

USLOA 2020 CONFERENCE

July 5 - July 11th, 2020

Southern Alberta Institute of Technology (SAIT), 1301 - 16 Ave NW,
Calgary, Alberta, Canada



Greetings USLOA Members & Friends!

We are pleased to invite the St. Lucian Community and friends from around the world to Calgary for the USLOA 2020 Conference, July 5 - 11th, 2020. Attendees will enjoy a stimulating and informative conference, a colourful experience of live entertainment, performing arts and the world famous Calgary Stampede! To make your experience more enjoyable, attendees are invited to bring their children(grand), family of all ages and friends. There's something for everyone at this conference.

Hope to see you all in Calgary,

Warmest regards,

Margaret Daniel

President of St. Lucia Calgary Cultural Association (SLCCA)

2020 Conference Program Outline

Sunday 5th July

Church Service & Brunch- 9am, St. Mary's Cathedral

Welcome Reception - 6pm, Festival Hall Calgary

Monday 6th July

USLOA Conference, Key Note Speaker & General Meeting- SAIT

Youth program- Day trip to the Calgary Zoo

Creole Night Fun - Capitol Hill Community Hall

Tuesday 7th July

USLOA Conference, Key Note Speaker & General Meeting- SAIT

* Youth program- Day trip to the Calgary Science Centre

Evening Tour of Central Library

Wednesday 8th July

USLOA Conference, Speaker & General Meeting- SAIT

* Youth program- Day trip to the Calgary Stampede

Pub Night @ SAIT or **Chuck Wagon Races(extra charge)

Thursday 9th July

Sightseeing in Banff National Park (ALL),

*Gondola Ride & Cave & Basin tours (extra charge)

Evening = Free time

Friday 10th July

USLOA Conference General Meeting- Elections, Venue selection 2022

Youth Program - Swimming & Games at SAIT

Evening: Lobster & Pizza Party - Outdoor Park=TBD

Saturday 11th July

Shopping @ Outlet Mall (9:30am-2pm)

*Youth - Movie @ the Mall

Evening -Western & Soca Party!

Dress Casual/Western BBQ

Daily programme for the USLOA conference will follow shortly

USLOA 2020 Convention Calgary
Delegate Packages/Conference Fees

Delegate Package - \$550

Welcome Reception +
Four Conference Days -(breakfast & lunch included)
Day trip to Banff National Park ◊
Creole Night Fun/Pub Night at SAIT
Central Library Tour
Lobster/Pizza Party
Outlet shopping*
Western Soca Party ○
Church Service & Brunch

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Millennial Package (ages 18 -30 only)- \$200

Welcome Reception +
Two Conference Days (breakfast & lunch included)
Creole Night Fun/Pub Night at SAIT
Central Library Tour
Lobster/Pizza Party/Outlet shopping*
Western Soca Party ○
Church Service & brunch
***NOTE: No breakfast or lunch included with this option**

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YouthPackage (ages 17 and under)– \$130

Welcome Reception +
Creole Night Fun
Church Service & Brunch
Day trip to Banff National Park ◊
Youth Program *
*** Breakfast Only** included with this option

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Non Delegate Package – \$310

Day trip to Banff National Park
◊ Welcome Reception
Creole Night Fun/Pub Night at SAIT
Central Library Tour*
Western Soca Party ○
Church Service & brunch

NOTE: No breakfast or lunch included with this option

Optional Activities Fees:

1. Banff Gondola Ride \$60 pp, payable at venue
2. Banff Cave & Basin \$25 pp, payable at venue
3. Chuck Wagon Races \$100 pp, must be paid before May 2020



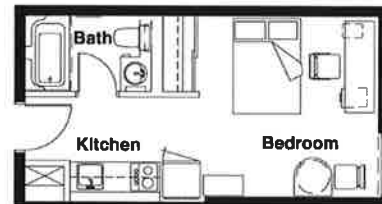
Stay at SAIT Residence

Per Diem

SAIT is pleased to offer your organization a per diem rate per person. Available to you are three unit types – please see below the cost per person. Please note Deluxe Suites are available – quote can be provided if interested.

Begin Tower

Studios Suites.....\$110/per diem



2-Bedroom Suites.....\$95/per diem /room



East Hall

4-Bedroom Suites.....\$85/per diem/room



Accessibility

Three accessible suites may be available on the main floor, which offers guests wheel-in showers, and larger living areas. Based on availability.

What SAIT Offers

We want to make things as simple and convenient for all our guests, which is why we offer the services below when staying at Residence.

