

Henry B. González
Convention Center
San Antonio
September 23–25

TASA | TASB Convention

txEDCON22



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2022 Tentative Convention Schedule

Thursday, September 22, 2022

2–5 p.m. Preconference Sessions*

5–6:30 p.m. Opening Reception

Friday, September 23, 2022

7:30–8:30 a.m. Concurrent Sessions

7:30–11:30 a.m. Small School District Seminar**

8:45–9:45 a.m. Concurrent Sessions

9:45–10:15 a.m. Break in the Exhibit Hall

10:15–11:15 a.m. Concurrent Sessions

11:30 a.m.–1 p.m. School Board Advocacy Network (SBAN) Luncheon (*SBAN members only*
(<https://tasb.org/legislative/school-board-advocacy-network.aspx>))

1–2 p.m. Concurrent Sessions

2:15–3:15 p.m. Concurrent Sessions

3:15–4 p.m. Break in the Exhibit Hall

4–5:30 p.m. Friday General Session
Los Fresnos CISD Student Performance
Outstanding School Board and Key Communicator Awards

Saturday, September 24, 2022

7:30–8:30
a.m. Concurrent Sessions

8:45–9:45
a.m. Concurrent Sessions

9:45–10:30
a.m. Break in the Exhibit Hall

10:30 a.m.–
Noon Saturday General Session
Longview ISD Student Performance
Superintendent of the Year Award

Noon–
1:30 p.m. TASB Delegate Assembly Caucuses (Grand Hyatt)

1–2 p.m. Concurrent Sessions

2–3 p.m. Exhibit Hall Closing Event

2–4 p.m. TASB Delegate Assembly (Grand Hyatt)

3–4 p.m. Concurrent Sessions

4:15–5 p.m. Commissioner Mike Morath (To Be Invited)

Sunday, September 25, 2022

7:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast

8–9 a.m. Concurrent Sessions

9:15–10:15
a.m. Concurrent Sessions

10:30–11:30
a.m. Sunday General Session

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Speakers

General Sessions

First General Session, Friday, 4 p.m.



Keynote: Jon Gordon

New York Times bestselling author of "The Power of Positive Leadership" and "The Energy Bus."

Performance by Los Fresnos CISD

Award presentations: Key Communicator; Outstanding School Board Award

Second General Session, Saturday, 10:30 a.m.



Keynote: Derrick Johnson

Former Texas Longhorn and Kansas City Chief. Founder and president of Defend the Dream Foundation which caters to inner-city kids through education.

Performance by Longview ISD

Award presentation: Superintendent of the Year

Third General Session, Sunday, 10:30 a.m.



Keynote: Merlyna Valentine

A well-respected educator for over 30 years with numerous awards as a teacher, principal, and executive director in a highly successful school district.

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Preconference Sessions

Thursday, September 22, 2022

\$50 fee is required, advance registration is necessary, and participation is limited.

1–5 p.m.

Beyond the Buzz: Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Fundamentals

Diversity, equity, inclusion, accessibility, justice, belonging, bias — all of these buzzwords are heard in the news and across social media. Let's dive deeper and learn through a four-hour experiential session about the fundamentals behind it.

A foundational model will be presented, followed by a deeper dive into the "Anatomy of Bias." We will discuss how fragile the human spirit is and how exclusion can impact a person, a group, and/or a nation in profound ways.

The world and our school districts are becoming more diverse, and this session will equip you with practices that, when applied, will transform your relationships, your district, and ultimately student outcomes across the state.

2–5 p.m.

Board Officers' Academy (BOA): How Boards Can Make a Difference While Focusing on Student Success

"Some of our students are doing well while others aren't. What can we do to ensure that ALL students succeed? What can our school board do to help?" If you are hearing or saying some things like this, then this session is for you. During this interactive session school board members and administrators will learn some things that they can do to make positive changes to improve the learning environment. Topics include:

- Developing Clear Priorities
- Demonstrating Positive and Focused Leadership
- Effectively Engaging Your Community
- Monitoring Progress to Ensure Success

2–5 p.m.

Governance for Improved Student Success: EISO/SB 1566 Training *(fulfills 3-hour biennial requirement)*

Focused and engaged school boards make a difference to student learning. This research-informed session highlights practices and tools to help boards understand the current state of student learning, cast a compelling vision with meaningful goals, and oversee the improvement efforts in their districts.

