

1 São Paulo and Boracéia beach, SP

- **São Paulo map:** <http://maps.google.com.br/maps>
- **The websites** <http://www.visitesaopaulo.com/english/index.asp> and <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/SaoPaulo> contain many informations about the city.
- **The website** <http://www.cityofsaopaulo.com/> gives informations about tours and sightseeing
- **Boracéia beach localization:**
<http://www.praiaonline.com.br/boraceia/localizacao.asp>

Remark. Electric voltage in São Paulo and at Salvetti Praia Hotel is 110v.

2 University of São Paulo

Universidade de São Paulo is one of the largest and most important academic and research centers of Brazil and Latin America. It consists of several campi. The main one, Cidade Universitária “Armando Salles de Oliveira”, is on the west side of the city of São Paulo. It occupies a large area where are located the central university offices, most of Institutes, several museums and the famous *Instituto Butantã*. Also many banks are located on campus.

ICRA XIII WORKSHOP will take place at the building of Faculdade de Arquitetura e Urbanismo (FAU), next to the building of Instituto de Matemática e Estatística (IME).

There are two routes of free buses (Circular 1 and Circular 2) which can be used within the Campus.

3 Money

Participants are adviced to exchange enough money at the airport on arrival to cover the registration fee and minor expenses.

Credit cards are widely accepted.

4 Restaurants

Participants will be provided with information about these services, in particular places to eat on campus. The Howard Johnson Hotel's restaurant is reasonable and not expensive.

5 Weather

ICRA XIII will take place during the winter in Brazil. São Paulo and Boracéia beach are near the Tropic of Capricorn, and they enjoy mild weather with temperatures generally varying between 14 and 22 degrees Celsius (São Paulo) and between 16 and 25 degrees Celsius (Boracéia).