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ESRI USER
CONFERENCE

ATTENDEE GUIDE

JULY
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SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA
SAN DIEGO CONVENTION CENTER

YOUR GUIDE TO THE 2019 ESRI USER CONFERENCE

Registration and Badge Pickup

Checking in is fast and easy! Bring your photo ID and Esri User Conference (UC) registration confirmation—or have it available on your mobile device. Scan the bar code to obtain your Esri UC badge and start your week!

San Diego Convention Center, Hall D

Saturday, July 6	7:30 AM–5:00 PM
Sunday, July 7	7:30 AM–5:00 PM
Monday, July 8	7:00 AM–5:00 PM
Tuesday, July 9	7:30 AM–5:00 PM
Wednesday, July 10	7:30 AM–5:00 PM
Thursday, July 11	7:30 AM–2:00 PM

Hilton San Diego Bayfront, Indigo Foyer

Friday, July 5	5:00 PM–7:00 PM
Saturday, July 6	7:30 AM–5:00 PM
Sunday, July 7	7:30 AM–5:00 PM
Monday, July 8	7:00 AM–9:30 AM*
Tuesday, July 9	7:30 AM–12:00 PM*

Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina, Marina Foyer, South Tower

Sunday, July 7	7:30 AM–5:00 PM
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Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina, Grand Ballroom Foyer, North Tower

Saturday, July 6	7:30 AM–5:00 PM
Sunday, July 7	7:30 AM–5:00 PM

NEW for 2019! San Diego International Airport

Saturday, July 6	5:00 PM–9:00 PM*
Sunday, July 7	10:00 AM–9:00 PM*
Monday, July 8	6:30 AM–10:00 AM*

If you registered for a preconference seminar, your badge will grant you access to that session as well.

Esri Events App

Easily access all Esri UC information in real time, including detailed agendas, session descriptions, and activities. You can even create a personalized schedule to optimize your experience.

Download the Events App

[Apple Store](#) [Google Play](#)

You can also download and print the full Esri UC agenda—or your customized agenda—from the detailed agenda, accessible on the Agenda page of the Esri UC website.

[Explore the agenda](#)

**Badge pickup only*



Opening Plenary

See a lineup of keynote thought leaders showcasing how GIS drives positive change for sustainable peace, biodiversity, and conservation around the world, helping us all see what others can't.

Jack Dangermond

President, Esri

Stefano Toscano

Ambassador and Director, Geneva International Centre for Humanitarian Demining (GICHD)

E.O. Wilson, PhD

Honorary Curator in Entomology, and University Research Professor Emeritus at Harvard University; Chairman, E.O. Wilson Biodiversity Foundation Board of Advisors; and Chairman, Half-Earth Council

Dr. Jane Goodall

DBE, Founder, the Jane Goodall Institute, and United Nations Messenger of Peace

Plenary Session attendees will also experience thought-provoking demonstrations from Esri staff and special featured speakers from around the world highlighting how they are using a geospatial infrastructure to help create an intelligent nervous system for their organizations, communities, and the world.

San Diego Convention Center, Halls F-H

Monday, July 8 8:30 AM-4:00 PM

[Learn more about the plenary session](#)

New Attendee Orientation

Join other first-time attendees to get a comprehensive overview that will help you plan your schedule and take advantage of all that the Esri UC has to offer.

San Diego Convention Center, Room 24C

Sunday, July 7 4:00 PM-5:00 PM

Map Gallery Opening and Reception

Enjoy hors d'oeuvres, drinks, and stimulating conversation as you explore how your peers map their world with GIS technology. You may bring a guest if you would like, free of charge. Your Esri UC badge includes a digitally encoded tag that you can use to receive one complimentary drink during the reception.

San Diego Convention Center, Sail Pavilion

Monday, July 7 4:00 PM-7:00 PM



The Esri UC Expo

This is the place to explore, learn, and find true inspiration by connecting one-on-one with GIS innovators from the user community, Esri staff, and other Esri partners.

San Diego Convention Center, Exhibit Halls A-C

Tuesday, July 9	9:00 AM-6:00 PM
Wednesday, July 10	9:00 AM-6:00 PM
Thursday, July 11	9:00 AM-4:00 PM*

Discover Esri's Best GIS Resources

This year, we're providing digital access to advanced GIS resources and the latest information for continued insight and inspiration, whenever and wherever you want. Discover best practices and so much more, by tapping your badge on any Discovery Tag throughout the Expo. You'll receive custom resources for that specific topic or area of interest in your email.

