



Governmental Research Association

Annual Policy Conference

July 26-29, 2009 in Washington, D.C.

The 2009 GRA Annual Policy Conference will be held in the Brookings Institution conference center in the Dupont Circle neighborhood of Washington, D.C. Rooms will be reserved at the Hotel Palomar, about four blocks from Brookings. You are responsible for booking your own hotel room. See the next page for more information about booking your room.

This year's conference will draw from the tremendous knowledge and talent available in Washington, including presenters from government, think tanks, and associations, focusing on the economy, healthcare, criminal justice, infrastructure, the 2010 Census, and more.



Conference Registration Form

Name	Phone		
Title	Fax		
Organization Name	Email:		
Street Address	City	State	ZIP

First attendee (GRA member) @ \$180	#	\$
Additional GRA member attendees @ \$155 each	#	\$

Additional attendees included in this registration:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	

Non GRA members @ \$225 each	#	\$
Monday sessions only @ \$75 each	#	\$
Tuesday sessions only @ \$35 each	#	\$
Tuesday night dinner guests @ \$60 each		
<i>One dinner ticket is included with each registration fee. Other guests are welcome at this price.</i>		
MLB option: Washington Nationals vs. San Diego Padres, Sunday, 7/26, 1:35 p.m. @ \$41 each	#	\$
Final Total		\$

Please make your check payable to GRA for the Final Total amount.

Send completed registration form and checks, made out to GRA, to:

**PARCA
PO Box 292300
Samford University
Birmingham, AL 35229**



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Hotel Reservations

Rooms for the conference have been arranged with the Hotel Palomar in the Dupont Circle neighborhood of Washington, DC.* This is a luxury boutique hotel in a trendy part of the city. These rooms are available at a significant discount of \$139 per night for a “deluxe” room and \$214 per night for a “spa suite” room. You are responsible for your own room registration. Call 877.866.3070 or 202.448.1800 for reservations. You must mention you are with the Governmental Research Association Annual Conference for these room rates. You may see more information about the hotel at www.hotelpalomar-dc.com. However, you cannot register with the online system and obtain the GRA conference discount. Please call the hotel to reserve your room.

Registration deadline with the hotel for this rate is Friday, June 26th. The hotel will provide three additional days before and after the conference at those rates if you would like to stay longer. Be sure to book any additional days before the deadline to ensure you receive the conference rate.

** Please note that there is another Hotel Palomar in nearby Arlington, Virginia, but that is not the conference hotel. Book your room with the Hotel Palomar in Washington, DC.*