

2026



Tuesday, 23 June

Venue: Royal Garden Hotel

All Meetings in Main Conference Room unless otherwise noted

Time	Pre-Congress Day	Attendees
09.00 – 12.30	Executive Committee Meeting - Meeting Room #3	Executive Committee Members
12.00 – 13.00	Young Professionals Meeting - Meeting Room #1	Young Professionals & Mentors
12.30 – 13.30	Lunch - Garden Area	Executive Committee & Working Group Members
13.30 – 14.30	Sustainable Practices Working Group - Meeting Room #1	IWTO Members
14.30 – 14.50	Product Wellness Working Group - Meeting Room #1	IWTO Members
15.00 – 15.30	C&S Steering Committee Meeting - Meeting Room #3	Steering Committee Members
15.00 – 15.20	Wool Trade Biosecurity and Welfare Working Group - Meeting Room #1	IWTO Members
15.20 – 15.40	Wool Grower Working Group - Meeting Room #1	IWTO Members
15.40 – 16.00	European Wool Task Team	IWTO Members
16.00 – 16.20	Wool Interiors Working Group - Meeting Room #1	IWTO Members
17.00 – 18.00	Heads of Delegation Meeting - Meeting Room #1	IWTO Members
19.00 – 22.00	Formal Dinner - Lychee Festival & Wool Knitwear Exhibition - Main Conference Room	All Congress Delegates & Partners

Wednesday, 24 June

All Meetings in Main Conference Room unless otherwise noted

Time	Congress Day One
06.30 – 08.00	Wool Sports with Lychee Tasting - Fengshan Park (includes transport)
08.30 – 17.00	Registration & Enquiries
09.00 – 09.30	Delegates meet in the foyer and transfer to Industry visit
09.30 – 12.00	Industry Visit: Dalang Exhibition Centre and Market
12.00 – 12.30	Return to Royal Garden Hotel
12.30 – 14.00	Networking Lunch - Royal Garden Hotel, Garden Area
14.00 – 14.30	Congress Opening
14.30 – 14.45	Introducing the Young Professionals
14.45 – 15.30	IWTO Green Book Launch
15.30 – 16.00	Coffee Break - Garden Area
16.00 – 18.00	Dalang Knitting Forum
19.00 – 20.00	Welcome Reception and Lychee Tasting - Garden, Floor 2
20.00 – 22.30	Young Professionals Dinner <i>Young Professionals, Mentors & Invited Guests will receive the venue information</i>
	Free Evening for Delegates

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Thursday, 25 June

All Meetings in Main Conference Room unless otherwise noted

Time	Congress Day Two
06.30 – 08.00	Wool Sports with Lychee Tasting - Fengshan Park (includes transport)
08.30 – 17.00	Registration & Enquiries
09.00 – 10.30	Contracts & Specifications
10.30 – 11.30	Coffee Break - Garden Area
11.30 – 12.30	Chinese Industry Innovation
12.30 – 13.30	Networking Lunch - Garden Area
13.30 – 15.00	Sustainability
15.00 – 16.00	Coffee Break - Garden Area
16.00 – 17.15	Wool Retail Session
18.00 – 22.00	Visit to Xiangtuo Market and Wool Friendly Basketball Match, with Dinner <i>Meet in hotel lobby to transfer</i>

Friday, 26 June

All Meetings in Main Conference Room unless otherwise noted

Time	Congress Day Three
06.30 – 08.00	Wool Sports with Lychee Tasting - Fengshan Park (includes transport)
08.30 – 17.00	Registration & Enquiries
09.00 – 10.30	Market Intelligence
10.30 – 11.30	Coffee Break - Garden Area
11.30 – 12.00	Wool Interiors
12.00 – 13.00	General Assembly
13.00 – 13.30	Congress Closing
13.30 – 14.30	Networking Lunch - Garden Area
14.30 – 15.30	Executive Committee Post-Event Meeting - Meeting Room #3
18.00 – 20.30	Optional Cultural Dinner - details to be confirmed

Saturday, 27 June

Time	Optional Excursion
Half Day - Morning + Lunch	Dongguan's Characteristic Scenic Tour. Half day tour with lunch. Precise timings to be confirmed.