Maximize Your ROI with Industry-Specific Schedules

Learn more about the industry-specific sessions and events available to you this year. This is the perfect opportunity to focus on the topics most relevant to your field, engage one-on-one with subject matter experts, and learn real-world best practices from industry peers to increase your return on investment (ROI).

[Explore the Flyers](#)



**Extended hours*





On-site at Esri UC

Esri is dedicated to providing a welcoming, respectful, safe, and accessible environment for all conference attendees. Our conference fosters an environment where collaboration can thrive, innovation is abundant and encouraged, and all attendees are provided the opportunity to learn and grow.

We ask that all Esri staff and conference attendees are mindful of the Esri Code of Conduct for Conferences and Community Spaces, to help create a safe and inclusive environment for everyone free of harassment, aggression and intimidation. Please be respectful and report any inappropriate behavior to Esri staff.

Accessibility

Esri complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), and endeavors that all contracted (Esri-sponsored) space is in compliance as well. For our attendees requiring accessibility, Esri is pleased to offer a dedicated, on-site contact. Please reach out to our [Accessibility Team](#) ahead of the conference for more information.

Nursing Room

Esri is pleased to offer nursing rooms for the use of conference attendees and Esri staff. These rooms are equipped with electrical outlets and seating, and are secured by key lock. Nursing mothers may store expressed milk in refrigerators at the first aid desk located in Hall E of the San Diego Convention Center.

Children at the Conference

We have several opportunities for attendees to include their families, partners, and children in parts of the conference. However, for safety and security of all involved, all conference sessions, tracks, and exhibits are for registered attendees only, unless otherwise noted. All registered conference attendees must be at least 18 years of age.

Guests are welcome to accompany attendees at the Map Gallery Reception, Family Night at the UC Expo, 5K Run, Kids Fair, and the Thursday Night Party. Additional fees for the 5K Run and Thursday Night Party may apply, please ask at the registration desk for more information.

Child care is offered for children ages six weeks to 12 years old and accommodates the conference schedule so parents/guardians won't miss out on any conference content. [KiddieCorp](#) provides licensed child care providers at a reasonable cost, subsidized by Esri.

Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina

Monday, July 8	7:30 AM-7:30 PM
Tuesday, July 9	7:30 AM-6:30 PM
Wednesday, July 10	7:30 AM-5:30 PM
Thursday, July 11	7:30 AM-5:30 PM
Friday, July 12	7:30 AM-12:30 PM

Please note: Registration and fees apply.

[Register here](#)

Infants under two years of age may accompany registered attendees into conference sessions, workshops, expo, map gallery and other activities as long as the infant is in a carrier and supervised at all times. If the infant begins to fuss or creates a distraction for other attendees in the session, the parent should step out to attend to the infant (please see the [Esri Code of Conduct for Conferences and Community Spaces](#)).

Exceptions may apply so we request that attendees reach out and discuss individual needs with the [Esri Accessibility Team](#).

[More on accessibility and services provided such as hearing accommodations, service animals, prayer/quiet room and first aid](#)





Esri UC Activities

Find your work-life balance by supplementing your conference agenda with fun activities that exercise your body and mind.

Esri 5K Fun Run/Walk

Join fellow attendees along the scenic San Diego waterfront. Regardless of your pace, you can pound the pavement with the Esri user community by your side. Participants must be ages 18 and over.

Start and Finish Line:

Hilton San Diego Bayfront, Embarcadero Boardwalk

Wednesday, July 10 6:30 AM start

Please note: Registration and fees apply.*

Sign up at the Activities Desk at the SDCC in Lobby D.

Morning Yoga

Start your day with a sense of inner calm. Stretch your body and relax your mind during morning yoga overlooking the San Diego Bay. Participants must be aged 18 and over.

Hilton San Diego Bayfront, Promenade Plaza

Tuesday, July 9 6:30 AM-7:30 AM

Thursday, July 11 6:30 AM-7:30 AM

Please note: Registration and fees apply.*

Sign up at the Activities Desk at the SDCC in Lobby D.

Family Night

Introduce your family and friends to GIS. Explore partner exhibits and enjoy fun activities, food, and drinks. Family night is open to anyone accompanied by a registered UC attendee.

