

General Information

Please wear your Conference badge to all sessions and social events.

Loews New Orleans Hotel

Hotel Information:

Loews New Orleans Hotel
300 Poydras Street
New Orleans, LA 70130
Phone: 504.595.3300

Hotel Restaurant and Lounge:

Café Adelaide
Swizzle Stick Bar

Conference Rooms:

Demo Room: Louisiana Ballroom 1, 10th Floor
Breakout Sessions: Feliciana Room, 10th Floor
Dining Room: Louisiana Ballroom 2, 10th Floor
Workshop: St Landry, 9th Floor

Registration:

Conference Registration is on Sunday, August 30 during the evening reception and Monday, August 31 from 8:00 – 8:30 a.m. on the 10th Floor around the corner from the elevator exit. The Registration & Information Desk will be stationed here throughout the conference for questions and assistance.

Primary NovaTech User Conference Contact:

Caroline Fricks Wood
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User Conference Social Events:

Pre-registration was required for all events. If you did not sign up but would like to attend, please contact Caroline Fricks Wood to see if there is availability.

Sunday, August 30:

World War II Museum: 11:00 am – 5:00 pm

Join us for a tour of the World War II museum and the *Beyond All Boundaries* film at The Solomon Victory Theater. The tour is self-guided and will start at the conclusion of the film.

Appropriate Attire for the Day: Dress is casual and comfortable – tennis shoes or walking shoes are suggested. Lunch will be served once we arrive at the museum in the Stage Door Canteen.

Please convene in the lobby of the Loews Hotel starting at 10:50 am and no later than 11:05 am. We will leave promptly at 11:15 am for the walk to the museum.

<http://nationalww2museum.org/?referrer=https://www.google.com/>

Welcome Reception – Sunday: 6:30 – 8:00 pm

Join us on the 10th floor of the Loews Hotel for a casual reception to kick-off the conference. The Demo Room will be open during the reception and registration is available.

Monday, August 31 – 6:00 - 8:00 pm: Fulton Alley

Fulton Alley
600 Fulton Street
New Orleans, LA 70130

A fun evening at Fulton Alley will include great food, drinks and the finest games. Fulton Alley is a block away from the hotel – there is no gathering point for this event, please walk over when you are ready to join the fun!

Appropriate Attire: Dress is casual. Dinner will be provided.

<http://fultonalley.com/>

Tuesday, September 1 – 6:00 - 8:30 pm: Dinner at the Piazza d'Italia at Loews Hotel

Join us for dinner outdoors in the Piazza d'Italia at the Loews Hotel. Local band Zazou City will provide lively entertainment bringing a mélange of New Orleans gypsy jazz to new heights, including original compositions, and what Jelly Roll Morton called the Spanish tinge.

Appropriate Attire: Dress is casual. Dinner will be provided.

Food and Beverages:

Breakfast: Breakfast will be served in the Dining Room for all conference mornings. Conference Participants Only.

Luncheons: Buffet luncheons will be provided in the Dining Room for all conference lunches. Conference Participants Only.

Transportation:

Airport Shuttle

This is the form of transportation that is recommended due to its pricing. Once you get off of the plane, go to the lower level. Airport Shuttle ticket desks are located across from baggage claim areas 1, 5, 9, 11 and 12. Purchasing tickets prior to arrival is recommended.

<http://www.airportshuttleneworleans.com/>

Round Trip: \$38.00 per person

One-Way: \$20.00 per person

Taxi Service

A cab ride costs \$33.00 from the airport to the Central Business District (CBD) for one or two persons and \$14.00 (per passenger) for three or more passengers. Pick-up is on the lower level, outside the baggage claim area. There may be an additional charge for extra baggage. Taxis are required to offer a credit card payment option.

Internet Access:

Complimentary high-speed Internet is available in all guest rooms and lobby. A computer with internet and printer access are available in the Demo Room for our conference attendees.







Courtesy:

We ask that you please turn off all cell phones/pagers or switch to silent-mode during conference sessions. Please refrain from the usage of your laptops during sessions. We have provided several breaks and free time for you to check email and keep in touch with company matters.

Rain Policy:

They are predicting the possibility of rain throughout our conference. All social activities will still occur as planned, please see each activity below for specifics. We suggest that you pack a hooded jacket or umbrella for the walks to events.

Weather:

SAT Aug 29		90°	75°	Mostly Sunny	20%	E 8 mph
SUN Aug 30		89°	76°	PM Thunderstorms	40%	ENE 8 mph
MON Aug 31		89°	76°	PM Thunderstorms	40%	E 9 mph
TUE Sep 1		89°	77°	Scattered Thunderstorms	60%	E 8 mph
WED Sep 2		90°	77°	Scattered Thunderstorms	60%	NE 7 mph
THU Sep 3		91°	77°	Scattered Thunderstorms	60%	NNW 6 mph

Enjoy the conference!
