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HOSTED BUYERS PROGRAMME – HOSTELCO 2021

Terms and Conditions of the programme

By participating in HOSTELCO 2021 Hosted Buyers Programme, you automatically accept the following terms and conditions:

1. **Hosted Buyers are designated according to the Organization's eligibility criteria:** professional profile, company economical details (such as purchasing and importing volume), products of interest, geographical area, limit of places and budgetary restrictions. The Organization's decision is the final.
2. The Hosted Buyer, once it is admitted in the programme, will have a limited period of time to confirm the participation and all procedures related (trip, hotel, etc). This period will be communicated as soon as the Organization confirmed the participation. In case the Hosted Buyer exceeds this period, the Organization will be able to dismiss the application, or the Hosted Buyer would pay the remainder relatives to the flight tickets or hotel.
3. Buyers accepted into the programme will enjoy the following **benefits**:
 - Full or partial coverage of accommodation costs during the Trade Show, and a free badge to the trade show.
 - Free Hosted Buyer badge giving preferential access to the show every day.
 - Permanent access to the Buyers' Lounge: a rest area, bar service, business centre and internet.
 - Dedicated service during visit available at the Buyers' Lounge.
 - Exclusive invitation to HOSTELCO Awards 2021 ceremony – a recognition of the sector.
4. Participants will be responsible for any other expenses that the organisers do not agree to cover when acceptance into the programme is confirmed.
5. **The Hosted Buyer will be committed to:**
 - Collect the Welcome Pack at the Hosted Buyers Desk (located in the Buyers' Lounge) upon arrival at the trade show venue.
 - Visit the show at least two days and check in with the organisers as proof of attendance.
 - Take part in at least **10 meetings with exhibitors of interest**. The agenda will be performed through the HOSTELCO Matchmaking System, under the organization supervision.
 - Attend the Welcome Cocktail for Hosted Buyers (date and time to be determined).
6. Participants who cancel once their ticket has been issued and/or their hotel reservation made must take responsibility for full payment of any fees which may be incurred as a result of the cancellation.



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7. If a participant does not attend the show or fails to fulfil their obligations as a Hosted Buyer (item 5), they must reimburse the organisers for travel and/or accommodation expenses.
8. Flights will only be reserved from major airports.
9. By taking part in the Hosted Buyers Programme, you give your consent for basic contact information for your company (name, country, products and website), as well as your name and position, to appear as a participating company/professional on the HOSTELCO website and/or printed materials for the trade show.
10. Participation in the trade show as a Hosted Buyer is non-transferable. Should you be forced to cancel your participation in the trade show, another person from the same organisation may take your place. The organisers will make the final decision regarding the person designated as a replacement.
11. Any Hosted Buyers who require a visa to travel to Spain must contact the organisers to request an invitation letter. Hosted Buyers who are unable to travel because they do not have a valid visa will be subject to the penalties for cancellation and non-attendance (see items 6 and 7).
12. Any Hosted Buyers without a valid passport to travel to Spain will be subject to the penalties for cancellation and non-attendance (see items 6 and 7).
13. The Organiser may postpone, reduce or extend the duration of the Trade Show as a result of special circumstances or force majeure. Such circumstances will not entitle the Hosted Buyer to cancel its participation or to demand compensation for loss or harm.

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