



Welcome to Vancouver 🍁 !

Now that you have decided join us for the 2019 International Listening Association convention in Vancouver the next step is finding accommodation. As Canada's third largest city, Vancouver is no stranger to hosting large gatherings and has a booming lodging industry to prove it. In fact, Vancouver boasts over 25,000 guest rooms with 13,000 in the downtown area alone. Whether you're looking to book a Hotel, an Airbnb or perhaps even try couch surfing (for the more adventurous), there are various accommodations options catering to all budgets and preferences.

Hotels

For those who prefer to be close to the convention venue, we have arranged for a limited number of rooms at the Delta Marriott Hotel (www.marriott.com) across the street from the Harbour Centre. The ILA has negotiated a special rate of \$189 CAD per night (as of August 13, 2018, the conversion rate to USD is \$144). Breakfast will be available at the hotel for an additional \$19 CAD per person (USD conversion, \$14.50).

This limited number block of rooms is on a first come, first served basis.

Individual Reservations: If you would like to book these rooms please make your reservation, before **February 20, 2019**. This can be done by calling Marriott reservations directly at 1 (844) 254-5048. Individual reservations may be cancelled up until 48 hours local time prior to arrival with no cancellation fees. **To receive the negotiated rate you must mention the International Listening Association when you book.**

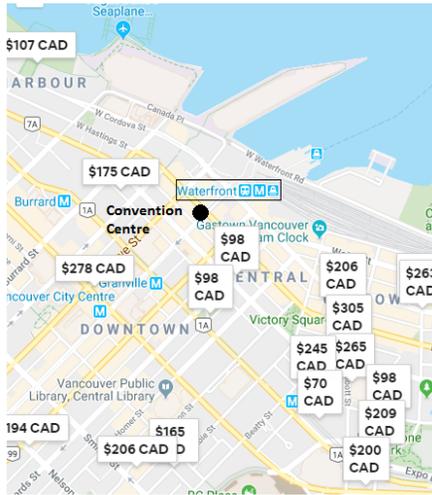


For you avid points collectors Vancouver offers a plethora of options. Below you'll see a list of hotels within easy walking distance of the Harbour Centre where we will be hosting our convention.

<i>Hotel</i>	<i>Star Rating</i>	<i>Distance</i>
Days Inn by Wyndham	3 Stars	.2 km
Victorian Hotel	3 Stars	.24 km
Auberge Vancouver Hotel	4 Stars	.3 km
Ramada Limited Vancouver Downtown	2.5 Stars	.3 km
The St. Regis Hotel	3 Stars	.3 km
Rosewood Hotel Georgia	5 Stars	.4 km
Skwachàys Lodge	3 Stars	.4 km
Sandman Hotel Vancouver City Centre	3 Stars	.5 km

AirBnB

What is Airbnb? Simply put it's an online site that lets your rent incredible accommodations in great locations at amazing prices. Airbnb lists over 300 homes in Vancouver with varying prices as you can see below:



Whether you're looking to rent an entire apartment or perhaps just a room to crash in in between adventures you are sure to find something to suit your taste.

Hostels

If you are looking for a little more excitement why not try a hostel? Hostels are a budget-friendly type of shared accommodation and its social aspect makes it a great way to meet interesting and unique people from all around the world. Check out www.hostelworld.com for more information if this sounds like your kind of adventure.

A few final tips when booking accommodations for Vancouver 2019:

1. **Book early!** The earlier you book the more choice and better prices you will find.
2. **Read reviews.** Always check what previous guests have said about your choice of lodging.
3. **Check location.** Vancouver is a large city. Make sure your accommodation is accessible by public transportation. Keep in mind that SFU's Harbour Centre is located in the heart of downtown Vancouver across from Waterfront Station.

See you in ...