2–5 p.m.

Controversies in the Classroom: How to Respond to Parent Concerns Over Instructional Issues

From challenges to instructional resources to complaints about social studies curriculum categorized as "Critical Race Theory," schools must respond to parent concerns about what their children are learning at school. Dissatisfied parents may look to home schooling or vouchers as a result. Join school attorneys as they walk through the challenges many districts face with respect to what is taught in the classroom and the impact of

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Registration

Registration fees

Registration

Tuesday, July 19–Friday, September 9

- \$425 for TASA | TASB members, including Council of School Attorneys (CSA) members
- \$325 for Full Board-Superintendent Team*
- \$525 for Non-Members
- \$150 for Students**
- \$50 for [preconference sessions \(/program/preconference-sessions.aspx\)](#)

Late registration

After Friday, September 9

- \$525 for TASA | TASB members, including Council of School Attorneys (CSA) members
- \$425 for Full Board-Superintendent Team*
- \$625 for Non-Members
- \$150 for Students**
- \$50 for [preconference sessions \(/program/preconference-sessions.aspx\)](#)

*Your full board and superintendent must register and attend to take advantage of this low rate.

**Must have an active [Student Membership \(https://tasanet.org/membership/membership-categories/student-membership/\)](https://tasanet.org/membership/membership-categories/student-membership/) at TASA.

Guest badges

One complimentary guest badge is offered with each paid registration and is available for a personal guest (provided the person is not eligible for membership in TASA or TASB or for whom paid registration would otherwise be required). Guest badges may only be requested on-site at the event. A guest badge will give a guest access to attend the following:

- Opening Reception
- Exhibit Hall
- The three General Sessions

Full registration is required for the following

- Public official of a school district
- Administrator or employee of a school district
- Member of the Council of School Attorneys (CSA)
- Administrator or employee of an education service center

Companies who are exhibiting will request their badges through the exhibitor portal where they purchased their booth space beginning August 1.

School board members and administrators should coordinate registration through their district's central office. TASA | TASB does not require session selection with registration; however, there are [preconference options \(/program/preconference-sessions.aspx\)](/program/preconference-sessions.aspx) on Thursday, September 22 and a [Small School District Seminar \(/program/small-school-district-seminar.aspx\)](/program/small-school-district-seminar.aspx) on Friday, September 23 that do require registration.

[View details on how to register \(/registration/how-to-register.aspx\)](/registration/how-to-register.aspx).

Please review our **Terms and Conditions** (</registration/terms-and-conditions.aspx>) including our cancellation policy.

TASB is managing attendee registration. If you have questions, please get in touch with us at 800.580.8272, ext. 3611 or [registrar@tasb.org \(mailto:registrar@tasb.org\)](mailto:registrar@tasb.org).

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Housing Reservations

Housing for txEDCON22 will open on Tuesday, July 19 at 9 a.m. CST.

Hotel Information

[View hotel location map \(/housing/documents/txedcon-hotel-map.pdf\)](#)

[View hotel amenities and rates \(/housing/documents/tasa-tasb-amenity-matrix.pdf\)](#)

Important housing dates

July 19, 2022

Housing and registration opens

August 24, 2022

Rooming list and advance deposit deadline

Provide CHM your final lists of guests to occupy the rooms held by your district. Unassigned rooms will be released and sold to waitlisted guests. One night's advance deposit in the form of a check, money order, or credit card will be required to guarantee a reservation by this date.

If you are paying for your entire stay with a district check, mail to: Convention Housing Management 2635 North 1st St, Suite 106 San Jose, CA 95134

Date to Cancel reservation without being assessed a cancellation fee by Convention Housing Management (CHM).

August 30, 2022

Last date to guarantee lower housing rate.

September 18, 2022

Last day to make changes with CHM

CHM will handle changes, cancellations, and new bookings up until this date. Beginning Saturday, September 18, contact the hotel directly with any changes or cancellations.

Transportation

The San Antonio International Airport (SAT) is located eight miles from downtown; travel time is approximately 15-20 minutes. Once you land, there are many quick and easy transportation options to take you to downtown San Antonio and nearby hotels as well as back to the airport when it's time to go home.

Driving

Driving in? Convention Center Parking Garage is at 850 E Commerce directly across from the Lila Cockrell Theatre. There is also parking at the Grand Hyatt Hotel in front of the theatre. All parking is available for public use for a fee.

