

New Member and First Time Attendee Helpful Tips



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Dallas, TX

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Future N4A Conferences

June 7-10, 2012
Hyatt Regency, Buffalo
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June 6-9, 2013
Hyatt Regency
Jacksonville Riverfront
Jacksonville, Florida

Preparing for Texas...what to pack

- ✓ Business cards to pass out to those you meet—it's all part of your networking experience
- ✓ Have some spare resumes— you never know who you will meet!
- ✓ Bring something to take notes on and extra pens
- ✓ You will need one nice outfit for the awards luncheon held on Saturday, June 4
- ✓ It could be very warm in Dallas, so pack comfortable clothes and shoes—if all else fails in the fashion world, pack some polos from your department

Preparing for Texas...what to expect

- ✓ Lots of Fun!!!
- ✓ Average temperatures for Dallas in June range from highs of 92 and lows of 73
- ✓ New Member/New Attendee event on Wednesday, June 1 will introduce you to veteran members of N4A, educate you on N4A's mission, and give you a chance to meet people before the National Convention kicks off to help you get acquainted to your surroundings for the weekend. **Don't Forget:** Members of the Membership Committee will begin meeting in the lobby of the Dallas Hyatt Regency at 6:00pm for some "Getting to know you!" games and socialization before walking to Gators Croc and Roc Restaurant at 6:45pm
- ✓ New Members/New Attendees will also be assigned a Conference Buddy prior to the Convention. Your Conference Buddy will be available to answer questions and to serve as a contact point prior to and during the Convention.

Preparing for Texas...final thoughts

- ✓ Please communicate with the National Office or the Membership Committee Chairs if you require special accommodations including dietary and transportation needs
- ✓ Reference the N4A Convention website for details concerning shuttle transportation from the airports to the hotel. <http://nfoura.org/convention/>