



On-Site Resources

AAOS 2025 Annual Meeting

Welcome to San Diego! This guide is your go-to resource for navigating the meeting, maximizing your experience, and staying connected while onsite.

Thank you for joining us at #AAOS2025!



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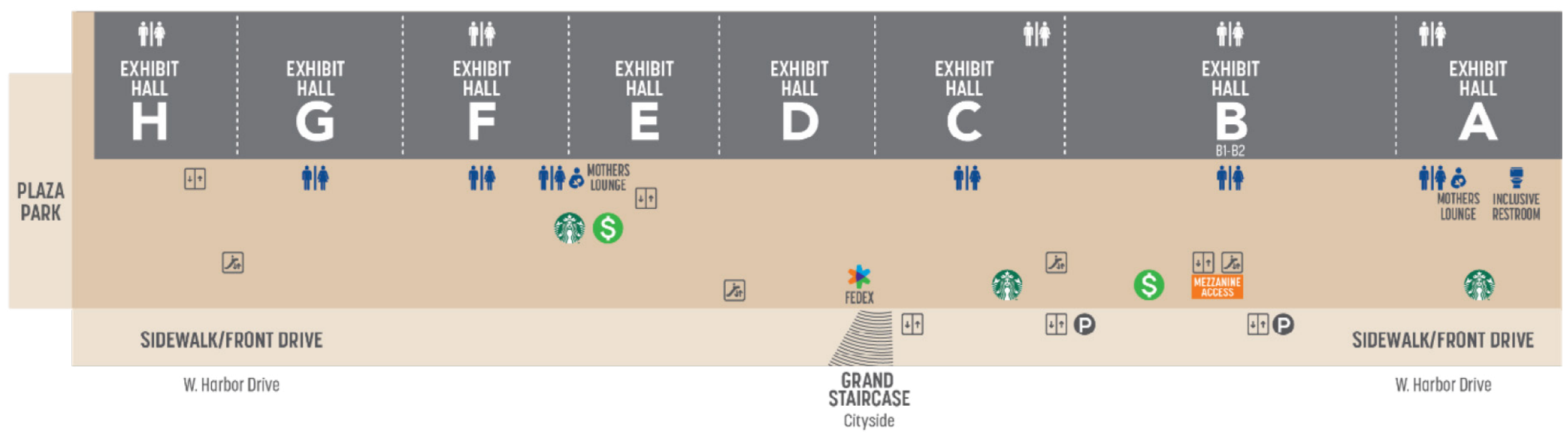
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Venue Map