San Diego Convention Center, Expo Hall A-C

Wednesday, July 10

4:00 PM-6:00 PM

GIS Kids Fair

Learn about the world of GIS with Esri staff guiding you through age-focused stations that include activity booths, a hands-on computer lab, and a demonstration theater. The Kids Fair is ideal for children aged 5-15 and is free and open to everyone. Children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina Marina Ballroom, Salon D

Tuesday, July 9

8:30 AM-5:30 PM

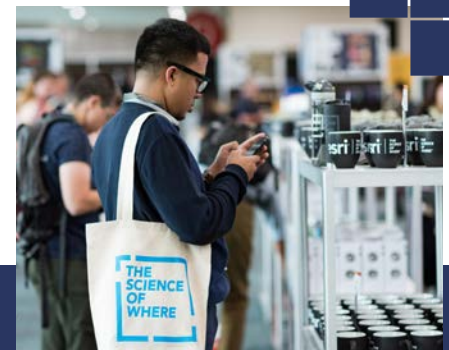
Wednesday, July 10

8:30 AM-5:30 PM

Thursday, July 11

8:30 AM-5:30 PM

**No cash accepted*





Thursday Night Party

Come celebrate Esri's 50th Anniversary in San Diego's Balboa Park. We will be highlighting some of San Diego's most famous areas with great food, awesome entertainment, and activities for the entire family; including access to seven world-class museums. Exclusive 50th Anniversary merchandise will be available.*

Wristbands are required. Get yours by scanning your badge on Wednesday or Thursday at the Activities Desk or Information Desk in the San Diego Convention Center, Grand Lobby D.

Additional Tickets can be purchased for family and friends at the Activities Desk for \$50.00 each. Children ages 12 and under are free.*

Round trip shuttle transportation will be provided between the San Diego Convention Center and Balboa Park from 5:00 PM to 10:30 PM.

Bus loading locations

General: SDCC outside of Hall H

Family: SDCC outside of Hall D

ADA: SDCC outside of Hall E

Buses returning from Balboa Park will have stops at both 4th ave/E street and the SDCC.

Balboa Park

Thursday, July 11 5:30 PM-10:00 PM

The Esri UC Store

Visit the Esri UC Store to find T-shirts, mouse pads, and other Esri memorabilia for GIS lovers of all ages. Of course, you'll also find award-winning books about the science, application, and technology of GIS published by Esri Press.*

San Diego Convention Center, Grand Lobby D

Sunday, July 7	12:00 PM-6:00 PM
Monday, July 8	8:00 AM-6:00 PM
Tuesday, July 9	8:00 AM-6:00 PM
Wednesday, July 10	8:00 AM-6:00 PM
Thursday, July 11	8:00 AM-4:00 PM
Friday, July 12†	8:00 AM-12:00 PM

Lunch Options

Lunch for purchase is available at a variety of locations Monday thru Thursday. Enjoy a diverse selection of kiosks and food trucks from the following locations: San Diego Convention Center, Sail Pavilion, Plaza Park, Hilton San Diego Bayfront Lawn, Promenade Place (at the lower level entrance of the Hilton Bayfront).

Monday, July 8	12:00 PM-2:00 PM
Tuesday, July 9	11:30 AM-1:30 PM
Wednesday, July 10	11:30 AM-1:30 PM
Thursday, July 11	11:30 AM-1:30 PM



*No cash accepted

†Books not available



Charging Your Mobile Device

Be sure to bring your adapters to charge your mobile devices. Charging stations within the San Diego Convention Center are limited and in great demand, but electrical outlets are readily available.

Hydration Stations

Water will be available at hydration stations throughout the conference venues. Use your new Esri UC water bottle and stay hydrated throughout Esri UC.

Information Desks

Need assistance? We're available to help answer your questions. Just visit one of the Information Desks located throughout the convention center.

Coat Check

You may securely check your belongings at the San Diego Convention Center, Grand Lobby C. Fees apply.

Parking

On-site private vehicle parking is available at the 1,950-vehicle underground garage of the San Diego Convention Center.

[Explore parking options](#)

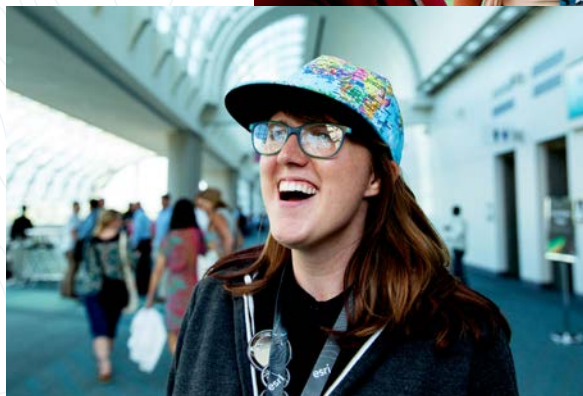
Local Restaurant Discounts

Take advantage of special discounts at downtown San Diego restaurants, exclusively for Esri

Please check with the Esri UC Information Desk in the San Diego Convention Center, Grand Lobby, for more details.

