GEORGIA 2022 SOCIETY OF 2022 OTOLARYNGOLOGY/ ANNUAL MEETING

EXHIBITOR PROSPECTUS



THURSDAY, JULY 28 - SATURDAY, JULY 30

THE CLOISTER | SEA ISLAND, GA



Exhibitor Information

AGENDA AT A GLANCE

Thursday, July 28, 2022*

4:00 PM - 6:00 PM Exhibitor Registration & Setup
6:00 PM - 7:00 PM Welcome Reception
(All are invited)
7:30PM GSO/HNS Board Dinner

(Sponsorship available)

Friday, July 29, 2022*

6:30 AM - 7:00 AM Exhibitor Registration & Setup

7:00 AM - 1:00 PM Exhibitor Viewing

7:30 AM - 8:30 AM Breakfast & Exhibit Viewing

8:00 AM - 1:00 PM Scientific Assembly 10:00 - 10:30 AM Break & Exhibit Viewing Saturday, July 30, 2022*

7:00 AM - 12:00PM Exhibitor Viewing
7:30 AM - 8:30 AM Breakfast & Exhibit Viewing

8:00 AM - 1:00 PM Scientific Assembly
10:00 - 10:30 AM Break & Exhibit Viewing
1:00 PM Exhibitor Breakdown

Dinner Party

(This is a ticketed event. # of tickets included in patron level. Additional tickets may be purchased.)

HOTEL INFORMATION

Group room rate available at The Cloister and The Inn at Sea Island. A link to make your reservation will be in the email confirmation once you register for the meeting. (Please note rooms sell out fast, so plan to register to exhibit as early as possible so you have access to the online rooming reservation link)

6:30PM

Rates:

The Cloister: \$399/night plus taxes and fees

The Inn: \$199/night plus taxes and fees (there is also an additional fee if you wish to have access to the Sea Island Beach Club)

SET-UP & BREAK-DOWN

The Exhibit Hall will be open for set-up from 4:00 PM until 6:00 PM on Thursday, July 28, 2022. If you are unable to set up between these hours, you must set-up on Friday morning, July 29, 2022 beginning at 6:00 AM and be ready to exhibit promptly at 7:00 AM. Only one table per exhibitor is allowed unless additional tables are purchased.

You may break down your exhibit at anytime; however, all exhibits must be fully broken down by 2:00 PM on Saturday, July 30. Due to strict rules and regulations all exhibit areas must be clean and free of debris before departing. If you wish, you may neatly leave additional materials for attendees to take on their own.

SHIPPING

Shipping details will be emailed out prior to the meeting.

LOAD-IN

Please ship all deliveries to arrive <u>no earlier than 3 days prior to the event</u>. All deliveries must be cleared and scheduled with the Event Services Department. The Loews takes no responsibility for delivered items and cannot inventory items when they arrive. Equipment must be loaded and unloaded at the loading dock or pre-loading dock in accordance with the Resort's rules and local ordinances. Exhibitors are responsible for covering the costs of their shipping fees.

LOAD-OUT

If items need to be shipped out after the meeting, representatives may leave their deliveries in the exhibitor room; however, all shipping materials must be labeled. Representatives should have all the necessary forms needed to ship out packages as they will not be provided.

^{*}Agenda times are subject to change.

Patron Levels

GOLD LEVEL

\$5,000

- Two 6' exhibit table and two (2) chairs per table
- Complimentary registration for five (5) company representatives
- Complimentary tickets for five (5) reps for the dinner party
- Exclusive top-placement in exhibit hall
- Pre-Meeting Email Blast Two (2) Email Blast to all GSO members and attendees highlighting your company and/or product.
- One month online banner on the GSO/HNS website (Includes your company's logo, clickable link to your company's website and a short 75-words or less "About Us")
- Company logo noted as a Gold Patron with clickable link to your website on the GSO/HNS website
- Recognition in the ENTertainer newsletter as a Gold Patron
- (Logo to be removed at meeting start time in accordance with CME regulations)
- Company logo noted as a Gold Patron on patron signage throughout the GSO/HNS Annual Meeting
- Recognition in conference app noted as a Gold Patron
- Banner ad in conference app and three (3) push notifications in conference app
- 50-words or less company description in conference app

