

# 2025 Our Sacred Purpose Indianapolis, IN

## **Conference Information**

When: January 10-12, 2025

Where: The conference will be held in Indianapolis, Indiana at the JW Marriott. For driving directions,

please use:

10 S West Street Indianapolis, IN 46204 317-860-5800

# Lodging:

A hotel reservation will be made on your behalf for Friday and Saturday night during the conference. You will be rooming with another member from your chapter who is attending one of the other conferences.

#### Meals:

Meals are provided once the program begins.

### **Travel Information**

Attendees are responsible for arranging their own transportation to and from the conference.

#### When to Arrive:

On-site conference registration will begin Friday at 10 a.m. at the host hotel. The conference officially begins at 4 p.m. on Friday. It is essential that you arrive on time and check into the Theta Chi registration desk when you arrive. If you are flying we recommend your flight arrive around 2 p.m. at the latest to allow for time to arrive at the hotel and check-in to registration and your hotel room. Please schedule your travel accordingly and be sure to remember any time zone changes when traveling. Indianapolis is in the Eastern Standard Time Zone.

#### Weather:

January weather in Indianapolis can be unpredictable. The average high temperature is 40 degrees with a chance of snowfall and accumulation. Keep an eye on the weather forecast as it has the potential to impact arrival times and travel plans.

#### Travel-

Participants flying to the conference should fly to Indianapolis International Airport (IND).

## Airport Transportation:

Attendees are responsible for arranging their own transportation to and from the airport. The recommended mode of transportation from the airport is taxi, Lyft, or Uber to the hotel. The hotel is approximately 20 minutes from the airport. You may consider sharing a ride with other conference attendees to save on cost.

# Parking Options:

Attendees are responsible for paying for parking either at the hotel or other offsite areas. If parking or any other incidentals appear on your room invoice, the chapter will be billed for those costs.

# Below are the JW Marriott parking fees:

Hotel Self-Park: \$55 per night plus tax. (recommended)

Note: The Fraternity has negotiated a 15% discount on self-parking rates.

# When to Depart the Conference:

You are free to depart any time on Sunday, January 12, however, the hotel checkout time is 11 a.m. on Sunday.

\*Note\* If you are flying, please schedule your airline reservation to allow for travel time to the airport (approximately 20 minutes from the hotel).

# Conference Preparation

# What to Bring:

The conference schedule will be provided when you arrive. You will be directed prior to the event if there are any additional items you need to bring. A pen and a notepad for taking notes during the conference will be provided.

#### What to Wear:

The attire for the entire conference is business casual or dress pants and button-down shirt.

#### Miscellaneous

## Meetings with IHQ staff:

The IHQ staff are here to answer your questions. You can schedule an individual meeting with one or more of the IHQ directors by contacting them directly for availability. Most directors will be available for meetings on Friday.

All availability for meetings is on a first-come, first-served basis. When scheduling your appointment, please indicate your preferred time and a quick synopsis of what you'd like to accomplish during your meeting.

#### For More Information:

Contact events@thetachi.org or call the International Headquarters at 317-848-1856.

If you are experiencing travel delays on the day of the conference, please email <a href="mailto:events@thetachi.org">events@thetachi.org</a> with your chapter name and your expected time of arrival.