



9th Annual National Conference
October 27 – 29, 2008
Hyatt Regency San Francisco Airport
Burlingame, CA

“Discovering Disability As Diversity”

COSD announces its Annual National Conference. Below are the details to help you in your planning and to encourage you to attend this valuable Conference.

These agenda items will be updated on the COSD Website at www.cosdonline.org

Monday October 27, 2008

3:00 – 5:00 pm Opening Session – designed to orient everyone to COSD and the issue of employment and college graduates with disabilities. Additionally we will emphasize the importance of discussion and learning of best practices.

Hyatt Regency San Francisco Airport Grand Peninsula Ballroom

5:30 – 7:00 pm Opening Reception and Dinner with disability related entertainment

Hyatt Regency San Francisco Airport Poolside Pavilion

Tuesday October 28, 2008

8:00 am – 12 noon Continental Breakfast

Exhibit Hall Opens – Further information will be available shortly

Opening Keynote Address – To be named

Facilitated Small Group Discussions

12 noon – 2:00 pm Seated Luncheon

2:00 pm – 4:00 pm Facilitated Small Group Discussions

All sessions to be in the **Hyatt Regency San Francisco Airport Grand Peninsula Ballroom**. Small group discussions will be in the **Sandpebble Suite and Bayside B**.

Dinner and Networking on your own among a selection of restaurants in Burlingame and San Francisco. Information forthcoming on the COSD website.

Wednesday October 29, 2008

8:00 am – 12 noon Continental Breakfast

Keynote Address – To be named

Facilitated Small Group Discussions

Exhibit Hall Closes

12 noon – 2:00 pm Surprise Guest and Closing Keynote Address

Adjournment

All sessions to be in the **Hyatt Regency Grand Ballroom**

All sessions are **Business Casual** except for the Reception, which requires **Business Attire**.

Registration Fee:

Higher Education and Sole Proprietor Service Providers - \$250 per person
Employers - \$350 per person

Registration will be online and available by April 1, 2008.

Hotel Information:

Hyatt Regency San Francisco Airport located at 1333 Bayshore Highway,
Burlingame, CA.

Conference Hotel Rate - **\$169 per night** plus taxes

To view the features of the hotel, please go to:

<http://sanfranciscoairport.hyatt.com/hyatt/hotels/index.jsp>

COSD Reservations will be available online through the COSD website.

The Conference Rate of \$169 is available for the period:10/24/08 – 10/29/08.

Flights and Ground Transportation:

San Francisco International Airport (SFO) is a large full-service airport with all major airlines and several regional carriers such as Air Tran, Alaska, Frontier Jet Blue, Midwest and Spirit Airline serving with flights. American, Continental, Delta, Northwest, Southwest, United and US Airways all have significant numbers of flights to SFO.

The Hyatt Regency San Francisco Airport is less than 4 miles from SFO. Free Hotel shuttles are available to the Hyatt

Accessible Transportation from SFO to the Hyatt can be found on one Hyatt Shuttle bus. Please contact the Hyatt, identify yourself as a COSD Conference guest and request the accessible Hyatt Shuttle.