

The Chicago Bar Association CLE in Jerusalem, Israel March 30-April 5, 2019

Pre-Conference Travel to Amsterdam: March 30-April 1

CLE Conference, Tours and Activities in Jerusalem: April 1-5

Post-Conference Travel to Tel Aviv: April 5-7



Highlights include:

- Exclusive access to all three branches of Israeli government, including private tours of the Supreme Court and the Knesset.
- CLE programming with a focus on governance, criminal justice, and Israeli innovation in technology and health care; including guest speakers from the Israeli Foreign Ministry and the Israel Innovation Authority (8 hours MCLE credit).
- All-inclusive guided tours throughout Israel including Bethlehem, Jericho, Masada, the Dead Sea, and more.
- All-inclusive guided tours (walking or Segway) throughout Jerusalem, including the Yad Vashem Holocaust Museum, the Dome of the Rock, the Western Wall, and the acclaimed Mahane Yehuda outdoor market.
- Special pre-conference stop in Amsterdam with luxury accommodations, private tours and special meal experiences (with inexpensive direct flights to Tel Aviv).
- World-class hotels and cuisine.

Agenda and Registration Form

**Questions? Contact Tamra Drees at
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Agenda

Hotel and fee information begins on page 6.
Please note, hotel fees includes all tours.

Pre-Conference Travel to Amsterdam

Consider a pre-conference stop in Amsterdam to break up the trip to Israel. Air travel between Chicago and Amsterdam is relatively easy, and offered by most major airlines. Air transportation to Tel Aviv, Israel from Amsterdam can be arranged very economically.

SATURDAY, MARCH 30

Arrive Amsterdam

Evening:

Welcome Cocktail Reception

SUNDAY, MARCH 31

Morning/Afternoon

Walking Tour/Canal Cruise

(included in hotel registration)

Admission and Private Tour of the Anne Frank Haus

(included in hotel registration)

Evening:

A Rijsttafel Dinner Experience

(included in hotel registration)



CLE Conference, Tours and Activities in Jerusalem

MONDAY, APRIL 1

Morning:

Depart for Israel

Arrive Ben Gurion International Airport, Tel Aviv, Israel. Air travel and ground transportation to Israel on your own. Contact the CBA travel agent for direct, inexpensive air travel between Amsterdam and Tel Aviv.

Evening:

Welcome to Israel Cocktail Reception

(included in CLE registration)

TUESDAY, APRIL 2

Morning:

CLE Programming

(included in CLE registration)

CLE programming with focus on innovation in governance presented by key decision makers in the legislative, executive and judicial branches of Israel's government, including exclusive presentations from legal experts from the Foreign Ministry and the Ministry of Justice; and private tours of the Supreme Court of Israel and the Knesset, Israel's unicameral parliament.

Afternoon:

Half-Day Tours

(included in hotel registration)

Choose one of the following two half-day tours.

Option A:

Jerusalem Yad Vashem Holocaust Museum

Chart the history of the Holocaust on a tour of the beautiful Yad Vashem Holocaust Remembrance Center in Jerusalem. With an official Yad Vashem guide, explore the galleries dedicated to the victims of one of the most devastating periods in history. See exhibits including a copy of Schindler's List and the Auschwitz Album; watch survivor testimonies; view the memorials in the Hall of Names; and more.



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Option B:

Segway Tour of Old Jerusalem

Experience Ancient Jerusalem like never before on this guided, 2-hour, small-group Segway tour. Glide along the Peace Forest, located between the Old City and the Armon Hanatziv Promenade. Travel along paved paths, free from vehicular traffic - a nature experience in the heart of a sprawling city. See the Judean Desert and learn about Jerusalem's history and landscape along the way.

Experience the hidden treasure of the lesser-known yet incredibly beautiful paths opposite the Armon Hanatziv Promenade under the canopy of trees in the Peace Forest. Enjoy the scenic views and peaceful atmosphere of Armon Hanatziv's landscape with Ancient Jerusalem to the north and the City of David standing at its center. The path is made of beautiful side roads free from vehicular traffic, running along the promenades that stretch the length of the mountain ridge.

Evening

Dinner in Jerusalem

(included in CLE registration)

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3

Morning:

Full-Day Tour

(included in hotel registration)

Choose one of the following two full day tours.

Option A:

Bethlehem and Jericho

Experience the biblical cities of Bethlehem and Jericho on this full-day guided trip from Jerusalem. Travel through the Judean Desert to Jericho, the oldest city in the world. See the Mount of Temptation, where Jesus was tempted by the devil and the sycamore tree that Zacchaeus, the tax collector, climbed to get a better view of Jesus. In Bethlehem, see the Church of the Nativity, where Jesus was born, plus Manger Square, Shepherds' Field and more.

