

## Arrival and Venues

### 1. Taxi

Going from the airport to Tsinghua University is most conveniently done by taxi. The fare costs about 130 yuan and takes 50min (to 100min, if there is a lot of traffic). Simply follow the taxi signs in the airport; they lead to the taxi line (do not accept offers from people inside the airport, as they are typically much more expensive; the taxi that you will get should have a registration plate starting with 京 B). Taxi drivers rarely speak English; you can ask them to bring you to the hotel by handing them one of the following sentences:

[ b.t.w., If you need a receipt, ask for a fāpiào (发票) ]

#### A. To Conference site

- 师傅，您好！请送我到清华大学西北门（清华西门向北 800 米，沿路转弯即到）
- Please take me to Tsinghua University, NW gate.
  - Then you can enter the campus on foot, and the site is 200m away.

#### B. To Xijiao Hotel

- 师傅，您好！请送我到西郊宾馆（王庄路 18 号，北四环展春二桥向北 1100 米右转进院）
- Please take me to Xijiao Hotel.
  - The Hotel is 4km away from conference site. To get to the site, you can take a taxi follow instruction A. From the Hotel, it costs around 20min and 18 yuan.

#### C. To PEK Airport (note: Terminals are far apart. Put the right number of your terminal in the parentheses.)

- 师傅，您好！请送我到首都机场第（ ）航站楼
- Please take me to PEK airport Terminal ( ).

### 2. By Subway

The Beijing Subway is the fastest and most convenient means of transportation in Beijing. It serves most of the major local points of interest within the city, as well as PEK airport with an extra fare. All lines are not in service during mid-night and earlier morning.

Traveling between Xijiao Hotel (or conference site) and PEK airport usually costs 5+25 yuan (subway + airport exp) and 60min (turnstile to turnstile).

Multiple transfers need to be made, making this option NOT convenient if you have large packages.

**Note:** Subway is NOT convenient for commuting from Xijiao Hotel to the conference site, since it takes too much of walking and transfers.

#### **A. Around conference site**

- Station **Yuanmingyuan** 圆明园 on line **4** is 1400m away.

#### **B. Around Xijiao Hotel**

- Station **Wudaokou** 五道口 on line **13** is 900m away.
- Station **Qinghuadongluxikou** 清华东路西口 on line **15** is 800m away.

#### **C. In PEK Airport**

- Station **Terminal 3** serves terminal 3
- Station **Terminal 2** serves terminal 2 (also terminal 1)

### **3. Airport bus**

If you are familiar with Beijing or if you know that there is a stop at the hotel where you are staying, the airport bus is an option for you to consider. Ticket price is 24 yuan and tickets are available at all stops. See details of different routes and operation hours at <http://en.bcia.com.cn/traffic/airbus/index.shtml>