

Business Mission to Mongolia 29th May to 4th June 2015



Economy

Mongolia's extensive mineral deposits and attendant growth in mining-sector activities have transformed Mongolia's economy, which traditionally has been dependent on herding and agriculture. Mongolia's copper, gold, coal, fluorspar, molybdenum, tin, uranium and tungsten deposits, among others, have attracted foreign direct investment.

Mongolia's economy has been one of the fastest growing economies in Asia. In the Forbes report "best countries for business" ranked Mongolia 63. In 2014 its economy grew by 11,8 % the highest in the East-Asia & Pacific Region.

Mongolia is the world's largest landlocked nation between the Russian Federation and the People's Republic of China and is the 18th largest country in the world.

70% of Mongolian nomads have access to electricity and with it communications. And given Mongolia's richness in natural resources— Marc Faber called Mongolia the "Saudi Arabia of Asia"— and its strategic location next to China, the worlds' most rapacious consumer of natural resources, there is every reason to believe that the boom is sustainable.

Mongolia in figures:

GDP (PPP): USD 20.00 bn. (2014 est.)
GDP growth rate: 7.5 to 8.0% (2015.)
GNI per capita (USD): 3'770
Population: 2,893 (Dec. 2014 est.)
Inflation: 11% (2014 est.)
Trade Balance as % of GDP: -32,7
Income category: Lower middle income

SACC is organizing an entrepreneurial mission to Mongolia in close co-operation with Swissmem, economiesuisse, and SGE. Swiss entrepreneurs will be able to meet key representatives of various industries and organisations as well as meet with relevant Ministries in order to get a first hand understanding of the vast business potential Mongolia offers.

The mission participants will benefit from the following:

- Networking events and official receptions in order to establish important economic and political contacts.
- Visits to best practice companies in various sectors in Mongolia.
- Meetings with key players of the industry associations and relevant ministries.
- Meeting with the Mongolia Chamber of Commerce.
- Individual and sector specific meetings can be arranged upon request .

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Saturday, 30/05/2015

- a.m. Arrival at the Chinggis Khaan International airport.
- a.m. Visit to Chinggis Statue complex and transfer to the Hotel Terelj in the Gorkhi-Terelj National Park.
- p.m. Lunch with briefing in the Hotel Terelj.
- p.m. Transfer to the Ger Camp, visit to the country side.
- p.m. Dinner at the Hotel Terelj.



Sunday, 31/05/2015

- a.m. Visit to the country side followed by cultural activities
- p.m. Visit to local families living in green houses or farms
- p.m. Transfer to Ulaanbaatar and visit to the monastery.
Evening transfer to the Best Western Hotel.



Monday, 01/06/2015

- a.m. Meeting with the Mongolian Chamber of Commerce. Business Forum followed by B2B with members of MNCCI and Signing of a MOU, SACC with MNCCI.
- a.m. Luncheon with members MNCCI
- p.m. Visit to "Gobi" cashmere company.
- p.m. Visit to the Central Bank.
- p.m. Dinner at Silk Road Restaurant Sukhbaatar district.



Tuesday, 02/06/2015

- a.m. Meeting with Ministry of Environment and Green Development, Khan uul district.
- a.m. Meeting with Ministry of Construction and Urban Development, Khan uul district
- a.m. Meeting with Ministry of Mining, Sukhbaatar district
- p.m. Lunch with Ministers
- p.m. Meeting with Ministry of Trade and Industry
- p.m. Dinner with Mongolian businessmen.

Wednesday, 03/06/2015

- a.m. Visits to local companies and industries.
- a.m. Meeting with local entrepreneurs followed by individual company visits.
- p.m. Meeting with Swiss businessmen living in Mongolia.
- p.m. Dinner at Hotel

Thursday, 04/06/2015

- a.m. Departure to the Chinggis Khaan International airport and flight to Switzerland via Istanbul.
- p.m. Late evening, arrival at Zurich airport.

Registration/Costs

Registration and Costs

We have been able to work out the following package which includes flights to **Ulaanbaatar** in economy class, transfers, hotel accommodation in five star hotels, and selected meals as indicated in the program.

Turkish Airlines has offered us special rates for this mission.

Prices are subject to change and depend also on the number of participants in this mission.

Please note that the language for the official meetings will be English.

For the “**B2B**” at the Mongolian Chambers of Commerce **we would need your company profile** made up in a very special **format by March 30, 2015** at the latest. Please find the word file attached to this e-mail or contact the SACC Secretariat for concerning this.

Participation in the mission

Please return the attached registration form to the Swiss-Asian Chamber of Commerce, P. O. Box 1073, Wiesenstrasse 10, CH-8032 Zurich or
Fax: +41 41 620 88 03 or
E-mail: to sacc@sacc.ch by **March 27, 2015** at the latest.

You will receive the detailed program after your registration.

Visa requirements for Mongolia:

Swiss and German citizens don't need a visa up to 30 days.

Permanent Mission of Mongolia

Consular section, Permanent Mission of Mongolia, 4 Chemin des Mollies, CH-1293 Bellevue-Geneva, Switzerland,
Phone: +41 22 774 1974
Opening hours: from 9 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and from 2.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m.

Payment

After registration **you will receive a confirmation letter including the invoice.**

The payment will be due **by Monday, April 6, 2015, at the latest.**

Cancellation after March 30, 2015: The full participation fee will be due.



Registration Form

Participant:

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Company:

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With early registration, we can still include specific visits to companies or industries of your choice:

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Branch/Field of interest:

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Special request or suggestion:

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Phone: Mobile: Fax:

Date: E-mail:

Person in Charge: Signature:

Hotel accommodation in Ulaanbaatar, all transfers, entry tickets to cultural places, meals as indicated in the program and presents for the visiting companies. Prices are subject to change and also depend on the number of participants in this mission.

CHF 2600 for Members

CHF 3200 for Non-Members

Turkish Airlines offers SACC Members extraordinary prices for the following flight routing:

CHF 1150 for the routing ZRH-IST-IST-ULN-ULN-IST-ZRH in Economy Class incl. Tax and Fuel charge.

CHF 2650 for the routing ZRH-IST-IST-ULN-ULN-IST-ZRH in Business Class incl. Tax and Fuel charge.

The delegation will travel on this itinerary:

1 TK1908 Y FR 29MAY 2015 ZRHIST / 1105 1530

2 TK 342 Y FR 29MAY 2015 ISTULN / 1905 1005

3 TK 343 Y TH 04JUNE 2015 ULNIST / 1125 1720

4 TK1911 Y TH 04JUNE 2015 ISTZRH / 2010 2215