- Included are Parking (based on availability) for Residence guests
- Laundry room – cards will be made available at front desk; re-loading of cards is a self-serve service
- 24 hour front desk assistance
- Car-2-Go services on campus
- Cardio room available for guests
- Yoga Studio – located in the Begin Tower
- Complimentary shampoo, conditioner and body wash
- Linens and towels included
- C-train access on campus
- Housekeeping available
- Fresh linens available upon request of guest

Click the following link to view Begin Tower Suites Accommodations:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uwwX1Mjq8F4>





REGISTRATION

Conference Fees: *In Canadian dollars*

EARLY-EARY BIRD REGISTRATION (On or before October 30, 2019)

Delegate Package	\$450.00	
Millennial Package	\$200.00	*must be ages 18 – 30 at time of registration
Youth Package	\$130.00	*must be 17 and under at time of registration
Non-Delegate	\$310.00	

ADVANCED REGISTRATION

(On or before December 31, 2019)

Delegate Package	\$525.00	
Millennial Package	\$200.00	*must be ages 18 – 30 at time of registration
Youth Package	\$130.00	*must be 17 and under at time of registration
Non-Delegate	\$310.00	

REGULAR REGISTRATION

(After January 1, 2020)

Delegate Package	\$550.00	
Millennial Package	\$200.00	*must be ages 18 – 30 at time of registration
Youth Package	\$130.00	*must be 17 and under at time of registration
Non-Delegate	\$310.00	

Accommodations/Hotel fees: *In Canadian dollars*

Southern Alberta Institute of Technology also called "SAIT"

- To book accommodations contact the St. Lucia Association of Calgary directly:
Email slucalgary@gmail.com messages 403-217-1725
- A deposit of **\$200** will be required upon Registration to secure hotel room reservation payable to the **St. Lucia Calgary Cultural Association**.
- The balance of your hotel stay can be paid any time prior to **June 1, 2020**. Please return balance to the **St. Lucia Calgary Cultural Association**.
- All units are fully furnished including bed, each in a private room, full kitchen and living area with cable television. The SAIT hotel also provide free WIFI with high speed wireless internet throughout.

PLEASE NOTE: A limited number of rooms have been reserved for the USLOA 2020 Conference. Book early!

Cancellation Policy

- Cancellations received on or before **May 31, 2020** will receive a full refund.
- No refunds will be issued after **June 1, 2020**

Payment Details

Payment details ... *the fun part!* 😊:

Canadian attendees (In Canada only) – If you have an online banking account, you may Etransfer to: Presidentstluciacalgary@gmail.com set password to USLOA2020

International attendees - Send Wire transfer to:

Customer Name: St. Lucia Calgary Cultural Association

Customer Address: 1135 – 37 Street S.W., Calgary, Alberta, T3C 1S5

Bank Name: TD CANADA TRUST

Bank Transit: 00209

Institution number: 004

Bank Account: 5000738

Bank Address: 317 – 7 Ave Southwest, Calgary, Alberta, T2P 2Y9

Swift Code: TDOMCATTOR

Routing Number (From US only): 026009593

Please use your name as you reference when making payment. And email the SLCCA at slucalgary@gmail.com to confirm your name & payment.

Frequently asked questions

Q: What if I pay for the Conference in 2019 and cannot attend in 2020?

A: You have until May 31, 2020 to receive a full refund

Q: Can I pay for the Conference fee now and the hotel in 2020?

A: A deposit of **\$200** will be required upon Registration to secure hotel room reservation. A limited number of rooms have been reserved for the USLOA 2020 Conference. Book early!

Q: I have food allergies, can the caterers accommodate my special diet.

A: Yes – tell us the details and we'll inform the chef.

Q: How do I travel from the Airport to the Hotel?

A: Check out this link <https://where.ca/getting-to-and-from-calgary-international-airport-yyc/>

- PUBLIC TRANSIT. Cost: \$8. Time: 30 minutes to **downtown Calgary**. There are two public transit routes linking the **Calgary International Airport** with the **city**. ...

-TAXI. Cost: \$45. Time: 25 minutes to **downtown Calgary**. ...

-SHUTTLE. Cost: \$15. Time: 30 minutes to **downtown Calgary**.

-PUBLIC TRANSIT – Airport to SAIT Time: 74 minutes, leaves from Domestic Terminal 8:43 AM – 9:56 AM

Q: What should I wear to the Western & Soca Party?

A: Casual denim/Western wear // July weather in Calgary is generally pleasant highs of 23C(76F).

Q: Can I purchase Chuck Wagon race tickets at the world famous Calgary Stampede?

A: Absolutely – reserve before May 2020 for the best price and seat selection. For more information about the Calgary Stampede visit <https://www.calgarystampede.com/2020-schedule>

Q: Where is the closest ATM/Bank at SAIT?

A: The following bank machines are located on the campus: TD Canada Trust ATM & CIBC ATM and ATB Financial