

BACK TO THE FUTURE

40 YEARS OF
FLORIDA
AVIATION

FAC 2009 MIAMI



40th Annual Florida Airports Council
Conference and Exposition

August 2-5, 2009

Hosted by Miami-Dade Aviation Department



Welcome Delegates, Guests, Sponsors and Exhibitors

On behalf of the Miami-Dade Mayor, Board of County Commissioners, Aviation Department, and the Florida Airports Council (FAC), I want to invite you to the FAC's 40th Annual Conference. It's fitting that the conference is being held here in Miami – a community with deep roots in aviation. The world-renowned city known today for its beautiful weather, fabulous beaches, first-class shopping, dining, and culture bloomed from its aviation roots.

Our host event at Jungle Island is sure to be talked about for years to come. This man-made jungle boasts an eco-system of tropical plants, animals, and attractions – all while overlooking the Miami skyline and Port of Miami.

There is so much to do here in the heart of South Florida. Go upscale shopping and dining at Lincoln Road, Bal Harbor or the Village of Merrick Park. Architecture buffs will enjoy strolling through the nation's largest 20th Century National Register Historic District, featuring more than 800 historic buildings erected during the 1920s, '30s and '40s. People watch on Ocean Drive or kick back with the environment. Everglades National Park is an untamed ecosystem encompassing 1.5 million acres and Biscayne National Park is the only living tropical reef within the continental U.S.

You are sure to enjoy this year's conference program as well. We will take a nostalgic look at Florida's pioneering aviation efforts in the last forty years and also anticipate the innovations in store for the next four decades. The conference will feature a variety of views and topics combining both retro and futuristic perspectives on aviation technology, security, land use and airline evolution.

Last, but not least, the Loews Miami Beach Hotel, venue for the 2009 FAC Annual Conference, is a graceful Art Deco landmark in the heart of South Beach with spectacular views, an oceanfront swimming pool, a stunning new spa, and proximity to lots of attractions.

As we celebrate FAC's 40th anniversary, we look forward to welcoming you. Experience Miami!

¡Los esperamos!

José Abreu, Director

Miami-Dade Aviation Department

Hotel Information

Hotel Photos: Marycatherine Johnson

Loews Miami Beach Hotel

A block of rooms is being held at the Loews Miami Beach Hotel located at 1601 Collins Avenue, Miami Beach.

All attendees will receive a special rate of \$149 per night. Reservations must be made by Thursday, July 9, 2009, in order to guarantee this rate. The group rate will be accepted after the cut-off date or if the group sells out of the block, based on availability. The hotel will be undergoing limited renovations during the conference but has assured that this will not impact the quality of your stay.

To make your hotel reservation, call the hotel reservations department directly at 877-LOEWSMB (877-563-9762) and identify yourself as part of the Florida Airports Council (FAC) Group. The Loews will be happy to extend this special group rate two days prior and two days after the conference date based on availability. Valet parking has been discounted to \$20 overnight and \$13 daily.

Each individual reservation must be accompanied by one night's deposit equal to the room rate for each guest room reserved. Individuals may cancel without penalty prior to 72 hours of their arrival date.

All business sessions, meal functions and the Exhibit Hall will take place at the Loews Miami Beach Hotel. For detailed information regarding the hotel, visit <http://www.loewshotels.com/en/Hotels/Miami-Beach-Hotel/Overview.aspx>



Special Discounts

All conference guests registered at the Loews Miami Beach Hotel will receive a discounted rate on the Cabanas (10% Friday-Sunday and 15% Monday-Thursday). Also, the Loews Miami Beach Hotel SOBEEKIDS CAMP will be offering a 15% discount during the conference. To receive these discounts, contact Hugo Ferretti at 305-604-5444 ext. 5421 and mention that you are a member of the Florida Airports Council group.

In addition, the Elemis Spa located at the Loews Miami Beach Hotel will offer at 20% discount on all services over \$100 to conference guests registered at the hotel. Contact the Spa at 305-695-3400 to book an appointment.

Registration Information

Questions?

Contact Marycatherine Johnson at phone (850) 224-2964 or email mc@floridaairports.org

Delegate Registration Information

The registration form outlines the costs of the conference to FAC members and non-members, as well as the cost savings for registering early. The registration fee for FAC members and non-member delegates includes:

- All conference sessions and scheduled meals
- Sunday Evening Welcome Reception
- Monday Night Host Event: “MIAMI Nights”
- Tuesday Afternoon Golf, Fishing or Miami International Airport Tour (based on availability)
- Wednesday Night Farewell Reception and Dinner

One Day Registration

Registration is available for those who would like to attend the Conference for one day only. It does not include sporting/networking events on Tuesday afternoon. One Day Registration will also be available on-site at the conference.

