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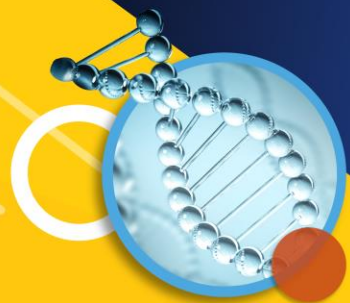
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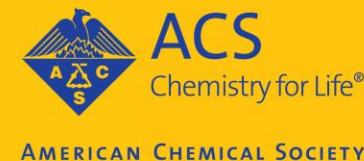
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## **Welcome**

### **to the ACS Spring 2025**

### **First Time Attendee Orientation**

### **Session**

### **March 7, 2025**

This meeting will be recorded and be available on the  
ACS Website.

If you have any questions, please use the Chat feature.

# Speakers for the Webinar



**Varnika Roy**



**Charnita Short**



**Adam Myers**



**Christine Aikens**



**Jacob Schwarz**



**Andrew Miller**



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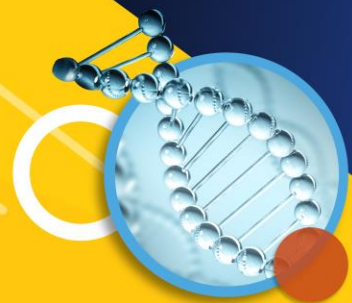
# Agenda

- Welcome – Varnika Roy, Meetings and Exposition Committee
- Meeting Overview & Registration – Varnika Roy, Meetings and Exposition Committee
- Session Schedules – Mobile App and Virtual Platform – Charnita Short, Sr. Planner, Event Technology, ACS
- Exposition and ACS Career Fair Experience – Adam Myers, Meetings and Exposition Committee
- Presentations and Sci-Mix – Christine Aikens, Meetings and Exposition Committee
- Networking and Events – Jacob Schwarz, Meetings and Exposition Committee
- Membership Engagement – Andrew Miller, Program Manager, ACS
- Q&A

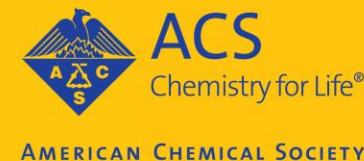


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## ACS Spring 2025 Registration & Meeting Overview



**Varnika Roy**

**Meetings and Exposition Committee**

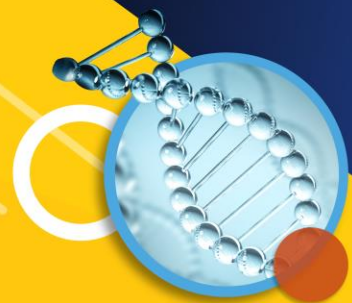
# ACS Spring 2025 Meeting

- March 23-27, 2025, at the San Diego Convention Center (SDCC) and surrounding hotels  
On-demand access will be available from March 28 – April 4
- 13,000+ expected registrants, of which 5,332 are first time attendees
- 11,900+ abstracts and more than 189 exhibiting companies
- Continue to provide live in-person and virtual participation both in scientific sessions as well as in social networking forums
- ACS Priestley Medalist Address and Board Open Session and Kavli Lectures will be live streamed from San Diego
- Expo featuring ACS Career Fair
- Student programming, including Grad School Fair



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## Registration



# Registration and Badge Pick Up



San Diego International Airport, Terminal 2  
West Baggage Claim, Carousels 4 & 5

Friday 12:00 PM – 8:00 PM

Saturday 9:00 AM – 8:00 PM

Sunday 9:00 AM – 7:00 PM

SDCC, Lobby D Foyer

Saturday 7:30 AM – 6:00 PM

Sunday 7:00 AM – 7:00 PM

Monday 7:00 AM – 7:00 PM

Tuesday 7:00 AM – 7:00 PM

Wednesday 7:00 AM – 7:00 PM

Thursday 7:00 AM – 11:00 AM

Hilton San Diego Bayfront (ACS Governance  
Hotel), Indigo Foyer, Lobby Level

Friday 1:00 PM – 5:00 PM

Saturday 7:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Sunday 7:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Monday 7:00 AM – 3:00 PM



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# First Time Attendees

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First Time Attendees will have a **blue** star on their registration badge.

We will also have First Time Attendee buttons available at the Registration Desk located outside of Hall D.



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## NEW

- ACS Meetings & Events is excited to partner with Crowd Connected to introduce smart tags with your badge at ACS Spring 2025!
- These tags offer an easy and convenient way to attend sessions and events without the need to scan your badge.
- **They are active during the event, only track session attendance via beacons in the Convention Center and the Marriott Marquis.**
- Smart tags are only linked to your unique badge number. Smart tags **do not** track movement, **do not** have a GPS element, and are **completely inactive outside of the event areas.**
- Enjoy a seamless and hassle-free experience with the addition of the new Crowd Connected smart tags at ACS Spring 2025!



ACS is committed to prioritizing sustainability. Don't forget to be green and recycle your lanyard, badge and tag when you depart the event!



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# Spring 2025 Certificates of Attendance and Meeting Surveys

Certificates of Attendance will be immediately available online after completing the ACS Spring 2025 Meeting Survey. A link to the certificate will be provided in your survey confirmation with further instructions.

Attendees who complete an ACS Spring 2025 Meeting survey onsite will be eligible to receive a free ACS Spring 2025 t-shirt at the ACS Info Booth located in Lobby D. T-shirt supplies are limited. In addition, gift card drawings will be held for completed post-event meeting surveys.

