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The Clyde Hotel, Albuquerque, New Mexico USA

Conference Guest Events





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Welcome to the Society of Allied Weight Engineers [84th Annual International Conference](#) in Albuquerque, New Mexico. In addition to the great technical content you will encounter at the conference, we have assembled a great line up of optional events in the local area for you and your guests to enjoy that will ensure you have a memorable time during your stay with us. The schedule for the events is summarized below with more details on the following pages. Note that the Hospitality Suite is open each evening from Monday through Thursday following the day’s events.

	Sunday May 18	Monday May 19	Tuesday May 20	Wednesday May 21	Thursday May 22	Friday May 23			
7:00 AM	Registration	Registration	Registration	Registration	Registration				
7:30 AM									
8:00 AM						Day at New Mexico Tech			
8:30 AM	National Museum of Nuclear Science & History (Students)	Botanic & Japanese Gardens / Old Town			Santa Fe Day Trip				
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* New attendees welcome to join Executive Committee at 5:30 PM.

Sign up for these events and make your meal choices when you register for the conference.



National Museum of Nuclear Science & History

Monday, May 19th

All student attendees are invited to an exclusive and **free** trip to the [National Museum of Nuclear Science and History](#)! The museum was established in 1969 as an intriguing place to learn the story of the Atomic Age, from early research of nuclear development (e.g., the Manhattan Project) through today's peaceful uses of nuclear technology. Visitors can explore how nuclear science continues to influence our world. The museum strives to present, through permanent and changing exhibits and displays, the diverse applications of nuclear science in the past, present, and future along with the stories of the field's pioneers.

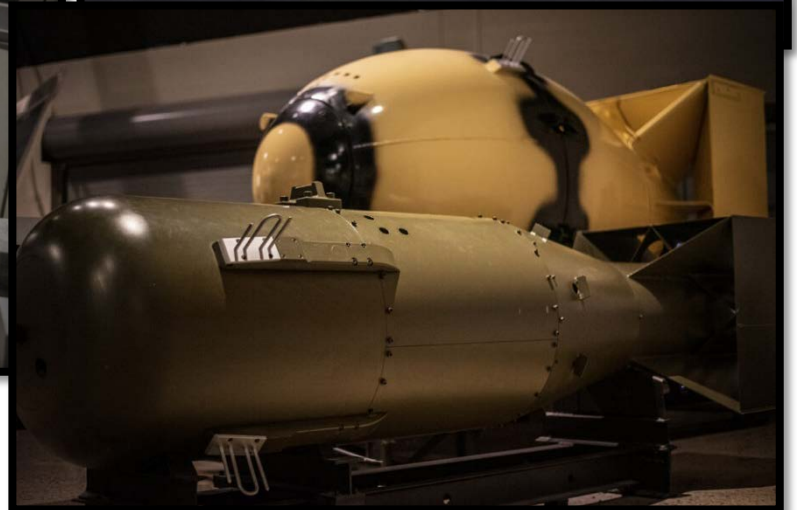
After the museum, we will stop for lunch before returning to the hotel.

This is a must-see, so students, be sure and register early to get this free perk!

Cost: FREE (Students Only)

Transportation from the Clyde hotel and museum entrance fees are included with student conference registration.

Depart from the hotel lobby at 8:30 AM.





Welcome Reception

Monday, May 19th

All conference attendees and guests are invited to our Welcome Reception to be held in the 1st Floor Atrium of the Clyde hotel. Enjoy a sumptuous buffet of hors d'oeuvres and beverages and connect with your colleagues. The SAWE Executive Committee will be present, and we are looking forward to meeting everyone, especially any newcomers to our conference.

Cost: See below

Food and one drink ticket included with conference registration. Cash Bar available.

Executive Committee and New Attendees meet at 5:30 PM. All others meet at 6:00 PM.





Botanic & Japanese Gardens / Old Town

Tuesday, May 20th

A wonderful day trip awaits those who choose to join us for an expedition to the [Albuquerque Botanic and Japanese Gardens](#). These beautiful attractions will surely appeal to all nature lovers. Opened in 1996, the Botanic Garden has grown to 32 acres of exhibits and showcases plants from the American Southwest and around the world. The Botanic Garden's BUGarium is one of the most elaborate exhibits dedicated to bugs and arthropods in the country. Also, the four-acre Sasebo Japanese Garden hosts a majestic waterfall, an elegant koi pond and a mixture of Japanese and local plants. Stone lanterns and pagoda sculptures dot the grounds and stone and wooden bridges straddle small streams. The Travel Channel cites ABQ BioPark Botanic Garden as one of the top 12 in the country!