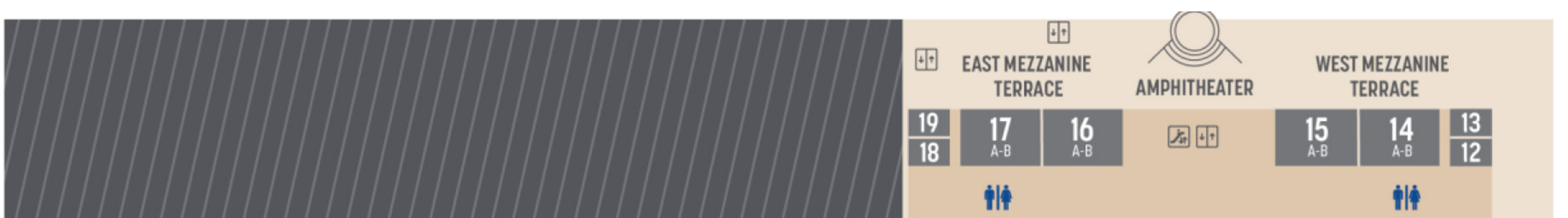
Ground Level

Lobbies A-H, Exhibit Halls A-H, Plaza Park



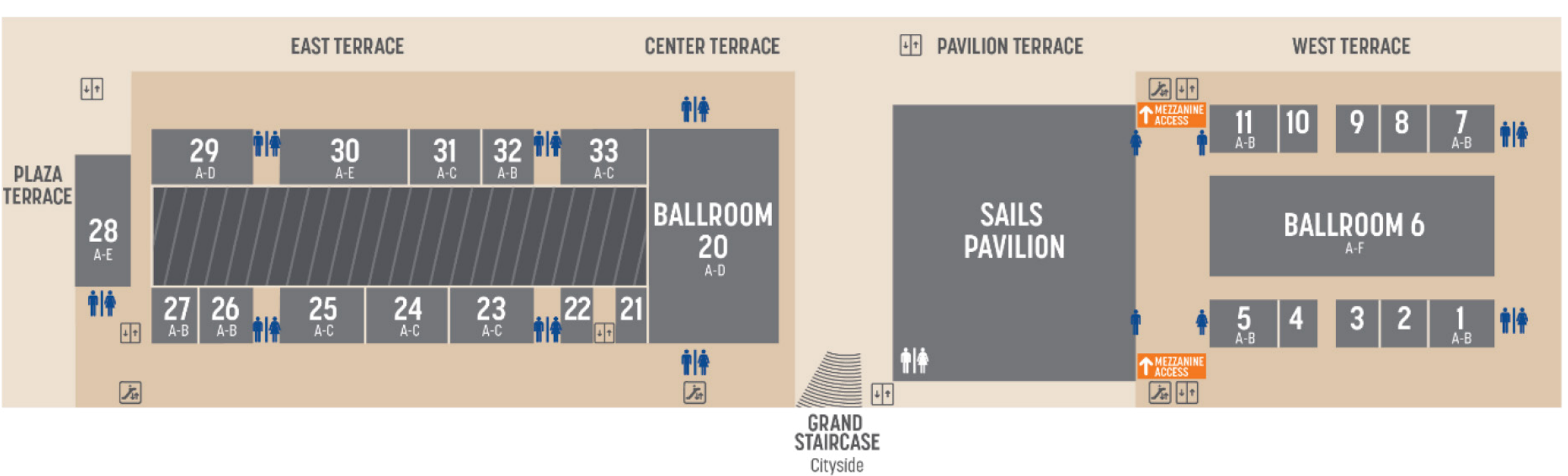
Mezzanine Level

Meeting Rooms 12-19, Mezzanine Terraces



Upper Level

Meeting Rooms 1-11 and 21-33, Ballroom 20, OrthoLive, Sails Pavilion, Terraces





Ground Transportation

Shuttle Information

Complimentary shuttle service runs between the San Diego Convention Center and official AAOS hotels. Check the “Shuttles and Maps” section in the mobile app for schedules and updates. For wheelchair-accessible shuttles during service hours or other shuttle questions, contact the shuttle supervisor at the convention center or call/text Kushner & Associates: (626) 873-0018.

Public transportation information

San Diego’s downtown offers excellent walkability from the Convention Center, with most attractions accessible by foot. The airport is just a 15-minute drive away (3 miles), and public transportation includes the MTS Trolley with two Convention Center stops and train service via Santa Fe Depot. Downtown transportation options include taxis, rideshare services, FRED (free downtown electric shuttle), dockless scooters, bike rentals, and airport rental cars.



For detailed transportation information including schedules, maps, and booking resources, visit [here](#).