Tuesday Afternoon Sporting Events (Golf and Fishing)

These events are included in the registration fee for member and non-member delegates; however, participation is limited to 144 golfers and 75 fisherman. Participants for these events must sign up at the registration area beginning at 12:00 pm on Sunday, August 2. Sign ups will be taken on a first-come, first-served basis and no person will be allowed to sign up any individuals other than themselves. However, registrants who wish to reserve a position in advance may pay the additional fee listed on the registration form. Additional Booth Personnel, One Day Registrants, State Employees, and Spouse/Guests must pay the special events fee in order to participate.

Tuesday Afternoon Airport Tour

This year, there will be a bus tour of Miami International Airport available to a limited number of conference registrants. Sign up for the tour on-site in the FAC Registration Area.

FAC Membership

In addition to considerable cost savings for registration, FAC members also enjoy numerous other benefits, including participation on FAC committees, receipt of the bi-weekly newsletter, listing in the membership directory and discounts for all FAC events. The effectiveness of an association is directly related to the quality of its members, and FAC strives to be the best airports association in the country. To complete a membership application, visit www.floridaairports.org/join.cfm

Registration/Cancellation/Substitution Policy

Registrations and cancellations must be submitted in writing. Refund requests received on or before July 13, are subject to a \$150 processing fee. There will be no refunds given after that date. Substitutions will be accepted without penalties. This includes all registration and special event fees. For all inquiries regarding cancellations, refunds, or substitutions, please contact FAC at 850-224-2964 or email mc@floridaairports.org.

Dress Code

The FAC Annual Conference dress code at the Loews Miami Beach Hotel is RESORT CASUAL. Even session speakers are urged to dress casually and enjoy the weather and ambiance of Miami Beach.

Private Functions

The Florida Airports Council asks that no private functions be scheduled that would in any way compete with the FAC Annual Conference schedule of events for the duration of the Conference.

Spouse/Guest Registration Information

This program is open to spouse/guests of full-registrants only. All guests must be at least 13 years of age. Guests between the ages of 13 and 17 must be accompanied by an adult.

The registration fee for the Spouse/Guest Program includes:

Sunday, August 2

- Welcome Reception with the Exhibitors

Monday, August 3

- Breakfast at hotel and orientation presentations
- “MIAMI Nights” Host Event

Wednesday, August 5

- Farewell Reception and Dinner

For those not interested in registering for the Spouse/Guest Program in its entirety, individual tickets for the Welcome Reception with the Exhibitors, Hospitality Event, “MIAMI Nights”, and the Farewell Reception and Dinner will be available for purchase on-site.

Children’s Participation

There is no official FAC children’s program, however children up to age 13 may participate in the following:

Sunday, August 2

- Children are welcome to attend the “Welcome Reception with the Exhibitors” from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. when accompanied by an adult.

Monday, August 3

- Children can attend The Host Event, “MIAMI Nights” for a fee of \$30 when accompanied by an adult. Children’s tickets will be available for purchase on-site only.

Wednesday, August 5

- The FAC Final Dinner is open to children when accompanied by an adult for a fee of \$75. Tickets will be available for purchase on-site only.

In addition, The Loews Miami Beach Hotel offers SOBE KIDS CAMP, a daily program for children of hotel registered guests between the ages of 4-12. The SOBE KIDS CAMP is available 7 days a week from 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Full day and half day programs are available. Supervised games and activities include arts and crafts, shell finding, sandcastle contests, beach sports, water balloon madness and scavenger hunts. The Loews Miami Beach Hotel SOBEEKIDS CAMP will be offering a 15% discount during the conference. To receive these discounts, contact Hugo Ferretti at 305-604-5444 ext. 5421 and mention that you are a member of the Florida Airports Council group.

