

## Ft. Lauderdale - Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

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### LOCATION AND FACILITY

**1) Where is the Meeting located?**

The ICSJWG 2016 Fall Meeting is being held September 13-15 at the Embassy Suites Ft. Lauderdale-17<sup>th</sup> St., located in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. For more information on the location/building, please visit the [Embassy Suites Ft. Lauderdale website](#).

In addition, the following link provides the Google<sup>®</sup> map address for the Embassy Suites: [Hotel Location](#).

**2) Is there a room block for the Embassy Suites and how do I register?**

Yes, there is a room block. Those that register with the room block will receive the government per diem nightly rate for their stay along with the numerous hotel amenities detailed in Question 4. For reservations, please call **1-800-362-2779** and refer to the ICSJWG 2016 Fall Meeting or use the following link <http://embassysuites.hilton.com/en/es/groups/personalized/F/FLLSOES-ICS-20160908/index.jhtml>. The room block ends September 5, 2016.

**3) How do I get to the Embassy Suites Ft. Lauderdale-17<sup>th</sup> St.?**

The Embassy Suites is located just north of the Ft. Lauderdale-Hollywood International Airport (~4 miles). The most convenient transportation method to the hotel is via car or taxi. The hotel is a 10-15-minute drive from the Ft. Lauderdale-Hollywood International Airport depending on traffic.

**4) What are the hotel's amenities?**

All who choose to stay in the room block for the ICSJWG meeting will receive the government per diem rate for their stay. In addition, the following are **complimentary** benefits of the hotel for ICSJWG guests: daily breakfast, nightly evening reception, business center, exercise facility, pool, free in-suite wireless internet, and discounted parking. For more details, please visit the Embassy Suites' [Amenities and Services Page](#). In addition, the Embassy Suites is located within walking distance of numerous restaurants, shopping areas, and entertainment options.

**5) Will there be Wi-Fi at the facility?**

Yes, the Embassy Suites provides complimentary Wi-Fi to all hotel guests. There will also be Wi-Fi in the meeting room areas.

**6) Are there restaurants/attractions nearby?**

Yes, there are numerous restaurants, entertainment options, shops, etc., within a short distance of the Embassy Suites Ft. Lauderdale. The hotel also includes a restaurant and sports bar & lounge onsite, for those wishing to eat on the premises. A more detailed list of nearby alternatives for food will be provided at the registration table during the Meeting. The hotel is also 2 miles from downtown Fort Lauderdale and Fort Lauderdale Beach.

**GENERAL ICSJWG QUESTIONS****7) What is the ICSJWG?**

The ICSJWG is a collaborating and coordinating body that provides a vehicle for communicating and partnering across all Critical Infrastructure (CI) sectors between federal agencies and departments, as well as private asset owners/operators of industrial control systems. The goal of the ICSJWG is to continue and enhance the collaborative efforts of the industrial control systems stakeholder community in securing CI by accelerating the design, development, and deployment of secure industrial control systems.

**8) Where can I find a copy of the agenda?**

A copy of the agenda will be posted on the ICSJWG website at <https://ics-cert.us-cert.gov/Industrial-Control-Systems-Joint-Working-Group-ICSJWG>. In addition, printed copies of the agenda will be available at the registration desk during the meeting.

**9) Can I take pictures or record speakers and/or their presentations?**

No. We ask that you do not attempt to take pictures and/or videos of presenters or presentations. Some presenters do not wish for their materials or presentations to be made available for wider dissemination without their permission.

**10) Does the ICSJWG publish a list of the meeting attendees?**

No. Due to privacy concerns, a list of attendees will not be published following a meeting.

**11) How can I provide feedback on an ICSJWG Meeting?**

We greatly appreciate all feedback so that we can continue to improve the ICSJWG and its Spring/Fall Meetings. Following the meeting, an online survey will be sent via email to all meeting attendees to provide answers to specific questions along with any additional thoughts or comments. Any attendee can also simply submit their comments or opinions to the ICSJWG at [ICSJWG.Communications@hq.dhs.gov](mailto:ICSJWG.Communications@hq.dhs.gov).

**12) I am not a member of the ICSJWG but would like to be. How do I sign up?**

For more information about becoming a member or getting involved with the ICSJWG in general, please contact us directly at [ICSJWG.Communications@hq.dhs.gov](mailto:ICSJWG.Communications@hq.dhs.gov).

**13) I am interested in presenting or participating at an ICSJWG Meeting. Can I do this?**

Yes. The Program Management Office (PMO) issues a call for abstracts prior to every ICSJWG Meeting. Interested speakers submit abstracts for their proposed presentations during this time. Selected speakers are then notified if their presentation was chosen. Potential presenters also have the option to have their abstract considered for a webinar presentation.

**14) Where can I find information regarding past ICSJWG Meetings, newsletters, etc.?**

For more information on past ICSJWG events and materials, please visit <https://ics-cert.us-cert.gov/Industrial-Control-Systems-Joint-Working-Group-ICSJWG>. Copies of the current Newsletter and past Newsletters may be requested from [ICSJWG.Communications@hq.dhs.gov](mailto:ICSJWG.Communications@hq.dhs.gov).

**15) Can I submit an article for an ICSJWG Newsletter?**

Yes, if you would like to submit a short article of general interest pertaining to control systems security, then please send it to [ICSJWG.Communications@hq.dhs.gov](mailto:ICSJWG.Communications@hq.dhs.gov) for consideration. Submitted articles will be reviewed and

approved by the ICSJWG prior to publishing. Please note that marketing or sales presentations will not be approved.

**16) Can I participate in a webinar?**

Yes. Webinars are held on an ad hoc basis and cover topics related to ICS cybersecurity. Webinars offer an opportunity for the ICSJWG membership to actively participate and communicate ideas, tools, and relevant information in an open forum. ICSJWG members are also encouraged to submit abstracts throughout the year to be considered for a webinar presentation.

**SLIDES AND PRESENTATIONS**

**17) Will the slides of ICSJWG presenters be available?**

Requests for slides or presentations should be sent to [ICSJWG.Communications@hq.dhs.gov](mailto:ICSJWG.Communications@hq.dhs.gov). It is the decision of the individual presenter(s) to disseminate slides. The ICSJWG PMO will not post presentations to the ICSJWG website or forward the presentations of individual speakers.

**18) Why are DHS slides not disseminated?**

As a rule, the DHS does not release its slides to the public. This policy exists to guard against manipulation and misrepresentation. ICS-CERT provides numerous resources on its website that are available for download, e.g., Year in Reviews, Alerts, Advisories, and Monitors. If there is something specific that you would like to see transformed into a slicksheet or briefing document, please contact the ICSJWG mailbox at [ICSJWG@hq.dhs.gov](mailto:ICSJWG@hq.dhs.gov) and a staff member will review your inquiry.