Your feedback is valuable!



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# ACS Spring 2025 Campus Map

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## SHUTTLE HOURS OF OPERATION

### Sunday, March 23

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM Every 20 minutes  
(Westin Bayview Only)

**Note:** Expect delays due to the marathon from 7 to 8 AM.  
**Shuttle service is only available from the Westin Bayview.**  
**All other hotels on Route A are walking only.**

8:00 AM - 10:00 AM Every 15 minutes  
10:00 AM - 4:00 PM Every 30 minutes  
4:00 PM - 10:00 PM Every 15 minutes

### Monday, March 24

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM Every 10 minutes  
10:00 AM - 4:00 PM Every 30 minutes  
4:00 PM - 10:00 PM Every 10 minutes

### Tuesday, March 25

7:00 AM - 10:00 AM Every 10 minutes  
10:00 AM - 4:00 PM Every 30 minutes  
4:00 PM - 10:00 PM Every 10 minutes

### Wednesday, March 26

7:00 AM - 10:00 AM Every 15 minutes  
10:00 AM - 4:00 PM Every 30 minutes  
4:00 PM - 10:00 PM Every 15 minutes

**Expect evening delays due to the concert.**

### Thursday, March 27

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM Every 20 minutes  
9:00 AM - 2:30 PM Every 30 minutes

MAP NUMBER	LOCATION	SHUTTLE ROUTE
★	<b>SAN DIEGO CONVENTION CENTER</b> • ANI, B&B, B&C, B&G, C&S, C&L, C&M, C&N, C&O, C&P, C&Q, C&R, C&S, C&T, C&U, C&V, C&W, C&X, C&Y, C&Z, C&AA, C&AB, C&AC, C&AD, C&AE, C&AF, C&AG, C&AH, C&AI, C&AJ, C&AK, C&AL, C&AM, C&AN, C&AO, C&AP, C&AQ, C&AR, C&AS, C&AT, C&AU, C&AV, C&AW, C&AX, C&AY, C&AZ, C&BA, C&BB, C&BC, C&BD, C&BE, C&BF, C&BG, C&BH, C&BI, C&BJ, C&BK, C&BL, C&BM, C&BN, C&BO, C&BP, C&BQ, C&BR, C&BS, C&BT, C&BU, C&BV, C&BW, C&BX, C&BY, C&CZ, C&DA, C&DB, C&DC, C&DD, C&DE, C&DF, C&DG, C&DH, C&DI, C&DJ, C&DK, C&DL, C&DM, C&DN, C&DO, C&DP, C&DQ, C&DR, C&DS, C&DT, C&DU, C&DV, C&DW, C&DX, C&DY, C&EZ, C&FA, C&FB, C&FC, C&FD, C&FE, C&FF, C&FG, C&FH, C&FI, C&FJ, C&FK, C&FL, C&FM, C&FN, C&FO, C&FP, C&FQ, C&FR, C&FS, C&FT, C&FU, C&FV, C&FW, C&FX, C&FY, C&GZ, C&HA, C&HB, C&HC, C&HD, C&HE, C&HF, C&HG, C&HH, C&HI, C&HJ, C&HK, C&HL, C&HM, C&HN, C&HO, C&HP, C&HQ, C&HR, C&HS, C&HT, C&HU, C&HV, C&HW, C&HX, C&HY, C&IZ, C&JA, C&JB, C&JC, C&JD, C&JE, C&JF, C&JG, C&JH, C&JI, C&JJ, C&JK, C&JL, C&JM, C&JN, C&JO, C&JP, C&JQ, C&JR, C&JS, C&JT, C&JU, C&JV, C&JW, C&JX, C&JY, C&KZ, C&LA, C&LB, C&LC, C&LD, C&LE, C&LF, C&LG, C&LH, C&LI, C&LJ, C&LK, C&LL, C&LM, C&LN, C&LO, C&LP, C&LQ, C&LR, C&LS, C&LT, C&LU, C&LV, C&LW, C&LX, C&LY, C&MZ, C&NA, C&NB, C&NC, C&ND, C&NE, C&NF, C&NG, C&NH, C&NI, C&NJ, C&NK, C&NL, C&NM, C&NN, C&NO, C&NP, C&NQ, C&NR, C&NS, C&NT, C&NU, C&NV, C&NW, C&NX, C&NY, C&OZ, C&PA, C&PB, C&PC, C&PD, C&PE, C&PF, C&PG, C&PH, C&PI, C&PJ, C&PK, C&PL, C&PM, C&PN, C&PO, C&PP, C&PQ, C&PR, C&PS, C&PT, C&PU, C&PV, C&PW, C&PX, C&PY, C&QZ, C&RA, C&RB, C&RC, C&RD, C&RE, C&RF, C&RG, C&RH, C&RI, C&RJ, C&RK, C&RL, C&RM, C&RN, C&RO, C&RP, C&RQ, C&RR, C&RS, C&RT, C&RU, C&RV, C&RW, C&RX, C&RY, C&SZ, C&TA, C&TB, C&TC, C&TD, C&TE, C&TF, C&TG, C&TH, C&TI, C&TJ, C&TK, C&TL, C&TM, C&TN, C&TO, C&TP, C&TQ, C&TR, C&TS, C&TT, C&TU, C&TV, C&TW, C&TX, C&TY, C&UZ, C&VA, C&VB, C&VC, C&VD, C&VE, C&VF, C&VG, C&VH, C&VI, C&VJ, C&VK, C&VL, C&VM, C&VN, C&VO, C&VP, C&VQ, C&VR, C&VS, C&VT, C&VU, C&VV, C&VW, C&VX, C&VY, C&WZ, C&XA, C&XB, C&XC, C&XD, C&XE, C&XF, C&XG, C&XH, C&XI, C&XJ, C&XK, C&XL, C&XM, C&XN, C&XO, C&XP, C&XQ, C&XR, C&XS, C&XT, C&XU, C&XV, C&XW, C&XX, C&XY, C&YZ, C&ZA, C&ZB, C&ZC, C&ZD, C&ZE, C&ZF, C&ZG, C&ZH, C&ZI, C&ZJ, C&ZK, C&ZL, C&ZM, C&ZN, C&ZO, C&ZP, C&ZQ, C&ZR, C&ZS, C&ZT, C&ZU, C&ZV, C&ZW, C&ZX, C&ZY	WALK
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2	<b>MANCHESTER GRAND HYATT SAN DIEGO</b> • Caribbean Harbor Drive • ACS National Awards Ceremony	A
3	<b>WYNDAH SAN DIEGO BAYSIDE</b> • Caribbean Harbor Drive	A
4	<b>WESTIN SAN DIEGO BAYVIEW</b> • Caribbean Broadway	A
5	<b>HILTON SAN DIEGO BAYFRONT</b> • Governance	WALK
6	<b>HILTON SAN DIEGO GASLAM QUARTER</b>	WALK
7	<b>HORTON GRAND HOTEL</b>	WALK
8	<b>HOTEL INDIANO SAN DIEGO</b>	WALK
9	<b>MARRIOTT MARQUIS SAN DIEGO MARINA</b> • ACES, ABIO, COL, ENL, ENOR, ESQ, POST, PASE	WALK
10	<b>OPINI SAN DIEGO HOTEL</b>	WALK
11	<b>HARD ROCK SAN DIEGO</b>	WALK
12	<b>PORTO VISTA HOTEL</b>	HOTEL SERVICE

