

WELCOME TO CHARLOTTE!

Look closely at Charlotte and you'll discover a lot. Thanks to new assets ranging from the NASCAR Hall of Fame to the dynamic dining and nightlife at The EpiCentre, you will be captivated by the city's blend of urban sophistication and Southern hospitality. Explore mind-blowing museums at the Levine Center for the Arts, adrenaline-rushing adventures at the U.S. National Whitewater Center, and much more adding to Charlotte's vibrant cityscape. Visitors are sure to find a lot to their liking—not to mention plenty of Southern comforts along the way.



The NASCAR Hall of Fame is offering discounted group rates to registrants of AWCI's Convention & INTEX Expo: \$17.95 for general admission, \$16.95 for seniors and \$11.95 for children ages 5-12. To get these discounted rates, show your convention badge when you purchase your tickets at the NASCAR Hall of Fame. **Please note that if you purchase tickets online you will not receive this discount and you will be charged an additional \$7 service charge.**

Accommodations

Two hotel options:

Westin Charlotte	\$219 per night
Omni Charlotte	\$189 per night

The official headquarters hotel for AWCI's Convention is the **Westin Charlotte**, 601 South College St., Charlotte, NC 28202. The Westin is directly across the street from the Charlotte Convention Center. **AWCI and INTEX attendees are extended special group rates of \$219 for single or double occupancy per night** April 10-23 in a standard guest room. **March 21, 2012, is the cut-off date for room reservations, or earlier if the block of rooms sells out sooner.**



Westin Charlotte

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Reserve your room early online by visiting **AWCI's website at www.awci.org/cd.shtml or by calling (866) 837-4148 or (704) 375-2600**. Tell the reservation agent that you are with AWCI or the Association of the Wall and Ceiling Industry to receive the **group room rate**. **Please ensure cancellations are made at least 72 hours prior to your scheduled arrival date in order to not be charged one night's room and tax.**



Omni Charlotte

Additionally, AWCI is holding rooms at the **Omni Charlotte**, 132 E. Trade St., Charlotte, NC 28202. The Omni is three short blocks from the Charlotte Convention Center and directly across the street from the EpiCentre, an entertainment mecca that includes lots of shopping, restaurants and bars such as Whisky River owned by NASCAR star Dale Earnhardt Jr. **AWCI and INTEX attendees are extended special group rates of \$189 for single or double occupancy per night April 10-23 in a standard guest room. *March 21, 2012, is the cut-off date for room reservations, or earlier if the block of rooms sells out sooner.*** Reserve your room early online (by visiting AWCI's website at www.awci.org/cd.shtml or by calling (800) 843-6664). Tell the reservation agent that you are with AWCI or the Association of the Wall and Ceiling Industry to receive the **group room rate**. All reservations must be guaranteed by a valid major credit card, which will be supplied at the time of reservation. **Any guaranteed reservation not canceled 72 hours prior to arrival will be subject to one night's room and tax cancellation fee.** All guaranteed reservations that fail to arrive on the scheduled arrival date will be considered No-shows and a charge of one night's room and tax will be posted to the credit card on file.

See the map on the next page for the proximity of the Westin Charlotte and the Omni Charlotte to the Charlotte Convention Center. Light rail connects the convention center, Omni and Westin, in case you don't feel like walking.

Hours of Registration

Monday, April 16	2 p.m.–7 p.m.
Tuesday, April 17	10 a.m.–5 p.m.
Wednesday, April 18	7:30 a.m.–5 p.m.
Thursday, April 19	8 a.m.–1 p.m.

CHARLOTTE MAP

