



Fall Conference

October 12-14, 2023

Grove Park Inn

**290 Macon Avenue
Asheville, N.C. 28804
800-438-5800**



Conference, Exhibitor & Sponsor Registration

At the Grove Park Inn

No doubt the Omni Grove Park Inn, Sunset Mountain, and the peak of the Fall Foliage season conjures up visions of the perfect vacation– aesthetics, opulence, amenities, and access to a variety of activities and recreation facilities. One could dismiss this Conference as a luxury, but to do so would totally discount the reason for the existence of our organization. The appropriate role of NUCA of the Carolinas is to assist our members to continue to succeed... and that will be the primary purpose for our meeting in Asheville.

NUCA of the Carolinas members can legitimately share with their employees, that they, as a leader in the Underground Utility Construction Industry, must attend the Fall Conference to continue to work on ways and means to continue to improve our industry.

Accommodations

Since our time at the Grove Park Inn is scheduled during the “peak” fall season, rooms are limited. Please call the Central reservations line at 800-438-5800 for room reservations and reference “NUCA of the Carolinas” for the room block rate of \$349.00/night plus taxes and a daily resort charge of \$20.00. The room block deadline is September 11th, 2023. (We anticipate selling out prior to this date so get your rooms early!) Cancellation policy is 7 days prior to arrival date. Parking is \$25.00 per day for self-parking and \$35.00 per day for valet.

Reservations for dinner on Thursday and Friday nights and for Spa appointments at the Grove Park must be made in advance by calling 800-438-5800.

Dress

Business casual is acceptable dress for most Conference activities at the Grove Park Inn. Logo wear is encouraged for our education sessions and the Welcome Reception. Collared shirts, slacks and soft spikes for golf. Jackets and ties and dinner dresses are encouraged for the President’s Reception and the Awards Banquet on Saturday evening

Tickets & Badges for Events

Each registrant will receive two drink tickets for use at the Welcome Reception on Thursday night. **All attendees must be registered.** For those registered to attend the President’s Reception and Awards Banquet, an additional two drink tickets will be inserted into your name badge sleeve. A red dot on your name badge will indicate that you have registered/paid for the Saturday evening Banquet Dinner. Seating is limited to our registered attendees and guests. *Please wear your name badge to all events.*

Schedule of Events

Program sessions and speakers are subject to change.

Conference Meeting Room – Grand Ballroom “A”/Vanderbilt Wing

Thursday October 12, 2023

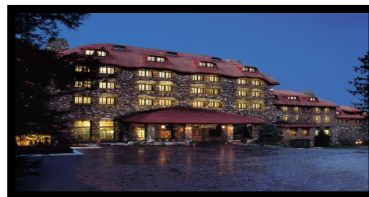
2:00 - 5:00 pm	Board of Directors Meeting
3:00 – 5:00 pm	Exhibitor Set Up – Grand Ballroom “A”
5:00 – 8:00 pm	Registration Desk Open – Grand Ballroom “A”
6:00 – 7:30 pm	Welcome Reception & Exhibitors Social – Grand Ballroom “A” Dinner on your own <i>*Dinner reservations for the Grove Park Inn restaurants must be made in advance by calling 800-438-5800</i>

Friday October 13, 2023

7:00 – 9:00	Breakfast - Conference Room <i>Grand Ballroom A – Vanderbilt Wing</i>
7:50 - 8:00	Welcome and Announcements – Scott Little
8:00 – 8:45	Dr. Marco Iglesia – Travelers Insurance “Suicide in the Construction Industry”
8:45 – 9:00	Break & Visit with the Exhibitors
9:00 – 9:45	John Hardister – NC House Majority Whip/Chair, House Education - Universities Q&A
9:45 – 10:00	Break and Visit with Exhibitors
10:00 –11:00	Yadkin Regional Water Supply Project A NUCA Collaboration (Facilitator – Keith Burke)
11:00 – 11:15	Break and Visit with Exhibitors
11:15 – 11:45	Young Leaders
12:40 - until 2:00 – 5:30	Fall Conference Golf – For those that pre-registered Brewery Tour – For those that pre-registered
	Afternoon/ Dinner on Your Own