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- San Diego Convention Center – Technical Sessions, Expo Hall, Poster Sessions, Career Fair, Leadership Workshops and Undergraduate Programming
- Hilton San Diego Bayfront (5 min. walk from SDCC) – Governance meetings and Workshops
- San Diego Marriott Marquis Marina (connected to SDCC) – Technical Sessions and Workshops
- Manchester Grand Hyatt (10 min. walk from SDCC) – National Awards Banquet

# ACS Information Booth

Visit the ACS Information Booth located in San Diego Convention Center in Lobby D and Sails Pavilion:

- Answers to your meeting-related questions
- Answers to your mobile app or virtual platform questions
- Assistance with finding items lost in the San Diego Convention Center
- Scooter rentals

## Information Booth, Lobby D

Hours of Operation:

- Saturday, March 22: 1:00 PM - 6:00 PM
- Sunday, March 23: 7:00 AM - 7:00 PM
- Monday, March 24: 7:00 AM - 7:00 PM
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## Information Booth, Sails Pavilion

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# ACS Priestley Medalist Address and Board Open Session



**Sunday, March 23 | 4:00 PM - 5:30 PM PT**  
Ballroom 6A/B, San Diego Convention Center  
All events are listed in **Pacific Time (PT)**.

## ***A Random (Mostly) Uphill Walk***

Prof. Frances Arnold

Linus Pauling Professor of Chemical Engineering,  
Bioengineering, & Biochemistry

President's Council of Advisors on Science &  
Technology, Executive Office of the President  
California Institute of Technology



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# Kavli Lecture Series



**The Kavli Foundation  
Emerging Leader in  
Chemistry Lecture**  
March 24 | 5:00 PM – 6:00 PM  
**Pacific Time (PT)**  
Ballroom 6A/B, San Diego  
Convention Center

***A Quantum Mechanical  
Frontier for Polymer  
Science***

Prof. Nicholas Jackson



**The Fred Kavli Innovations in  
Chemistry Lecture**  
March 25 | 5:00 PM – 6:00 PM  
**Pacific Time (PT)**  
Ballroom 6A/B, San Diego  
Convention Center

***Macromolecular  
Engineering by Atom  
Transfer Radical  
Polymerization***

Prof. Krzysztof Matyjaszewski



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# ACS Spring 2025 Presidential Events

- **ACS Chemistry Festivals: A Global Non-Formal Chemistry Education Model – Rationale, History, and Impact**  
Sunday, March 23 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
SDCC, Hall B-1, Room 1
- **ACS Chemistry Festivals: Chemistry of Sustainable Production in the Grape and Wine Industry**  
Monday, March 24 9:00 AM – 10:45 AM  
SDCC, Room 5B
- **Stories From the Bench & Field: Research from Chemical Technical Professional** Monday, March 24 10:00 AM – 11:45 AM  
Digital Meeting
- **Global Challenges and Advances in Energy, Food and Water Sustainability in the Face of Climate Change**  
Monday, March 24 2:00 PM – 5:00 PM  
SDCC, Ballroom 20D
- **Quantifying and Addressing the US Fentanyl Crisis**  
Monday, March 24 2:00 PM – 6:00 PM  
SDCC, Room 5B
- **How Belonging Unlocks Innovation in STEM Panel Discussion**  
Tuesday, March 25 3:00 PM – 4:30 PM  
SDCC, Sails Pavilion
- **Presidential LGBTQ+ and Allies Reception**  
Tuesday, March 25 5:30 PM – 7:30 PM  
Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina, South Pool Deck
- **Water Soluble Polymers Symposia by P&G**  
Wednesday, March 26 2:00 PM – 6:00 PM  
SDCC, Ballroom 20D