Option B:

Masada and the Dead Sea

This full-day tour passes the Inn of the Good Samaritan on the descent through the Judean Desert to the Dead Sea. You will ascend Masada by cable car and see the remains of the Herodian fortress where the Zealots were overcome by the Romans in 73

CE. and finally, enjoy the therapeutic benefits of a mud bath and a swim in the Dead Sea. On the return journey view the oasis of Ein Gedi, the caves at Qumran in which the Dead Sea Scrolls were discovered, and Jericho, the oldest city in the world.

Evening:

Dinner on Your Own

Try "Eat With" (www.eatwith.com) to find a restaurant or head to the Mahane Yehuda Market at night (<https://en.machne.co.il/>).

THURSDAY, APRIL 4

Morning:

CLE Programming

(included in CLE registration)

Israel, also referred to as the "Startup Nation," is one of the world's most innovative countries. Israeli researchers have made headlines for eye-catching projects that have challenged conventional thinking. CLE programming focused on innovation in technology and health care will feature a presentation from a representative from the Israeli Innovation Authority.

Afternoon:

Half-Day Tours

(included in hotel registration)

Choose one of the following two half day tours.

Option A:

Jerusalem Old City Walking Tour

Jerusalem is the spiritual center of the world for Christians, Jews and Muslims alike. Take this guided, 4-hour walking tour to better understand the city's 4,000-year history and visit the important sites that make up its past. See Temple Mount, one of the most important religious sites in the Old City of Jerusalem; the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, located on the hill of Calvary, where Jesus was crucified and buried; and much more.

Discover the golden Dome of the Rock shrine, one of the oldest works of Islamic architecture and Jerusalem's most recognizable landmark. This is where the Prophet Mohammed ascended to heaven. There is also the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, which stands on the hill of Calvary, where Jesus was crucified and buried. Other points of interest on the tour include Al-Aqsa Mosque, one of the holiest sites in Islam; the Western Wall, the holiest of Jewish sites; the Last Supper Room, where Jesus shared the Last Supper with his disciples; the Tomb of King David; and more.



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Option B:

Mahane Yehuda Market Tasting

Taste your way through Jerusalem's biggest outdoor market on a 3-hour, gourmet tour of Mahane Yehuda with a local guide. Have your lunch on the go as you visit a series of five market stalls for samples, and get an inside perspective on a foodie hotspot in the heart of Jerusalem.

This is Jerusalem people-watching at its best, as locals from all walks of life shop for their week's groceries in Mahane Yehuda's narrow aisles, choosing from fruits grown around the region, freshly made tahini, olives, nuts, and sweets. Learn about the market's history as you taste your way through the market. Your guide can share the best places to return after dark to try out the Mahane Yehuda bars-and get an inside look at Jerusalem's foodie culture. Once you have filled up on local treats, finish the tour at Mahane Yehuda Market.

Evening

Closing Cocktail Reception and Dinner

(included in CLE registration)

FRIDAY, APRIL 5

Morning

Tour of United Hatzalah

(included in CLE registration)

United Hatzalah is the largest emergency medical service organization in Israel and utilizes unique GPS technology and ambulances to reduce the average response time for arrival at the scene of a medical emergency to less than 3 minutes across the country and 90 seconds in metropolitan areas.

Departure

For those departing on Friday, April 5 via Ben Gurion International Airport, Tel Aviv, Israel, please arrange for your own ground transportation to Tel Aviv.

POST-CONFERENCE TRAVEL TO TEL AVIV

FRIDAY, APRIL 5

Afternoon

Arrive Tel Aviv, Israel

Transportation to Tel Aviv via coach bus is included in the Tel Aviv hotel registration.

FRIDAY, APRIL 5 & SATURDAY, APRIL 6

Tours

Additional tours will be available from Tel Aviv throughout Israel and neighboring countries at an additional cost. The CBA Travel agent will assist in arranging tours and travel.

