Accommodation

1. Praisehaven Retreat Centre (PRC) @500 Upper Bukit Timah Road, Singapore 678106.
   https://www.salvationarmy.org.sg/wwd-praisehaven-retreat-centre/. It is owned by The
   Salvation Army, and is next to DT3, i.e., Downtown line MRT (subway train) station #3.

   a. We have managed to reserve **some units (without breakfast) at the conference venue**.
      Most are **2- and 3-bedroom apartment units with a living and dining area**. They are basic
      but clean (like a budget hotel), and each bedroom has two or more beds. The benefits of
      staying at the conference site are convenience, space (the units are more spacious than a
      2-star hotel room), opportunities to interact with other speakers (especially at the
      communal kitchen and dining room), and proximity to good walking trails.

   b. **Rooming arrangements**. To optimise the available accommodation: (1) **default is twin-
      sharing (same gender)** but triple-sharing (same gender) may be offered if there is no
      objection (you will be asked during the application), and (2) **default is same gender in all
      rooms in the apartment** unit but different gender rooms may be offered if there is no
      objection. The accommodation type and cost/pax (in Singapore Dollars) are shown below:

Unit	Bed/Rooms (without breakfast)	1 pax/night (SGD)	3 nights (SGD)	3 nights with 9% tax (SGD)
1-Bedroom (1 toilet)	(1) A bed in twin-sharing room, attached toilet	70	210	**228.9**
2-Bedroom apartment (1 toilet)	(2a) A bed in twin-sharing room, shared toilet	65	195	**212.55**
	(2b) A bed in triple-sharing room, shared toilet	43.3	130	**141.7**
3-Bedroom apartment (2 toilets)	(3a) A bed in twin-sharing room, attached toilet	70	210	**228.9**
	(3b) A bed in twin-sharing room, shared toilet	65	195	**212.55**
	(3c) A bed in triple-sharing room, shared toilet	43.3	130	**141.7**

   Note: Bath towel is provided but not shampoo and toiletries; no water/beverages in the unit but
   the communal area has hot and cold water dispensers, microwave, toaster, and laundromat.

c. If you are coming with a spouse or a friend who you would like to share the bedroom with, you will be asked to provide the name of your spouse/friend in the application form. **Your spouse/friend must submit a separate application**.

d. The units have been reserved for **21-24 August 2025**, i.e., 3 nights. **Check-in is 3pm**, and **check-out is 11am**. If you would like the accommodation a day earlier or later, we will check with PRC for availability. Extension requests may need more time to be processed, and you may need to move to another unit for the extended period of stay.

e. As rooms are limited, please **submit your application early and no later than 31ˢᵗ May 2025 via this link: https://forms.gle/ENXCG3xpSrya44X26**. We will do our best to accommodate your requests and get back to you on the result of your application as soon as possible.

f. **If your application is successful, please make payment within 2 weeks** - your bed will only be secured upon receipt of payment, otherwise, it will be released.

2. Hotels. There is a wide range of hotels in Singapore. Below are some that are located downtown near the Rochor and Bugis MRT (subway) stations that are about 25min from the conference venue (10-11 stops on same line, SGD2 per trip). This area is generally safe, and has good eateries, shopping, and entertainment. Feel free to explore other locations and hotels. Note that rooms in a 2-star hotel are often very small (11-13 sqm) and some may not have windows.

Hotel name	Hotel rating & stars from Google Maps	*Average price (before tax) per room/night	Remarks
Hotel 81 Rochor	3.9 / 2-star	S$ 110-125	Budget chain
Hotel 81 Selegie	3.6 / 2-star	S$ 95-115	Budget chain
Ibis Styles Singapore Albert	4.0 / 3-star	S$ 145-165	
Ibis Budget Singapore Selegie	3.8 / 3-star	S$ 120-135	
Hotel Mi Rochor	4.2 / 4-star	S$ 180-190	New & modern
Village Hotel Albert Court	4.2 / 4-star	S$ 150-170	

* Prices for 21-24 August 2025 were gathered from Google Maps on 10 March 2025. They will likely increase with demand over time.

If you have any questions, please email 2025AACC@creation.com