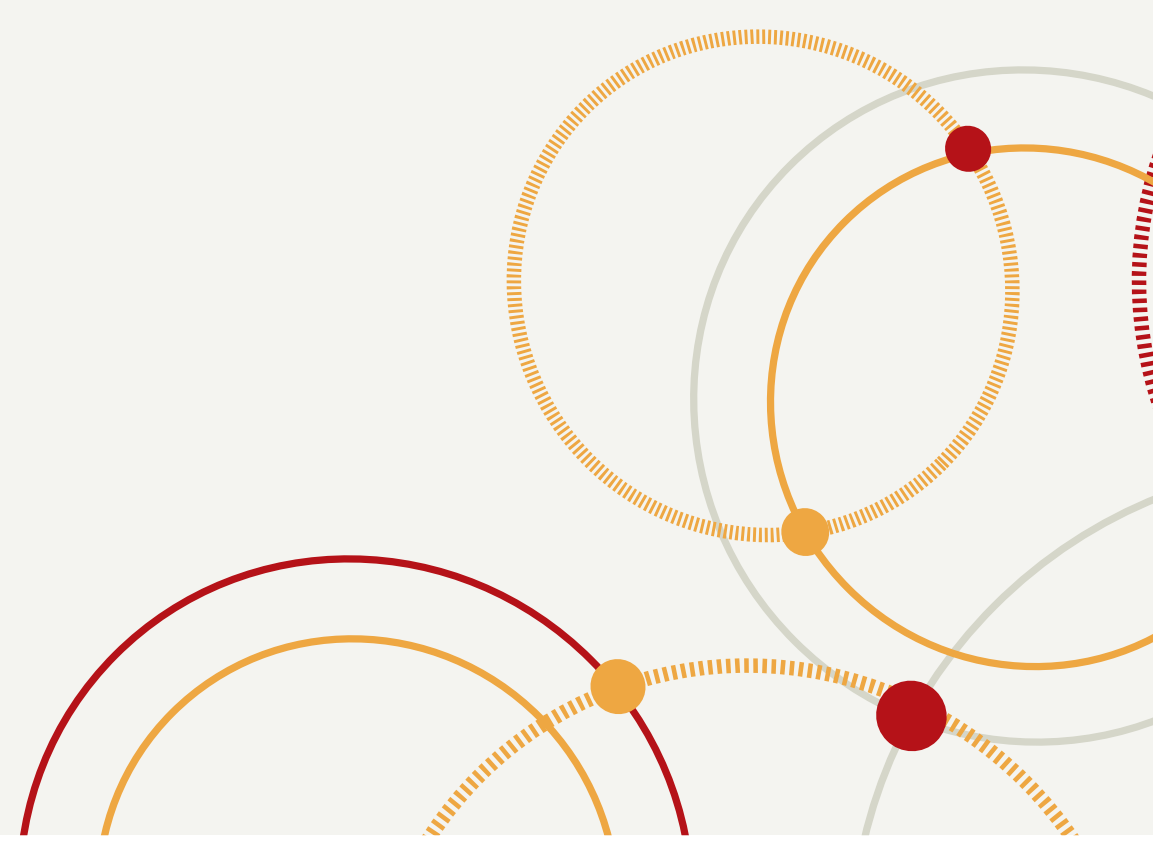
Registration and Check-In

Hours of Operation

Sunday: 2–5 p.m.

Monday–Thursday: 7 a.m.–5 p.m.

Friday: 6:30–11:30 a.m.



Attendee Registration, Check-in, Ticket Sales & Exchanges

- Lobbies A & D

Attendee Registration Check-in Hotel Satellite Locations – Sunday & Monday Only

- Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina
- Hilton Bayfront

Badge Pickup Information

To receive your required badge, visit the Registration Counter with your registration confirmation (electronic or printed). Badges are mandatory for access to the Exhibit Hall, AAOS sessions, Annual Meeting events, and Specialty Society Programs.



