

Visa Requirements

Participants must complete all immigration procedures to enter Ethiopia.

Participants are advised to apply for a visa from Ethiopia Embassies in their proximity to request the visa before departure.

Delegates and other Participants holding Diplomatic and Service Passports are permitted to enter without a visa if there is a visa waiver agreement between Ethiopia and their respective Countries.

For Delegates and other Participants holding Ordinary Passports a Visa on Arrival can be issued at Addis Ababa Bole International Airport, provided that a list containing the full name and passport number of all participants is submitted to the Ethiopian government (through the Ethiopian Mission in New York or the Protocol Director General of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, protocol@mfa.gov.et and eshetu.legese@mfa.gov.et) by UN member states, or the relevant organization no later than July 12, 2024.

For holders of Diplomatic, Service, or Ordinary passports of States or UN Laissez-passer, a Visa on Arrival can be issued at the Addis Ababa Bole International Airport upon presentation of an invitation letter from the UN or prior submission of a formal request along with a list of participants to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (protocol@mfa.gov.et and eshetu.legese@mfa.gov.et).

However, delegations are strongly advised to apply for e-visa online using www.evisa.gov.et 72 hours before arrival and present the printout of their application along with an invitation letter to easily process their visa process on their arrival at Bole International Airport. To avoid any inconvenience when processing visas, delegations, and journalists are recommended to present an invitation letter from the organizer while applying online.

Dedicated immigration counters shall be reserved for participants of the first session of the Preparatory Committee of the fourth International Conference on Financing for Development at the normal passenger terminal of the Addis Ababa Bole International Airport to provide fast-track visa service for participants of the summit.