Saturday October 14, 2023

- 7:00 – 9:00 ***Breakfast in Conference Room***
Grand Ballroom A – Vanderbilt Wing
- 7:50 – 8:00 **Welcome and Announcements – Scott Little**
- 8:00 – 8:45 **Jay Wilkerson – Conner Gwyn Schenk**
“Industry Hot Topics”
- 8:45 – 9:00 Break & Visit with the Exhibitors
- 9:00 – 9:45 **Louis Panzer – NC811**
“True Root Causes of Damage Prevention: A National Analysis”
- 9:45 – 10:00 Break and Visit with Exhibitors
- 10:00 – 10:45 **Zack Perconti – NUCA Government Relations**
Updates on NUCA’s Federal Advocacy efforts.
Bipartisan infrastructure Investment & Jobs Act & associated federal Buy America requirements and state of the infrastructure spending.
- 10:45 – 11:15 **Doug Carlson – NUCA CEO / Tom Butler – NUCA Chairman**
NUCA National updates
- 11:15 – 11:45 **NUCA of the Carolinas - Annual Business Meeting**
Scott Little Presiding
Election of Officers & Board Members for 2024 - 2025
- 12:00 - Afternoon on your own
- 6:30 – 7:30 pm President’s Reception - ***Grand Ballroom A – Vanderbilt Wing***
- 7:30 – 10:00 pm President’s Awards Banquet & Induction Ceremony
Silent Auction
Grand Ballroom “A” – Vanderbilt Wing



2023 Fall Conference Registration

Full Conference Registration packages include admission to Thursday reception and two drink ticket, education sessions and materials for all registered attendees, including spouses, guests, and children. Awards Reception & Dinner requires a separate ticket priced at \$95.00 per person, includes two drink tickets.

Name _____ Badge Name (Nickname) _____

Spouse/Guest Name _____ Badge Name (Nickname) _____

Other Attendees Name(s) and Age(s) (under 12 includes Kid's Meal at Banquet) _____

Company/Sponsored By: _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone # _____ Email Address: _____

Special Dietary Needs: _____

(* Pre-registrations must be received on or before September 26, 2023)

Registration Fees	Pre-registration*	On-site Registration
<input type="checkbox"/> Full Conference NUCA Members (Couple).....	\$ 450.....	\$ 500 or
<input type="checkbox"/> Full Conference NUCA Members (Individual)	\$ 350.....	\$ 400 or
<input type="checkbox"/> Full Conference Non-Member (Couple)	\$ 600.....	\$ 650 or
<input type="checkbox"/> Full Conference Non-Member (Individual)	\$ 500	\$ 550 or
<input type="checkbox"/> Daily NUCA Member Rate (Individual).....	\$ 200.....	\$ 250 or
<input type="checkbox"/> Daily Non-Member Rate (Individual)	\$ 300.....	\$ 350 and/or
<input type="checkbox"/> Children under 18 years of age	\$ 95	\$ 125
<input type="checkbox"/> Awards Dinner @ \$ 95 per person	\$95 x _____ = _____	

Sub-total Conference Registration Fees & Awards Dinner Tickets \$ _____

***NOTE – All individuals attending any of the NUCA of the Carolinas Fall Conference activities, including the receptions and banquet, must be registered for the conference.**

Fall Conference Golf

Friday, October 13, 2023

- **Member** **\$180.00**
- **Non-Member** **\$220.00**
- **Mulligan Packs** **\$20.00 (2 Mulligans and 1 Tee Buster)**

TEE TIMES START @ 12:40 p.m.

BOX LUNCHES WILL BE PROVIDED

Player #1 _____

Player #2 _____

Player #3 _____

Player #4 _____

*Please team with: _____

Payment Information:

Insert number of registrants above _____ x \$180 Member Registration = \$ _____

Insert number of registrants above _____ x \$220 Non-Member Registration = \$ _____

Insert number of Mulligans _____ x \$ _____ = \$ _____

TOTAL 2023 Fall Conference Golf Tournament: \$ _____

****NOTE – Space is Limited****

Enter this total on your Conference Registration Form on the Golf Tournament Sub-total line.