Things to do in Tel Aviv

- Ayalon Institute Museum (www.touristisrael.com/ayalon-institute/16168/)
- Startup Nation (www.startupnationcentral.org/start-up-nation-central-visit/)
- Nalaga'at Center and Blackout Restaurant (<http://nalagaat.org.il/en/>)
- Walking tour of Jaffa
- Day trips from Tel Aviv

SUNDAY, APRIL 7

Depart Tel Aviv



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Contact Information:

Name (as appears on passport) _____

Name on Badge _____

Job Title _____

Firm/Company _____

Business Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____

Email _____

Guest Information:

Name (as appears on passport) _____

Name on Badge _____

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Additional Guests:

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Name _____

AIR ACCOMMODATIONS:

Please reserve your own airfare. If you would like assistance making your flight arrangements, contact CBA Travel Representative Travel Center Tours at vanchem@rcn.com or 312-751-0717. For flights between Amsterdam and Tel Aviv, you may want to search EasyJet.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS:

AMSTERDAM, NETHERLANDS March 30-April 1 (two nights)

Please indicate your hotel (price includes tours):

Sofitel Grand Amsterdam (<http://www.sofitel-legend-thegrand.com>)

_____ Single \$1,162.00 _____ Double \$1,370.00 (total for two people)

Sofitel INK Hotel (a four-star hotel) (<https://www.ink-hotel-amsterdam.com/>)

_____ Single \$785.00 _____ Double \$1,088.00 (total for two people)

Above prices include all of the following:

- Hotel Room Two Nights
- Buffet Breakfast Daily
- VAT and Service Charge
- All Expenses and Fees for the Walking Tour/Canal Cruise and Admission and Private Tour of Anne Frank Haus
- A Rijsttafel Dinner Experience

JERUSALEM, ISRAEL April 1-5 (four nights)

Please indicate your hotel (price includes 2, ½ day tours and 1 full day tour):

David Citidel Hotel (<http://www.thedavidcitadel.com/>)

_____ Single \$2,775.00 _____ Double \$3,960.00 (total for two people)

Mamilla Hotel (<http://www.mamillahotel.co.il/>)

_____ Single \$2,550.00 _____ Double \$3,720.00 (total for two people)

Herbert Samuel (<http://herbert-samuel.thejerusalemhotels.com/en/>)

_____ Single \$2,220.00 _____ Double \$3,360.00 (total for two people)

Above prices include all of the following:

- Hotel Room Four Nights
- Buffet Breakfast Daily
- VAT and Service Charges
- All Expenses and Fees for the Full Day Tour on April 3
- All Expenses and Fees for the Half-Day Tours on April 2 and April 4

TEL AVIV, ISRAEL April 5-7 (two nights)

David Intercontinental (<http://intercontinental-telaviv.com/>)

_____ Single: \$885.00 _____ Double: \$1,000.00 (total for two people)

Above prices include all of the following:

- Hotel Room Two Nights
- Buffet Breakfast Daily
- VAT and Service Charges
- Ground Transportation Transfers from Jerusalem to Tel Aviv on April 5

Special Note:

Tours in Amsterdam and Jerusalem are included in the hotel room rate and are available to hotel registrants only.

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Name _____

Total Hotel Payment to Travel Center Tours: _____

Method of Payment (check one)

_____ Check made payable to Travel Center Tours

_____ Credit Card (a 4% service charge will be added with credit card payment)

Visa Mastercard American Express Discover

Name as Appears on Card _____

Account # _____ Exp Date _____

Signature _____

For information on travel insurance contact CBA Travel Representative, Travel Center Tours, at vanchem@rcn.com or 312-751-0707.

CONFERENCE FEES:

Fee includes 8 hours of MCLE Credit plus the April 1 welcome reception, the April 2 Dinner and the April 4 Reception and Dinner.

Conference Payment Information for CLE in Israel:

Send payment to Tamra Drees, CBA Events Coordinator, at The Chicago Bar Association, 321 S. Plymouth Court, Chicago, IL 60604-3997 or fax to 312-554-2054. Tamra can be reached at 312-554-2057 or tdrees@chicagobar.org.

Quantity		Total
_____	Conference Registration:	
_____	CLE program fee of \$850 on/before Jan. 31, 2019 \$950 after January 31, 2019	\$ _____
_____	Young Lawyer CLE program fee of \$750 on/before Jan. 31, 2019 \$850 after January 31, 2019	\$ _____
_____	Guest fee of \$500 per person	\$ _____
	Grand Total	\$ _____

Method of Payment (check one)

_____ Check made payable to The Chicago Bar Association

_____ Credit Card (note: a 2% administrative fee will be deducted from any refunds)

Visa Mastercard American Express Discover

Name as Appears on Card _____

Account # _____ Exp Date _____

Signature _____

Cancellation Policy:

All fees are nonrefundable after December 31, 2018.

The CBA reserves the right to cancel the program if travel minimums are not met.