

# *Our Gate is Open*<sup>TM</sup>



## **ALWAYS SAN FRANCISCO**

Innovative, inspiring, and more welcoming than ever – there's never been a better time to meet in San Francisco.







Presidio



Oracle Park

## *Welcome to San Francisco!*

Flexible venues in vibrant neighborhoods. Luxury hotels surrounded by fine dining and gorgeous public art. Green spaces and an innovative spirit. For all these reasons and more, there has never been a better time to meet in San Francisco.

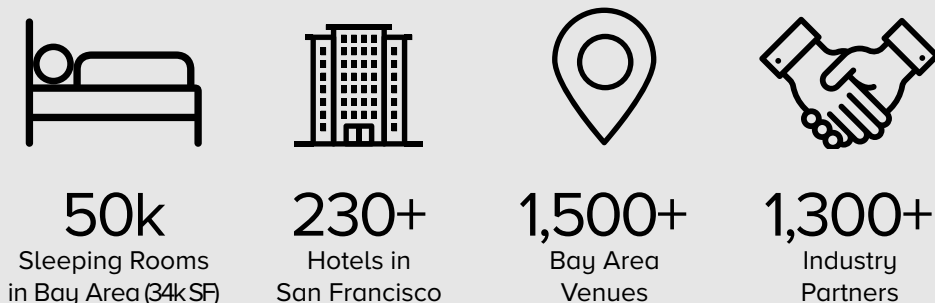
Now is the time to support the trusted local businesses that give San Francisco its character by meeting right here in the city. Read through for more of the benefits of meeting in the City by the Bay, and then start a conversation with our expert Convention Sales and Services teams. We can't wait to host you!



## What is San Francisco Travel?

San Francisco Travel is a Destination Marketing Organization (DMO) that offers **complimentary services** to help you plan and book events. Our services are paid for by the hotel community to bring business to the Bay Area.

## Access to Hotels and Venues



## What are you waiting for?

Contact us about your event today!

Connect for a site visit

Plan for a memorable attendee experience

Celebrate your new successes



We're here to help!

- ✓ **BAY AREA HOTEL & VENUE SELECTION**
- ✓ **MARKETING SUPPORT**
- ✓ **DESTINATION SERVICES**
- ✓ **SITE VISIT ASSISTANCE AND COORDINATION**

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## *Our Services Go Beyond*

Think beyond the bridge. We represent more than 250 hotels in the Bay Area and more than 15 neighboring destinations to host your events.



Sonoma



# Complimentary Services



## **BAY AREA HOTEL & VENUE SELECTION**

The Convention Services team assists clients with site selection and coordination in San Francisco and beyond. We have trusted personal relationships with our partners all over the Bay Area, making planning your next meeting in San Francisco a breeze.



## **CONVENTION ATTENDEE DEALS PROGRAM**

- Curated special, exclusive offers from our partners for conference attendees
- Programs to welcome conventions and meetings to our city



## **ATTENDANCE BUILDING TOOLS**

- Brochures
- Photo and b-roll galleries
- Promo copy
- Videos, articles,
- Letters from government officials
- Customized websites



## **LOCAL CSR SUGGESTIONS**

- Local charitable groups aligned with your mission
- Help meet your company's corporate social responsibility goals



## **OVERFLOW SERVICES FOR CONVENTIONS**

- Booking
- Tracking hotel rooms after cutoff dates



San Francisco Welcome Ambassador greeting visitors





## *The Perfect Destination*

All year-round

There are many reasons why San Francisco is the perfect destination for memorable meetings and events. Here are just a few of them:

- **Everyone Is Welcome** - Our city welcomes and embraces people of different backgrounds and beliefs. If there's one trait that best defines San Francisco, it's diversity.
- **Safety Is Our Priority** - We're committed to providing world-class hospitality in a safe environment that aligns with expert protocols.
- **Hotel Availability** - With more than 34,000 hotel rooms at all price points, San Francisco has ample opportunities for citywide and self-contained meetings. Renovations and new property openings are being announced all the time.
- **The Arts Are Open** - Attendees can fully immerse themselves in our city's vibrant culture. Host sessions, tours, or even dinners in some of our city's acclaimed museums and cultural institutions.
- **Unbeatable Dining** - Every year, San Francisco chefs, restaurateurs, mixologists, and bar owners start new ventures that keep the variety and quality of San Francisco's food scene in top form. Plus, our temperate year-round weather and new shared public spaces mean dining al fresco is always an option.
- **Attendance Comes Naturally** - Everyone has a reason to know and love San Francisco, which means everyone has a reason to see it. Making San Francisco your meeting destination gets attendees excited and leads to strong turn-out.



# San Francisco, Al Fresco

We've all developed a newfound appreciation for spending time outside. In San Francisco, our pleasant climate and breathtaking natural scenery guarantee that you'll spend some of your time here outdoors.



## **VENUES**

Numerous San Francisco venues have unique spaces perfect for your next off-site event. Here in San Francisco, you can stretch your creativity as well as your budget with non-traditional venues that will set your event apart.



## **PARKS**

San Francisco is one of the greenest cities in the country—in more ways than one. The city is full of parks for attendees to explore. Some of the most beautiful spaces are just blocks from downtown hotels and The Moscone Center.



## **DINING**

Our unbeatable restaurants—more than 30 of which have earned a Michelin star—have adapted for customer safety and remain perfect for buyouts and off-site events. Choose from a variety of sizes, styles, and cuisines.



## **ATTRACTIONS**

From a tour of Alcatraz to a bike ride across the Golden Gate Bridge or a hike through the Presidio, San Francisco offers many classic opportunities to get out and experience the city through nature.



# Picture Yourself in San Francisco

Each of San Francisco's neighborhoods offers visitors fresh air, beautiful scenery, exceptional dining, and other charms all their own. Explore them all when you meet in San Francisco.





## *From Point A to Point Bay*

San Francisco is well-connected—not just to neighboring Bay Area attractions, but to the rest of the country and the world.



### **SFO AIRPORT**

- Over 40 international destinations and over 70 domestic
- Leader in sustainable practices
- Pioneering Travel Well safety program



### **PUBLIC TRANSIT**

- Explore with San Francisco's Muni system and BART (Bay Area Rapid Transit)
- Muni includes historic streetcars and iconic cable cars



### **RIDE SHARE**

- Both Lyft and Uber born in San Francisco
- Local drivers can take you to any part of the city you wish to see

## *Your Gateway to Northern California*

San Francisco is where your adventure begins. Wine country, stunning beaches, and majestic forests are all within driving distance—and our Convention Sales and Services team can help you plan unique pre- and post-event experiences wherever you want to go.



Napa Valley

# Meet the Team

**Zeke Ramsell**  
San Francisco, Northwest, HI

**Winnie Wong**  
Peninsula, Silicon Valley, MICE

**Laura Campi**  
California (excluding SF, Silicon Valley, Peninsula)

**Kenley Moy**  
Self-Contained Team Leader

**Karen Dunn**  
Northeast

**Kate Cannon**  
Midwest, Southwest

**Beth Melanson**  
DC, MD, VA; Southeast

The self-contained sales team works with groups that require 10+ rooms and that do not utilize Moscone Center.

## DEALS AND PROMOTIONS

San Francisco Travel works closely with our city hotel partners to make it easier for you to host your meeting here. Take advantage of these unique opportunities to maximize your budget.

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