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# ACS Spring 2025 Program Highlights

- **ACS Kids Zone (registration required):**  
Saturday, March 22 11:00 AM – 2:00 PM  
Logan Memorial Educational Campus
  - **First Time Attendee Orientation:**  
Sunday, March 23 7:00 AM – 8:00 AM  
SDCC, Room 6A/B
  - **ACS Connect Happy Hour:**  
Sunday, March 23 6:00 PM – 7:00 PM  
SDCC, Sails Pavilion and Terraces
  - **Sci-Mix Interdisciplinary Poster Event:**  
Monday, March 24 8:00 PM – 10:00 PM  
SDCC, Hall C
  - **ACS National Awards Banquet and Ceremony (registration required):**  
Tuesday, March 25 7:30 PM – 10:00 PM  
Manchester Grand Hyatt, Harbor Ballroom
- The ACS National Awards program is designed to encourage the advancement of chemistry in all its branches, to support research in chemical science and in industry, and to promote the careers of chemists.



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# ACS Divisions

AGFD	Agricultural & Food Chemistry
AGRO	Agrochemicals
ANYL	Analytical Chemistry
BIOL	Biological Chemistry
BIOT	Biochemical Technology
BMGT	Business Management & Development
CARB	Carbohydrate Chemistry
CATL	Catalysis Science & Technology
CELL	Cellulose & Renewable Materials
CHAL	Chemistry & the Law
CHAS	Chemical Health & Safety
CHED	Chemical Education
CINF	Chemical Information
COLL	Colloid & Surface Chemistry
COMP	Computers in Chemistry
COMSCI	Committee on Science
CMA	Committee on Minority Affairs
CTP	Committee on Chemical Technical Professionals
ENFL	Energy and Fuel
ENVR	Environmental Chemistry
FLUO	Fluorine Chemistry

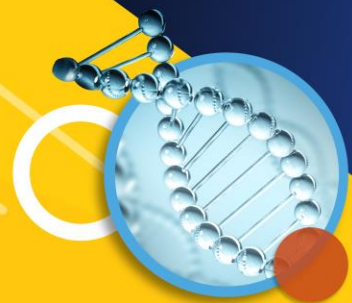
GEOC	Geochemistry
HIST	History of Chemistry
I&EC	Industrial & Engineering Chemistry
INOR	Inorganic Chemistry
MEDI	Medicinal Chemistry
NUCL	Nuclear Chemistry & Technology
ORGN	Organic Chemistry
PHYS	Physical Chemistry
POLY	Polymer Chemistry
PMSE	Polymeric Materials: Science & Engineering
PRES	ACS Presidential Events
PROF	Professional Relations
SCC	Senior Chemists Committee
SCHB	Small Chemical Businesses
SOCED	Society on Education/Undergraduate Program
TOXI	Chemical Toxicology
WCC	Women Chemists Committee
YCC	Younger Chemists Committee

