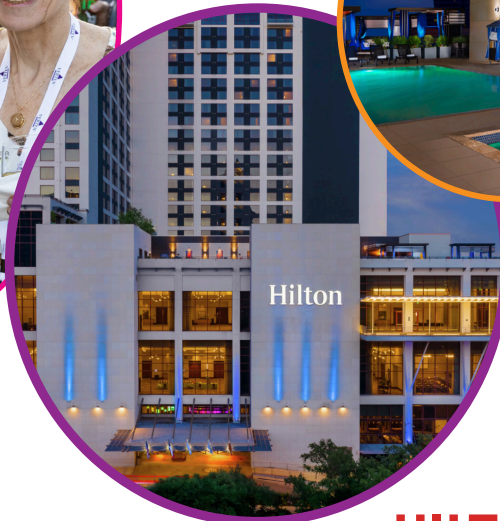




APRIL 3-6, 2025  AUSTIN, TX

PAIN CONNECT

Presented by **The American Academy of Pain Medicine**



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#AAPM2025

Welcome to Austin, TX in April 2025

Dear Colleague,

We are excited to introduce you to PainConnect 2025, our newly branded annual meeting. This meeting will connect the pain medicine community through innovation, collaboration, and patient-centered strategies. Scheduled to take place April 3- 6, 2025, in Austin, Texas, PainConnect promises to be a landmark gathering for physicians and healthcare professionals dedicated to transforming pain medicine.

Why PainConnect?

PainConnect is designed to CONNECT a diverse community of people caring for those in pain including pain medicine specialists, physiatrists, primary care providers, emergency medicine professionals, behavioral medicine professionals, and advanced practice providers. Our goal is to foster a dynamic, innovative, and collaborative environment that emphasizes holistic and cutting-edge approaches to education and pain care.

The event will CONNECT over 600 attendees, including pain medicine specialists with primary training in Anesthesiology, Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, Neurology, Neurosurgery, Psychiatry, Family Practice, Emergency Medicine, Internal Medicine, and Behavioral Medicine. Additionally, we will have Physician Assistants, Nurse Practitioners, Pharmacists, Psychologists, Physical Therapists, Behavioral Health Specialists, Payers, and others as attendees. As integral sponsors, exhibitors will have the opportunity to showcase products and services, as well as technological advancements to a diverse audience. Your team will engage with leaders in the field of pain medicine and collaborate with our Academy's leadership during the Corporate Roundtable, exclusively for our Corporate Partner representatives. Organizations will enhance their brand visibility through extensive branding opportunities before, during, and after the event, reaching a broad and engaged audience.

In 2024, The Academy brought together leaders from our Supporter, Sponsor, Sponsor-Plus partners, and patient advocacy leaders to discuss advocating for access to pain therapy and educating primary care physicians and the public about pain medicine. The American Academy of Pain Medicine will leverage its inclusive, multidisciplinary approach, convening our Corporate Partners during a facilitated roundtable discussion. The opportunity to participate in our access advocacy discussion is available to Corporate through Platinum PainConnect Sponsors.

We offer a variety of sponsorship and exhibition packages designed to meet your needs and objectives. To learn more and secure your participation, please contact Kimberley Meegan at 614-266-9174 or kimberlymeegan@gmail.com.

Join us at PainConnect 2025 and be part of a transformative event poised to lead the future of pain care. Together, we can innovate, heal, and lead the way to revolutionizing pain medicine.

We look forward to partnering with you to make PainConnect 2025 an outstanding Success.



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David Copenhaver, MD, MPH
Program Co-Chair

PAINCONNECT 2025

Expected Attendance

PainConnect 2025 is expected to bring clinicians, scientists, and industry partners from throughout the United States. Attendance is expected to exceed 600 clinical providers, academic physicians, and advanced practice providers.

CME Accreditation

An application for CME accreditation to provide continuing medical education credits to physicians and APP providers is on file for review and approval. Once approval is received, CME credit information will be updated and provided.

American Psychological Association CEUs

An application for APA accreditation to provide continuing education credits for behavioral medicine professionals is on file for review and approval. Once approval is received, CEU credit information will be updated and provided.

Annual Meeting 2025 Website: 2025 Meeting – painconnect.org



CORPORATE ENGAGEMENT AND EXHIBITING OPPORTUNITIES

- Achieve your business development objectives
 - Attain your marketing goals
 - Fulfill your return on investment (ROI)
- Grow your competitive brand awareness and differentiation
 - Be positioned as a pain medicine thought leader
 - Increase table traffic and build relationships

We invite you to achieve your company's business objectives and marketing goals by becoming a sponsor, exhibiting, and increasing your brand visibility within our community.

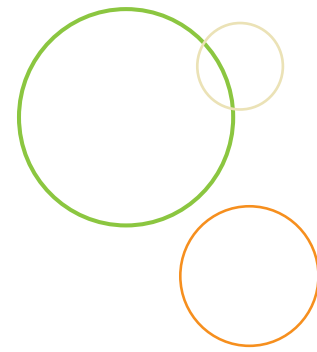
Your participation in PainConnect 2025, presented by the American Academy of Pain Medicine, will put your company front and center with key leaders, stakeholders, and practitioners working to advance multidisciplinary pain care, education, technology, and advocacy.

PainConnect 2025 Benefits for Participating Companies	Exhibitor	Corporate	Bronze	Silver	Gold	Platinum
	\$5,000	\$8,500	\$14,000	\$25,000	\$35,000	\$45,000
Business Development Benefits						
Exhibit table (6-foot table and 2 chairs)	X	X	X	X		
10 x 10 Booth Space					X	X
Exhibitor listings on AAPM PainConnect Website	X	X	X	X	X	X
Access to attendee registration lists pre and post-conference ***	X	X	X	X	X	X
Complimentary registrations for full Annual Meeting (must be company representatives)	2	3	5	7	10	15
Saturday Night Reception Tickets	2	3	5	7	10	15
Lead Retrieval			X	X	X	X
Competitive Brand Awareness/Differentiation Benefits						
Signage in the PainConnect venue (tiered based on engagement level)	X	X	X	X	X	X
Company flyer in the PainConnect bags for attendees			X	X	X	X
Company on PainConnect website pre-conference and 90 days post-conference	X	X	X	X	X	X
Table sign at table to designate engagement level	X	X	X	X	X	X
Onsite digital advertisement - 3-minute company video to be looped on screen at registration				1 Video	2 videos	3 videos
Scrolling PainConnect Sponsor logos at the General Session		X	X	X	X	X
AAPM Society website advertisement of corporate member activity		X	X	X	X	X
Push notifications featuring each company			1	2	3	4
Innovation Thought Leadership Benefits						
AAPM + Hacking Medicine Innovation Challenge Judge					1	1
Innovation Networking Reception Tickets					1	2
Logo recognition on painmed.org/innovation/ and painconnect.org/innovationhub					X	X
APPM + MIT Hacking Medicine Innovation Challenge Podium Recognition					X	X
Scrolling partner logo at the AAPM + Hacking Medicine Innovation Challenge Pitch Competition					X	X
Pain Medicine Thought Leadership Benefits						
Product Theater demonstration stage in exhibit hall (20 minutes)					1	2
Number of Corporate Relations Council representatives		1	2	2	2	2
Other Benefits for Participating Sponsors*						
Lunch Symposia: First Choice of Friday or Saturday* (2)						X
Lunch Symposia: First Choice of Thursday Lunch Symposia or Saturday Night Reception (2)					X	
Breakfast Symposia: Choice Friday or Saturday*				X		
Receptions: Choice of APP, Residents & Fellows, Innovation Networking Reception*			X	X		
Breaks: Choice of Thursday, Friday or Saturday, AM or PM*			X	X		