TASA | TASB shuttle buses

Convention shuttles are provided complimentary between official TASA | TASB Convention hotels and the Henry B. Gonzalez Convention Center on Thursday beginning at noon, Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

If you require a wheelchair assisted service pickup, please call the phone number listed on the shuttle service sign (available in hotel lobbies) at least 30 minutes before your desired departure time to be sure we can adequately accommodate your needs.

Mobility rentals

If you would like to rent a power scooter or wheelchair for delivery to the Convention Center or area hotels, please contact Tom's Wheelchair (<https://tomswheelchairs.com/>) by email at tomswheelchair@sbcglobal.com (<mailto:tomswheelchair@sbcglobal.net>), or 210.223.7878

If you have any questions or any other accessibility needs, please contact Taylor Thompson at taylor.thompson@tasb.org (<mailto:taylor.thompson@tasb.org>).

Housing pirates

When we secure sleeping rooms at hotels for our conferences (commonly referred to as room blocks), we research the properties to make sure that our attendees will be adequately accommodated. The room block is established to ensure that rooms meet our standards and are offered at a discounted price.

We are informed that registrants are often contacted by fax, e-mail or most often by phone with offers for cut rate housing. The intent is to convince you that the offer is made on our behalf, or that the soliciting company is associated with TASA | TASB. This is not true.

The exclusive service provider for TASA | TASB Convention housing is **Convention Housing Management (CHM)**. Find more about [how housing pirates work and what to do \(/housing/housing-warning.aspx\)](#) if you encounter this situation.

