



Frequently Asked Questions

1. Do I need a visa to travel to Ghana for the USANES?

- YES, unless covered by Para 3(1)1, all foreigners entering Ghana require entry visas. These visas must be obtained prior to arrival and may be obtained at a Ghana embassy or consulate abroad.
- Please be mindful to start the process EARLY.
- For further information, kindly visit the link below:
<https://home.gis.gov.gh/permits-and-visas/>

2. Do I require any vaccinations for entry?

- Please note a yellow fever vaccination is required for visa approval and entry into Ghana.

3. How do I get my letter of invitation for my visa?

- Please email usanes-info@nuclear.energy.gov to request your letter of invitation.
- Upon request after registration for the submit, the Ghana Atomic Energy Commission will provide you with the required invitation letter for visa purposes.

4. Which airport should I fly into for the USANES?

- Kokota International Airport, USANES 2023 will be held at the Labadi Beach Hotel, located about 6.5 km from the airport.

5. What transportation options are available in Accra?

- There are several public transportation options that participants may want to use. These include commercial taxis, UBER, Bolts, Car Rentals, and buses (Popularly known as Trotro). However, we recommend the use of UBER, Bolts or Car rentals.

6. Is there a provision made for airport pickup and drop-off?

- Transportation can be requested for USANES registered attendees from the Kotoka International Airport to the Labadi Beach Hotel.
- Please refer to the website for airport pickup and drop-off to [complete request form](#).

7. What is there to do in Accra?

- Kwame Nkrumah Memorial Park is a national park and mausoleum in Accra, named after Osagyefo Dr. Kwame Nkrumah, the founding father of Ghana.
- Makola Market is one of the largest street markets in Ghana, where travelers can buy souvenirs and artwork.
- Aburi Botanical Gardens have an area of 64.8 hectares and overlook the Accra coastal plain, from an elevation of more than 400 meters above sea level.
- The National Museum in Accra is one of the oldest museums in Ghana. Established in 1957, the museum contains some fascinating exhibits that are a part of the country's historical past. 5.2

8. Are there restaurants nearby?

- The Hinlone. Chinese restaurant located on Labone Crescent Road. Tel: +233 30 277 2782
- Captain Hooks. Sea food restaurant located on Kakramadu Road. Tel: +233 30 276 2228
- Le Tandem. French restaurant located on Mankralo Street. Tel: +233 30 276 2959
- Monsoon. Sea food restaurant and grill located on Oxford Street. Tel: +233 30 278 230
- A visit to the Osu Oxford Street, will provide you with a variety of restaurants with both local and continental meal choices.

9. What is the weather typically like in October and November?

- The climate is marginally cooler and less humid, typical highs of approximately 87 degrees Fahrenheit (30 deg C), and lows of 75 degrees Fahrenheit (23 deg C).

10. Where is the nearest hospital and pharmacy?

- The Bank and Lister hospitals are within 5km of Labadi Beach Hotel.
- In case of medical emergencies, kindly notify the local host on +233534635066.

11. What is the dress attire for the gala dinner?

- The gala dinner attire is formal, evening cocktail.

12. What is the current exchange rate and should I convert prior to arriving in Accra?

- Conversion rates to GHS are subject to change. Please check [current conversion rates](#).
- Currencies can also be changed at the airport on arrival or at the hotel. Please note that rate may differ.
- Most hotels, restaurants and pubs accept most international cards for payment (Visa/Mastercard).