SILVER LEVEL

\$3,500

- One 6' exhibit table and two (2) chairs
- Complimentary registration for three (3) company representatives
- Complimentary tickets for three (3) reps for the dinner party
- Priority placement in exhibit hall
- Pre-Meeting Email Blast One (1) Email Blast to all GSO members and attendees highlighting your company and/or product
- Company logo noted as a Silver Patron with clickable link to your website on the GSO/HNS website
- Company logo noted as a Silver Patron on patron signage throughout the GSO/HNS Annual Meeting
- Recognition in conference app noted as a Silver Patron
- 50-words or less company description in conference app
- 1 push notifications in conference app

BRONZE LEVEL

\$2,000

- One 6' exhibit table and two (2) chairs
- Complimentary registration for two (2) company representatives
- Complimentary tickets for two (2) reps for the dinner party
- Company name noted as a Bronze Patron on the GSO/HNS website
- Company name noted as a Bronze Patron on patron signage throughout the GSO/HNS Annual Meeting
- Recognition in conference app noted as a Bronze Patron
- Assigned placement in exhibit hall

TABLE/EXHIBIT LOCATION

All exhibits will be in Cloister II & III ballroom. Table placement will be based on exhibit level.

*If you plan on bringing any device/equipment that could encroach into your neighboring exhibitor's space or the foot traffic in the aisle, we require that you purchase an additional 6 ft space (equivalent to having an extra table) that would allow optimal space for attendee demonstrations and display.

ADD'L EXHIBIT REP*

\$300/per rep* (See # allowed by exhibit level selected. Additional Rep includes a ticket to dinner) *If your company requires more than 2 additional representatives in your desired sponsorship level, we request that you select the next highest tier sponsorship*

NOT INCLUDED IN EXHIBIT FEE

Power, internet and shipment handling fees are NOT included in the exhibit fee and are subject to additional charge if needed

CLICK HERE TO REGISTER

Exhibitor Support

FOOD & BEVERAGE STATIONS

Your exhibit booth will be strategically placed next to your selected food or beverage station. This is a great opportunity to ensure that your sales representatives will be able to interact and establish relationships with physicians.

FOOD & BEVERAGE	
Coffee/Tea*	\$1,000
Soft Drinks/Water	\$600
Snack Breaks	\$400

Food & Beverage Station Perks:

- -- Option to provide cocktail napkins with your company/product logo on them
- -- Option to provide coffee mugs with your company/product logo on them (Available to Coffee/Tea Sponsors only)
- -- Company signage will be provided at a station

WELCOME RECEPTION SPONSOR

Sponsor the Georgia Society of Otolaryngology Thursday Welcome Reception. Signs will be displayed at the Reception.

WELCOME RECEPTION	
Reception Sponsor	\$1,500

-- Option to provide cocktail napkins with your company/product logo on them. Company/product logo signage will be provided.

DINNER PARTY SPONSOR(2 reps included)

Sponsor the Georgia Society of Otolaryngology Dinner Party . Signs will be displayed at the Dinner Party.

DINNER PARTY	
Dinner Sponsor	\$3,000

BOARD DINNER SPONSOR

Sponsor and attend the Georgia Society of Otolaryngology Board Dinner on Thursday night. (only 1 available)

GSO/HNS BOARD DINNER	
Board Dinner Sponsor	\$3,000

PRODUCT THEATER/LUNCH SYMPOSIUM

Host a Non-CME Product Theater for attendees. Speaker can be in person or virtual (via Zoom link). Includes AV, room rental, lunch and email blast to attendees advertising the event. The event would be included on the agenda noting the speaker, topic, and your company name/product logo (if preferred). Company to provide the speaker and cover speaker fees.

LUNCH SYMPOSIUM SPONSOR	
Product Theater	\$7,500

CONFERENCE APP SPONSOR

Sponsor the GSO/HNS Conference App and we can place a Banner Ad or your company/product logo on every web page of the app.

CONFERENCE APP SPONSOR	
App Sponsor	\$750

NAME BADGE LANYARDS

Because every attendee is required to wear a name badge during all meeting times — they will be wearing your brand around their necks at all times! Sponsor will produce and provide 65 lanyards.

