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NAFSA: Association of International Educators
NAFSA 2025 Annual Conference
Tuesday, May 27th – Friday, May 30th, 2025
Anticipated Attendance: 8,000

Group Description

NAFSA: Association of International Educators is the world's largest and most comprehensive nonprofit association dedicated to international education and exchange, working to advance policies and practices that ensure a more interconnected, peaceful world today and for generations to come. NAFSA's members are located at more than 3,500 institutions in 150 countries.

Attendee Profile

The NAFSA 2025 Annual Conference will attract a global audience of professionals in international education, including university administrators, study abroad advisors, admissions officers, and policymakers. Attendees will include representatives from higher education institutions, government agencies, nonprofit organizations, and private sector companies involved in student mobility, exchange programs, and global partnerships. Educators and researchers focused on international student recruitment, visa regulations, and cross-cultural learning will also participate. The conference serves as a platform for networking, professional development, and discussions on trends shaping international education, such as diversity, inclusion, and digital innovation in global learning.

Guest Room Block

Participating Hotels	Peak Room Night
Total Peak Nights = 4,000	
Andaz San Diego	75
Embassy Suites Hotel San Diego Bay - Downtown	275
Hard Rock Hotel San Diego	200
Hilton San Diego Bayfront Hotel	800
Hilton San Diego Gaslamp Quarter	125
Manchester Grand Hyatt San Diego	500
Margaritaville Hotel San Diego Gaslamp Quarter	125
Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina	1,200
Omni San Diego Hotel	400
Pendry San Diego	50
The Westin San Diego Gaslamp Quarter	250

Schedule of Events

Date	Tue May 27	Wed May 28	Thu May 29	Fri May 30
Attendee Open Meals	All Meals	All Meals	All Meals	All Meals
Convention Center Agenda	7:00AM-6:00PM Registration Open	8:00AM-5:00PM Registration Open		8:00AM-11:00AM Registration Open
	8:00AM-9:00AM Coffee and Churros	8:15AM-5:20PM Concurrent Learning Sessions, Africa Forum, Networking and Engagement Activities	8:00AM-5:00PM Registration Open	8:30AM-12:30PM Spotlight Speaker, Concurrent Sessions, and Engagement Activities
	9:30AM-5:05PM Opening Plenary, Regional Meetups, Workshops, Learning Sessions	11:30AM-1:00PM NAFSA Awards Banquet <i>*Additional Fee</i>	8:30AM-5:30PM Spotlight Speaker, Concurrent Sessions, Annual Business Meeting and Engagement Activities	
	7:00PM-9:00PM Opening Celebration			12:30PM-2:00PM Closing Celebration

*[*Schedule is subject to change](#)*

Off-Site Scheduled Events

No offsite events scheduled.

Shuttle Information

No shuttle provided.

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