CME and Education



How to claim CME

CME credits can only be earned after checking in and receiving your meeting badge at the Registration Desk. Once checked in, scan any Digital CME Certificate QR code located throughout the conference center to receive your certificate via email from AAOS and participating Specialty Societies. No printing available. CME transcripts will be accessible approximately two weeks after the meeting ends.

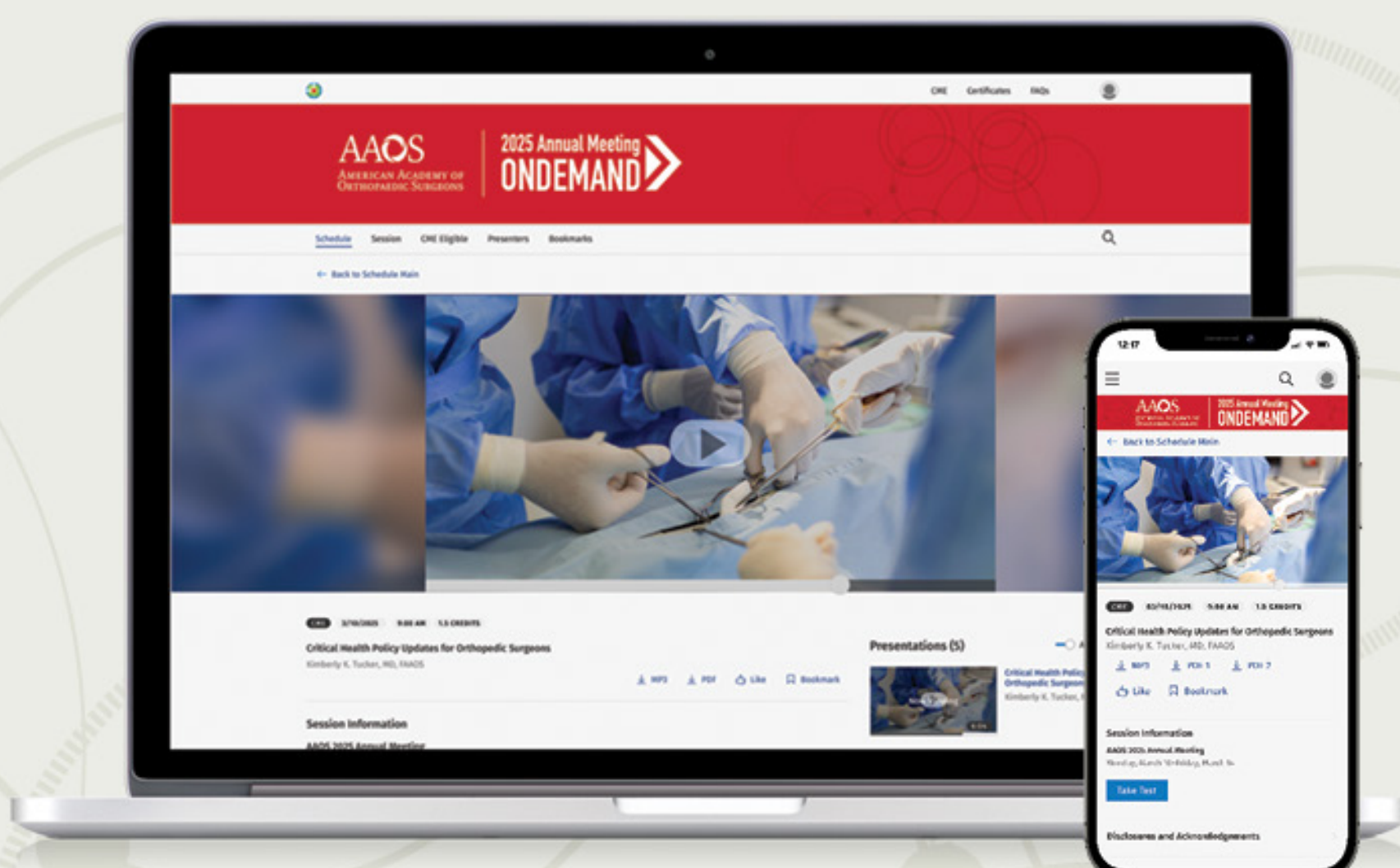
Earn More CMEs with AAOS 2025 Annual Meeting OnDemand