NAME BADGE LANYARDS	
Lanyard Sponsor	\$1,000

Contract

EXHIBITOR CONTRACT TERMS

- 1. If purchased, each company will have one (1) table for the Annual Georgia Society of Otolaryngology Annual Summer Meeting.
- 2. Exhibitors are required to have a representative at their table at all times during exhibit hours.
- 3. A maximum of two (2) sales representatives are allowed to exhibit at the meeting upon payment unless additional representatives are noted based on patron level. Each additional representative is \$300.
- 4. All sound equipment must be regulated so that it does not disturb neighboring exhibits. Georgia Society of Otolaryngology (GSO/HNS) reserves the right to determine at what point sound constitutes interference with others and must be discontinued. Due to regulations by the music industry regarding music at public meetings, conventions and shows, exhibitors may not play music during the trade show, either live or recorded.
- 5. Exhibitors will not be permitted to assign, sublet or share with others any part of the space allotted to them.
- 6. GSO/HNS authorizes exhibitors to make retail sales of tangible personal property or service subject to sales tax. The exhibitor shall be solely responsible for any local, state or federal tax liability resulting from this contract or other tax implication arising from activities while exhibiting at the meeting.
- 7. Booths must be kept clean. The floor and display areas of the booth must be clear of debris. Exhibitors will be liable for any extra clean-up costs incurred due to displays, food machines and other means.
- 8. Use of electrical current is confined to lighting or the operation of such equipment that is harmless, noiseless and does not release undesirable odors.
- 9. Objectionable practices by exhibitors or official suppliers should be reported immediately to GSO/HNS management and not after the show is completed.
- 10. No children under 16 years of age will be allowed in the exhibit area at any time, unless accompanied by an adult.
- 11. It is agreed that GSO/HNS and the host facility shall not be liable for any damage to, or destruction of, any exhibit from any cause or for the theft or disappearance of any exhibit or any property contained in or about the exhibit booth area.
- 12. The exhibitor agrees to indemnify and hold harmless GSO/HNS and the host facility or their employees or their representatives against any and all liabilities for damage, injury or loss to all persons and any and all claims arising out of acts or omissions of exhibitors, their employees or their representatives.
- 13. GSO/HNS will only refund exhibitors who are pre-registered the cost of booth space and will not be held responsible or liable for charges or damages for any failure of performance due to acts of nature, labor disputes, and shortage of materials, governmental authority, or other circumstances beyond reasonable control of either party.
- 14. Neither GSO/HNS nor the venue maintains insurance covering property brought onto or stored on the venue's premises by exhibitors and it is the responsibility of the exhibitor to obtain or maintain such coverage at their own expense.
- 15. Exhibitors will not offer educational/training programs within the show facility simultaneous to the GSO/HNS and related programs.
- 16. This agreement includes a one-time list of pre-meeting and post-meeting attendees.

BOOTH CONSTRUCTION

- 17. All electrical work and electrical wiring must be approved and installed in accordance with regulations established by the officials of the Fire Marshal's Office.
- 18. No construction will be allowed at the sides or above the booth that may obscure the view of any adjacent booths.
- 19. All materials used for decorating must be flameproof.
- 20. Construction and signs that are above 8 feet in height must be approved by the GSO/HNS.
- 21. All applicable cities, county and state codes and ordinances must be complied with as well as those of the host facility.
- 22. Nothing shall be posted on, tacked, nailed or otherwise affixed to columns, walls, floors or other parts of the buildings, furniture or equipment.
- 23. In order to meet the set-up deadline, the GSO/HNS management reserves the right to order labor to set-up any exhibit that is not in the process of being erected by 7:00 AM Friday, July 29, 2022 The cost for this labor will be paid by the exhibitor. All exhibits must be fully broken down by 2:00 PM, Saturday, July 30, 2022.
- 24. The interpretation of all rules and regulations is the responsibility of the GSO/HNS Executive Committees or their designated representative.
- 25. All decisions of said group or representatives are final.

PAYMENT

Exhibitors must guarantee payment in full due to the amount selected on the exhibitor registration form before or on the date of the meeting or exhibitors will not be able to exhibit.

REFUND POLICY

Cancellations for all registered exhibitors 30+ days prior to the meeting date are eligible for 50% refund. Cancellation 29 days or less before the meeting date are not eligible for a refund.

AGREEMENT

As an exhibitor, I agree and adhere to all policies and regulations. If for any reason, the meeting must be canceled, management is not liable for any costs other than entry space fees that are already pre-paid. If the date or location must be changed for any reasons beyond management's control, it is agreed that the booth fee is non-refundable as a date or location change will be provided. Should my company decide to cancel this agreement and not exhibit at the event, a 50% refund will be issued if cancelled 30+ days prior to the meeting date. Cancellations 29 days or less before the meeting date are not eligible for a refund.

Signature:	Date:	

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