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ATTENDEE SUPPLEMENTAL DEMOGRAPHICS

PainConnect 2025 Website: 2025 Meeting - PainConnect.org

Annual Meeting Venue Hotel Reservations Online: Please use this official online reservation link to book hotel needs for the Annual Meeting.

- Room Block Link <https://book.passkey.com/go/AAPM2025>

2021 Annual Meeting Statistics: (virtual and ongoing on-demand replay to December 31, 2021)

- Total Attendees: 523
- Total Exhibitors - 9 companies / 25 industry

2022 Annual Meeting Statistics:

- Total Attendees: 500
- Total Exhibitors - 58 companies

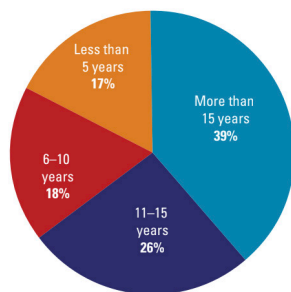
2023 Annual Meeting Statistics:

- Total Attendees: 523
- Total Exhibitors - 36 companies

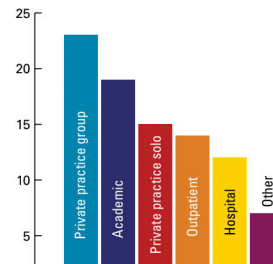
2024 Annual Meeting Statistics:

- Total Attendees: 609
- Total Exhibitors - 48 companies

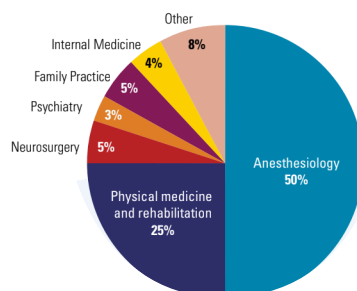
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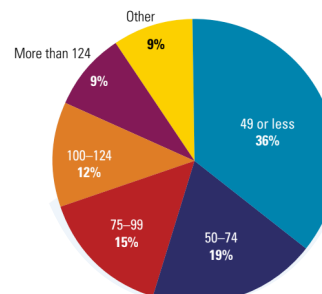
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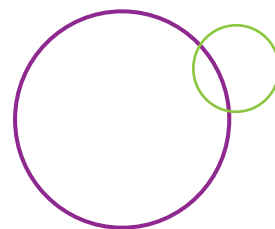
Specialty of Origin



Number of Patients Seen Weekly



PREVIOUS EXHIBITORS



- 1st Providers Choice
- 12 Panel Now
- Abbott
- Acacia Pharma
- Advanced Orthopaedics, Inc.
- Averitas Pharma
- AIS Healthcare
- American Academy of Pain Psychology
- American College of Occupational & Environmental Medicine
- Anazao Health
- APEX Biologix
- AppliedVR
- Association of Cannabinoid Specialists
- Basic Home Infusion
- BioDelivery Sciences International
- BioLab Sciences, Inc.
- Bioventus
- BLOXR Solutions
- Boston Scientific
- CareWear
- Center for U.S. Policy
- Children's Tumor Foundation
- Clarius Mobile Health
- Collegium Pharmaceutical
- Corganics
- CuraMedix, LLC
- Cutting Edge Laser Technologies
- David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA
- Definitive Healthcare
- Electromedical Products
- Eli Lilly & Company
- Fern Health, Inc.
- Flat Medical Co., Ltd
- Hikma Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc.
- IBSA Pharma Inc.
- Incrediwear
- Insight Health
- Intermountain Healthcare
- International Myopain Society
- Irad Sales Group
- Konica Minolta Healthcare Americas, Inc.
- Labcorp
- Lin Health
- Lowell Pain Center
- Mainstay Medical
- May Clinic
- MedLogix Communications, LLC
- Medtronic, Inc.
- Medosi
- Medpro
- Metro Health Solutions
- Minvasive Pain and Orthopedics
- Modernizing Medicine
- Nalu Medical, Inc.
- National Medication Management
- NeuroMetrix
- Neurovations
- Nevro
- Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corporation
- Oxford University Press
- Pain Medicine Academy of Advanced Practice Providers
- Pain Medicine News
- Painscript
- PatchRx
- Peak Regeneration
- PENTECH Health
- Protega Pharmaceuticals
- Radeas Labs
- ReBuilder Medical, Inc.
- Regenexx
- Salix Pharmaceuticals
- Saluda Medical
- Scilex Pharmaceuticals
- Skanray Americas, Inc.
- SPR Therapeutics
- Stryker International Spine
- Summus Medical Laser
- Sunoh.ai
- Sure Med Compliance
- TerSera Therapeutics
- Trice Medical
- University of Michigan
- Vertex Pharmaceuticals
- Vertos Medical

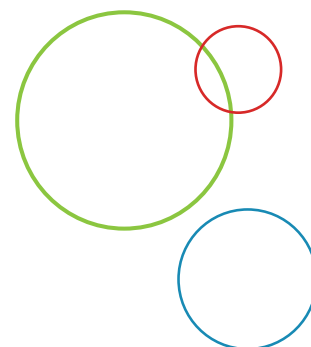


EXHIBIT FACTS

PainConnect 2025, presented by the American Academy of Pain Medicine, will be held on April 3 – 6, 2025, at the Hilton in Austin, TX.

AAPM is a medical specialty society that advocates a comprehensive, multimodal, and interdisciplinary approach to the treatment of pain. AAPM members lead the medical community with their extensive knowledge and cutting-edge approach to diagnosing and treating pain.

