

# Welcome to Sofia Our city is your city





#### Planning your visit to Sofema Aviation Services Training Academy

We are pleased to provide a guidance regarding the transport, accommodation and leisure time during your future visit to Sofia. Please do not hesitate to ask us any questions about your forthcoming visit.

We are here to help - just email us at team@sassofia.com



Situated at the foot of Vitosha Mountain in west part of Bulgaria, Sofia is a city with a rich character and full of charm, hosting a distinctive assortment of museums and green spaces ready to be explored. One of the oldest cities in Europe, Sofia has experienced a recent revival as one of Europe's most understated yet captivating destinations. You will discover the charismatic nature of Sofia and will for sure enjoy a city which offers its visitors a fascinating mix of history, architecture, culture, and tasty local food.



#### Currency information

The national currency of Bulgaria is the Bulgarian Lev and 1 EUR equals to approximately 1.95 BGN. The exchange rate offered at the airport is not the best one in town & we recommend using an ATM upon arrival to cover your immediate travel needs.



#### Sofia Transport System

Sofia's public transport is designed to reach even the furthest point of the city suburbs and uses electronic timetables to secure maximum punctuation for its users. The fastest way to move around is by using the metro system (which conveniently has a stop right next to SAS premises) but in case you wish to experience some more sight-seeing – we recommend going on a bus, tram or a trolley. Please see the Sofia Transport System Guide





## Introducing Sofema Aviation Services Training Center

Our training center is located almost in the heart of the city. Here we are able to offer our students a classroom training in a comfortable and relaxed setting. Ideally located, with excellent transport links and several hotels and apartments at different price points available.





### Getting to our training center

SAS Training Academy is located at Yakubitsa str. 19, Fl. 4, 1164, Sofia, Bulgaria **Link to google maps here** 



It takes less than 25 minutes to reach the academy from Sofia Airport if you take a taxi and around 45 minutes if you use a public transportation (Sofia metro has a stop at Terminal 2)

You can either use the mobile app Taxi Me which you can download from **here** or use the official taxi stand of OK Taxi at the airport. We recommend asking for a taxi at the stand instead of taking one that is right outside the terminal to avoid the encounter with potential taxi fraud.

359 (0) 2 821 08 06



## Getting to SAS Training Academy by Metro

If you are landing at Terminal 2, then the most cost-effective way to reach SAS Academy is by using the metro. The trains run every 10-20 min (depending on the hour of the day, between 5:00 am and ~11.30 pm). The price of one way ticket is 1.60 BGN and the duration of the trip will be around 40-50 min. Note that you need to change the line when you reach Serdika station.

When you arrive at Serdika station, you should go to Line 2 and take the train to James Bourchier Station (the line on the left side going to Lozenetz). When you get off the train, go to the opposite direction of the one the train continues, then take the two escalators upstairs and the exit of the metro station that is at your right side. At the street ahead you need to turn right, and then in 30 m take left. Keep going on Krichim Street, in 3 blocks (around 700m) turn left and in 30m you will see on the right side the building of SAS Training Academy, enter it and welcome to floor 4. Link to Google maps route: directions-to-sas-academy



### Accommodation near to SAS Training Academy

1. Kudos Bulgaria Apartments Address: "Lyubata" street No 5, 1407 g.k. Lozenets, Sofia Phone: + 359 2 988 3181

2. Apartments Carrera Address: "Golo Bardo" street No 2, Lozenets, Sofia Phone: + 359 2 960 2888

3. Office Venice apartments Address: "Zlaten rog" street No 16, Sofia Phone: + 359 89 793 1626

4. Gaidarski Apartment Address: "Cherni vrah" Blvd. No 18, Lozenets, Sofia Phone: + 359 89 949 7077

5. Hill Hotel Sofia Address: "James Bourchier" Blvd. No 76B, Lozenets, Sofia Phone: + 359 2 806 5555

6. Marinela Hotel Address: James Bourchier Boulevard No 100, Sofia Phone: +359 2 969 2222

For more choices of accommodations in the area Please see HERE



### Getting the most of your visit

The following links will help you find out about some of the essentials to get the most from your visit to Sofema Aviation Services Academy.

Sofia Travel Information - Things to do & Places to See

Welcome to Sofia - The most comprehensive Sofia city guide

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Top 10 Things to see in Sofia

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## We are looking forward to meeting you in Sofia

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