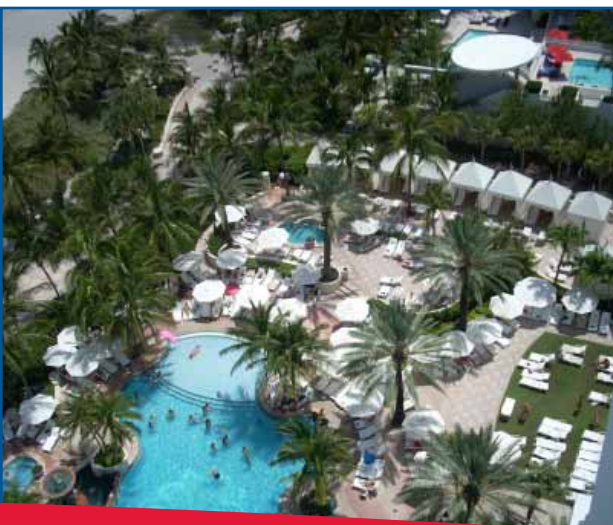
Babysitting services are available by contacting the hotel concierge at least 24 hours prior to needing service.

Sponsorship Opportunities

Show your commitment to Florida’s airport industry by becoming a sponsor of FAC’s 40th Annual Conference. By sponsoring an event, your company will receive immediate recognition at that event and in other areas. You will get maximum exposure with hundreds of industry executives and decision-makers at the conference, as well as recognition by the FAC membership in a variety of other ways, including the FAC website and newsletter.

The FAC Board of Directors understands that many worthwhile organizations ask for your financial support and we appreciate your commitment to the Council and its initiatives.

For a sponsorship registration form and detailed list of available opportunities, either visit www.floridaairports.org/meetings or call Marycatherine Johnson at 850-224-2964 or email mc@floridaairports.org



Schedule of Events

Saturday, August 1, 2009

1:00 – 3:00 p.m.	CFASPP-Statewide Meeting
4:00 – 6:30 p.m.	FAC Board of Directors Meeting

Sunday, August 2, 2009

9:00 – 10:00 a.m.	Federal Affairs Committee Meeting
9:00 – 10:00 a.m.	Noise Abatement & Community Affairs Committee Meeting
10:00 – 4:00 p.m.	Exhibitor Registration and Set-Up
10:30 – 11:30 a.m.	General Aviation Committee Meeting
10:30 – 11:30 a.m.	Information Technology Committee Meeting
10:30 – 11:30 a.m.	Legal Affairs Committee Meeting
12:00 – 7:00 p.m.	Registration for Delegates and Spouse/ Guests
12:30 – 1:30 p.m.	Environmental Committee Meeting
12:30 – 1:30 p.m.	State Affairs Committee Meeting
2:00 – 3:00 p.m.	Corporate Committee Meeting
2:00 – 3:00 p.m.	Facilities Committee Meeting
3:00 – 3:30 p.m.	Exhibitor Meeting
3:30 – 5:00 p.m.	FAC Board of Directors Meeting
5:30 – 7:30 p.m.	Welcome Reception with Exhibitors

Monday, August 3, 2009

7:30 – 4:30 p.m.	Registration Open
7:30 – 4:30 p.m.	Exhibit Hall Open
7:30 – 9:00 a.m.	Networking Breakfast with the Exhibitors
9:00 – 9:30 a.m.	Conference Welcome and Opening Ceremonies
9:30 – 10:30 a.m.	General Session I: Back to the Future: Reflections of Florida Aviation Pioneers
10:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Networking Refreshment Break with Exhibitors
11:00 – 12:00 p.m.	General Session II: Fast Forward: The Next Four Decades
12:00 – 1:30 p.m.	Networking Lunch with Exhibitors
1:30 – 2:30 p.m.	General Session III: Capitol Connection: The Washington Update

2:30 – 3:00 p.m.	Networking Refreshment Break with Exhibitors
3:00 – 4:00 p.m.	General Session IV: The Future of LCCs: Do They Grow Up to be Legacies?
4:00 – 5:00 p.m.	FAC General Membership Meeting
7:00 – 10:00 p.m.	Host Event – “MIAMI Nights”

Tuesday, August 4, 2009

7:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Registration Open
7:30 – 11:30 a.m.	Exhibit Hall Open
7:30 – 9:00 a.m.	Networking Breakfast with Exhibitors
9:00 – 9:45 a.m.	General Session V: Florida’s Aviation Partnership: FDOT
9:45 – 10:30 a.m.	General Session VI: Florida’s Aviation Partnership: FAA
10:30 – 11:30 a.m.	Networking Break with the Exhibitors & Final Exhibit Hall Hours
11:30 a.m.	Box Lunch Pick Up
12:15 p.m.	Buses Board for Golf Tournament (1:15 p.m. Tee-Off)
12:30 p.m.	Bus Boards for Miami International Airport Tour
12:45 p.m.	Buses Board for Fishing Tournament