Founded in 1983, the Academy has grown to include more than 2,000 members and is the only comprehensive pain organization with representation in the AMA House of Delegates. AAPM represents a variety of disciplines, including anesthesiology, neurology, physical medicine and rehabilitation, internal medicine, family practice, neurosurgery, and psychiatry.



Exhibit Hall Hours*

- **SETUP**

- Thursday, April 3, 2025
Exhibitor Setup and Registration.....10:30 am - 4:00 pm

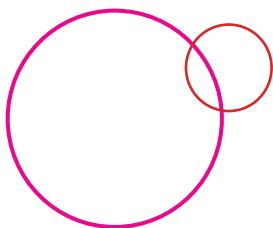
- **SHOW HOURS**

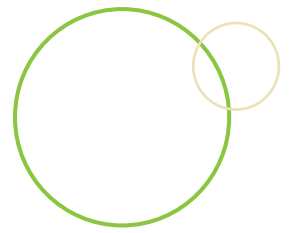
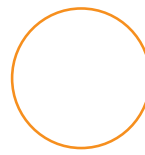
- Thursday, April 3, 2025
Opening Welcome Reception in Exhibit Hall.....5:30 - 6:30 pm
- Friday, April 4, 2025
Exhibits Open.....9:00 am - 4:30 pm
Break.....9:30 - 10:00 am/3:00 - 3:30 pm
Reception in the Exhibit Hall.....5:30 - 6:30 pm
- Saturday, April 5, 2025
Exhibits Open.....9:00 am - 4:30 pm
Break.....9:30 - 10:00 am/3:30 - 4:00 pm

- **DISMANTLE**

- Saturday, March 9, 2024
Exhibit Teardown.....4:30 - 5:30 pm

*Preliminary schedule as of July 2024, subject to change. Coffee and Networking breaks will take place in the Exhibit Hall





INSTALLATION

All exhibits must be set up and aisles must be cleared by 4:30 pm on Thursday, April 3, 2025, without exception. Except for Gold and Platinum sponsors, all exhibits are six-foot tabletop displays to encourage attendee networking. Gold and Platinum sponsors receive 10 x10 exhibit space.

DISMANTLING

The official closing time of exhibits is 4:30 pm on Saturday, April 5, 2025. All exhibit materials must be packed and ready for removal from the exhibit area no later than 5:30 pm on Saturday, April 5, 2025.

SPACE ASSIGNMENT, FEES & SERVICES

Space will be assigned according to engagement level, receipt of application, payment in full, amount of requested space, special needs, and compatibility of the exhibitors' products. The exhibit hall layout is subject to change.

CANCELLATION POLICY

In the event that Company notifies the Association in writing of Company's intent to repudiate the exhibit/support contract after acceptance but before November 6, 2024, a full refund of monies received, minus a \$500 cancellation fee, will be made. If cancellation is received after November 6, 2024, and before January 8, 2025, the company will receive no refund but will receive credit for the next year minus a \$500 administrative fee. No refunds will be made, or cancellations accepted after January 8, 2025.

All cancellations and/or reductions in sponsorship or additional marketing opportunities must be sent in writing to Kimberley Meagan at kimberleymeagan@gmail.com

BLACK OUT PERIODS

AAPM is thrilled with the support from our exhibitors and sponsors throughout our 41-year history, and we appreciate everything you do! We will make every effort to make this a very successful meeting for you in 2025! Please reciprocate respect for the meeting and your fellow sponsors and exhibitors by respecting the BLACKOUT PERIOD. Organizations may not hold functions (on or off premises) during the defined "blackout" times unless explicitly approved by AAPM. AAPM will strictly enforce blackout times.

2025 Blackout Times: Tuesday, April 2, 2025 – Monday, April 7, 2025, 7:00 am – 7:30 pm.

*Exhibitors may not break down before 4:30 p.m. Saturday, April 5, 2025. Exhibitors breaking down before 4:30 pm on April 4, 2025, will be fined \$500.

CORPORATE PARTNER TIERS

PLATINUM - \$45,000

PainConnect 2025 Benefits for Platinum Corporate Partners are as follows:

- One (1) 10 x 10 Booth Space.
- Fifteen (15) representative badges.
- Fifteen (15) Saturday Night Reception Tickets.
- One (1) pre- and post-registration mailing list. *
- One (1) Lead Retrieval License.
- Signage in the PainConnect Venue (tiered based on engagement level).
- One (1) Corporate partner product flyer in conference bags.
- One (1) Company Logo on PainConnect website pre-conference and 90 days post-conference.
- One (1) Table sign at 10 x 10 booth to designate engagement level.
- Three (3) Onsite digital advertisement – 3-minute company video to be looped on screen at registration.
- One (1) Scrolling PainConnect Sponsor logo at the General Session.
- Three (3) Push conference app push notifications featuring your company.
- One (1) AAPM + MIT Hacking Medicine Innovation Challenge Judge.
- Scrolling partner logo at the AAPM + MIT Hacking Medicine Innovation Challenge Pitch Competition.
- AAPM + MIT Hacking Medicine Innovation Challenge Podium Recognition.
- Two (2) Innovation Networking Reception tickets.
- Two (2) Product Theater demonstrations – 20 minutes on the Exhibit Hall stage.
- One (1) Lunch Symposia: First Choice of Friday or Saturday Symposia. ** ***



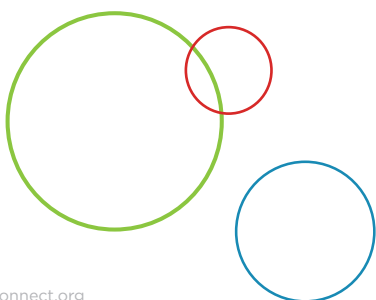
2025 AAPM Society Benefits for Platinum Corporate Partners are as follows:

- Two (2) company representatives to the Corporate Roundtable Discussion with the Board of Directors on Thursday, April 3, 2025.
- Two (2) company representatives to one virtual Corporate Roundtable Discussion with the Board of Directors in October 2025.
- Two (2) AAPM organizational updates between the in-person and virtual meetings.
- Logo recognition at painmed.org, painmed.org/innovation, painconnect.org/innovationhub

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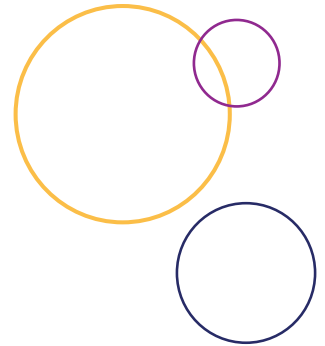
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CORPORATE PARTNER TIERS

GOLD - \$35,000



PainConnect 2025 Benefits for Gold Corporate Partners are as follows:

