Current as of 9/2025 **EVENT ATTENDEES DATES/LOCATION** Night of a Thousand Stars AHLA FOUNDATION January 25, 2026 AHLA Board of Directors, AHLAF Board of Join us for the 8th Annual Gala as we gather hospitality leaders together to celebrate our industry Stars Fairmont Century Plaza Trustees, 500+ senior executives from major Night of a Thousand Stars and support the future workforce. The Night of A Thousand Gala has raised over \$5 million dollars and Los Angeles, CA brands, management companies and provides resources to fund scholarships, apprenticeships, and grants to community-based partners ownership aroups. across the country. **Hospitality Show Regional Events** February - March 2026 Hoteliers and vendors from all segments of Brought to you by AHLA and Hotel Management, in partnership with the local hotel association, this Honolulu, HI the industry looking to engage at the local event series brings local owners/operators and hotel executives together for a half-day conference to Seattle, WA share latest market trends, advocacy priorities and updates. The event also includes a vendor expo and reception/networking opportunities. ELEVATE attendees are VPs. SVPs. FORWARD/BUILD&ELEVATE AHLA FOUNDATION FORWARD February 17-19 GMs, with 12+ years of progressively responsible BUILD & ELEVATE Washington, D.C. The FORWARD/BUILD&ELEVATE programs are designed to empower and support women, by experience providing training, mentorship and networking opportunities in the hospitality sector BUILD Attendees are mid-to-senior level managers, directors & new VPs Sustainability experts. from major **Responsible Stay Summit** March 3-4, 2026 brands, ownership groups, Join the conversation as hotel leaders and sustainability experts convene to discuss what's next in the RESPÓNSIBLE Hilton McLean management companies, and landscape of sustainability and advance the industry's efforts in energy efficiency, water conservation, McLean, VA independent properties waster reduction, and responsible sourcing. Food and beverage operations experts from major Food & Beverage Summit March 3-4, 2026 brands, ownership groups, management companies, Explore the future of food & beverage in hospitality at this focused event designed for hotel leaders and FOOD& BEVERAGE Hilton, McLean and independent properties operators. Dive into strategies to optimize F&B operations, enhance guest experiences, and drive McLean, VA profitability through innovation, sustainability, and culinary excellence.



FORWARD/26 AHLA FOUNDATION

FORWARD recognizes the women of the hospitality industry and champions the next generation of leaders. FORWARD/26 is the program's pinnacle event and provides attendees an opportunity to hear from hospitality industry leaders, learn and grow with tailored sessions, and network with

April 16-17, 2026 Signia by Hilton, Atlanta Atlanta, GA

900+ senior and emerging leaders from all aspects and segments of the lodging industry.



Hotels on the Hill

Join AHLA members from across the country to meet with Members of Congress from your home state and share the issues most impacting your business, your quests and the great people who work in our industry.

May 2026 Washington D.C. 200+ Hotel owners and operators and industry executives from across the country.

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FOR TRAFFICKING SUMMIT	No Room for Trafficking Summit To mark the World Day Against Trafficking Persons, AHLA Foundation hosts the NRFT Summit to announce Survivor Fund grantees and unite the industry. Join hospitality leaders and industry partners as we learn more about critical efforts to drive innovation and impact in the fight against human trafficking.	July 30, 2026 Washington, D.C.	Invite only
OFF- SITE THE CLASSIC	OFF-SITE: The Classic Devoted to supporting hospitality workforce development programs and education, attendees enjoy three days of networking with C-suite executives and industry leaders while participating in a 36-hole tournament or specially curated social activities.	August 24-26, 2026 The American Club Kohler, WI	200+ leading hotel executives, decision makers, industry partners and allied members.
htng*	HTNG Connect: Europe AHLA These signature HTNG events bring together key industry decision makers in their region to network with top industry experts and discuss the future technology trends impacting the hospitality industry.	September 2026 Location TBD	150+ hoteliers and vendors from the European region.
AHLA RESORT COMMITTEE	AHLA Resort Committee Annual Meeting Resort owners and operators meet annually for three days to share best practices and enjoy educational opportunities. As a sponsor, you will enjoy unlimited opportunities to spend meaningful time with iconic resort executives.	September 13-16, 2026 Madden's on Gull Lake Brainerd, MN	Over 70 resort executives with their spouses.
THE HOSPITALITY SHOW	The Hospitality Show AHLA Brought to you by The American Hotel & Lodging Association (AHLA) and Hotel Management, this new collaborative event serves as the convergence of leaders in hotel operations and technology. Designed for senior executives of hotel brands, independent properties, owners and management companies, developers, investors and technology partners. The Show will provide attendees with the perfect mix of discovery, networking, education and curated buying experiences.	November 2-4, 2026 Miami, FL	Senior Brand Executives, owners, Operators, Developers, Procurement, Technology Partners, Vendors and other Industry Leaders with their teams
GM SUMMIT POWERED BY ANIA	GM Summit AHLA The must attend annual event bringing together hotel GMs from across the country to hear from expert speakers, share best practices, network, and celebrate the industry's best GMs via the GM of the Year Awards	November 2, 2026 Miami, FL	General Managers from hotels across the country, including independent properties and resorts.
AHLA	AHLA Committees AHLA AHLA Committees are content-focused groups that build upon a cross-section of knowledge and experience across all segments of AHLA's membership. Meetings focus on opportunities and challenges, elevate best practices and shape the future of the lodging industry. View list of AHLA committees	Regular meetings throughout the year, virtual and in-person options available	Decision-makers and leaders from across AHLA's hotel membership.