

Destination Reps Web Site

Destination Facts

Following is a list of questions we would like presented on the Destination Reps web site inclusive of the responses provided by each destination. Please let us know if there is information you would like to see that does not appear below.

- Taxes
 - How much is the total cumulative hotel tax? **15.5%**
 - How much is the F&B tax? **6%**
 - How much is the average F&B gratuity? **20%**
- Airport
 - How many miles from the airport to downtown? **10 miles**
 - Is there public transportation, such as a bus or subway available?
 - **Shuttle Bus \$13.00**
 - **Cabs \$25.00**
 - **Light Rail \$1.60**
 - **714 average daily arrivals and departures**
 - Is the airport a hub for any carrier
 - What are the major carriers serving airport? **Southwest and Delta**
- Hotels
 - How many committable hotel rooms downtown on peak night? **5,500**
 - How many committable hotel rooms downtown on peak within walking distance to convention center? **5,500 within walking distance**
 - How many headquarter hotel properties? **1 – The Hilton Baltimore**
 - How many rooms available on peak night at the largest headquarter property **650**
 - **Can you list hotels by rating?? 5 star , 4 star, 3 star?**
 - Hilton Baltimore**
 - Hyatt Regency Baltimore**
 - Renaissance Baltimore**
 - Hotel Monaco**
 - Marriott Inner Harbor Hotel**
 - Sheraton City Center**
 - Sheraton Inner Harbor**
 - Days Inn**
 - Holiday Inn**
 - Hampton Inn**
- Convention Center
 - How many total gross square feet of exhibit space at Convention Center? **300,000**
 - How much of this exhibit space is contiguous? **300,000**

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- How many total gross square feet of meeting space is available at the Convention center? **1,000,000**
- How many meeting rooms does the convention center have? **50**
- How big is the largest meeting room? **36,000**
- How many ballrooms does the convention center have? **1**
- How big is the largest ballroom? **36,000**
- When was the last renovation or expansion? **Ongoing**
- When is a future renovation/expansion scheduled? **Ongoing**
- Is there free Wi-Fi at the convention center? **No – There are free wireless hotspots in public areas**

- Is there an exclusive in-house Electrical provider?
YES
- Is there an exclusive in-house AV provider?
No – we have a preferred but not exclusive
- Is there an exclusive in-house decorator?
No
- Is there an exclusive in house caterer?
Yes – Centerplate
- Is the convention center a union property?
We are Non Union with the exception of the Theatrical Lighting and Rigging I.A.S.T.E
- If union property, can you provide estimated pricing list?
N/A

Here are a list of labor unions with whom planners will be required to work at the convention center:

I.A.T.S.E (theatrical rigging)

- Off Site Venues
 - How many off site venues within walking distance can host up to 2,000 people? **5**
 - How many off site venues within a ten-minute bus transfer can host up to 2,000 people? **10**
 - How many restaurants are within walking distance of the convention center?
 - **Can you list 3-5 local attractions and there whereabouts?**

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Power Plant Live!

601 E. Pratt Street, 6th Floor
Baltimore, MD 21202
Phone: 410-727-LIVE(5483)
Fax: 410-659-9491
Web Site: www.powerplantlive.com
Neighborhood: Inner Harbor/City Center

Baltimore's premier dining and entertainment district, located adjacent to the Inner Harbor. This exciting development features entertainment, restaurants and nightclubs - all spilling out into a common plaza with outdoor seating.

Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Museum

901 W. Pratt Street
Baltimore, MD 21223-2699
Phone: 410-752-2490
Fax: 410-752-2499
Web Site: www.borail.org
Neighborhood: Westside

This fascinating, fun place for kids, families, and lovers of history features the most important railroad collection in America! Seasonal Train Rides and FREE parking.

Maryland Science Center

601 Light Street
Baltimore, MD 21230
Phone: 410-685-5225
Fax: 410-545-5973
Web Site: www.marylandsciencecenter.org
Neighborhood: Inner Harbor

Located at Baltimore's Inner Harbor, has three levels of hands-on exhibits waiting to be explored. Save time for an IMAX film, Planetarium show or catch some live science on the Demo Stage.

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American Visionary Art Museum

800 Key Highway
Baltimore, MD 21230
Phone: 410-244-1900
Fax: 410-244-5858
Web Site: www.AVAM.org
Neighborhood: Inner Harbor

This national museum and education center for outstanding original works of art created by intuitive, self-taught artists is located on a 1.1 acre wonderland campus featuring three historic renovated industrial buildings, sculpture gardens, a museum store and restaurant.

National Aquarium, Baltimore

501 E. Pratt Street
Pier 3
Baltimore, MD 21202
Phone: 410-576-3800
Fax: 410-576-8641
Web Site: www.aqua.org
Neighborhood: Inner Harbor

Stunning exhibits and more than 11,000 aquatic animals, plus the widely lauded exhibit, Animal Planet Australia, make this Inner Harbor destination Baltimore's most popular attraction. Express entry is available when you purchase tickets online at www.aqua.org