Take up to 50% off* during the meeting

Missed a session? We've got you covered! Access education sessions online at anytime and earn additional CME credits.

The special discount offer is only available this week. Purchase now at aaos.ondemand.org/sandiego

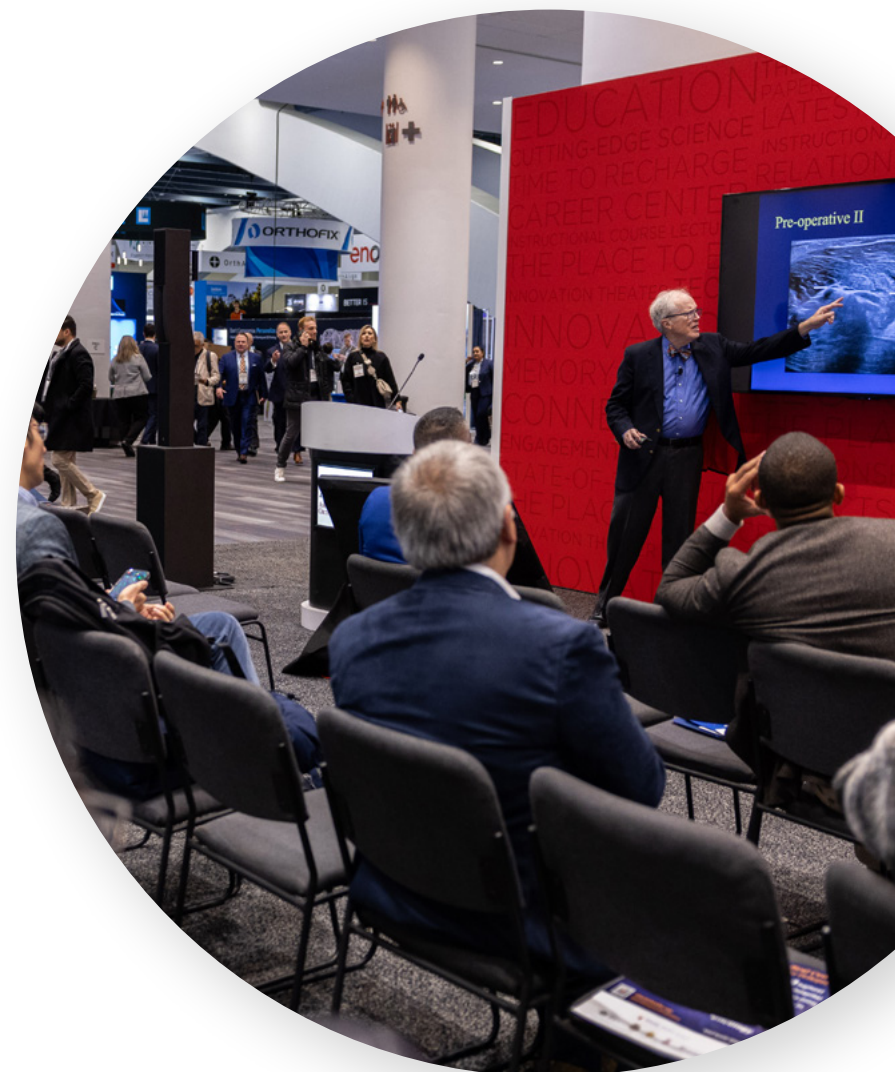
**Prices vary by membership type*



Theaters

Innovation Theater: Exhibit Hall 20 Minutes

Experience rapid-fire 20-minute spotlight sessions showcasing the newest advances in orthopaedic care. See cutting-edge products and research presented by industry pioneers, giving you an exclusive first look at emerging technologies and breakthrough developments shaping the future of the field.



Engagement Theater: OrthoLive 30 Minutes

In focused 30-minute sessions, speakers cover a wide spectrum of essential topics including advocacy, research advances, and diversity initiatives. These engaging presentations deliver key updates and insights in an accessible lecture format.



Poster Tour Theater: OrthoLive 60 Minutes

Join a 60-minute guided tour of top-rated posters led by recognized experts. Experience an interactive walkthrough highlighting key research findings, with opportunities to ask questions and gain deeper insights from field leaders.



Orthopaedic Video Theater: Exhibit Hall | Self-Paced

Access a curated collection of peer-reviewed surgical technique videos, featuring award-winning procedures and new channel releases. Select and watch high-quality orthopaedic demonstrations at your own pace.



Attendee Services



- AAOS Headquarters Office: Room 23B
- Business Center: FedEx, Lobby D
- Coat & Luggage Check: Lobby A
- Exhibits Office: Room 22
- Hotel Desk: Lobby D
- International Business Office: Room 25B
- Lactation Rooms: Women's restrooms in Lobbies A and E
- Magazine Office: Room 25A
- Prayer Room: Room 17A
- Press Office: Room 25C

Information and Assistance



- App Help Desks:** Lobby D & OrthoLive, Sails Pavilion
- Info Centers:** Lobbies A, E, G and Ballroom 20 Lobby
- International Surgeons Lounge:** Room 25B
- Membership Booth:** Lobby D

Health and Safety



First Aid Station: Outside Ballroom 20A

Emergency Numbers

San Diego Convention Center: 619-525-5911

From a facility house phone: 5911

Outside emergencies: 911

Poison Control: 800-222-1222 (Nationwide)

Other Resources



AAOS Learning & Practice Store: Lobby E

AAOS OrthoPAC Booth: OrthoLive, Sails Pavilion

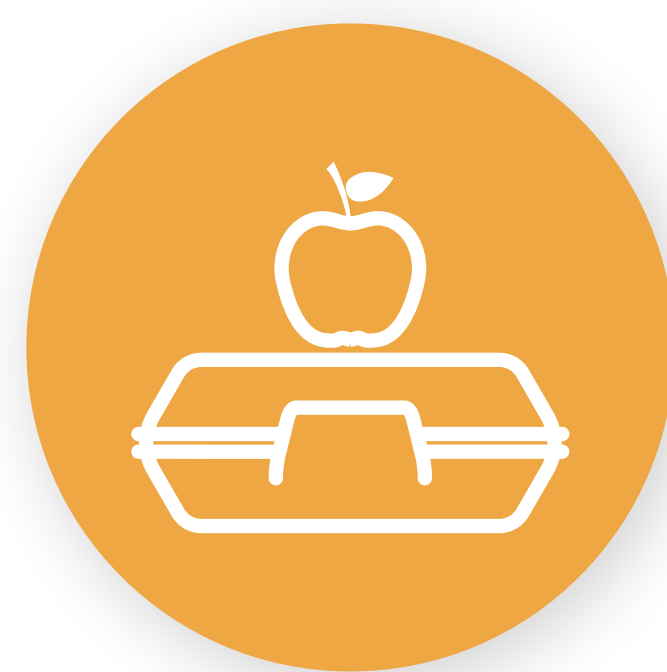
ABOS Booth: OrthoLive, Sails Pavilion

Annual Meeting OnDemand Sales Booth: Lobby D

OLC Education and Conference Center Booth:
Exhibit Hall D, Booth 3041

OREF Booth: OrthoLive, Sails Pavilion

Food and Drink



Concessions: Located throughout the convention center including the Exhibit Hall and OrthoLive, Sails Pavilion.

Starbucks: Lobbies A, C, and E

Water Bottle Fill Stations: Various locations throughout the convention center.

