



**EBF Council 2019**  
**25 – 28 September 2019, Glasgow, Scotland**

## Information

### VENUE

The Doubletree by Hilton Glasgow Westerwood Spa & Golf Resort  
St Andrews Drive, Nr Glasgow, G68 0EW  
Phone: +44 1236 457 171  
Website: <https://www.qhotels.co.uk/our-locations/the-westerwood-hotel-golf-resort/>

### TIME

#### **Wed 25 Sep – Sat 28 Sep 2018**

- Check in time at 15.00 on the day of arrival
- Check out time at 11.00 on the day of departure
- Registration opens on Wednesday, 25 Sep at 10.00 in the hotel lobby.
- On Wednesday we will start with dinner in the hotel at 18.30 followed by the Opening Celebration in the same hotel around 20.00.
- The Council meeting will end with lunch on Saturday and will be followed by optional sightseeing tour.

### SUNDAY

**We have received this request from the Baptist Union of Scotland:**

#### **Sunday 29th September is Baptist Union of Scotland Thanksgiving Day.**

We will be marking the 150th anniversary of our Union in Baptist Churches across the country. We have an opportunity for up to 24 EBF delegates to preach in our churches. We will arrange for local church leaders to collect you and return you to the airport or next step of your trip. In some cases they will be able to offer you free accommodation on Saturday evening.

**[Register by clicking here!](#)**

**Registration deadline is Monday, 12 August 2019**

### **COUNCIL FEE**

**PLEASE NOTE THAT YOUR REGISTRATION IS CONFIRMED AND YOUR HOTEL ROOM SECURED ONLY AFTER THE EBF HAS RECEIVED YOUR PAYMENT.**

<b>OPTION 1</b> <u>SINGLE OCCUPANCY</u> (3 nights)	<b>Until 30 June</b> 520 EUR	<b>After 30 June</b> 550 EUR
<b>OPTION 2 (price per person)</b> <u>SHARED OCCUPANCY</u> (3 nights)	<b>Until 30 June</b> 370 EUR	<b>After 30 June</b> 400 EUR
<b>OPTION 3</b> Day Delegate Package	<b>Until 30 June</b> 60 EUR a day	<b>After 30 June</b> 60 EUR a day

One extra night before and after the Council meetings can be booked at the price of 112 EUR for a single room, 124 EUR for a double room/per room, including breakfast.

## THE COUNCIL FEE INCLUDES:

- Accommodation for 3 nights (from Wednesday until Saturday morning)
- Airport pick-up and drop-off
- Meals:
  - ❖ Breakfast every morning of accommodation
  - ❖ Lunch on Thursday, Friday and Saturday
  - ❖ Dinner on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday
  - ❖ Coffee breaks on Thursday, Friday, Saturday
- EBF Council registration fee

## CANCELLATION POLICY

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Conference fees, which will increase after 30 June 2019, will be refunded only when written request arrives in the EBF office (helle@ebf.org) **before 12 August**. An administration fee of 30 Euros will apply to all cancellations. We regret that cancellations made **after 12 August** will result in loss of the entire Council fee.

## PAYMENT

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Payments can be made:            **1.** In cash during the Council meeting  
OR  
**2.** By a bank transfer into the EBF bank account. **Please ensure that you mark any transfers EBF Council followed by your name.**

Please indicate on the registration form how you will be paying.

### EBF bank account details:

Beneficiary: European Baptist Federation  
Address: Baptist House, Postjesweg 150, 1061 AX Amsterdam, The Netherlands  
Bank name: Spar- und Kreditbank Evangelisch-Freikirchlicher Gemeinden eG, Bad Homburg, GERMANY  
IBAN: DE64 5009 2100 0000 1717 00  
BIC: GENODE51BH2

## SCHOLARSHIPS

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EBF Scholarship fund for the Council will be allocated to those who submit their registration forms and apply for a scholarship by the **registration deadline on the 12th August**. Applications submitted after this date will not be considered.

Please note that normally the EBF scholarship covers only a part of the full cost of attending the Council.

## TRAVEL

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You will need to fly into Glasgow Airport ([www.glasgowairport.com](http://www.glasgowairport.com)). On the website, you find information about the airlines serving this airport as well as the timetables.

EBF Council delegates will be met at the airport and taken to the Council venue. Further information about the airport pick-ups and drop-offs will be sent to registered delegates prior to the Council meeting.

## VISA INFORMATION

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Please visit the official UK government website to check whether you need a visa or not, and the conditions for obtaining a visa: <https://www.gov.uk/apply-to-come-to-the-uk>

If you need to obtain a visa, please contact Helle Liht ([helle@ebf.org](mailto:helle@ebf.org)) to start the visa application process.

## SIGHTSEEING

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For the usual £15 you can join the sightseeing trip to Loch Lomond one of Scotland's most popular tourist destinations. Enjoy the beauty of the Scottish countryside with ample time for tourist shopping for those who must return home with at least one piece of tartan. There may be the option, at extra cost, to take a boat trip on the Loch. Alternatively, you can climb a local hill or walk the shore path. Loch Lomond is around 1 hour from the hotel.

Local young adults are willing to facilitate tourist trips to Edinburgh and Glasgow. Both cities are accessible by train after a 5 minute taxi journey from the Hotel. Within 1 hour of leaving the hotel you can be in either city centre, shopping, visiting museums, castles and historical churches. Local young adults can either guide you around the city or leave you to explore. Personal travel costs on the day will be around £15. Many Scottish Museums and churches offer free visitor access.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us:

### **Baptist Union of Scotland**

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