



August 13-16, 2019
Charleston, SC
Charleston Marriott Hotel

NAMMA Conference 2019 Sponsorship Opportunities



The Annual Conference of the North American Maritime Ministry Association is the most broadly diverse gathering (from all backgrounds and ports) of maritime agencies and port welfare workers in North America. Join us and network with those on the front lines of the human relations and seafarer welfare efforts in the maritime industry.

In 2019, the **Annual Conference** of NAMMA will take place in Charleston, SC from **August 13-16**. Held at the Charleston Marriott (107 Lockwood Blvd.) in Charleston, SC, this is the only major conference of industry professionals, maritime welfare agencies, their chaplains, and volunteers in North America. The conference provides networking, discussion of important maritime issues, and training. This event will bring together a large audience of maritime ministry and welfare agencies in one venue.

NAMMA is a network of more than 50 affiliated agencies and individual members who work for seafarers' welfare around North American and the Caribbean.

“The NAMMA Conference will be the largest seafarers’ welfare conference in North America in 2019.”



Maritime companies and other non-profits are invited to participate in the event. This is an excellent opportunity to:

- showcase your resources,
- make visible the role your company plays in the maritime industry,
- participate in discussions concerning the overall maritime industry, and
- build vital connections with those directly involved in ports throughout the US, Canada and the world.

Why Exhibit at the Conference?

We Promise Value . . .

- To bring key leaders of NAMMA, its partners, and ports served by NAMMA agencies and members.
- To get your company’s name and list of products and services into the hands of all attendees with a listing in our exclusive annual magazine distributed around the world.
- To enhance your company’s image with sponsorship opportunities.
- To provide opportunity for intimate networking with all participants giving time for making personal contact with

attendees; offering effective relationship-building like no other conference.

- To keep costs at a minimum – well below other advertising and exhibiting venues.

VENUE AND SCHEDULE

Location: *Charleston Marriott, 170 Lockwood Boulevard, Charleston, SC 29403*

Tuesday, August 13

3 p.m. - arrival and registration -
Conference Center main entrance
4 p.m. - opening and session 1
Auditorium

Evening - exhibitor setup
Foyer of main auditorium

Wednesday, August 14

a.m. and p.m. sessions
Auditorium and breakout rooms

Thursday, August 15

a.m. and p.m. sessions
Auditorium and breakout rooms
5 p.m. - exhibitor take down

Friday, August 17

a.m. sessions
Auditorium and breakout rooms
12:30 p.m. END

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

Gold Sponsor

\$3,500

- Named sponsor of a conference break or luncheon
- Half page advertisement in NAMMA's annual magazine
- Name and logo on advance promotional material
- Verbal recognition and thank you from the stage at conference introduction
- Company name and logo posted in registration area and exhibit area
- 1 complimentary conference registration
- Exhibition booth

Silver - Exhibitor

\$1,500

- Logo on conference program and on screens throughout conference
- Quarter page advertisement in NAMMA's annual magazine
- Logo on advance promotional material
- Verbal recognition and thank you from the stage at conference introduction
- Listing as Exhibitor on conference website for the duration of the year
- 1 complimentary conference registration
- Exhibition booth

Bronze Sponsor

\$750

- Logo on conference program and on screens throughout conference
- Quarter page advertisement in NAMMA's annual magazine
- Logo on advance promotional material
- Verbal recognition and thank you from the stage at conference introduction
- Listing as Bronze sponsor on conference website for the duration of the year

TOTAL DUE

NAMMA Annual conference 2019

Tuesday, Aug 13 – Friday, Aug 16, 2019

SPONSORSHIP APPLICATION and INFORMATION

NAME of BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION_____

CONTACT PERSON: _____TITLE:_____

ADDRESS:_____

PROVINCE/STATE:_____ ZIP/POSTAL CODE: _____

DAYTIME PHONE:_____ E-MAIL:_____

PRODUCT OR SERVICE/ORGANIZATION DESCRIPTION (approx. 35 words):

NAMES FOR BADGE(S):

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF EXHIBIT SET-UP (details of any noise-making, movie equipment that might disrupt sessions):

EXHIBIT LOCATIONS and HOURS

The Exhibits will be located in the halls off the general session area at the conference hotel. Conference attendees will have direct access to all exhibits through the whole Conference. Setup is planned for Tuesday evening or Wednesday morning before 9:00 AM, prior to the beginning of the first session that day. The Conference ends Friday morning.

EXHIBITOR BOOTH DOES NOT INCLUDE:

Hotel accommodations, electrical services, phone service, supplies, cleaning and maintenance within the booths, water, placement and removal of exhibitor's display equipment, in-booth decoration-related services, and labor, e.g. individual booth security, carpenters, and electricians. We have intentionally not secured a company for these services. However, exhibitors should notify us directly to arrange electrical and other services if available.

DEADLINES:

Sponsorship with exhibitor reservations due **June 15, 2019**.

Sponsorship logo/advertising/link due when submitting exhibit/sponsor fees.

Booklet advertising logo/information due **June 15, 2019**.

NOTE: We are not responsible for ad copy or information received after the deadlines listed.

AD FORMAT

Please note we produce the Conference Program Booklet *in house* and thus are limited in program formats. Logo and pictures must be in JPEG or 300 dpi format. A printed copy that may be scanned can be sent, or PDF file that will be printed intact as sent. We also can accept Publisher or Word formats which are preferable if we need to modify them. If there are questions regarding copy or format please call (514) 993-6528.