- One (1) 10 x 10 Booth Space.
- Ten (10) representative badges.
- Ten (10) Saturday Night Reception Tickets.
- One (1) pre- and post-registration mailing list. *
- One (1) Lead Retrieval License.
- Signage in the PainConnect Venue (tiered based on engagement level).
- One (1) Corporate partner product flyer in conference bags.
- One (1) Company Logo on PainConnect website pre-conference and 90 days post-conference.
- One (1) Table sign at 10 x 10 booth to designate engagement level.
- Two (2) Onsite digital advertisement – 3-minute company video to be looped on screen at registration.
- One (1) Scrolling PainConnect Sponsor logo at the General Session.
- Two (2) Push conference app push notifications featuring your company.
- One (1) AAPM + MIT Hacking Medicine Innovation Challenge Judge.
- Scrolling partner logo at the AAPM + MIT Hacking Medicine Innovation Challenge Pitch Competition.
- AAPM + MIT Hacking Medicine Innovation Challenge Podium Recognition.
- One (1) Innovation Networking Reception Ticket.
- One (1) Product Theater demonstration – 20 minutes on the Exhibit Hall stage.
- One (1) First Choice of Thursday Lunch Symposia** or Saturday Night Reception (2). ***

2025 AAPM Society Benefits for Gold Corporate Partners are as follows:

- Two (2) company representatives to the Corporate Roundtable Discussion with the Board of Directors on Thursday, April 3, 2025.
- Two (2) company representatives to one virtual Corporate Roundtable Discussion with the Board of Directors in October 2025.
- Two (2) AAPM organizational updates between the in-person and virtual meetings.
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CORPORATE PARTNER TIERS

SILVER - \$25,000



PainConnect 2025 Benefits for Silver Corporate Partners are as follows:

- One (1) six-foot table and two (2) chairs. Your display must fit on the six-foot tabletop.
- Seven (7) representative badges.
- Seven (7) Saturday Night Reception Tickets.
- One (1) pre- and post-registration mailing list. *
- One (1) Lead Retrieval License.
- Signage in the PainConnect Venue (tiered based on engagement level).
- One (1) Corporate partner product flyer in conference bags.
- One (1) Company Logo on PainConnect website pre-conference and 90 days post-conference.
- One (1) Table sign at table to designate engagement level.
- One (1) Onsite digital advertisement – 3-minute company video to be looped on screen at registration.
- One (1) Scrolling PainConnect Sponsor logo at the General Session.
- Two (2) Push conference app push notifications featuring your company.
- One (1) Choice of Breakfast Symposia** (Friday, Saturday), Receptions (APP or Residents & Fellows), Choice of Break (Thursday, Friday, Saturday, AM or PM).***

2025 AAPM Society Benefits for Silver Corporate Partners are as follows:

- Two (2) company representatives to the Corporate Roundtable Discussion with the Board of Directors on Thursday, April 3, 2025.
- Two (2) company representatives to one virtual Corporate Roundtable Discussion with the Board of Directors in October 2025.
- Two (2) AAPM organizational updates between the in-person and virtual meetings.

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CORPORATE PARTNER TIERS

BRONZE - \$14,000

PainConnect 2025 Benefits for Bronze Corporate Partners are as follows:

- One (1) six-foot table and two (2) chairs. Your display must fit on the six-foot tabletop.
- Five (5) representative badges.
- Five (5) Saturday Night Reception Tickets.
- One (1) pre- and post-registration mailing list. *
- One (1) Lead Retrieval License.
- Signage in the PainConnect Venue (tiered based on engagement level).
- One (1) Corporate partner product flyer in conference bags.
- One (1) Company Logo on PainConnect website pre-conference and 90 days post-conference.
- One (1) Table sign at table to designate engagement level.
- One (1) Scrolling PainConnect Sponsor logo at the General Session.
- One (1) Push conference app push notifications featuring your company.
- One (1) Choice of Receptions (APP or Residents & Fellows), Choice of Break (Thursday, Friday, Saturday, AM or PM) **

2025 AAPM Society Benefits for Bronze Corporate Partners are as follows:

- Two (2) company representatives to the Corporate Roundtable Discussion with the Board of Directors on Thursday, April 3, 2025.
- Two (2) company representatives to one virtual Corporate Roundtable Discussion with the Board of Directors in October 2025.
- Two (2) AAPM organizational updates between the in-person and virtual meetings.

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CORPORATE PARTNER TIERS

CORPORATE PARTNER - \$8,500

PainConnect 2025 Benefits for Corporate Partners are as follows:

- One (1) six-foot table and two (2) chairs. Your display must fit on the six-foot tabletop.
- Three (3) representative badges.
- Three (3) Saturday Night Reception Tickets.
- One (1) pre- and post-registration mailing list. *
- One (1) Lead Retrieval License.
- Signage in the PainConnect Venue (tiered based on engagement level).
- One (1) Company listing on PainConnect website pre-conference and 90 days post-conference.
- One (1) Table sign at table to designate engagement level.
- One (1) Scrolling PainConnect Sponsor logo at the General Session.
- One (1) Choice of Receptions (APP or Residents & Fellows), Choice of Break (Thursday, Friday, Saturday, AM or PM). **

2025 AAPM Society Benefits for Corporate Partners are as follows:

- One (1) company representative to the Corporate Roundtable Discussion with the Board of Directors on Thursday, April 3, 2025.
- One (1) company representative to one virtual Corporate Roundtable Discussion with the Board of Directors in October 2025.
- Two (2) AAPM organizational updates between the in-person and virtual meetings.

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EXHIBITOR OPPORTUNITIES

- \$5,000 per tabletop display.*
- One (1) six-foot table and two (2) chairs. Your display **must** fit on the six-foot tabletop.
- Two (2) complimentary registrations for the full annual meeting. Additional registrations may be purchased for \$350 in advance or \$500 onsite. (all must be company representatives).
- One (1) exhibitor listing on the AAPM PainConnect 2025 website.
- One (1) pre and post-conference registration list. *
- Two (2) Saturday night reception tickets.
- One (1) company listing on signage in the PainConnect venue (tiered based on engagement level).
- One (1) Company listing on PainConnect website pre-conference and 90 days post-conference.
- One (1) Exhibit table sign to designate Exhibitor engagement level.

*A limited number of non-profit tables will be available for \$2,500 and receive the same benefits listed above. Non-profit tables may be located in the Exhibit Hall pre-function area.