Not programming at Spring 2025: TOXI

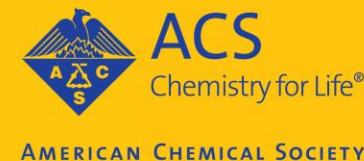


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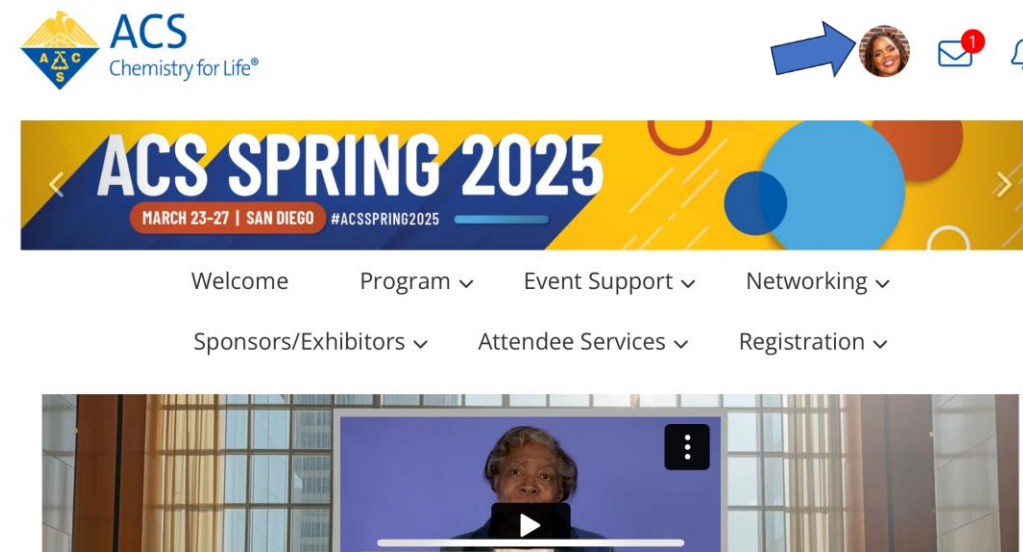
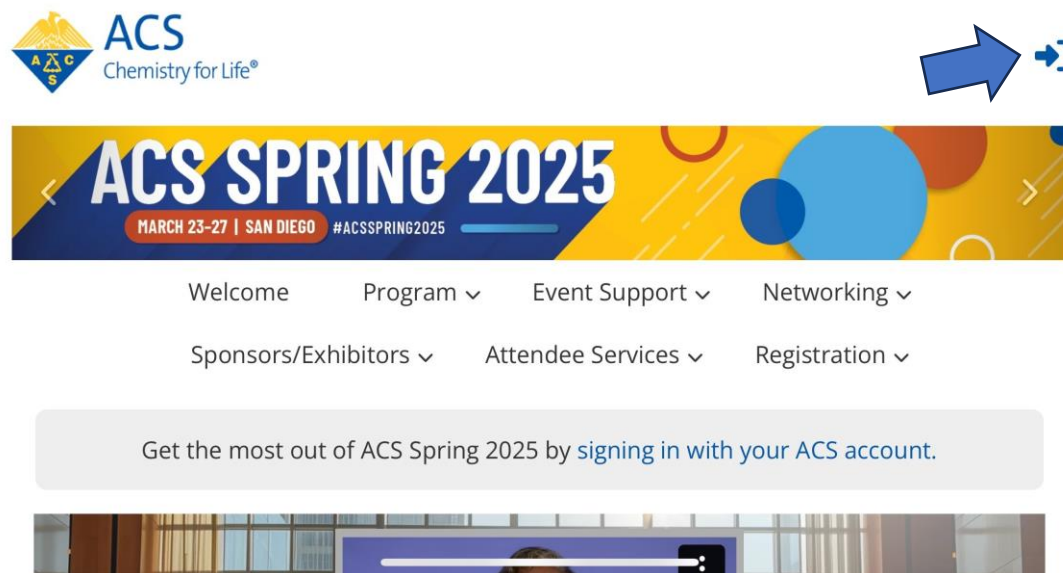
## Session Schedules Virtual Platform & Mobile App



**Charnita Short**

Sr. Planner, Event Technology, ACS

# Virtual Platform – Don't Forget to Log In





# Virtual Platform – Itinerary



Welcome Program ▾ Event Support ▾ Networking ▾

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Full Schedule

My Itinerary

Daily Highlights Video

Current & Upcoming Schedule

ACS 2025 Schedule

To display the meeting event ID, use the Preferred Time Zone

Registration ▾

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## My Itinerary

To view events in your time zone, edit Preferred Time Zone above the agenda. For easier session or poster search, use the platform's search and filter options.

Preferred (PST) ✎

LIST VIEW

CALENDAR VIEW

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FILTERS

Showing results 1 - 4 of 4

Sunday, March 23, 2025

ACS First Time Attendee Orientation

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM PDT

Sunday, March 23, 2025

Room: Ballroom 6A/B (San Diego Convention)



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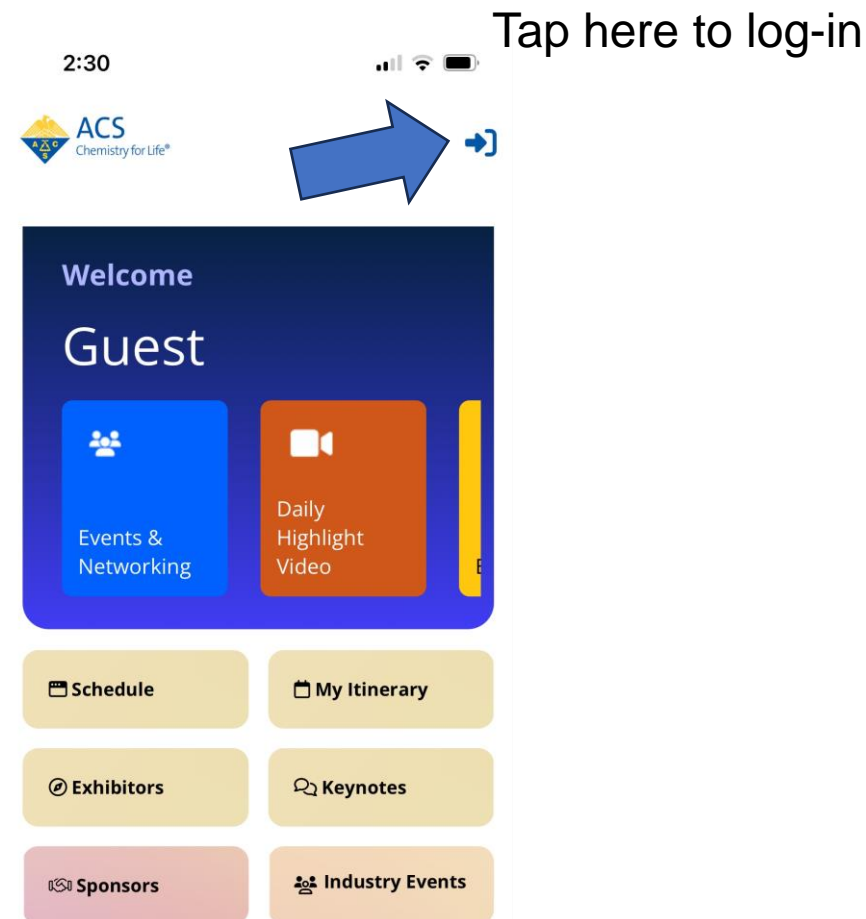
# Mobile App

**Progressive Web App – no app store needed. Simply scan the QR Code with your camera and follow the prompts for installation.**

Log in with your ACS ID, the same one you used to register for the meeting. You will need to be logged-in to experience all the features available to you within the meeting platform.

