
2007 LULAC National Convention & Exposition

PROGRAM

All events will be held at the Navy Pier unless otherwise noted

Monday, July 9

8 am to 5 pm	Bureau of Land Management Pre-Conference Meeting	306
8:30 am to 3 pm	Department of Defense College Counselors Meeting.....	307-308
1 pm to 5 pm	LULAC National Convention & Federal Training Institute Registration	Terrace A East
6 pm to 8 pm	Opening Reception , Miguel del Valle, Chicago City Clerk.....	Terrace A East

Tuesday, July 10

7 to 12, 2 to 5	LULAC Federal Training Institute LULAC National Convention & Federal Training Institute Registration	Terrace A East
6:45 am to 8:30 am	Law Enforcement Awards Breakfast , DHS Secretary Michael Chertoff	Grand Ballroom
8:45 am to 9:45 am	<i>FTI Plenary: A Journey to Leadership Development</i>	309-312
10 am to 11:45 am	Federal Training Institute: A Journey to Leadership Development—Concurrent Sessions Tue. <u>10 am to 11:45 am</u> & <u>2 pm to 4:30 pm</u> and Wed. <u>9 am to 11:30 am</u> & <u>2 pm to 4:30 pm</u> <i>Influencing Skills</i> (held in 301 & 303 on Wednesday afternoon).....	302 & 304
<u>Times Offered</u>	<i>Human Capital Assessment and Accountability</i>	305
T-am, pm, W-pm	<i>Three C's to B.R.I.D.G.E. Building Relationships in Diverse Groups and Environments</i>	306
T-am, W-am, pm	<i>Negotiation Techniques</i>	307
T-am, W-am, pm	<i>Diversified Recruitment Strategies and User Friendly Websites</i>	308
T-pm, W-pm	<i>Igniting and Motivating Your Inner Leader</i>	301& 303
T-pm, W-am	Diversity Luncheon , AT&T Group President Ralph de la Vega	Grand Ballroom
12 pm to 1:45 pm	Annabelle Romero, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights, USDA Federal Training Institute: A Journey to Leadership Development—Concurrent Sessions <i>Leadership Executive Core Qualifications Competencies</i>	305
2:00 pm to 4:30 pm	<i>Leadership ECQ Competencies GS 14-15</i>	305
2:00 pm to 4:00 pm	President's FTI Reception	Navy Pier Rooftop
4:15 pm to 5:30 pm	Movie Premier: Bella pre-release screening	Grand Ballroom
5:30 pm to 7:00 pm	Featuring Mexican Superstar Eduardo Verastegui in person!	
7 pm to 9 pm		

Wednesday, July 11

7 to 12, 2 to 5	LULAC National Convention & National Training Institute Registration.....	Terrace A East
8:30 am to 6:00 pm	<i>Dialogue on Diversity: Entrepreneurship/IT Symposium</i>	309 & 311
9 am to 11:30 am	Federal Training Institute: A Journey to Leadership Development—Concurrent Sessions Ribbon-Cutting Ceremony—Exposition and Job Fair Opening	Terrace A East
10 am to 10:30 am	Exposition, Job Fair, and College Fair Open	Exhibition Hall A
10 to 12, 2 to 5	<i>Life After 50: Issues, Services & Advice</i>	302 & 304
10:30 am to 11:50 am	<i>First Time Home Buyer Seminar</i>	308
10:30 am to 11:50 am	<i>SmartEdge by GMAC</i>	320
10:30 am to 11:50 am	Partnership Luncheon , NLCR President Janet Murguía.....	Grand Ballroom
12 pm to 1:45 pm	MANA National President Alma Morales Riojas <i>Opening of LULAC National Assembly—Committee Assignments</i>	Grand Ballroom
2 pm to 2:30 pm	Federal Training Institute: A Journey to Leadership Development—Concurrent Sessions <i>Partnering with Your State Government</i>	307
2:00 pm to 4:30 pm	<i>AARP Financial Security</i>	302 & 304
2:30 pm to 3:50 pm	<i>SmartEdge by GMAC</i>	320
2:30 pm to 3:50 pm	<i>A Dialogue with Illinois Latino Elected Officials</i>	307
2:30 pm to 3:50 pm	Ohtli Reception	Lake View Terrace
4:00 pm to 5:20 pm	Illinois Celebration	Grand Ballroom
5 pm to 7 pm		
7 pm to 9 pm		