Mobile App

Intro to the App

Our mobile app serves as your personal assistant throughout the Annual Meeting. From AI-powered session recommendations to instant access to essential meeting information, everything you need is just a tap away. Whether you're looking for specific sessions, searching for speakers, or exploring exhibitor locations, our streamlined navigation puts the entire meeting at your fingertips.

Top Bar Navigation

☰ Hamburger Menu

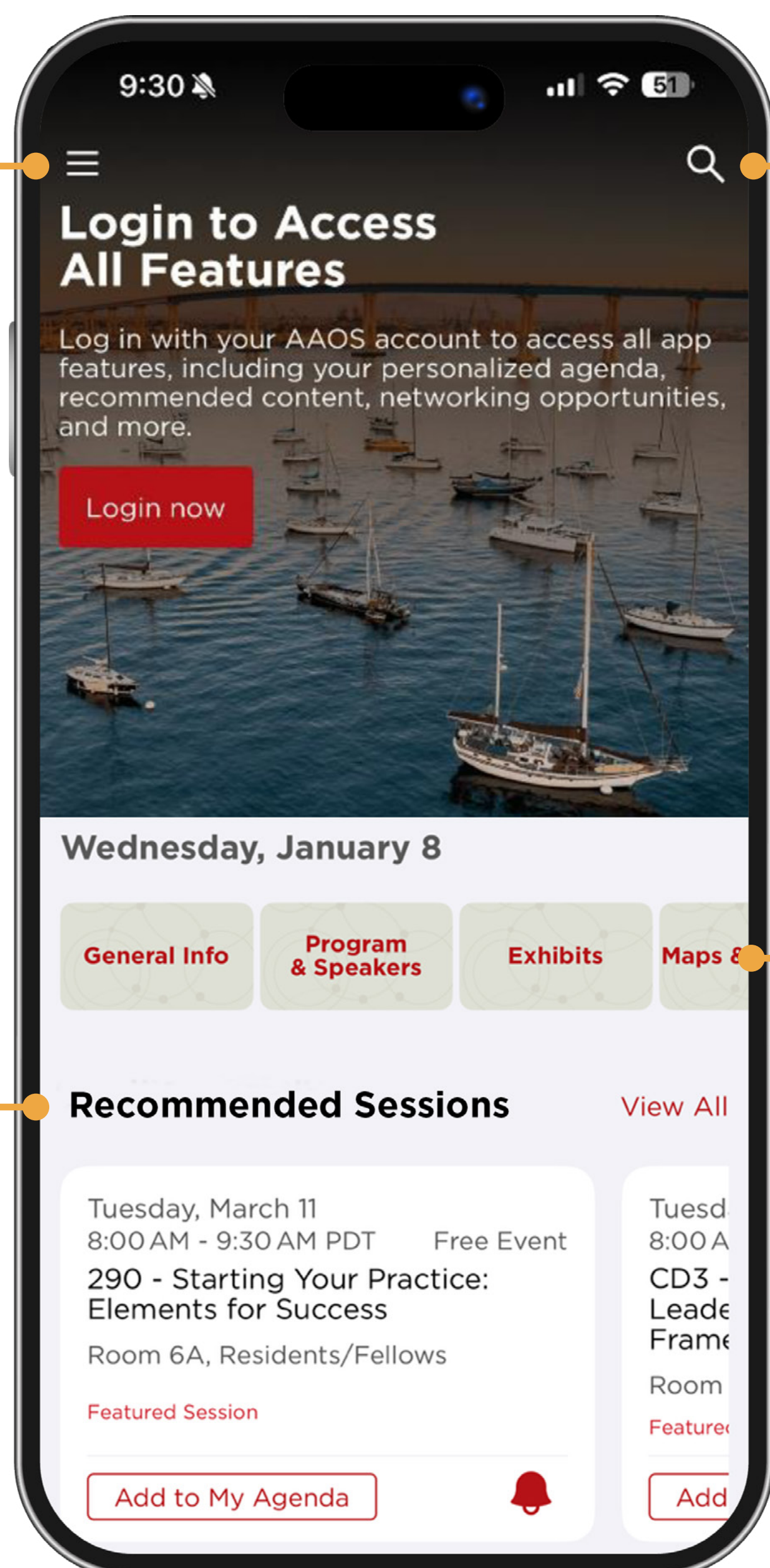
- Your gateway to all Annual Meeting features
- Quick access to essential meeting tools
- One-tap navigation to key sections

🔍 Search Icon

- Find sessions instantly
- Locate exhibitors
- Search for speakers
- Discover venue locations

Hamburger Menu

Search Icon



Recommended Sessions

Quick Links



Keep learning about the Mobile App.

