



## SEAMEO Regional Centre for Education in Science and Mathematics (SEAMEO RECSAM)

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### **Introduction**

The SEAMEO Regional Centre for Education in Science and Mathematics (SEAMEO RECSAM) is a SEAMEO centre that specialises in capacity building for science and mathematics educators in the region.

RECSAM also provides customized courses in Science and Mathematics Education and ICT; and study visits can be arranged to educational institutions in Malaysia upon request.

Nestled on the outskirts of bustling Georgetown City, RECSAM offers an ideal setting for hosting meetings, seminars, conferences and workshops.

### **Location**

SEAMEO RECSAM is located on the eastern side of Penang island, in the Gelugor area and not far from the Penang bridge, the third longest bridge in the whole world. It is very close to TESCO, the hypermarket and the e-Gate, a shopping arcade with many shops and restaurants.

### **Accommodation**

The RECSAM International House with ample parking bays also offers a good and comfortable place to stay while on holiday in Penang. It has 152 air-conditioned guest rooms with attached bathrooms and water heaters, TV, telephones, mini-bars and coffee-making facilities. The International House is open 24 hours and within easy reach to shopping complexes and other tourist spots.

| <b>Room Type</b>    | <b>Single occupancy/RM</b> | <b>Double occupancy/RM</b> |
|---------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Standard            | 55.00                      | 60.00                      |
| Superior            | 75.00                      | 80.00                      |
| Deluxe              | 80.00                      | 85.00                      |
| Junior Suite        | 95.00                      | 100.00                     |
| VIP suite           | 125.00                     | 130.00                     |
| Dormitory (20 beds) | Min charge RM100.00        | Min charge RM100.00        |

- Rates quoted inclusive of complimentary breakfast at the Reception Lounge. Breakfast not included for stays in the dormitory.
- Extra bed RM10.00 charge
- Gymnasium
- Laundry & Washing machine[ self service] facilities
- Pantry and cooking facilities
- Outdoor game: tennis and netball - rackets and balls provided upon request from reception.
- Wireless (WIFI) - only available at reception lounge
- Airport transfers can be provided upon request

### **Conference and Meeting Facilities**

| <b>Types</b>                                   | <b>Capacity</b> | <b>Rates for Min. 3 hrs/RM</b> | <b>Rates for every additional hour/RM</b> |
|------------------------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| SEAMEO Hall                                    | 250             | 250.00                         | 80.00                                     |
| Thailand/ LAO PDR rooms                        | 60 - 80         | 90.00                          | 30.00                                     |
| Indonesia/Myanmar/RECSAM rooms                 | 30 - 40         | 60.00                          | 20.00                                     |
| Brunei/ Vietnam/ Timor- Leste/ Singapore rooms | 20              | 45.00                          | 15.00                                     |
| Computers Labs                                 | 25              | 480.00 for 6 hours             | 200.00                                    |
| Tea Garden                                     | 200             | 400.00                         | 50.00                                     |
| RECSAM Cafe                                    | 70              | 120.00                         | 40.00                                     |

### **Other services and facilities**

- SEAMEO hall with a capacity for 250 people for conferences
- 12 function rooms for meetings, seminars, workshops and exams with a capacity of between 20 – 80 people
- Computer labs
- Learning Resource Centre (specialised library with Multimedia and Internet facilities)
- Tennis courts
- Swimming pool (only available end of 2009)
- Gymnasium
- Mini market
- Cafeteria
- Tea Garden to host dinners and wedding functions

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