

2025 OACP Annual Conference & Trade Show



2025 Annual Conference Frequently Asked Questions

What is the dress code at the conference? Business casual is what most attendees wear for the training. They get a bit fancier for Tuesday night's dinner – and we're changing it up for our awards banquet – offering a more relaxed atmosphere while welcoming the return of last year's band, 'Music Medicine'.

Can I attend a committee meeting even if I'm not officially ON the committee?

Certainly! Sit in and simply observe... and perhaps by doing so you'll be more willing to sign up as a committee member in the coming year. We hope you do!

If I am not attending a committee meeting, when should I show up? We'd love for you to join us for lunch prior to the board meeting on Tuesday afternoon, but if you're not able to make the board meeting, come in time to join us for dinner Tuesday night.

Can I attend the Board meeting even if I'm not a member? Of course. You won't be able to vote on formal motions of the board, but your attendance and participation are encouraged.

Can I attend the Retired Member Dinner and the Past Presidents Reception? Yes!

These events are to honor our retired members and past presidents and we want you to be there to join in on the celebration. These are included as part of the registration fee.

Can I have a guest join me for one of the evening meals/receptions even though I did not put them on the registration form when I first signed up? It's not too late. Just send Marie an email indicating which meals your guest will be joining you for, along with their name, and we will get them added to the list. We'll send an invoice to cover the guest fee.

I keep hearing there are going to be a LOT of vendors at the Trade Show. What does that mean for me? This means we need you to be “*all in*” to participate at all vendor breaks/reception. Happy vendors make us all happy (and bring in resources for your association). We encourage attendees to make it to the vendor booths and listen in on what products and services they offer.

Is it true that the Bingo game is getting a revision? Yes. We listened to our vendors, and they would like more meaningful engagement. As a result, we are asking them to provide us with a specific question they want YOU to ask them. If you do (and listen to their brief response), they will sign your “Question Scavenger” card. When you have a certain amount of signatures you’ll get your name put in for a \$50 drawing. We will be giving out a handful of these crisp \$50 bills!

Do you have additional questions that have not been answered here? Feel free to reach out to Liz (liz@victorygrp.com) or Marie (marie@victorygrp.com)