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ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

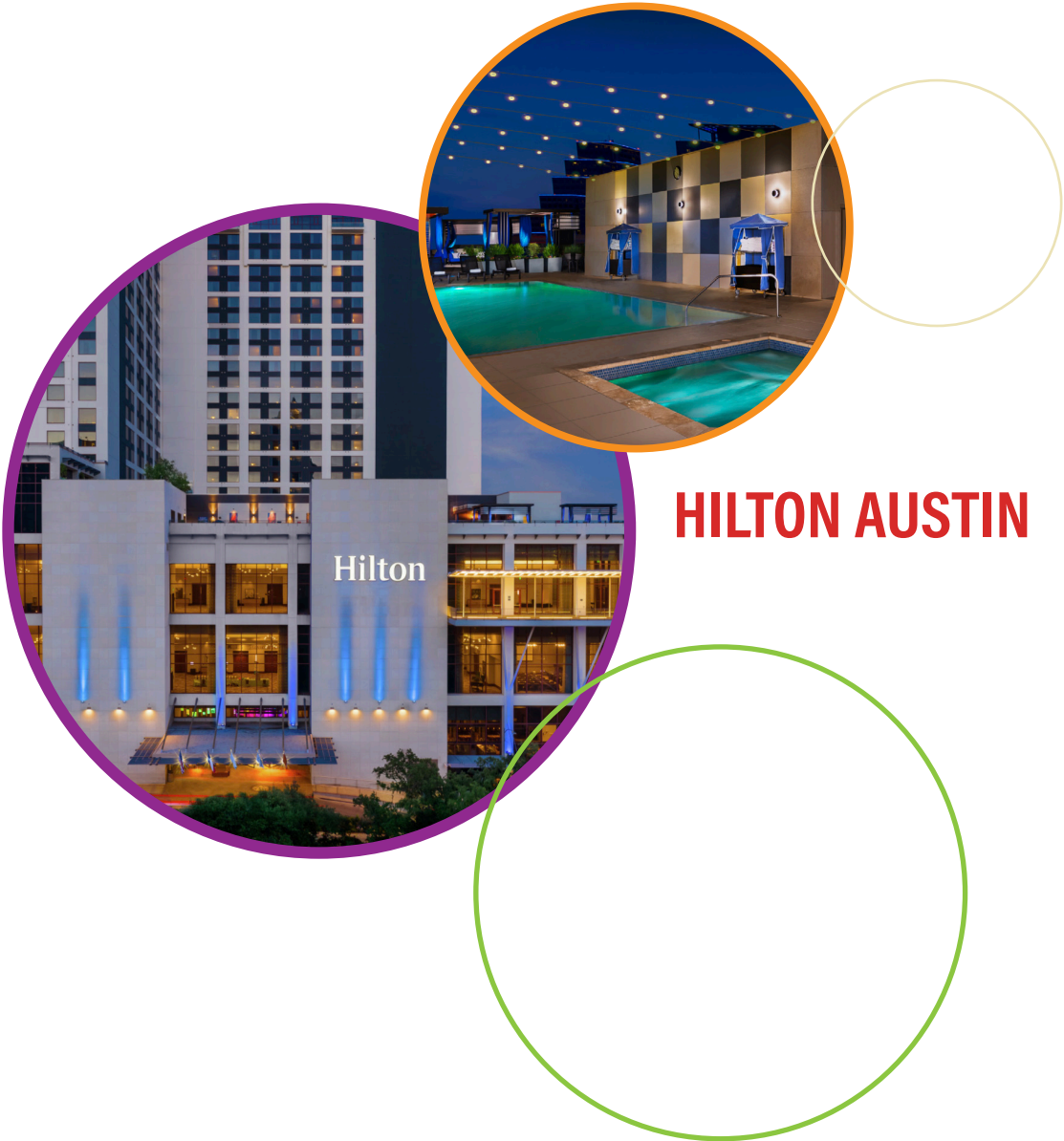
- AAPM Industry Partner.....\$10,000
Includes 1 representative to the Corporate Round Table Discussion on site, 1 company representative to one virtual Corporate Roundtable Discussion with the Board of Directors in October 2025, 2 AAPM organizational updates between the in-person and virtual meetings. Listing on painmed.org. This is an option for those who cannot attend the entire meeting and exhibit.
- Onsite Digital Advertisement.....\$1,500
Three-minute company product video. These will scroll on a large digital screen at registration throughout the conference.
- Push Notifications.....\$1,000
- Conference Key Cards.....\$3,000 + cost of cards
- Conference Bag with Sponsor Logo.....\$3,000 + cost of bags
- Conference lanyards.....\$3,000 + cost of lanyards
- Host a Product Theater.....\$2,500 incl push
- Cocktails or Coffee Enhanced Break at Your Booth..... \$1,500 + Sponsor is responsible for food & beverage
Includes a push notification prior to break.
- Innovation Challenge.....\$5,000 Available to Bronze through Platinum Level Sponsors
- Conference Rooms-Available beginning at Corporate Partner Level1 day - \$5,000
Conference rooms are available for purchase during the conference.
- Fun Event Sponsor..... \$1,000 + Cost of Supplier/Instructor
Be the sponsor of a fun, relaxing event at PainConnect! Suggestions include Yoga with Puppies, Music Therapy, ArtTherapy, Stretch.
- Badge Scanner Licenses..... \$250
- Additional Exhibitor Badge.....\$350*
*\$350 through 2/28/25, and \$500 after that date.

HOTEL INFORMATION

AAPM has secured the discounted sleeping room rate of \$309.00 for up to two people, plus taxes and fees. These rates end when the room block sells out or after March 5, 2025.

The only official hotel reservation source is via direct contract with the hotel or securing a discounted hotel room rate via the PainConnect 2025 event website. We will never contact you to secure a room.

Call the hotel at (512) 482-8000 and ask for the AAPM rate or use the link to book your stay:
<https://book.passkey.com/go/AAPM2025>



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AAPM + MIT HACKING MEDICINE INNOVATION CHALLENGE

MIT HACKING MEDICINE + AAPM
American Academy of Pain Medicine

PainConnect 2025 will feature the 4th Annual AAPM + MIT Hacking Medicine Innovation Challenge, a first of its kind “shark tank” style pitch competition presented by one of the world’s leading multidisciplinary pain medicine organizations: the American Academy of Pain Medicine (AAPM), and with support from the world’s most prestigious healthcare innovation group, MIT Hacking Medicine.

The Academy seeks to identify aspiring healthcare entrepreneurs, startups, researchers, and teams with solutions and technologies aimed at improving the lives of people living with pain across all specialties and fields of medicine and provide them with the opportunity to pitch their ideas in front of patients, providers, industry leaders, and venture capital firms to compete for prizes, mentorship, and exposure to advance their innovations.