NUCA of the Carolinas
P.O. Box 10519
Wilmington, N.C. 28404
info@nucacarolinas.org

BREWERY TOUR

Friday, October 13th

**2:00 – 5:30 p.m. – Tour of 3 Brewery's
(Terra Nova, New Origin & Highland)**

Bus to leave at 2:00 p.m. from The Grove Park Inn main entrance

Space is limited

Cost per person - \$85.00

Name: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

of attendees _____ X \$85.00 _____



SPONSORSHIPS

We invite you to assist NUCA of the Carolinas with the production of the Fall Conference. In return we offer to you recognition and our deep appreciation and the opportunity to contribute to a safer, more productive environment for our industry. As a sponsor your company will receive prominent recognition in the meeting program, on signage visible during the meeting and in NUCA of the Carolina newsletter, *The Pipeline*. We will make every effort to ensure a productive experience for you and your company.

We greatly appreciate all sponsorships, as without them, this educational event would not be possible.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Patrons | \$500 or More |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Supporters | \$250 – 499 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Contributors | \$100 – 249 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Welcome Reception | \$4,000 - Exclusive |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Breakfast – Friday | \$1,000 (4 Available) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Breakfast – Saturday | \$1,000 (4 Available) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mid Morning Coffee Break Friday | \$800 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mid Morning Coffee Break Saturday | \$800 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Awards Reception | \$3,000 (Exclusive) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Awards Reception | \$1,500 (Shared) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Awards Banquet Dinner | \$5,000 (Exclusive) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Awards Banquet Dinner | \$2,500 (Shared) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Speaker Sponsors | \$800 (4 Available) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Golf Tournament Trophies | \$600 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Golf Lunches | \$600 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Brewery Tour Transportation | \$500 (2 Available) |

Sub-total of Sponsorship.....\$ _____

EXHIBITORS

Exhibit Information: Equipment and supply vendors, insurance agencies, bonding companies, application software companies and rental companies are invited to participate in showcasing their offerings at our table top exhibition, open during the Thursday, October 12th Welcome Reception, and on Friday, October 13th and Saturday, October 14th prior to sessions and during the breaks. **Booth spaces DO NOT include electrical or data connections or Conference Registration, which is required of all company representatives staffing your exhibit.** A skirted 6-foot table and/or the space to erect a free-standing display is provided. **SPACE IS LIMITED.**

- Table Top Exhibit (NUCA Member) \$300.00
- Table Top Exhibit (NON-Member)..... \$600.00

Company Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ ST: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____ Website: _____

CONFERENCE PAYMENTS

Sub-total for Registrations \$ _____

Sub-total for Banquet Tickets..... \$ _____

Sub-total for Sponsorship(s)..... \$ _____

Sub-total for Exhibit Space..... \$ _____

Sub-total Fall Conference Golf Tournament \$ _____

Sub-total of Brewery Tour..... \$ _____

Total for all Conference Charges..... \$ _____

Enclosed is my check for \$ _____ Check # _____ or

To Pay by Credit Card - Fill out the Credit Card Authorization Form

****Registration is also available at www.nucacarolinas.org****



Conference Credit Card Authorization

Credit Card Information:

NAME ON CARD (Please Print)

COMPANY NAME (IF APPLICABLE)

CARD NUMBER

EXPIRATION DATE

CVV CODE

BILLING ADDRESS FOR CREDIT CARD – Address, State and Zip

****A 4% Processing Fee will be added to all Credit Card Payments**

Please send this completed registration form with a check or Credit Card processing information to:

Linda Goslee
NUCA of the Carolinas
P.O. Box 10519
Wilmington, N.C. 28404
Email info@nucacarolinas.org
www.nucacarolinas.org for Pay Pal Option

Silent Auction



If you would like to donate an item(s)
Please fill out and return with your registration

NAME: _____

COMPANY: _____

ITEM NAME (s): _____

ITEM VALUE (s): _____

Sample Ideas:

Tools/Equipment
Rentals/Services
Electronics
Ladies Accessories
Travel Items/Vacations
Household Goods

Jewelry
Sporting Goods
Toys/Games
Gift Cards/Certificates
Gift Baskets
Golf Items

****Anything will be appreciated****

**Please deliver auction items to Linda Goslee at the Registration Desk
With Donators name and value of item**