You will be prompted "if you'd like to remember this device for up to 30 days", select "yes, remember this device," or "no, this is a shared device" for quick login.

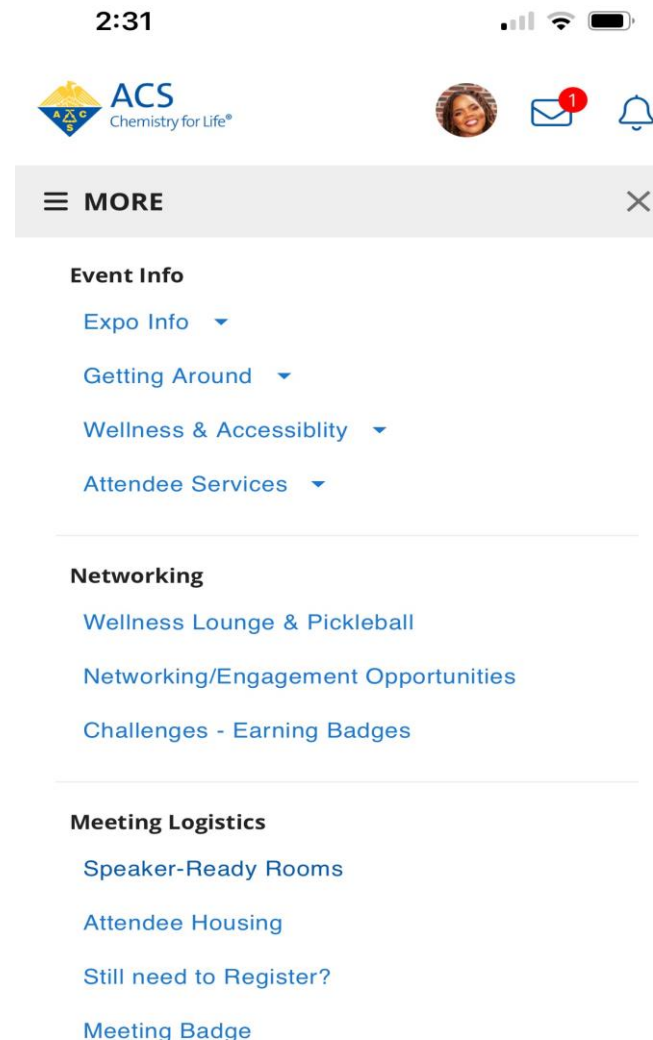
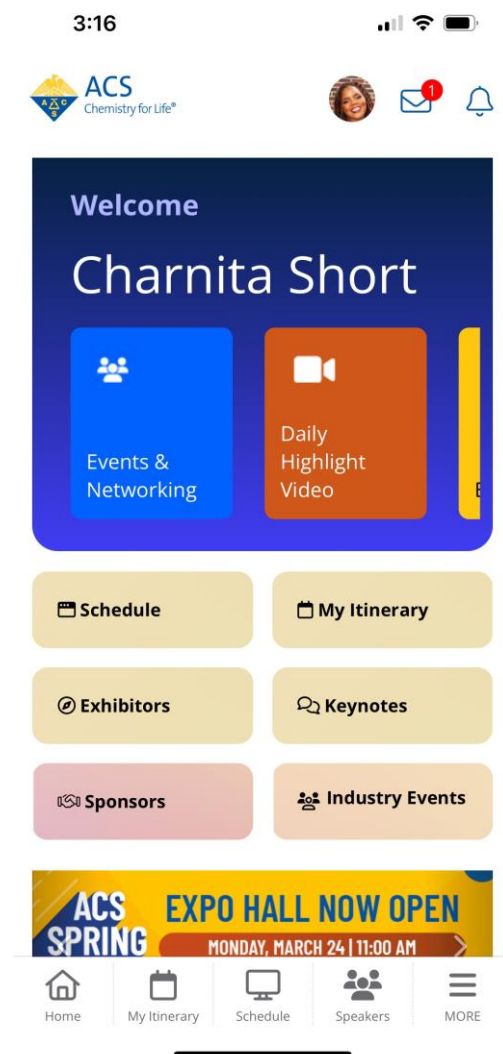
To enable notifications from the meeting app, select allow once you are logged into the meeting app or go to the setting for your device and turn on notifications. We encourage enabling notifications so you can receive the latest information such as last-minute room changes or reminders about important events.



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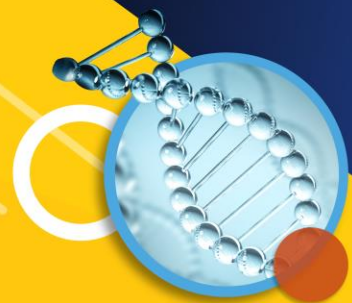


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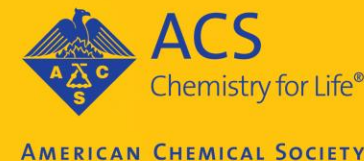


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## Exposition and ACS Career Fair!



