

SITE 2008 Annual Conference FAQs

Q. What is the Conference hotel information?

Hyatt Regency Savannah
2 West Bay Street
Savannah, GA 31401
912-238-1234

Q. What's the best way to get from the airport (Savannah International) to the hotel? (e.g., shuttle, taxi)

- ◆ Savannah International: 8 mi from airport to the hotel
- ◆ Airport shuttle service, Grayline Transportation, on request: \$17 USD per person (one way) or \$29 USD per person (round trip). The SITE Conference attendee reservation profile/pin Number is 42664. Call Grayline Transportation at 1-800-845-5582 or info@lowcountryadventures.com for reservations.
- ◆ Taxi fare: \$18 + \$3 for additional passengers USD (one way estimate)

Driving Directions:

From Atlanta: Take 1-95 South to 1-16 East. Exit at Montgomery Street. Turn right onto Bay Street. Hotel is 3 blocks on left.

From Jacksonville: Take 1-95 North to 1-16 East. Exit at Montgomery Street. Turn right onto Bay Street. Hotel is 3 blocks on left.

Q. Is there parking on the grounds of the Hyatt? What is the daily charge?

There is VALET ONLY on-site parking for a fee of \$17 USD per night. No self-parking available at the hotel. There are full in / out privileges to the hotel parking garage. For off-site parking information, contact the hotel for details.

Q. What are the hotel's service charges for phone?

- ◆ 800 calls: no charge
- ◆ Local Calls: \$1 USD

Q. What type of internet service is available at the hotel?

- ◆ Guest Rooms: High Speed - Wireless
- ◆ Public Areas: High Speed - Wired and Wireless (fees may apply)
- ◆ Meeting Rooms: High Speed Wired (fees may apply)

Q. Anything special offered at the hotel? (e.g., fitness center, business center, etc)

BUSINESS CENTER

Historic luxury meets modern technology convenience! Visit the newly renovated, fully automated business center. Open 24/7, this "office away from home" offers computer terminals for Internet access, word processing & printing. Copy & Fax services are available at the front desk.

CONCIERGE

The hotel Concierge Staff can assist you with everything from setting up reservations for dinner, providing referrals for baby-sitting services, providing tourist information, local attractions, providing directions and purchasing postal stamps. Call Paul C. Rabe at 912-238-1234 for more information.

CONVENIENT LOCAL TRANSPORTATION:

WATER TAXI: \$3 round trip per person*. Water Taxi departs on the ½ hour and hour from the Hyatt.

*Free for guests attending the convention. (Guest must show convention ID card.) AMTRAK 15 Miles/ 10 Min Taxi is \$15 flat fee and \$3 for each additional person. CHATHAM AREA TRANSIT (CAT) is the local transit system cost is \$1.20 per person one way \$.05 per transfer.

FITNESS CENTER

The hotel provides a Fitness Center equipped with cardiovascular equipment and free weights and is accessible 24 hrs using room key.

POOL

There is heated indoor pool available with towels provided.

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Q. I am thinking of bringing my family. What are some nearby attractions/activities for children?

There are many family-oriented activities within walking distance of the hotel including unique shopping and dining along the historic Riverfront Plaza, City Market, Oglethorpe Mall, or the factory outlet mall Savannah Festival Factory. Several guided tours are available providing an insight to Savannah's Historic Squares, Architecture and Ghost Tours. Ride a comfortable trolley with hop-on hop-off privileges on a tour through the city and explore the Colonial and Victorian districts. Step back in time and visit the oldest standing fort in Georgia, Old Fort Jackson or General Sherman's "March the Sea" Fort McAllister. See Civil War gun shells from 1862 embedded in the walls of Fort Pulaski. Visit the oldest public art museum in the South, the Telfair Mansion and Art Museum. Tour the childhood home of Juliette Gordon-Low, founder of the Girl Scouts, or consider extending your sightseeing time for a day trip to Tybee Island or Hilton Head. There is a lot to do and see in beautiful, historic Savannah.

Q. Why should I stay at the Hyatt Regency Savannah when there are other hotels in the area?

There are other hotels in the area, but you won't get the luxury, rate, views, and convenience of the Hyatt!

- ◆ SITE has negotiated a special room rate for you at \$159 USD, plus taxes
- ◆ The Hyatt Regency is located on the beautiful Savannah River and steps away from the historic Riverwalk offering unique shopping and a variety of restaurants offering down-home Southern cuisine.
- ◆ Staying at SITE's conference location allows you the convenience of being an elevator ride from your meetings and use of the many amenities that other hotels may not have
- ◆ You can meet SITE colleagues in an informal way—get to know the new members and continue to grow your network of contacts.
- ◆ The Hyatt has extended a limited number of rooms exclusively for SITE members. The room block does sell out, so make your reservations ASAP to receive the conference room rate.
- ◆ When negotiating for the meeting space, SITE is committed to booking overnight rooms to attendees—by staying there you help to meet the contracted prices for the conference.

Q. Are there any activities planned?

Yes, we have made arrangements with a near by golf course for the golf enthusiast Saturday morning (\$50.00-\$70.00 USD per person); returning in time to attend one of the four pre-conference sessions. **Contact John Jackson to register for the golf event:** jacksonj46@comcast.net. Is this your first visit to Savannah? Plan to attend the pre-conference session, "An Orientation to Savannah" providing an overview of this historic city and what to do and see if on a limited time frame. Enjoy the sights and sounds of the Savannah River aboard the River Queen during the Saturday evening networking cruise (\$50.00 USD per person). The traditional *5K Fun Run/Walk* will take place Sunday morning along the Savannah River and oak-covered Bay Street; returning by 9:00am just in time for the First Timer's coffee. The ever popular "Dine-A-Round" will take place Monday evening where dining reservations have been made at a variety of restaurants, all within walking distance from the Hyatt. To join in this non-hosted event (everyone pays their way) sign up at the SITE registration desk. Groups will be small and individuals will be confirmed on a first-come, first-served basis. Share your conference experience and visit with new and old friends at the final evening dinner party. Plan to wear dressy Black & White attire and celebrate the Southern experience while dancing the night away to jazz music from the Jeff Beasley band. Not enough time to sight see during the conference? Extend your departure time and join one of the two Risk Management tours offered Wednesday morning (\$50.00 USD per person). Each tour will conclude by 12:30 allowing travel time to nearby airports. **See the registration brochure for more details on all the events.**

Q. What should I do if this is my first SITE conference?

If this is your first SITE conference, plan to attend the "first timers" gathering on Sunday morning at 9:00 am. This session is designed to give you information about the program, provide you with some background on SITE. A special contest will be introduced with a great prize for first timers only!

Q. What is the proper attire for the SITE conference?

Attendees usually wear business casual for the conference. We will follow our annual tradition of "company logo day," on Monday with participants being encouraged to wear their favorite company attire. Plan to dress in Black & White for the Tuesday evening dinner party to complement the Jazz theme. Due to cobblestone streets rubber soled shoes, such as tennis shoes, are highly recommended when outside of the hotel.

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