Following our trip to the gardens, we will travel to Old Town for lunch and a chance to shop and explore this historic part of the city.

Cost: \$45

Includes round trip transportation from the Clyde hotel and entrance fee to gardens. Meal cost not included.

Depart from the hotel lobby at 9:00 AM.





Sawmill Market

Wednesday, May 21st

Go on a culinary adventure to the [Sawmill Market](#) just minutes away from the Clyde Hotel. The Sawmill Market was created in 2019 by transforming the historic Paxton lumberyard building into a 34,000-square-foot food hall, outdoor gathering place, and community gathering hall for Albuquerque, showcasing the beauty of New Mexico through food, diversity, and art. The market houses 27 individual local merchants including a brewpub, a cocktail and wine bar, and a mercantile shop. At the center is THE YARD, an outdoor dining and play space. An hourly shuttle will be available.

Choose from a wide variety of dining and refreshment options for a memorable meal with old friends and a chance to make some new ones as well. Options include:

- Botanic Bar
- Churro y Corn
- Flora Restaurant
- Flora Taco To Go
- Lemon & Brine
- Little Madrid
- Mercantile Cafe
- Mobile Bar
- Paleta Project
- Paxton's Taproom
- Red & Green New Mexican Cuisine
- Sweets Soda Fountain
- The Rosé Bar
- West Cocktail & Wine Bar
- Hook it Up
- Crème de la Crème
- Dr. Field Goods
- Frenchie's Sandwiches
- Hawt Pizza Company
- Hiro Sushi
- Keva Juice
- Kulantro
- Meso Grill
- Neko Neko
- Notorious P.O.K.E.
- Little Bear Coffee
- Stuffed Potatoes & Brats
- Tulipani Pasta
- XO Waffle



Cost: \$20

Includes round trip transportation from the Clyde hotel. Meal cost not included.

Shuttle departs hourly from the hotel lobby beginning at 3:00 PM. The last shuttle will leave the market by 9:00 PM.



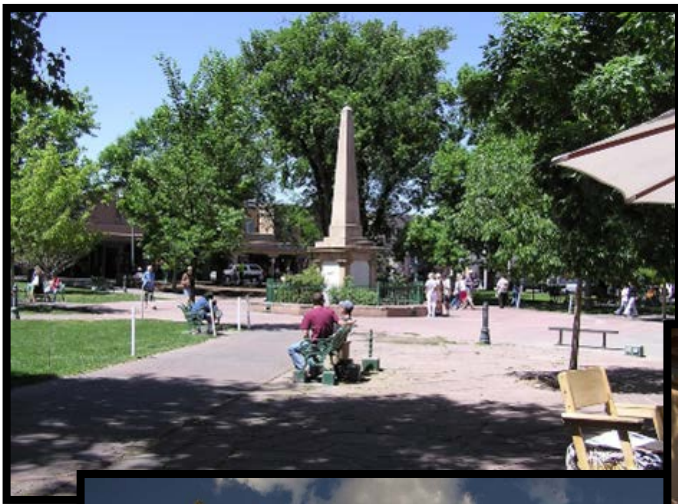
Santa Fe

Thursday, May 22nd

Another incredible day trip you don't want to miss will be our adventure to nearby historic [Santa Fe, New Mexico](#). Founded in 1610 as the capital of Nuevo México, a province of New Spain, Santa Fe is the oldest state capital in the United States and the earliest European settlement west of the Mississippi River. Santa Fe, which hosts over 250 art galleries and a large concentration of museums, is widely regarded as one of the country's great art cities due to its vibrant art scene.

The day will begin with a drive to the Santa Fe Plaza, which is at the cultural heart of the city. A short walk from the plaza will take you to the Palace of Governors, New Mexico Museum of Art, the New Mexico History Museum, and the Cathedral Basilica of Saint Francis of Assisi.