You can view Highlights here:

<https://aapmanualmeeting.com/innovation-challenge-pioneering-solutions-in-pain-management/>



EXHIBIT AND SUPPORTER CONTRACT: TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. APPLICATION AND ELIGIBILITY. Application for tabletop exhibit display space at AAPM (hereinafter "the Association") PainConnet 2025 must be made by Company **online, completing and signing the registration form**, contain the information as requested, and be executed by an individual who has authority to act for the applicant. This exhibition is designed for the display and demonstration of products and services relating to the practice and advancement of the art and science of pain medicine and the professional education of those individuals attending the Association's PainConnect. The Association shall determine the eligibility of any company, product, or service. The Association may reject the application of any company whose display of goods or services is not compatible, in the sole opinion of the Association, with the educational character and objectives of the exhibition. Any Company wishing to conduct direct to consumer sales with a cash transaction in their booth must have prior Board approval before the booth request is accepted. In the event an application is not accepted, any paid space rental fees or deposits will be returned. This contract is binding upon receipt and acknowledgment by the Association. One or more of the following constitutes acknowledgment: Association confirmation letter or e-mail message, meeting information sent to exhibitor, receipt of decorator kit or information.

2. EXHIBIT TABLE PRICE. \$5000 per 6-foot tabletop display. This includes pre and post attendee registration mailing list, a uniformly styled tabletop, an identification sign, a listing in the meeting program, and exhibitor badges for two (2) preregistered company representatives per paid 6-foot tabletop display which admit them to the exposition area at no charge. Additional badges for registered company exhibitors can be purchased for **\$350 by 2/28/2025 and \$500 thereafter**.

3. PAYMENT DATES. No displays will be guaranteed until the Association receives full payment of the total fee, along with a signed letter of agreement. If full payment is not received by January 1, 2025, the Association will have the right to resell the assigned display space. The exhibitor expressly understands and agrees that all amounts paid hereunder will be applied first to any outstanding obligations due the Association by the exhibitor, and then to the amounts due in accordance with this paragraph hereof, that any resulting arrearages must be paid within the time limits specified herein, and that the Association will have the right to cancel this agreement if the exhibitor is or becomes in arrears with respect to any outstanding obligation due the Association. The Association requests that payments in excess of \$5000 be made by company check. Payments up to \$5000 may be made by credit card online. **A 3% fee will be added to all credit card transactions exceeding \$5000.**

4. CANCELLATION. In the event that Company notifies the Association in writing of Company's intent to repudiate the exhibit/support contract after acceptance but prior to November 6, 2024, a full refund of monies received, minus a \$250 administrative fee, will be made. If cancellation is received after November 6, 2024 and before January 8, 2025, the company will receive no refund but will receive credit for the next year minus a \$500 administrative fee. No refunds will be made or cancellations accepted after January 8, 2025.

4A. FORCE MAJEURE If for any cause beyond the control of the Association—such as, but not limited to, disease, pandemic, government order affecting attendees ability to travel, the destruction of the exhibit facilities by an act of God, the public enemy, authority of the law, fire, or other force majeure—the Association is unable to comply with the terms of this contract and deliver the space allotted hereunder, this contract shall be considered terminated and any payments made hereunder by the exhibitor shall be refunded to the exhibitor, less expenses incurred by the Association to the date of the termination allocable to the exhibitor after proration thereof among all exhibitors.

5. ASSIGNMENT OF EXHIBIT TABLETOP DISPLAY SPACE. Space selected as registrations are received. The floor plan will be updated as tables sell and space will be available on a first come, first served basis. The Association reserves the right to assign space, if necessary, and the right to rearrange the floor plan and/or relocate any exhibit.

6. EXHIBIT FURNISHINGS, EQUIPMENT, AND SERVICE. A uniformly styled exhibit TABLETOP will be furnished along with 2 chairs and an identification sign. Exhibit displays are limited to 24" x 8' tall pop-ups only. Any banners must fit within your 8'x8' footprint. You will be asked to remove any banner, props, or additional tables that do not fit within the 8'x8' footprint. At 4 pm, Thursday, April 3, 2025, an inspection will be made to be sure that the display conforms to these guidelines. Platinum and Gold Corporate Tiers receive a 10 x 10 exhibit space.

7. CONDUCT OF EXHIBITS. The advertisement or display of goods or services other than those manufactured, distributed, or sold by the exhibitor in the regular course of business and identified in this contract is prohibited. An exhibitor may not assign, sublet, or apportion all or any part of the contracted space, nor may an exhibitor permit the display, promotion, sales, or marketing of non-exhibitor products or services. Interviews, demonstrations, and distribution of literature or samples must be made within the table area assigned to the exhibitor. All sales activities must be compliant with State and Federal Laws, FDA rules, OIG rulings, ACCME, PhRMA, ADVAMED and NEMA codes. Canvassing or distributing of advertising outside the exhibitor's own table will not be permitted. There is no restriction on selling on the exhibit floor provided that sales transactions are conducted only within the exhibitor's own table. Any Company wishing to conduct direct-to-consumer sales by cash transactions in their booth must have prior board approval before the booth request is approved. Exhibitors are responsible to the Internal Revenue Service for the collection and submission of the applicable state and local sales taxes for sales which occur on the exhibit floor. Exhibitors may not serve or dispense food or beverages

of any type from their tables or in the exhibit area without consent of the Association. Helium balloons are not allowed in hotel. No part of the display, including products, is permitted outside the exhibit space. Products and furnishings should be arranged with the safety of the exhibitors and attendees in mind. The Association reserves the right to restrict the operation of, or evict completely, any exhibit which, in the sole opinion of the Association, detracts from the general character of the exhibition as a whole. This applies to displays, literature, advertising novelties, souvenirs, conduct of persons, etc. No exhibits will be permitted which interfere with the use of, or impede access to, other exhibits or impede free use of the aisle. Photography is restricted to the confinement of your exhibit space.

8. INSTALLATION and DISMANTLING.

INSTALLATION. All exhibits must be set up by 4 pm, April 3, 2025, without exception. Assembly of exhibits during regularly scheduled exhibit hours will not be permitted. At 4 pm, an inspection will be made, and exhibits that obviously are not being worked on and have no representative present will be stored below the Exhibitor's table. Exhibit aisles must be clear by 4 pm.

DISMANTLING. The official closing time of the exhibits is 4:30 pm on Saturday, April 5, 2025. All exhibit material must be packed and ready for removal from the exhibit area no later than 5:30 pm on Saturday, April 5, 2025. No packing of equipment or literature or dismantling of the exhibits is permitted until closing time. Any company violating this regulation may be fined \$500 and may be denied exhibit space at any future Association conferences.

