Register Today!

The National Ethanol Conference (NEC) is the most widely attended executive-level conference for the ethanol industry. Since 1996, the Renewable Fuels Association’s NEC has been recognized as the preeminent conference for delivering accurate, timely information on marketing, legislative and regulatory issues facing the ethanol industry. With numerous networking opportunities, more business meetings are conducted and contacts made at this conference than any other ethanol conference.

In 2018, nearly 1,000 industry leaders and professionals attended the NEC, representing 37 states, the District of Columbia and 17 countries.

“"The National Ethanol Conference is an excellent opportunity for Growers such as myself to learn the latest information driving ethanol industry developments and decisions. The opportunity for personal interaction with ethanol executives and producers is invaluable for a corn producer. It’s a must-attend for anyone working to promote policy decisions at the national, state and local level.”
— Patty Mann, NCGA Ethanol Team member and Ohio Corn Board member

“I always attend, and CoBank is a long-standing sponsor, because of NEC’s consistently well-rounded and timely agenda topics, and the event is an excellent occasion to network with those involved in the industry; I wouldn’t miss it!”
— Tom Houser, Lead Relationship Manager, CoBank

Thanks to our 2019 NEC sponsors!
Registration

Registration for NEC is accepted online only.

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Registration includes:

- Access to all scheduled sessions
- Meals and receptions
- List of attendees
- Access to online networking tool
- Conference proceedings
- RFA’s Annual Industry Outlook

Members of the media are invited to cover the NEC for free.

We’ve got an action-packed agenda for 2019!

Here are a few highlights...

- The Path to High Octane Fuels
  Lunch featuring John Heilemann and Mark McKinnon, co-hosts of Showtime’s The Circus: Inside the Greatest Political Show on Earth

- Washington Insiders Panel
- Ethanol Market Outlook
- Ethanol’s Role in Securing a Low Carbon Future
- Renewing Retailer Enthusiasm for Ethanol Blends
- Empowering Exports: A Look at Emerging Trade Opportunities

For agenda updates and speaker announcements, visit NationalEthanolConference.com!

Two chances to win a complimentary registration!

1. Register as an Early Bird attendee by January 21, 2019

2. Refer a first-time NEC attendee. The attendee must register by February 1, 2019

For each referral, your name will be entered into the drawing to win!

* Subject to verification. Winners will be announced at NEC and must be present to win.

Register today using code NECVIP19!

Since I am very technical, I do not have a lot of time or opportunity to be exposed to the most updated and accurate information on political, legal and business issues, and I think it is very critical for everybody from our industry to be equipped with that knowledge, in order to have a consistent and loud voice. I got a heck of a dosage of those at NEC 2018!” — Yanhong Zhang, Ph.D, Director of Research, National Corn-to-Ethanol Research Center

View list of registered attendees at NationalEthanolConference.com
Accommodations

JW Marriott Orlando Grande Lakes

4040 Central Florida Parkway, Orlando, Florida

Reservations: We have negotiated a special NEC room rate of $309/night*. To take advantage of the discounted rate, you must first register to attend the conference. You will then receive a registration confirmation email with a link to book your room. If you do not receive the registration confirmation email, please contact Stone Fort Group at necregistration@stonefortgroup.com or call 713-489-6773 x704. The deadline to book at the discounted rate is January 21, 2019.

*There is limited inventory at this rate, so book your reservation early. Once the NEC room block is full, guest rooms are subject to hotel availability at prevailing rates.

Monday, February 11, 2019

Networking Tour of Leu Gardens

9:00 am – 2:15 pm

Engage with fellow industry leaders and executives at Leu Gardens, an amazing 50-acre botanical oasis and historical landmark in Orlando.

Cost: $135

Monday, February 11, 2019

NEC Annual Golf Tournament

sponsored by: bioleap

The Ritz Carlton Golf Club at JW Marriott Orlando, Grande Lakes

8:30 am Shotgun (Check-in begins at 7:30 am)

Enjoy an exclusive opportunity to network with fellow industry leaders at the annual National Ethanol Conference golf tournament at one of the city’s premier golf resorts.

Cost: $199

Tuesday, February 12, 2019

Winter Park Cultural Tour

8:45 am – 4:00 pm

This Spouse and Guest Tour includes a visit to the Charles Hosmer Morse Museum of American Art (which houses the largest Tiffany collection), a relaxing and historical one-hour scenic boat cruise through the lakes and canals and lunch at Chez Vincent, one of Winter Park’s most sought-after restaurants.

Cost: $140

View latest agenda at NationalEthanolConference.com
“I make it a priority to attend NEC each year. As a producer and executive, it provides a one-of-a-kind opportunity to interact with colleagues in a fun, relaxing atmosphere. It’s also a great value, as we’re able to conduct a tremendous amount of business in under two days, while hearing from informative speakers on the most important issues of the day. NEC is another example of RFA’s leadership and commitment to grow the ethanol industry.”

— Neil Koehler, Director and CEO, Pacific Ethanol, Inc. and Chairman, Renewable Fuels Association