Recommended Sessions

- Personalized AI-powered recommendations
- Updates based on your interactions
- Check the “recommended” advanced filter in my agenda to view yours

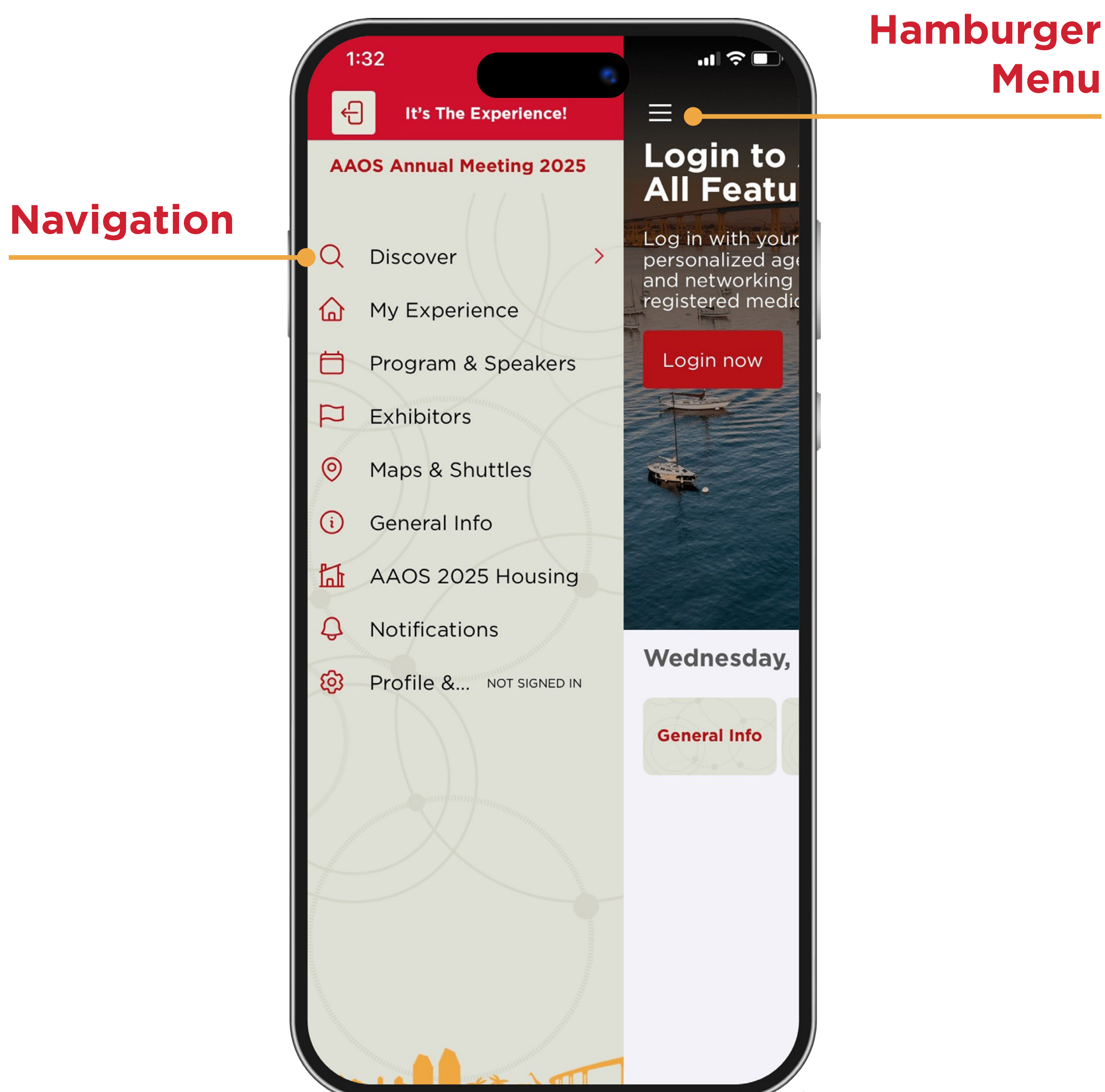
Quick Links

- Access today’s most important content
- Direct routes to priority information
- Time-sensitive updates and alerts