9. ADDITIONAL EXHIBITOR SERVICES. All other services are available to exhibitors at normal charges through the official meeting contractor (hereinafter "Official Contractor"). An exhibitor's service kit will be e-mailed to all exhibitors approximately 30 days in advance with complete details and deadline order dates for rental displays, additional decorating, furniture, signs, cleaning, photography, floral, electrical, telephone, audiovisual service, drayage, and labor.

10. CONTRACTOR AND LABOR COORDINATION. The Hotel and Association will have control of all inbound and outbound freight to prevent congestion in the loading and unloading area, in the aisles, and in any freight traffic area. If an outside contractor is used to deliver and set your display, the following steps must be taken: The Association must be notified, and proof of adequate liability insurance must be given, in an amount no less than the \$2,000,000 combined single limit for personal and property damage, at least 30 days prior to show setup. The table number, name of the exhibitor, and identification of the outside contractor must be included. Check-in by all labor will be required at the labor service desk prior to the start of setup. No setup will be permitted without the authorization of the Association. All outside contractor personnel shall confine their activities to the table in which they are working and will not be permitted to solicit on the floor or elsewhere in the exhibit hall.

11. HOSPITALITY AND ENTERTAINMENT. Hospitality suites or events at the hotel and sponsored by the exhibitors must be secured through the Association and approved by the Association in writing. No entertainment may be scheduled to conflict with the Association's ACCME accredited program hours, activity hours, or exhibit hours. The Association has blocked suites at the hotel that will be available on a first-come, first-served basis and for a fee. Companies/Entities that are not exhibiting or are not part of the Corporate Partners Council are not permitted to have hospitality functions.

12. EXHIBIT STAFF REGISTRATION. Prior to March 1, 2025, registration of two representatives per paid tabletop will be complimentary. There will be a \$350 charge for the registration of each additional table representative that exceeds the two-per-table allotment through February 28, 2025. The charge thereafter will be \$500. Each exhibitor who registered in advance will have a printed exhibitor badge available at the exhibitor registration area at hotel. This badge will entitle registered exhibitors admission to the exhibit area only. Exhibitors must wear badges at all times—including during setup times, exhibit hours, and dismantling—in order to enter the exhibit area. Exhibitor staff, temporary help, and setup personnel must wear exhibitor badges or other badges designated by the Association. Exhibitor badges do not give admission to other conference functions, nor are they transferable.

13. ADDITIONAL BADGES. Additional badges may be purchased, but at all times, any exhibitor in any education session shall comply with all CME requirements, and may attend any event EXCEPT sponsored symposiums, labs, and private invite-only events.

14. SPECIAL VISUAL AND SOUND EFFECTS. Audiovisual and other sound and attention-getting devices and effects will be permitted only in those locations and in such intensity as in the sole opinion of the Association does not interfere with the activities of neighboring exhibitors. Operation of equipment being demonstrated may not create noise levels objectionable to neighboring exhibitors.

15. UNACCEPTABLE EXHIBITS. The exhibitor agrees not to use any displays that the Association determines, in its absolute discretion, will unreasonably endanger the person or property of the attendees or of the exhibitors, are in bad taste, are liable to discredit or subject the Association to criticism or legal liability, are inconsistent with the stated purposes of the Association and the interest and welfare of its members, are inimical to the property rights of the Association, or violate the table regulations or any other provision of this contract. In the event the Association determines at any time that any exhibit may or does violate this contract and the exhibitor is unable or unwilling to cure or correct such violation, the Association may terminate this agreement immediately and forbid erection of the exhibit or may remove or cause the exhibit to be

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removed at the exhibitor's expense, and the exhibitor hereby waives any claim for refund of the exhibit table or other damages arising out of such termination and/or exhibit removal. Any exhibitor who is uncertain as to whether an exhibit is in compliance with all applicable regulations and requirements should contact the Association.

16. **INSURING EXHIBITS.** Exhibitors are encouraged to insure their exhibits, merchandise, and display materials against theft, fire, etc., at their own expense. It is suggested by the Association that the exhibitor contact the exhibitor's insurance broker and obtain all risk insurance covering exhibit property while absent from home premises for exhibit purposes, or a rider to the exhibitor's existing policy covering same. Neither the exhibit facility (Hotel), nor the Association, nor the agents of the Hotel or Association will be responsible for loss or damage to any property in storage, in transit to or from the exhibit building, or while in the exhibit building for any loss of income as a result of any reduced sales due to such loss or damage. All property of the exhibitor will be deemed to remain under the exhibitor's custody and control in storage, in transit to or from, or within the confines of the exhibit hall, even though it may at times be under the temporary control or direction of the Association or Hotel.

17. **MUSIC LICENSING.** The exhibitor represents and warrants that it shall comply with all copyright restrictions applicable to exhibitors including, but not limited to, any music performance agreement between the Association and ASCAP or BMI. Exhibitor further represents and warrants that it shall obtain any additional license or grant of authority required of exhibitors under the copyright laws and present the Association with a copy of such license or grant no less than 30 days prior to the start of the show.

18. **FDA REGULATIONS.** Exhibitors shall comply with all applicable U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) regulations, including, without limitation, FDA restrictions on the promotion of investigational and pre-approved drugs and devices and the FDA prohibition on promoting approved drugs and devices for unapproved uses. Any product not FDA approved for a particular use or not commercially available in the U.S. may be exhibited only if accompanied by easily visible signs indicating the status of the product. Exhibitors shall have available at their exhibit space a letter from the FDA that describes the allowable use of any drug or device exhibited.

19. **LIABILITY FOR DAMAGES OR LOSS OF PROPERTY.** Guard service may be provided by the Association on a 24-hour basis from move-in through move-out and is not guaranteed. Notwithstanding any guard service that the Association may provide for purposes of general security in the exposition premises, the exhibitor shall protect, indemnify, and hold harmless the Association, the exhibit facility, and the hotel, and its agents from any and all liability, loss, damage, or expense by reason of any injury or injuries sustained by any persons or property or loss of property or income that might be derived therefrom occurring in or about the exposition premises or entrances thereto or exits therefrom, including that caused by or resulting from the negligence of the Association.

The exhibit facility shall not be responsible or liable for any injury, loss, or damage to any property or person brought in by the exhibitor or otherwise located in the exposition premises.

20. **SHIPPING AND CUSTOMS INSTRUCTIONS.** Information on shipping and customs methods and rates will be sent to each exhibitor by the Association approximately 30 days prior to the start of the meeting. The exhibitor may ship, at his own risk and expense, all articles to be exhibited. hotel will provide storage for incoming freight, delivery to the table, and removal, storage, and return of empty crates, and removal and shipment of outbound freight. All charges are based on inbound weights. All shipments must be prepaid. The address on all crated shipments shall include the exhibitor's name and table number(s). The exhibitor expressly agrees that any exhibit material remaining in the exhibit hall after the contracted move-out time has terminated or any damaged exhibits left behind may be removed and disposed of at the expense of the exhibitor and without liability to the Association or the Hotel.

