



CONFERENCE FAQs and GENERAL INFO ABOUT SANTA FE :

What's the schedule for the Conference and workshops, and who do I contact for information ? Click [here](#) to see the schedule for the Demos/Speakers for the Conference. There is an info table at the Conference venue, staffed from 8-9 am, or contact Douglas and Adrienne Mehrens, Mehrens@eainm.com or 505-989-3283 for any questions you may have. For workshop registration, [info](#) and schedule, click [here](#).

How do I register, when does registration end for the Conference and for workshops? [Online registration is open for the Conference](#) and [pre- and post-conference workshops](#) until midnight MST Monday, September 14. Last minute registration for the Conference and workshops (as space allows) is available at the Museum of Encaustic Art in Santa Fe from noon-5 pm Tuesday, Sept 15 - Sat, Sept 19.

What if I need to withdraw from the Conference after I have registered? Click [here](#) for the cancellation/withdrawal policy for the Conference.

Do I Need A Car To Get Around In Santa Fe? If you're staying outside the downtown area, your best bet is to have a car. There is city-wide taxi service and a public bus system, [Santa Fe Trails](#), that serves the city with six routes, including the free [Santa Fe Pickup Shuttle](#). Buses operate from 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, and from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Saturdays. There is no service on Sundays or holidays. Schedules are available on each bus, at libraries and at locations throughout the city. For schedule, rate and fare information, call 984-6730. For Conference attendees, The Lodge at Santa Fe (the conference main venue) and the Museum of Encaustic Art/Encaustic Art Institute are located a short 5-minute car ride apart. See additional [notes](#) regarding transportation for workshops. Uber has a strong presence in Santa Fe if you prefer to use it to get around.

What should I know about visiting Santa Fe? Santa Fe's high altitude (7,000 feet above sea level) means the air is thinner. It usually takes about 48 hours to adjust. Staying hydrated helps. The climate can change rapidly and often. Be sure to check current conditions before traveling. Wear sturdy walking shoes, and casual dress for most restaurants is acceptable. Using hand-held cell phones while driving in Santa Fe is illegal, but hands-free devices are allowed.

Where can I eat? Continental breakfast is served for Conference attendees from 8-9 am at The Lodge at Santa Fe. There are more than 200 restaurant choices ranging from local New Mexican flavors to authentic world cuisines. Click [here](#) for a few restaurant ideas in Santa Fe. Reservations are strongly suggested for most restaurants in Santa Fe.

Where can I do some shopping? Click [here](#) for some ideas of the shopping options you'll find in Santa Fe.

Where can I look at Art? Many galleries are located on [Canyon Road](#) as well as the [Railyard Arts District](#). You'll find gallery guides in shops around Santa Fe, or click [here](#) for a partial listing of galleries, and [museums](#).