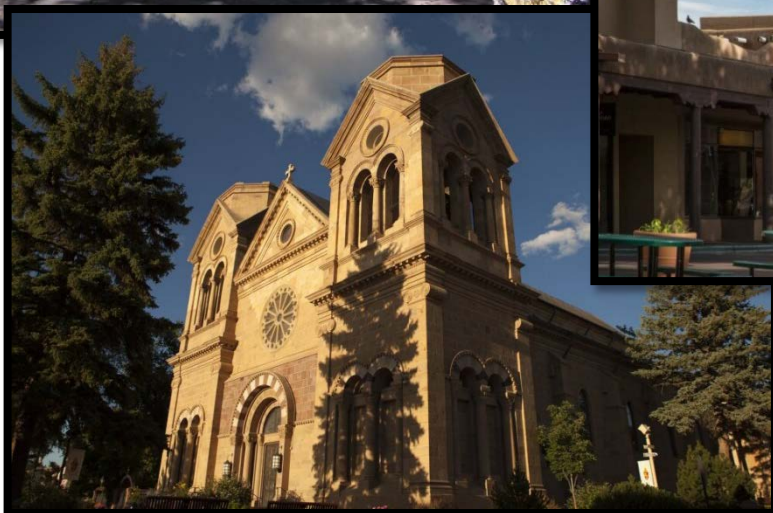
Once your morning sightseeing is done, we will have lunch at one of the many local restaurants, then return to the Clyde hotel in the afternoon.



Cost: \$30

Includes roundtrip transportation (126 miles total) from the Clyde hotel. Meal cost not included.

Depart from the hotel lobby at 9:00 AM.





Silent Auction / Awards Banquet

Thursday, May 23rd

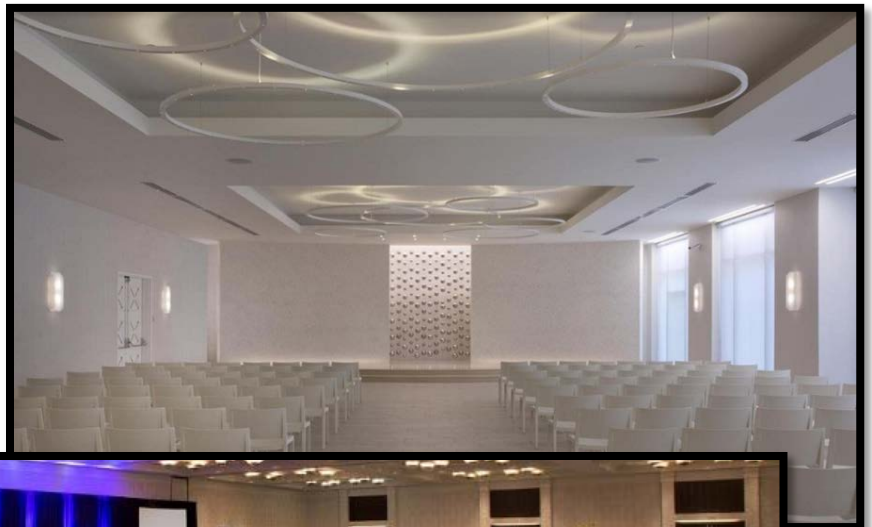
On Thursday evening, all conference attendees and guests are invited to our Silent Auction and Awards Banquet to be held in the Whyte Room of the Clyde hotel. At the Silent Auction you will be able to bid on a wide variety of collectible objects to take home with you as souvenirs of your trip to Albuquerque. Proceeds from the auction go to support our SAWE Scholarship Program.

At the Awards Banquet, enjoy a gourmet plated dinner with your choice of entree, followed by presentations of awards to a highly deserving list of your SAWE colleagues and students.

Cost: See below

Food and soft drinks included with conference registration. Cash Bar available.

*Silent Auction begins at 6:00 PM.
Awards Banquet begins at 7:00 PM.*





New Mexico Tech Tour

Friday, May 24th

Join us as we travel to visit the home of our SAWE Student Chapter at [New Mexico Tech](#) in Socorro, New Mexico. Dr. Mostafa Hassanalian and his students have graciously offered to provide us with a tour of their lab facilities and an overview of the unique research they have been conducting regarding drone technologies. Please attend and show your support for our next generation of engineers.

Cost: \$40

Includes round trip transportation (154 miles total) from the Clyde hotel. Meal cost not included.

Depart from the hotel lobby at 8:00 AM and return by 2:00 PM.





Important Notes:

- SAWE reserves the right to cancel any events due to a lack of sufficient attendees. Refunds will be provided in this case.
- No refunds will be provided for no shows to an event.
- Transportation seating is limited to 14 passengers and provided on a first come first served basis.
- Tours may include walking, so comfortable shoes and clothing are recommended.
- All attendees represent SAWE, so members are expected to always act professionally. Your cooperation is highly encouraged and appreciated.

Come join us in Albuquerque!

