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AABB 2025 Annual Meeting
Saturday, October 25th – Tuesday, October 28th, 2025
Anticipated Attendance: 7,000

Group Description

AABB is an international, not-for-profit association representing individuals and institutions involved in the fields of transfusion medicine and cellular therapies. The association is committed to improving health through the development and delivery of standards, accreditation and educational programs that focus on optimizing patient and donor care and safety. AABB membership includes physicians, nurses, scientists, researchers, administrators, medical technologists and other health care providers. AABB members are in more than 80 countries and AABB accredits institutions in more than 50 countries.

Attendee Profile

The AABB 2025 Annual Meeting will attract a diverse group of professionals from the blood banking, transfusion medicine, and cellular therapy fields. Attendees will include hematologists, pathologists, medical technologists, nurses, and researchers, as well as regulatory experts and policymakers. The event will also bring together industry leaders, suppliers, and manufacturers of blood collection, processing, and storage equipment. Additionally, the meeting is expected to draw educators, students, and trainees eager to learn about the latest advances in transfusion medicine, immunohematology, and clinical laboratory technologies. Networking opportunities and educational sessions will provide a platform for collaboration and innovation, making the event essential for anyone involved in the blood and tissue banking community.

Contact Information

Artrice McNeil, National Sales Director, SDTA
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Off-Site Scheduled Events

No offsite events.

Shuttle Information

No shuttle provided.

Guest Room Block

Participating Hotels	Peak Room Night
Total Peak Nights = 2,344	
Courtyard San Diego Gaslamp/Convention Center	30
Embassy Suites Hotel San Diego Bay – Downtown	249
Hard Rock Hotel San Diego	277
Hilton San Diego Bayfront Hotel	202
Hotel Indigo - San Diego Gaslamp Quarter	132
Hotel Z	44
Manchester Grand Hyatt San Diego	320
Margaritaville Hotel San Diego Gaslamp Quarter	100
Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina	385
Omni San Diego Hotel	165
Palihotel San Diego	55
Pendry San Diego	165
Residence Inn San Diego Downtown/Gaslamp Quarter	70
San Diego Marriott Gaslamp Quarter	150

Schedule of Events

Date	Fri Oct 24	Sat Oct 25	Sun Oct 26	Mon Oct 27	Tue Oct 28
Attendee Open Meals	All Meals	Breakfast, Dinner	Dinner	Breakfast, Dinner	All Meals
Convention Center Agenda	<p>1:30PM-3:00PM AABB Foundation Research & Development Summit</p> <p>2:00PM-6:00PM Registration</p> <p>3:30PM-5:00PM Assessor LIVE Session</p> <p>5:00PM-6:30PM Biotherapies Networking Reception</p> <p>6:00PM-7:30PM AABB Foundation Reception</p>	<p>6:30AM-7:00PM Registration</p> <p>7:00AM-12:15PM Lectures, Meetings and General Sessions</p> <p>12:15PM-1:30PM AABB Foundation Research Symposium & Luncheon</p> <p>12:30PM-1:30PM New Member and First Time Attendee Lunch</p> <p>1:45PM-4:30PM Lectures, Meetings and General Sessions</p> <p>4:30PM-7:00PM Opening Reception</p>	<p>6:30AM-6:30PM Registration</p> <p>7:30AM-9:00AM Transfusion Editorial Board Breakfast <i>*Marriott Marquis</i></p> <p>7:00AM-12:15PM Lectures, Meetings and General Sessions</p> <p>11:30AM-1:00PM Attendee Lunch</p> <p>11:30AM-1:00PM Biotherapies Sizzling Topis Luncheon</p> <p>11:30AM-1:00PM Immunohematology Reference Laboratory Luncheon</p> <p>12:00PM-7:30pm Lectures, Meetings and General Sessions</p> <p>6:30PM-8:00PM AABB Volunteer Celebration</p>	<p>6:30AM-6:30PM Registration</p> <p>7:00AM-8:30AM Awards Committee Meeting</p> <p>7:00AM-12:15PM Lectures, Meetings and General Sessions</p> <p>11:30AM-1:00PM Attendee Lunch</p> <p>12:00PM-7:30pm Lectures, Meetings and General Sessions</p> <p>7:30pm-9:30PM President's Reception</p>	<p>6:30AM-11:00AM Registration</p> <p>7:00AM-4:45PM Lectures, Meetings and General Sessions</p>

[*Schedule is subject to change](#)