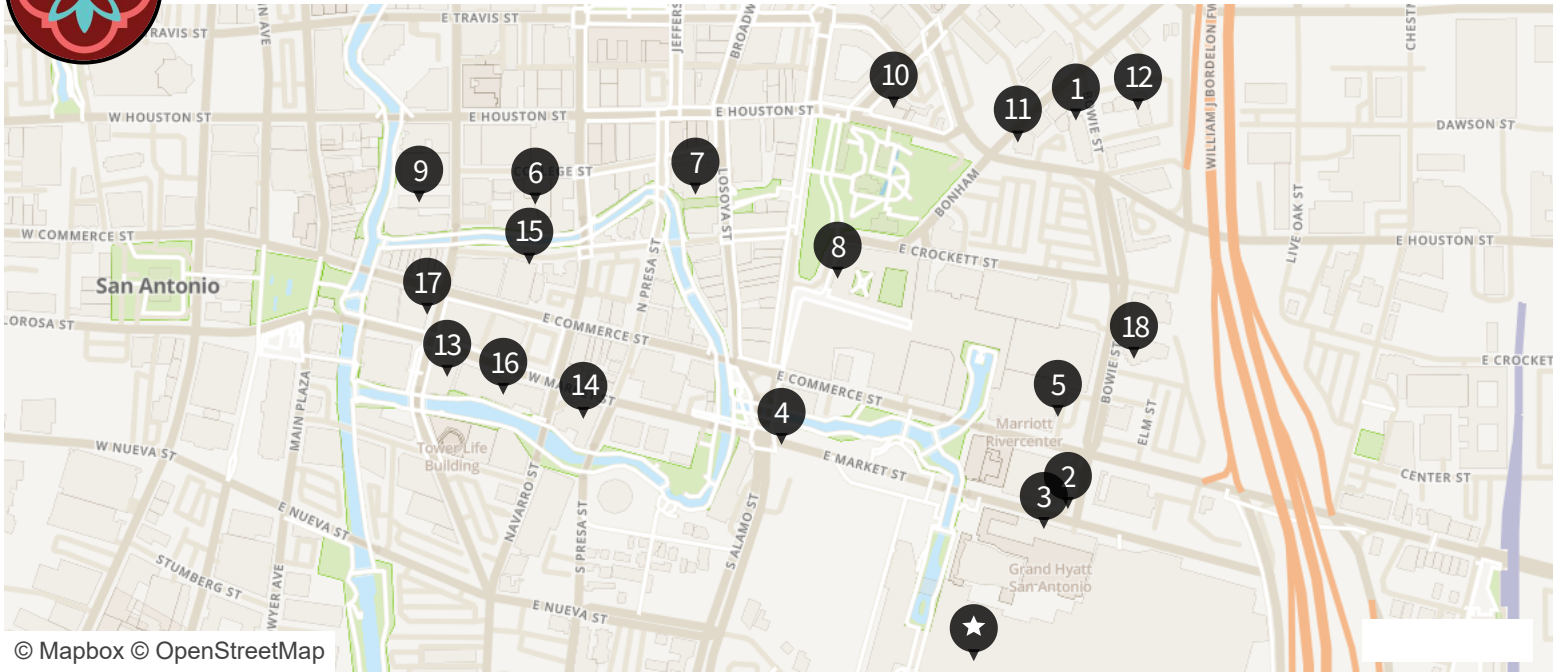
Assistance with housing

Housing for the TASA | TASB Convention is handled exclusively by Convention Housing Management (CHM). **Please call 800.340.1905 or e-mail [tasa_tasb@chmrooms](mailto:tasa_tasb@chmrooms.com) (mailto:tasa_tasb@chmrooms.com), com for assistance.**

If you have questions that CHM cannot answer, e-mail Janice Rivera at janice.rivera@tasb.org (<mailto:janice.rivera@tasb.org>) or call 800.580.8272, extension 1187.



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900 E Market St
San Antonio, TX 78205
- 1** SpringHill Suites San Antonio Downtown/Alamo Plaza
Lodging
411 Bowie St
San Antonio, TX 78205
- 2** San Antonio Marriott Riverwalk
Lodging
889 E Market St
San Antonio, TX 78205
- 3** Grand Hyatt San Antonio
Lodging
600 E Market St
San Antonio, TX 78205
- 4** Hilton Palacio del Rio Hotel
Lodging
200 S Alamo St
San Antonio, TX 78205
- 5** San Antonio Marriott Rivercenter
Lodging
101 Bowie St
San Antonio, TX 78205
- 6** Omni La Mansión del Rio
Lodging
112 College St
San Antonio, TX 78205
- 7** Hyatt Regency San Antonio Riverwalk
Lodging
123 Losoya St
San Antonio, TX 78205
- 8** Menger Hotel
Lodging
204 Alamo Plz
San Antonio, Texas 78205
- 9** Courtyard by Marriott San Antonio Riverwalk
Lodging
207 N St. Mary's St
San Antonio, TX 78205
- 10** The Emily Morgan Hotel a DoubleTree by Hilton
Lodging
705 E Houston St
San Antonio, TX 78205
- 11** Fairfield Inn & Suites San Antonio Downtown/Alamo Plaza
Lodging
422 Bonham
San Antonio, TX 78205
- 12** Hampton Inn San Antonio-Downtown (Riverwalk)
Lodging
414 Bowie St
San Antonio, TX 78205
- 13** Homewood Suites by Hilton Riverwalk
Lodging
432 W Market St
San Antonio, TX 78205
- 14** Hotel Contessa Luxury Suites on the Riverwalk
Lodging
306 W Market St
San Antonio, TX 78205
- 15** Mokara Hotel & Spa
Lodging
212 W Crockett St
San Antonio, TX 78205
- 16** The Westin Riverwalk San Antonio
Lodging
420 W Market St
San Antonio, TX 78205
- 17** Drury Plaza Hotel San Antonio Riverwalk
Lodging
105 S St. Mary's St
San Antonio, TX 78205
- 18** La Quinta Inn & Suites San Antonio Riverwalk
Lodging
303 Blum
San Antonio, Texas 78205

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 Hotel Amenity Matrix

Hotel	Rates	Eat & Drink			Hotel Information			In-Room Features							Stay Connected			Stay Fit		Transport											
		Bar/Lounge	Breakfast	Restaurants	Room service	ATM machine	Concierge desk	Express check out	Gift shop	Pet friendly hotel	Safety deposit box	A/C with individual climate control	Cable TV	Coffeemaker	Hair dryer	In-room safe	Iron and Ironing board	Microwave	Mini-bar	Refrigerator	Rollaway bed	Business center	Free newspaper	In-room internet connection	Public/lobby wifi	Fitness Center	Full-service spa	Indoor swimming pool	Outdoor swimming pool	Self parking	Valet parking
Courtyard San Antonio Riverwalk AAA Rating: ★★★ 207 North Saint Marys Street, San Antonio Distance to Event: 0.65 mile(s) Checkin: 3:00 PM Checkout: 12:00 PM	(Standard - 1 King + Sofa Bed) S/D - \$199 (Standard - 2 Queen Beds) S/D - \$199	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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