Wednesday, August 5, 2009

7:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Registration Open
8:00 – 9:30 a.m.	FAC Breakfast and General Membership Meeting
9:30 – 10:30 a.m.	General Session VII: Securing Florida’s Airports: A Dialogue with DHS
10:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Networking Refreshment Break
11:00 – 12:00 p.m.	General Session VIII: Preserving Florida’s Airports: Land Use Compatibility
12:00 – 2:00 p.m.	Leadership Awards Luncheon
2:00 – 3:00 p.m.	General Session IX: Customer-Focused Technology
6:00 – 7:00 p.m.	Farewell Reception
7:00 – 10:00 p.m.	Final Dinner



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Official Registration Form for Delegates, Spouse/Guests and One Day Registrants. Future correspondence will be sent to the below address, fax number and/or email address:

Full Name _____ Nickname for Badge _____
 Title _____
 Airport/Company _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
 Phone _____ Fax _____
 Email _____
 Emergency Contact _____ Phone _____

Payment Information

Check Enclosed (made payable to FAC) Credit Card: Mastercard Visa American Express

Name on Card _____
 Credit Card Number _____ Exp. Date _____
 Billing Zip Code _____ Authorize Card to Be Charged \$ _____
 Email Address of Cardholder _____
 Signature of Cardholder _____

Please check here if you require special assistance and attach a description of your needs.

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Mail or fax registrations to:

Florida Airports Council
 250 John Knox Road, Suite 2, Tallahassee, FL 32303
 Phone 850-224-2964 Fax 850-681-6185

Confirmation of your registration will be sent prior to the conference. If you do not receive a confirmation letter, please contact FAC. Nonreceipt of the confirmation letter is not justification for seeking a refund.

For more information, please email mc@floridaairports.org.

Registration Fees *(check all that apply)*

	Paid on/before 7/13/09	Paid after 7/13/09
1. Member/Federal Employee [‡]	<input type="checkbox"/> \$385	<input type="checkbox"/> \$485
2. Non-member [‡]	<input type="checkbox"/> \$690	<input type="checkbox"/> \$810
3. Florida State Employee/Official [°]	<input type="checkbox"/> \$650	<input type="checkbox"/> \$650
4. Spouse/Guest (Age 13+) [✕]	<input type="checkbox"/> \$150	<input type="checkbox"/> \$250
Name: _____		
5. Florida State Employee/Official Spouse Guest (Age 13+) [✕]	<input type="checkbox"/> \$300	<input type="checkbox"/> \$300
Name: _____		
8. One Day Registration (Mon.)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$250	<input type="checkbox"/> \$350
9. One Day Registration (Tues.) [°]	<input type="checkbox"/> \$150	<input type="checkbox"/> \$250
10. One Day Registration (Wed.)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$250	<input type="checkbox"/> \$350

Special Event Fees *(Not applicable to member and non-member registrations. All other registrations must pay a fee and may only participate in one of these tournaments)*

A. Golf Tournament	<input type="checkbox"/> \$120	<input type="checkbox"/> \$120
B. Fishing Tournament	<input type="checkbox"/> \$110	<input type="checkbox"/> \$110

[‡] Includes special event fees based on availability

[°] Does not include any special event fees

[✕] Spouse/Guest of full registrants only. Spouse/Guest may not be employed by an airport or airport-related company. Requires name of full registrant. Full details of the Spouse/Guest Program can be found on page 5.

Register online at www.floridaairports.org/meetings

Join Us as We Head "Back to the Future"!

The 40th Annual Florida Airports Council Conference will be held **August 2-5, 2009 at the Loews Miami Beach Hotel**. Your host, the Miami-Dade Aviation Department, has put together an outstanding program including topics and speakers not to be missed. Many excellent networking opportunities will also be available.

FAC expects hundreds of airport, state and federal leaders to attend this great event in picturesque Miami Beach.



About FAC

The Florida Airports Council consists of 20 commercial service airports, 73 general aviation airports and more than 200 corporate, educational, student, and associate members. FAC is the largest and most successful state-focused organization in the nation. FAC's 40 year success story is due to leadership from Florida's commercial and general aviation airports and support from Florida's leading aviation companies.

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