**Adam Myers**  
Meetings and Exposition Committee



# Exposition



## Expo Hours SDCC, Hall D-E

- Monday & Tuesday, 11:00 AM – 5:00 PM
- Wednesday, 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

(Exclusive networking breaks and poster hours, 12:00 - 2:00 PM each day)

**Opening Kick-off** with a 20-minute *Brain Break*, followed by a live Mariachi band to set the tone for the day.

**Expo Theaters & Pitch Labs** Discover new insights and innovations in the Expo Theaters. The Pitch Labs offer fast-paced chats where exhibitors showcase their products and answer your questions in an intimate setting.

**Visit the ACS Booth and Store** for ACS services and branded merchandise.

**Wellness Activities!** We're excited to bring back pickleball, giving attendees a fun way to stay active and connect. Plus, don't miss the Wellness Lounge, featuring relaxing aura readings for a unique self-care experience during Expo hours on Monday & Tuesday.



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# ACS Career Fair



**Three days full of networking, skill-building, and professional development.**

**The Career Fair is open to all ACS Spring 2025 attendees.**

**SDCC, Hall D-E**

**Monday, March 24 - Tuesday, March 25  
11:00 AM - 5:00 PM**

**Wednesday, March 26  
10:00 AM - 2:00 PM**



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# ACS Career Fair

## Job Seekers

- Receive personalized career advice
- Receive a free professional headshot
- Attend a career development workshop
- Apply and interview for jobs (MEMBERS ONLY)

## Personal Career Consultations

- Schedule a one-on-one appointment with an ACS Career Consultant. Receive general career guidance, have your resume and/or LinkedIn profile reviewed, or improve your interviewing skills through a mock interview.

## Receive a free professional headshot

No appointment necessary, but contact information is required to receive a headshot.

## Attend a Workshop

ACS is offering a variety of in-person workshops on career pathways, leadership development, and professional education.

## Meet with an immigration attorney

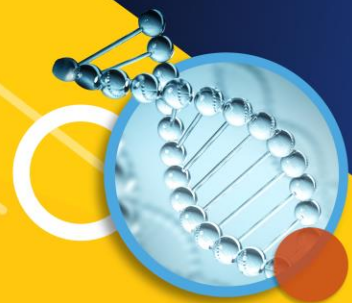
Receive a free consultation on entering the US workforce with an immigration attorney.



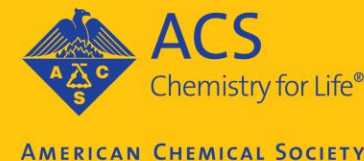
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## Presentations and Sci-Mix



**Christine Aikens**  
Meetings and Exposition Committee



# Poster Sessions / Sci-Mix

## Traditional Poster Sessions and Sci-Mix

**Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday**

**SDCC, Hall C**

- 12:00 PM – 2:00 PM
- 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM

**Monday**

**SDCC, Hall C**

- 12:00 PM – 2:00 PM
- 8:00 PM – 10:00 PM (*Sci-Mix Interdivisional Session*)

## POLY & PMSE Poster Sessions

**Sunday-Wednesday**

**Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina,  
Pacific Ballroom Foyer**

- 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM
- 1:00 PM – 3:00 PM



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# Presenters

## Oral

- Check-in 20 minutes before the symposium with the organizer.
- Yes, there will be laptops in the room.
- Bring your presentation on a USB drive or connect your personal device to present (via HDMI connection only).
- No, your session will not be recorded.
- Q&A can either be after your presentation or at the end after all presentations.

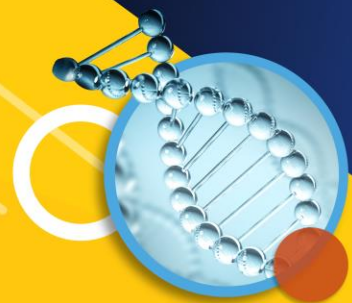
## Poster

- Poster must be 4' high by 8' wide.
- Check-in at the registration desk outside of Hall C one hour before your poster session.
- Push pins will be provided.
- Author(s) should remain with their poster the length of the session.
- Posters must be removed within an hour after the session ends.

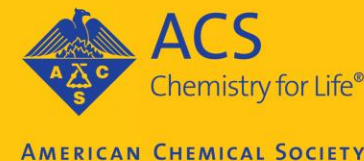


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## Networking and Events



**Jacob Schwarz**

**Meetings and Exposition Committee**

# Networking - Sunday

## **LAB 271 Escape Room (pre-registration required)**

Sponsored by: Molecule Maker Lab Institute (MMLI), the ACS Division of Small Chemical Business (SCHB), Division of Organic Chemistry (ORGN), Younger Chemists Committee (YCC), and Society Committee on Education (SOCED)

10:00 AM – 6:00 PM (Sunday-Wednesday)

SDCC, Room 22

*\*Check available time slots on-site\**

## **Virtual Escape Quest (pre-registration required)**

1:30 PM – 3:00 PM

Virtual Event

## **Graduate School Fair:**

1:00 PM – 4:00 PM

SDCC, Ballroom 20B/C

## **ACS Connect Happy Hour:** ★

6:00 PM – 7:00 PM

SDCC, Sails Pavilion and Terraces

## **Graduate Student and Postdoctoral Scholars Reception (ticketed event):**

6:45 PM – 8:00 PM

SDCC, Room 11B



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# Networking - Monday

## Fun Run

Hosted by Younger Chemists Committee (YCC)  
7:00 AM – 8:00 AM

## ACS Expo and Career Fair

Monday: 11:00 AM – 5:00 PM  
Tuesday: 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM  
Wednesday: 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM



## ACS Institute Networking Bingo & Lounge

2:30 PM – 3:30 PM (Monday-Tuesday)  
SDCC, Career Fair Hall D-E

## Line Dancing

Hosted by Younger Chemists Committee (YCC)  
6:30 PM – 8:00 PM  
SDCC, Room 10

Your instructor/lead will walk you through the basics to grasp some simple country line dances. All levels and experience are welcome. This is a great way to have some fun and wind-down after a great day of talks or keep the momentum going for an evening of posters. Come have some fun and maybe learn a new skill while keeping your body active.