Be Comfortable and Stay Warm

With over 2 million square feet of conference center space, we encourage you to wear comfortable shoes. And given the cool temperatures in the conference center and the evenings outdoors, we also encourage you to bring a light jacket.

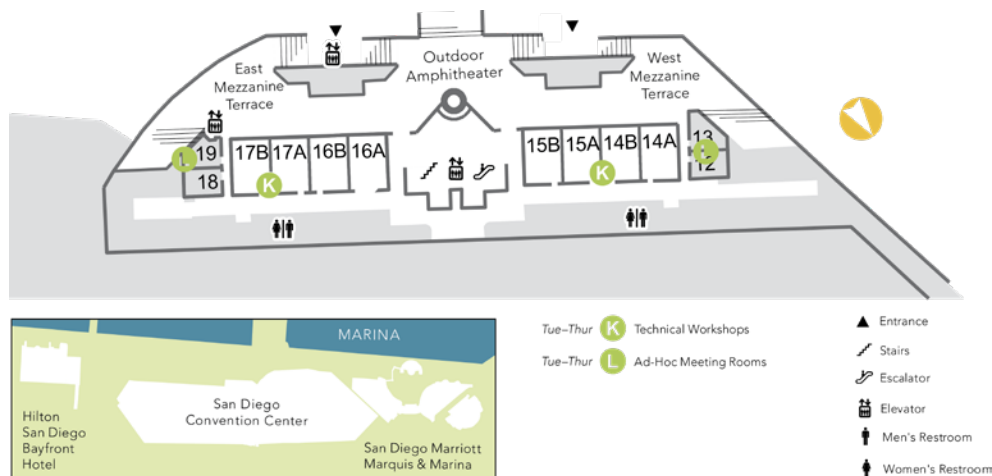


San Diego Convention Center Maps

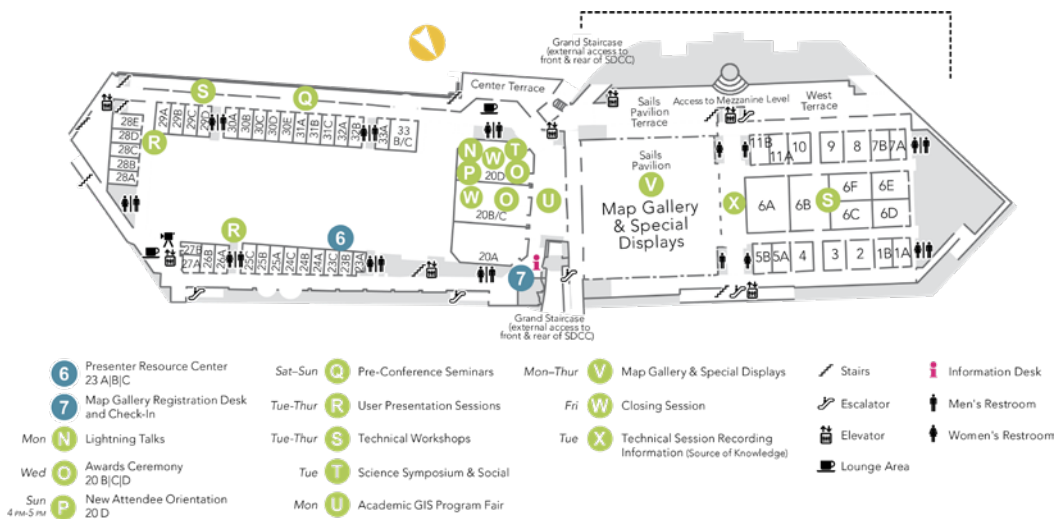
Ground Level



Mezzanine



Upper Level





Esri, the global market leader in geographic information system (GIS) software, offers the most powerful mapping and spatial analytics technology available.

Since 1969, Esri has helped customers unlock the full potential of data to improve operational and business results. Today, Esri software is deployed in more than 350,000 organizations including the world's largest cities, most national governments, 75 percent of Fortune 500 companies, and more than 7,000 colleges and universities. Esri engineers the most advanced solutions for digital transformation, the Internet of Things (IoT), and location analytics to inform the most authoritative maps in the world.

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