21. **FAILURE TO OCCUPY SPACE.** Any space not occupied at the hotel by 4 pm, Thursday, April 3, 2025, shall be forfeited by the exhibitor, and space may be resold, reassigned, or used by the Association without refund, unless a request for delayed occupancy has received prior approval by the Association in writing.

22. **FIRE REGULATIONS.** No exhibitor shall use any flammable decorations or coverings, and all fabrics or other materials must be flameproof.

23. **ADVERTISING MATERIAL.** Advertising materials and giveaways are subject to PHRMA, ADVAMED, and NEMA rules governing support of healthcare professionals. Except as otherwise provided, the Association will not endorse, support, or be liable for the claims made by the exhibitors as to the qualities or merits of their products or services, and no advertising or mention will indicate, claim, or suggest such endorsement or support. All handouts must be distributed within the exhibit tables.

24. **EXHIBIT SPACE FLOOR PLAN.** Approximately 30 days prior to the meeting start date, tabletops will be assigned and the floorplan will be distributed. Every effort will be made to maintain the general configuration of the floor plan for this meeting. However, the Association reserves the right to modify the plan, if necessary, as determined solely by the Association. The Association reserves the right to change table assignments at the Association's discretion.

25. **MISCELLANEOUS.** The Association shall have the sole authority to interpret and enforce all terms and conditions governing exhibitors and this exhibition. Any and all matters not specifically covered herein are subject to decision by the Association. These terms and conditions may be amended at any time by the Association upon written notice to all exhibitors. The exhibitor expressly agrees to be bound by the terms and conditions set forth herein and by any amendments thereto adopted by the Association from time to time. This contract shall be interpreted under the laws of the United States and of the state of Illinois.

Questions? Email kimberlymeegan@gmail.com

HOTEL: The only official hotel reservation source is via direct contact with the Hilton Austin and securing a discounted hotel room rate at this link: <https://book.passkey.com/go/AAPM2025>

We will never contact you to secure a sleeping room. Do not delay! Book Today! EXHIBIT HALL HOURS*:

SETUP - Thursday, April 3, 2025, 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

SHOW HOURS

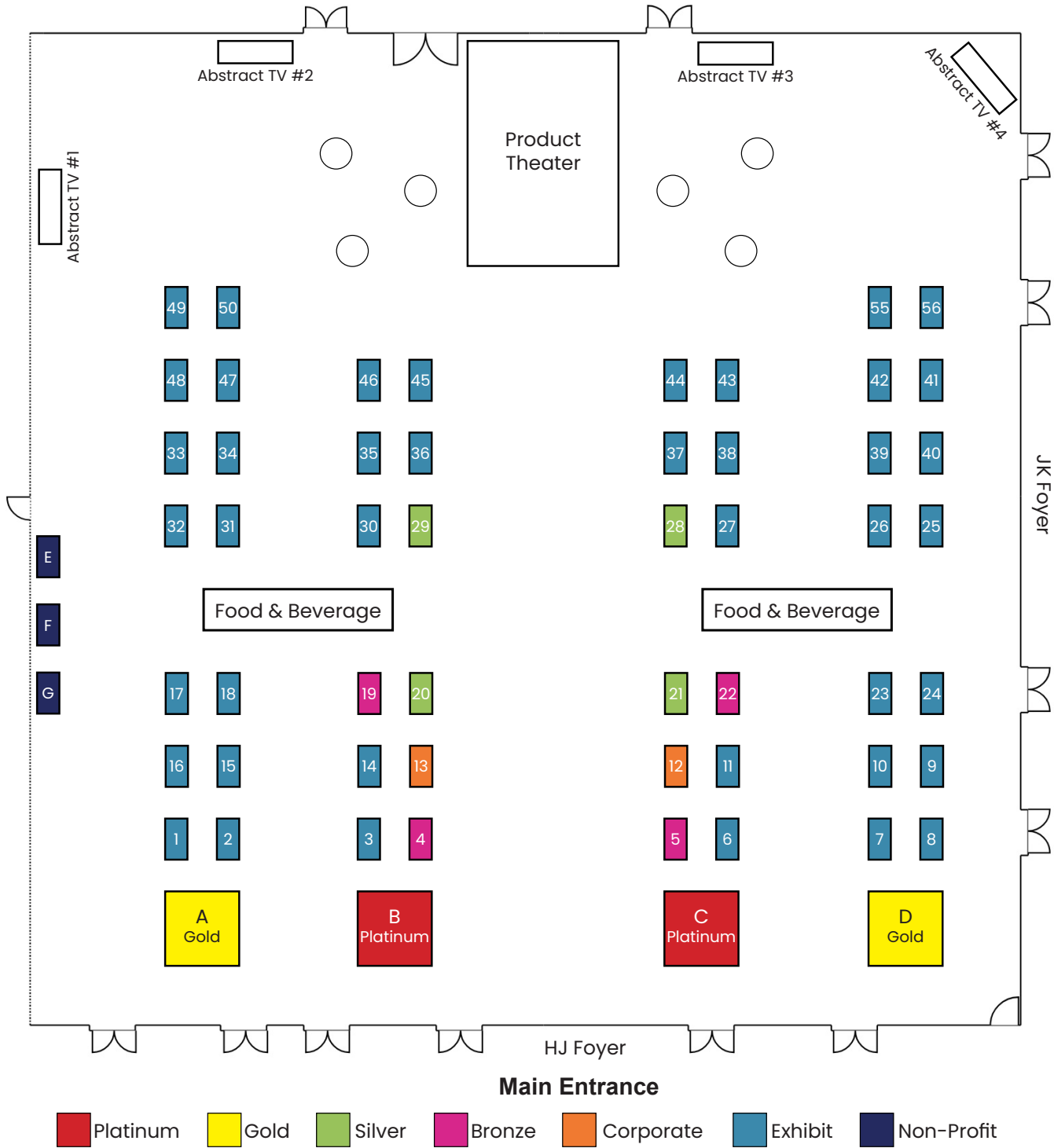
Friday, April 4, 5:15 - 6:15 pm Opening Welcome Reception in Exhibit Hall

Friday, April 4, 9:00 am - 7:15 pm (Posters and Networking Reception in Exhibit) Saturday, April 5, 9:00 am - 4:30 pm

DISMANTLE - Saturday, April 5, 4:30 - 5:30 pm

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FLOOR PLAN*



*Please review Space Assignment, Fees & Services on Page 8 for space selection guidance.

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