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Thursday, July 12

7 to 12, 2 to 5	LULAC National Convention Registration Terrace A East
7 am to 8:30 am	Armed Forces Awards Breakfast “A Tribute to Excellence in Military Service”... Grand Ballroom
8 am to 4:30 pm	<i>Federal Hispanic Employment Program Managers’ 3rd Annual Summit</i>325-326
8 am to noon	<i>Coors Gallup Training for LULAC Officers</i> 306
9 to 12, 2 to 7	Exposition and Job Fair Open Exhibition Hall A
9 am to 10:20 am	<i>LULAC Health Commission Hearings: Latino Health Disparities</i> 309 & 311
9 am to 10:20 am	<i>Strength Through Diversity: Developing An Inclusive Latino Agenda</i> 305
9 am to 10:20 am	<i>Preventing Domestic Violence Workshop</i> 307
10:30 am to 11:50 am	<i>LULAC Health Commission Hearings: Obesity & Chronic Diseases</i> 309 & 311
10:30 am to 11:50 am	<i>Facts or Opinion? Immigration Coverage in the Media</i> 305
10:30 am to 11:50 am	<i>Defending Civil Rights Post 9/11</i> 307
Noon to 2 pm	Unity Luncheon , Navy Asst. Sec. William A. Navas Ballroom
	Wal-Mart Stores CEO Eduardo Castro Wright, Reverend Jesse Jackson
2:30 pm to 3:50 pm	<i>LULAC Health Commission Hearings: Getting to Universal Health Care</i> 309 & 311
2:30 pm to 3:50 pm	<i>Human Rights Struggles in Latin America</i> 307
2:30 pm to 3:50 pm	<i>LNESC Workshop: Tools for Latino Family Outreach & Scholarship Opportunities</i> 305
2:30 pm to 3:50 pm	<i>Credit Wise: How to Improve Your Credit Score</i> 301& 303
3:30 pm to 5:00 pm	<i>Women's Hall of Fame Pinning Ceremony & High Tea</i>Ballroom Foyer
5 pm to 7 pm	Sponsor and Exhibitor Reception Exhibition Hall A
5:30 pm to 7:30 pm	Youth & Young Adults Awards Banquet Grand Ballroom
	USHLI President Juan Andrade, Chicago Bears guard Roberto Garza
8:30 pm to 11 pm	Concierto de la Gente , 3 time Grammy winners La Mafia & Grupo Niche Grand Ballroom

Friday, July 13

7 to 12, 2 to 5	LULAC National Convention Registration Terrace A East
7:30 am to 9 am	LULAC National Educational Service Centers Breakfast Grand Ballroom
9 to 12, 2 to 4	Exposition, Job Fair, and College Fair Open Exhibition Hall A
9 am to 10:20 am	<i>Grassroots Organizing for LULAC Councils</i> 301& 303
9 am to 10:20 am	<i>Immigration: Blueprint for Successful Reform</i> 305
9 am to 10:20 am	<i>The Impact and Importance of Latino Leadership in Education Today</i> 307
9 am to 3 pm	<i>LULAC/FTI Youth-Collegiate Federal Career and Recruitment Forum</i>
9 am to 2 pm	College, University and Rising Seniors Grade 12 325-326
9 am to 12 pm	High School Grade 9-11 309-312
9 am to 12 pm	Middle School Grade 6-8..... 302 & 304
10:30 am to 11:50 am	<i>Latino Dropout Crisis</i> 301& 303
10:30 am to 11:50 am	<i>Women Pioneers of LULAC: Latina Leaders in the Civil Rights Struggle</i> 305
10:30 am to 11:50 am	<i>How to Put Your Family on the Pathway to Financial Wealth</i> 307
Noon to 2 pm	LULAC Women’s Luncheon , Alba Colon, GM Racing Program Manager Grand Ballroom
	Actress Alex Meneses
12:15 pm to 1:15 pm	Department of Defense Youth Luncheon 201-207
2:30 pm to 4:30 pm	<i>LULAC National Assembly: Legislative Platform</i> 305-306
6 pm to 7 pm	Presidential Reception Lakeview Terrace
7 pm to 11 pm	Presidential Awards Banquet , MALDEF CEO John Trasvina Grand Ballroom
	American GI Forum National Commander Antonio G. Morales

Saturday, July 14

8 am to 5 pm	LULAC General Assembly & Election of Officers..... Grand Ballroom
8 pm to 11 pm	LULAC President’s Celebration , Tejano Legend Rubén Ramos..... Grand Ballroom