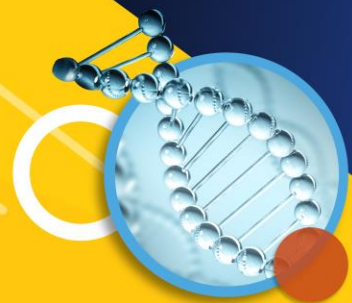
## Virtual Confetti Pub (pre-registration required)

7:00 PM – 9:00 PM  
Virtual Event

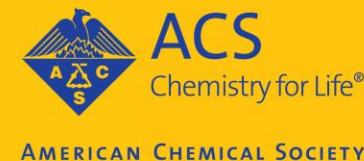


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## ACS Membership Overview



**Andrew Miller**

**Manager, Membership Strategy & Operations, ACS**

# ACS Membership Overview

- ACS Members receive access to a huge library of benefits and resources
- Engage with membership staff in San Diego and learn what we can do to help you at any stage in your career
- Become a Member or Renew your membership in San Diego and save
- Learn about our newest opportunity to refer new members and receive rewards

**How can we help you?**



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# ACS Membership Benefits

**An ACS Premium Package includes access to every benefit including:**

- Career Pathways and Leadership Development Workshops
- Career Consulting and ACS Institute course discounts
- Full C&EN subscription (digital or print) and quarterly Discovery Reports
- ACS Meeting registration discounts\*
- Entire ACS Webinars Library
- Membership in up to three Divisions at no cost (*for first-time members only*)
- LinkedIn Learning online courses
- 50 free downloads annually from over one million journal articles and book chapters
- CAS SciFinder® - 25 free activities annually
- **NEW!** Membership Referral Program

[www.acs.org/benefits](http://www.acs.org/benefits)

**\*Not a Member?** Join in San Diego at the Premium Package level and receive up to **\$400** back on your registration fee! Visit **Membership Services – Lobby D**



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# Already an ACS Member?

## Renew your membership in San Diego & **Save 20%** on your ACS national dues\*

- Lock in the current dues rate
- Stop by a self-service kiosk next to the Membership Services desk in Lobby D
  - Follow the instructions and enter a limited-time discount code: **SPR25RENEW**
- You can also visit the Member Lounge (Sails Pavillion) or ACS Booth (Expo Hall) for more information
- Renew onsite and receive an **extra giveaway** (visit the Member Lounge and show your confirmation email)

*\*Eligibility is limited to those without an existing paid renewal. Learn more at the upcoming listed locations.*



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# Visit the ACS Member Lounge

**ACS Members are invited to join us in the San Diego Convention Center, Sails Pavilion, to network with other attendees, learn about your benefits, ask questions, and even win a prize!**

## **Member Lounge Days and Hours**

- Sunday - Wednesday: 8:00 AM – 6:00 PM
- Thursday: 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM

## **On-site opportunities include:**

- Attend "Chat & Wrap" micro-learning sessions with ACS blanket raffle
  - Monday - Wednesday 10:00 AM, 1:00 PM, and 3:00 PM daily
  - Listen and learn about member resources, benefits, and experiences
- Pick up member appreciation gifts including ACS Meeting Pins (*Limited supply so stop by ASAP!*)
- Opportunities to participate in ACS research and provide feedback
- Stop by the **ACS Global Connect** on Tuesday from 2:00 PM – 3:30 PM



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# Other Places to Engage, Network, and Learn

## Inside the San Diego Convention Center:

- Membership Services Desk (Lobby D)
  - Inquire about your current membership, make updates to your profile
  - Non-members can join at the Premium package level and receive a partial registration refund
  - Self-service kiosks available for renewing at the 20% discount
    - Opt-in to autorenewal and then visit the Member Lounge to be entered to win a prize
- Membership Kiosk within the ACS Booth (Expo Hall)
  - Have a one-on-one conversation with ACS staff to learn about membership
  - Test your knowledge with a fun chemistry quiz!



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# NEW MEMBERSHIP REFERRAL PROGRAM

Refer a peer. Both of you are rewarded.



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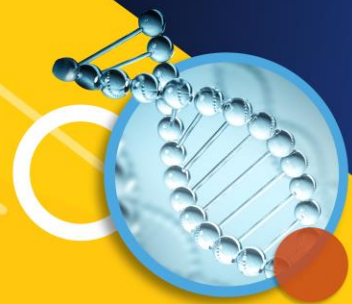


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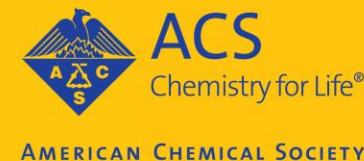


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