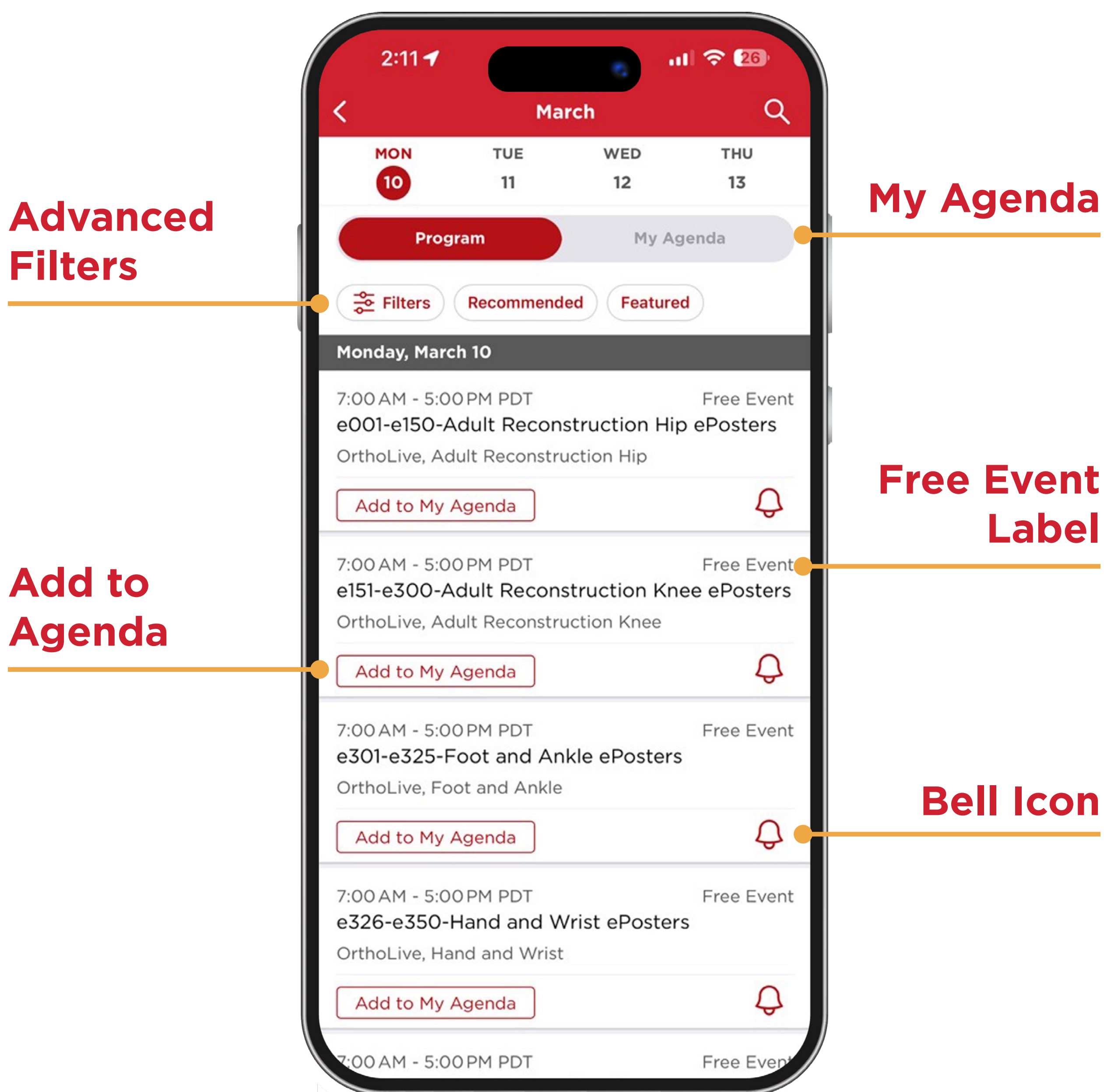
Note: Your app experience will become more personalized as you use it, with AI recommendations adapting to your preferences.

Mobile App Pro Tip



- Use the hamburger menu for comprehensive navigation
- Utilize search for precise content finding





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Search & Filter

-  **Search Icon:** Quickly find specific sessions, exhibitors, speakers, or locations
-  **Advanced Filters:** Comprehensive filtering options across the entire program to customize your view


Navigation

-  **Carrot Button:** Returns you to the previous screen
-  **My Agenda:** View all your purchased and saved sessions in one place

Session Management

-  **Add to Agenda:** Save sessions to your personal agenda
-  **Bell Icon:** Receive a notification 10 minutes before your saved sessions begin

Event Information

-  **Free Event Label:** Indicates sessions that are included with your registration, requiring no additional purchase

Tips for Using the Program

- Use filters to narrow down sessions by date, topic, or format
- Set reminders for must-attend sessions to ensure you don't miss them
- Check "My Agenda" regularly to review your scheduled activities
- Look for the "Free Event" label to identify sessions included in your registration