

**PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG JOINT MISSION**

The program below is indicative and is still subject to changes. It will consist of group visits (usually by sector), networking events as well as individual B2B meetings.

**Friday, March 11th - Luxembourg - Riyadh**

10:50 Departure from LUXEMBOURG with KLM

22:30 Arrival in Riyadh and transfer to the Hotel Movenpick

**Saturday, March 12th - Riyadh**

Free Morning

16:00 – 16:15 Welcome event at the Belgian Residence + distribution of bags with the programs/goodies

16:15 – 16:35 Speech by the Ambassador of Belgium, AWEX, ABLCC and Luxembourg Chamber of Commerce

16:35 – 17:00 Presentation of the program and activities

17:00 – 17:30 Briefing: legal outlook of doing business in Saudi

17:30 – 18:00 Briefing: cultural aspects of doing business with Saudi Arabia

18:00 – 22:00 Walking dinner hosted by Embassy of Belgium – Networking between participants

**Sunday, March 13th - Riyadh**

**Presence of the entire delegation at the Saudi Council of Chambers in presence of the Riyadh Chamber of Commerce**

09:00 – 10:00 Arrival of the delegation and check-in

10:00 – 10:30 Welcome speech

10:30 – 12:30 Presentations of Saudi Economy - Presentation of Belgian Economy - Presentation of Luxembourg Economy + Q/A

12:30 – 14:00 Networking lunch

14:00 – 15:00 Press coverage + photos

15:00 – 16:00 Group visit to [Business Incubators and Accelerators Company](https://biac.com.sa/about/?lang=en) (BIAC) + presentation of the soft-landing program

 16:00 – 17:00 Presentation of Neom + Q/A

17:00 Return to the hotel

19:00 – 22:00 B2B networking dinner at Al Nakhla Resort

**Monday, March 14th - Riyadh**

09:00 – 15:00

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| **Health**  | **Environment & Energy** | **Entertainment**  | **Food**  | **Construction** | **Transport & Logistics** |
| Group Visit | Group Visit | Group Visit | Group Visit | Group Visit | Group Visit |
| Lunch | Lunch | Lunch | Lunch | Lunch | Lunch |
| Individual B2B’s | Individual B2B’s | Individual B2B’s | Individual B2B’s | Individual B2B’s | Individual B2B’s |

15:30 Meeting at the hotel for departure to [Red Sea Project](https://www.theredsea.sa/en)

16:00 – 17:00 Visit of Red Sea Project

18:00 – 19:00 Visit of the town of [Diriyah](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Diriyah)

19:00 Free time

**Tuesday, March 15th - Riyadh/Jeddah**

09:00 – 15:00

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| **Health**  | **Environment & Energy** | **Entertainment**  | **Food**  | **Construction** | **Transport & Logistics** |
| Group Visit | Group Visit | Group Visit | Group Visit | Group Visit | Group Visit |
| Lunch | Lunch | Lunch | Lunch | Lunch | Lunch |
| Individual B2B’s | Individual B2B’s | Individual B2B’s | Individual B2B’s | Individual B2B’s | Individual B2B’s |

15:30 Transfer from hotel to airport

17:00 – 18:40 Flight SAUDIA SV1041 from Riyadh to Jeddah

20:00 – 20:30 check-in at the Hotel Galleria

21:00 – 23:00 Reception organized by Mr. Hassan KABBANI, Honorary Consul of Belgium to Jeddah

**Wednesday, March 16 – Jeddah/Dammam**

Entire group

10:00 Transfer to Jeddah Chamber of Commerce

10:30 – 11:30 Meeting at the Chamber of Commerce + presentations

12:00 – 16:00

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| **Health**  | **Environment & Energy** | **Entertainment**  | **Food**  | **Construction** | **Transport & Logistics** |
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16:00 Transfer from the hotel to the airport

19:00 – 20:55 Flight SAUDIA SV 1124 from Jeddah to Dammam

21:30 Check-in at the Hotel Sofitel

**Thursday March 17th - Dammam**

Entire group

10:00 Meeting at the Chamber of Commerce of Asharqia

11:00 – 13:00 B2B’s and networking lunch

13:00 – 17:00

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17:00 – 18:30 Group visit

18:30 – 19:30 Rest at the hotel

20:00 – 22:00 Closing dinner

23:30 Departure from the hotel to the airport

**Friday, March 18 Dammam - Luxembourg**

02:40 Flight from Dammam to Luxembourg

10:20 Arrival in Luxembourg

**ACCOMODATION, TRANSPORTS AND FORMALITIES**

We offer participants a very competitively priced package including flight and hotel as well as transfers from the airport to the hotel. For internal flights, each participant will have to take care of his reservation directly via the airline's website. More information will follow. For organizational facilities, we encourage members to take advantage of this package. We will not be able to ensure the various transfers for companies taking their flight on other dates or choosing other hotels. In addition, all departures from the delegation to the appointments will be from the hotels we have chosen.

We would also like to mention that companies should not be afraid of sending female delegates and that on the contrary, it could be an asset in meetings with local actors!

**Hotels:**

We have rooms in the following hotels:

Riyadh:



**Hotel Movenpick** – Single Superior Room inc. breakfast – +/- 200 € / night TTC (725 SAR + 15% VAT + 5% Municipal tax);

Site web : <https://all.accor.com/hotel/B4X1/index.fr.shtml>

Jeddah:



**Hotel Galleria**  – Deluxe Single Room inc. breakfast – +/- 180 € / night TTC (725 SAR + 15% VAT + 5% Municipal tax);

Website: <https://www.thehotelgalleria.com/>

Dammam:



**Hotel Sofitel** - Superior Room city view or Luxury room Sea view inc. Breakfast – 155 € / night TTC or 185 € / night TTC (550 SAR or 650 SAR + 15% VAT + 5% Municipal tax);

Website: <https://all.accor.com/hotel/5988/index.fr.shtml>

In total, the trip including flights + hotel nights in the three cities amounts to about € 2210 / person

**Flights :**

**Luxembourg (LUX) – Riyadh (RUH) - 11th March 2022**

10:50 Luxembourg - 22:30 Riyadh, King Khalid International Airport (stop in Amsterdam)

**Riyadh (RUH) – Jeddah (JED) – 15th March 2022**

17:00, Riyadh, King Khalid International Airport - 18:40 Jeddah, King Abdulaziz International Airport

Flight duration:1 h 40

**Jeddah (JED) – Dammam (DMM) – 16th March 2022**

19:00 Jeddah, King Abdulaziz International Airport - 20:55 Dammam, King Fahd International Airport

Flight duration: 1 h 55

**Dammam (DMM) – Luxembourg (LUX) – 18 mars 2022**

02h40Dammam, King Fahd International Airport - 10h20 Luxembourg (stop in Amsterdam)

**Formalities related to health rules:**

From February 1st 2022, it will be mandatory to have obtained a **booster** of one of the vaccines approved in Saudi Arabia to enter the territory.

These vaccines are:

- Pfizer or Moderna (3 doses in total)

- Astrazeneca (3 doses in total)

- Johnson & Johnson (2 doses in total)

In addition, wearing a mask is also mandatory (preferably FFP2 masks) indoors and outdoors as well as social distancing rules and any measures to limit the spread of the virus. Since the rules are likely to change between now and the mission, new information on the health rules will be communicated to you before your departure.

Further information can be found on: <https://www.visitsaudi.com/en/covid-19-information-page>