in Beijing

## A. The Palace Museum (Forbidden City)

As the world's largest imperial palace complex (725,000 m²), it served 24 emperors from the Ming to Qing dynasties. Built over 14

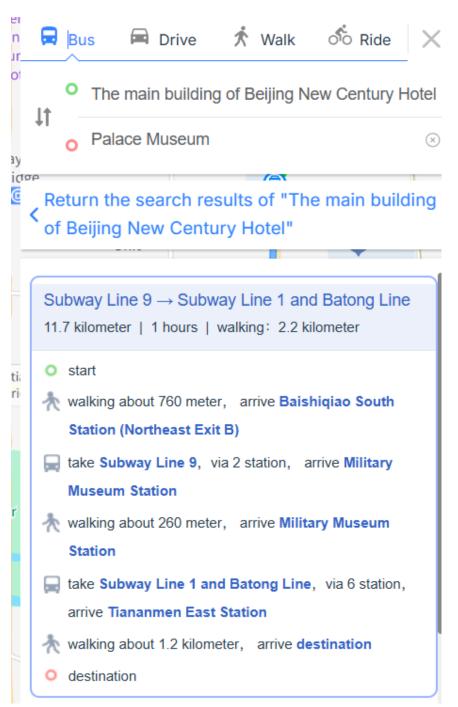
years (1406–1420), its 8,704 rooms showcase traditional Chinese palatial architecture.

Address: Palace Museum, 4 Jingshan Front St, Dongcheng,

Beijing, China

Book tickets online: <a href="https://intl.dpm.org.cn/index.html?l=en">https://intl.dpm.org.cn/index.html?l=en</a>

Subway route (~1 hours):



Taxi route (~23 min):

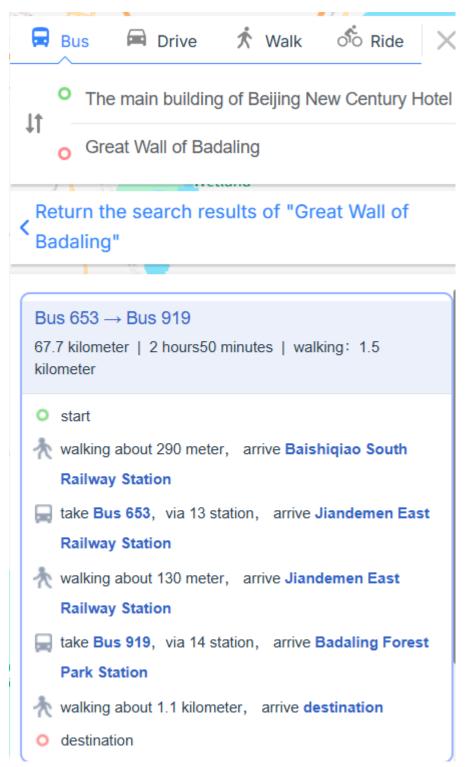


## **B. Badaling Great Wall**

The best-preserved section of the Great Wall (built 1505), located 80km NW of downtown.

Address: Great Wall of Badaling, Yanqing District, China

Subway route (~2 hours):



## Taxi route (~1 hours):

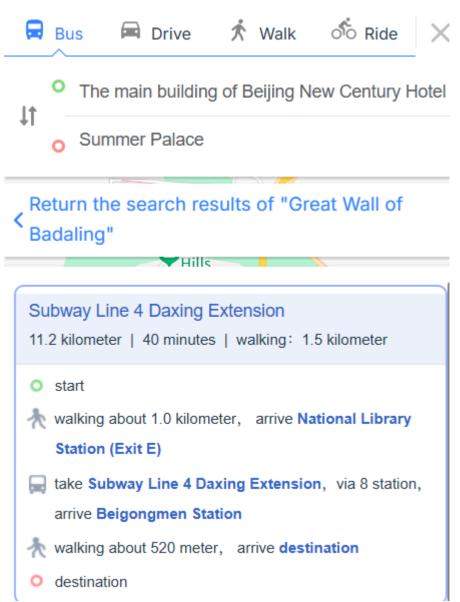


### C. Summer Palace

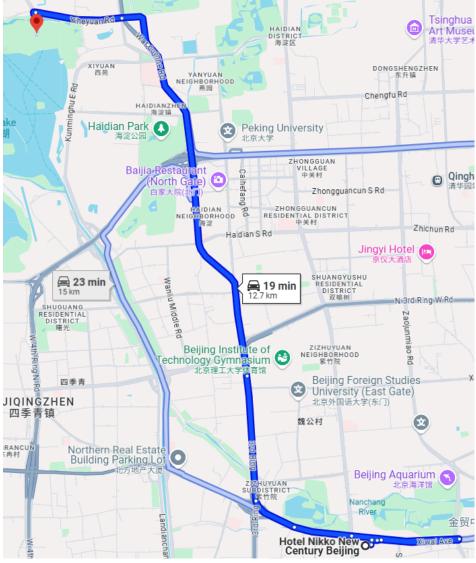
A UNESCO site combining landscapes (Kunming Lake,
Longevity Hill) with pavilions. 728m covered walkway with
traditional paintings. Symbolic architecture from the Qing Dynasty.

**Address:** Summer Palace, 19 Xinjiangongmen Rd, Haidian District, China

### Subway route (~40 min):



Taxi route (~20 min):

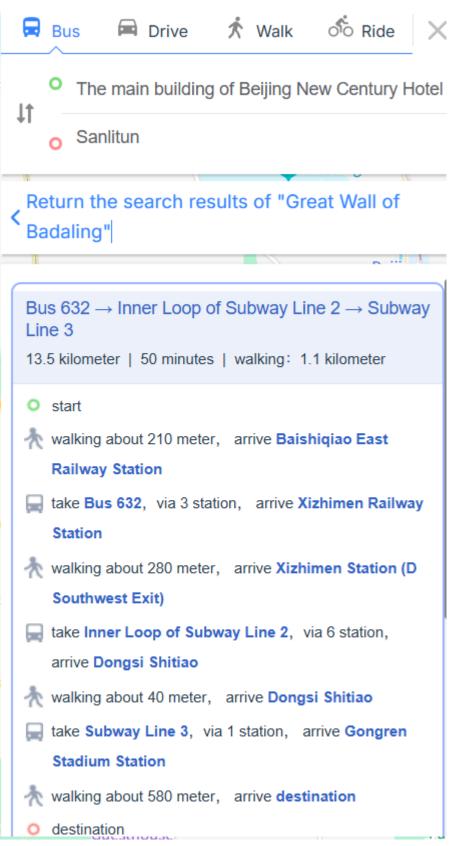


## D. Sanlitun

A Trendy district blending international boutiques, craft beer pubs, and avant-garde art spaces.

Address: Sanlitun, Chaoyang, Beijing, China

Subway route (~50 min):



Taxi route (~18 min):

