



## Getting Here

### Flights

**Ministro Pistarini International Airport** (usually called “Ezeiza”) is located in Buenos Aires city. Please visit the Airport webpage which is also in English. Although there are other international airports in Argentina, most visitors arrive at this airport (see [this link](#)).

**Jorge Newbery Airport** (usually called “Aeroparque”) is the main hub for domestic flights from Buenos Aires city as well as to Uruguay, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile and Paraguay (see [this link](#)).

To get to Puerto Madryn you can fly directly to [Puerto Madryn Airport](#) or you can choose to fly to Trelew, which is 50 km away from Puerto Madryn one-shuttle services.

If you arrive in Ezeiza, you will have to change airport and go to Aeroparque in order to get a flight to Puerto Madryn or to Trelew.

Several shuttle services, taxis and buses offer the transportation service between airports. We recommend taking the bus [Manuel Tienda Leon](#), but there are other options at the airport desk (see [this link](#)).

It takes between 1.5 and 2 hours to go from Ezeiza international airport to Aeroparque domestic airport, and the duration of the trip depends on Buenos Aires traffic and the time of the day.

We strongly recommend having 4 hours of difference between flight connections. Please, do not plan tight connections.

**There are at least three ways to get to Puerto Madryn:**

- 1) By [Andes Airlines](#): it has one flight per day from Buenos Aires to Puerto Madryn (Monday through Friday).
- 2) By [Aerolineas Argentinas](#): it has at least 4 flights per day, 7 days a week. One of the flights comes directly from Ezeiza International Airport from Buenos Aires. It arrives to the city of Trelew which is only 50 minutes away from Puerto Madryn. There is one shuttle between Trelew and Puerto Madryn, you can make the reservation online (see [this link](#)).
- 3) Beginning in September 2017, Trelew Airport will be connected through Aerolineas Argentinas to Cordoba International Airport. So, pay attention to this new option!

### **Important Recommendations:**

We are expecting many participants from around the world for this meeting, thus, plan ahead your trip to Puerto Madryn by making your flight reservation as early as possible. You should note that October is the penguin, whale, sea elephants, sea lions season, thus we receive visitors from all over the world. Remember that we are in Patagonia, one of the most beautiful destinations to visit.

Last minute plan arrangements might not be successful and you can miss the Conference!!!



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## Useful links:

International Airport Ezeiza in Buenos Aires: <http://www.aa2000.com.ar/ezeiza>

National Airport Aeroparque in Buenos Aires: <http://www.aa2000.com.ar/aeroparque>

Ezeiza Airport Transportation: <http://www.aa2000.com.ar/ezeiza/Transporte>

Manuel Tienda Leon Shuttle between Buenos Aires airports: <https://tiendaleonmdq.com/horarios>

Puerto Madryn Airport: <http://www.aa2000.com.ar/puertomadryn>

Shuttle between Trelew Airport and Puerto Madryn City: <http://www.transferpmy.com/>

## Visa Information

Most countries do not need visa to enter to Argentina as a tourist. However, we recommend checking if you require a Visa, you can visit [this link](#).

**ATTENTION:** Some visitors might have to pay reciprocity fee before entering to Argentina.

## Travel tips

Be a smart traveller. Buenos Aires is the capital of the country and is very tourist-friendly, however avoid carrying large quantities of cash and be discrete with valuables. Pay attention to your belongings.

Puerto Madryn is a small and peaceful town. It receives tourists from around the world all year round. As always, you have to be careful in a foreign country, but usually this town is very quiet.

The Argentina's currency is the Argentinean Pesos, most shops accept Euros and US Dollars (although probably all will give you pesos back). Please, bring those currencies to Argentina. Be aware that you would need some cash in Argentina because not all shops accept credit cards and debit cards. It is difficult to exchange currencies in Puerto Madryn, so please don't forget to do it in Buenos Aires Airport. In Puerto Madryn you can get cash (Argentinean pesos) from ATM's situated inside the banks at the downtown.

Although the Conference will take place during the Spring season, take precautions against cold and wind (15°C). Check the weather before you pack!

Looking forward to seeing you!

*Local Organizing Committee*



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