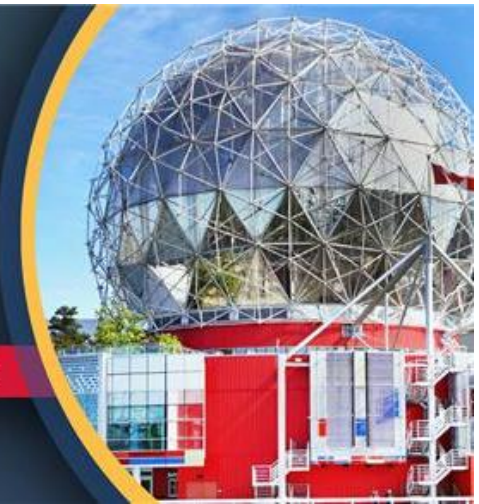


2025 APSA ANNUAL MEETING & EXHIBITION

SEPTEMBER 11-14 | VANCOUVER, BC, CANADA 🇨🇦

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2025 APSA Annual Meeting Attendee Guide

Welcome to the American Political Science Association's 2025 Annual Meeting & Exhibition! Please use this guide for a brief introduction to the conference. If you have any questions, please email meeting@apsanet.org.

PROGRAM PREPARATION

Submissions

All proposals must be submitted to APSA through the [submission system](#) by January 20, 2025, at 11:59 p.m. Pacific.

- The [conference theme](#) is "Reimagining Politics, Power, and Peoplehood in Crisis Times."
- All participants must have a [complimentary APSA account](#) to be added to a submission. They do not need to be a member, but they will need an account.
- There is a limit of five (5) papers per panel to have proper discussion within the allotted 90 minutes.
- [Read more about the participation rules](#), as well as our [session types](#).
- Notifications of acceptance were sent in mid-March.

Paper Uploads

All conference papers must be uploaded to the submission system by August 28, 2025. Instructions on how to do so will go out in August.



Preliminary Program

The preliminary online program will be available in late May, and the final program will be available in late summer. Content refreshes every 24 hours. Panel locations will be announced in early August and can be viewed by logging into the online program.

iPosters

[iPosters](#) are APSA's electronic poster option. Presenters will create an interactive, online poster presentation that will be available before and after the conference in an online gallery.



ATTENDANCE LOGISTICS

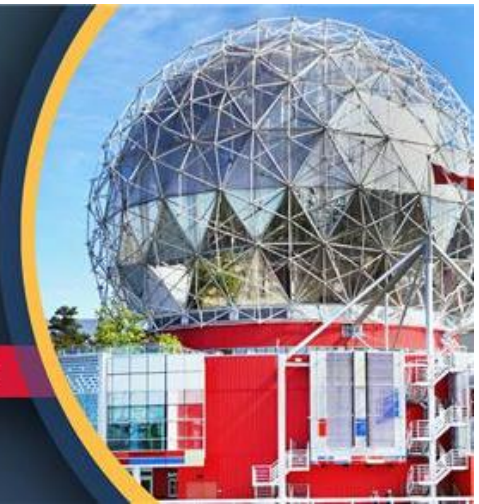
Registration

[Registration](#) will open in April 2025. All conference program participants must register by June 23, 2025. The discounted early bird rate will end on July 9, 2025.

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Short Course Registration

All [pre-conference short courses](#) will be held on Wednesday, September 10. They provide diverse opportunities for professional development and offer attendees the chance to connect with scholars from a range of backgrounds. Pre-registration is required, and each short course has a \$25 fee. The short course(s) can be added to your general meeting registration in the online registration system.

Hotel

[Hotel room blocks](#) will open in spring 2025. Discounted rooms will be available at the Pinnacle Hotel Harbourfront (HQ), Marriott Vancouver Pinnacle Downtown (HQ), Pan Pacific Vancouver (HQ), Coast Coal Harbour Hotel, Delta Hotels Vancouver Downtown Suites, Fairmont Hotel Vancouver, Fairmont Waterfront, Hyatt Regency Vancouver, and Sheraton Vancouver Wall Centre.

Travel Grants

APSA offers limited [travel grants](#). Applications are due May 1, and notifications of acceptance will be sent in June 2025.

eJobs

Attendees can connect with prospective employers for on-site interviews in our eJobs room. More information will be available in summer 2025.



Sessions

All sessions will be held beginning Thursday, September 11, at 8:00 a.m. PDT and end on Sunday, September 14, at 11:30 a.m. PDT. Sessions will be held at the Vancouver Convention Centre (VCC), Pan Pacific Vancouver, Marriott Vancouver Pinnacle Downtown, and Pinnacle Hotel Harbourfront.

Panel Room Technology

Each panel room is outfitted with a projector, screen, and HDMI cord. Each participant who wishes to use a laptop should bring it and an HDMI adapter if needed.

ON-SITE LOGISTICS

On-Site Check-In

The tentative schedule, subject to change, is:

- Wednesday, 9/10: 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. PDT
- Thursday, 9/11: 7:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. PDT
- Friday, 9/12: 7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. PDT
- Saturday, 9/13: 7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. PDT

MUST-ATTEND EVENTS

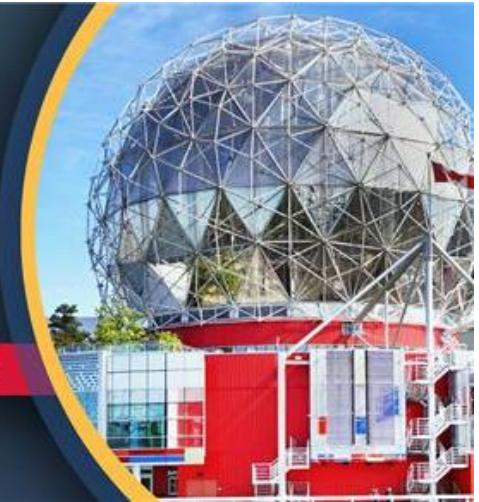
Plenary Addresses & Theme Panels

Plenaries are high-level panels relating to the conference theme. Theme panels are selected by the conference program chairs.

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APSA Exhibit Hall

Visit the APSA Exhibit Hall in the Vancouver Convention Centre! The Exhibit Hall features numerous vendor and publisher companies, the APSA Lounge, sponsored receptions – and iPosters! Exhibit Hall hours, subject to change, are:

- Thursday, 9/11: 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. PDT
- Friday, 9/12: 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. PDT
- Saturday, 9/13: 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. PDT



International Attendees Reception

APSA invites all international attendees to this special reception to welcome them to Vancouver on Thursday night.

APSA All-Member Meeting

All APSA members are encouraged to attend our official business meeting on Thursday at 12:00 p.m. PDT.

Graduate Student Happy Hour

Graduate students are invited to join APSA for a happy hour and network with each other on Saturday night.