



LUMINA
On Wrightsville Beach
Holiday Inn Resort
1706 N. Lumina Avenue, Wrightsville Beach, N.C.

April 16-18, 2026



Conference, Exhibitor & Sponsor Registration

NUCA of the Carolinas members can legitimately share with their employees, that they, as a leader in the Underground Utility Construction Industry, must attend the Spring Conference to continue to work on ways and means to continue to improve our industry.

The appropriate role of NUCA of the Carolinas is to assist our members to continue to succeed... and that will be the primary purpose for our meeting in Wrightsville Beach.

Accommodations

The Conference Hotel is Holiday Inn Resort Lumina, 1706 N. Lumina Avenue, Wrightsville Beach, NC. For room reservations please call **910-256-2231** and reference NUCA or use this link [Nuca Of The Carolina](#)

Room rate for Wednesday/Thursday April 15 &16 are \$259.00/night plus taxes and \$15.00 parking.

Room rate for Friday/Saturday April 17 & 18 are \$319.0/night plus \$15.00 parking.

Dress

Business casual is acceptable dress for most Conference activities. Logo wear is encouraged for our education sessions and the Welcome Reception. Collared shirts, slacks and soft spikes for golf. Friday night has a Hawaiian theme! Prizes for the best dressed Hawaiian outfits. Jackets and ties and dinner dresses are encouraged for the President's Reception and the Awards Banquet on Saturday evening.

Tickets & Badges for Events – ALL ATTENDEES MUST BE REGISTERED

Each registrant will receive two drink tickets for use at the Welcome Reception on Thursday night. Those that register for the Friday Night **DINNER AND MUSIC** and the Saturday Night **PRESIDENTS BANQUET** will have additional drink tickets. A red dot on your name badge will indicate that you have registered/paid for the Friday evening event. A blue dot indicates you registered and paid for the Saturday evening Banquet Dinner and Silent Auction. Seating is limited to our registered attendees and guests. *Please wear your name badge to all events.*



Schedule of Events

Program sessions and speakers are subject to change.

Thursday April 16, 2026

Conference Meeting Room – Lumina Ballroom

2:00 - 5:00 pm	Board of Directors Meeting
3:00 – 5:00 pm	Exhibitor Set Up – Lumina Corridor
5:00 – 7:30 pm	Registration Desk Open
6:00 – 7:30 pm	Welcome Reception & Exhibitors Social – Lumina Ballroom Dinner on your own

FRIDAY, April 17, 2026

7:00 – 8:30 *Breakfast - Lumina Ballroom Corridor*

7:50 - 8:15 **Welcome — Roger Richards, President**

Announcements/Moderator—Carson Goslee

8:15 – 9:00 **Jamie Valvano—Keynote Speaker**

9:00 – 9:15 **Break and Visit with Exhibitors**

9:15 – 10:00 **NC DOL—Luke Farley, Commissioner of Labor**

This event is held in accordance with G.S. 138A-32(f)(3)(ii)

SC DOL - TBD

10:00 – 10:15 **Break and Visit with Exhibitors**

10:15 – 11:00 **Safety Presentations—Under 150,000 Manhours**

11:00 - 11:15 **Break and Visit with Exhibitors**

11:15 – 12:00 **Chris Barrett—NUCA National (Chief Staff Officer)
Zack Perconti—NUCA National (Chief Advocacy Officer)**

1:00 - Until **Spring Conference Golf – For those that pre-registered
Wilmington Municipal Golf Course/311 Donald Ross Drive**

6:00 p.m.—10:00 **Dinner/Music - Hawaiian Night
Prizes for Best Dressed!**



Saturday April 18, 2026

7:00 – 8:30 *Breakfast in Conference Room - Lumina Ballroom Corridor*

**7:50 – 8:00 Welcome - Roger Richards, President
Announcements/Moderator—Carson Goslee**

**8:00 – 8:45 Sonya Bohmann— Construction Industry Alliance for Suicide Prevention
Frank Trujillo—TA Loving Company
“Mental Health in the Construction Industry”**

8:45 – 9:00 Break & Visit with the Exhibitors

**9:00 – 9:45 Louis Panzer—NC811
Kareem Boykin—SC811**

9:45—10:00 Break & Visit with the Exhibitors

10:00—10:45 Safety Presentation—Over 150,000 Manhours

10:45—11:00 Break & Visit with the Exhibitors

**11:00—11:45 Todd Jones — Haynsworth Sinkler Boyd PA
“The Top 10 Contracting Mistakes”**

Afternoon on your own

12:00— 12:30 Exhibitors Break Down

6:30 – 7:30 pm President’s Reception

**7:30 – 10:00 pm President’s Awards Banquet
Silent Auction**





Spring Conference Golf

Wilmington Municipal Golf Course - 311 Donald Ross Drive

Friday, April 17, 2026

**BOX LUNCH
INCLUDED**

NUCA Member \$150.00 X _____ = _____

Non-Member \$250.00 X _____ = _____

MULLIGAN PACKAGE \$ 20.00 X _____ = _____

Tee Times Begin at 1:00 p.m.

Player #1 _____

Player #2 _____

Player #3 _____

Player #4 _____



Friday—Hawaiian Night Dinner and Music on the Terrace

6:00 – 10:00 p.m.

Cost per person - \$125.00

Name: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

of attendees _____ X \$125.00 _____



PRIZES FOR BEST DRESSED!

Presidents Reception & Awards Banquet

Saturday—6:30—10:00

Dinner, Awards & Silent Auction - \$125.00

Name: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

of attendees _____ X \$125.00 _____



SPONSORSHIPS

We invite you to assist NUCA of the Carolinas with the production of the Fall Conference. In return we offer to you recognition and our deep appreciation and the opportunity to contribute to a safer, more productive environment for our industry. As a sponsor your company will receive prominent recognition in the meeting program, on signage visible during the meeting and in NUCA of the Carolina newsletter, [The Pipeline](#).

We greatly appreciate all sponsorships, as without them, this educational event would not be possible.

Patrons	\$500 or More
Supporters	\$250 – 499
Contributors	\$100 – 249
Welcome Reception	\$5,000 – (Exclusive)
Welcome Reception	\$2,500 - (Shared)
Breakfast – Friday	\$1,000 (Shared)
Breakfast – Saturday	\$1,000 (Shared)
Mid Morning Coffee Break Friday	\$800 (Shared)
Mid Morning Coffee Break Saturday	\$800 (Shared)
Friday Night Bar	\$4,000 Exclusive
Friday Night Bar	\$2,000 (Shared)
Friday Night Dinner	\$6,000 Exclusive
Friday Night Dinner	\$3,000 (Shared)
Friday Night Music	\$800 (Shared)
Presidents Banquet Reception	\$4,000 (Exclusive)
Presidents Banquet Reception	\$2,000 (Shared)
Presidents Banquet Dinner	\$6,000 (Exclusive)
Presidents Banquet Dinner	\$3,000 (Shared)
Speaker Sponsors	\$1,000 (Shared)
Golf Tournament Prizes	\$800
Golf Lunches	\$800 (Shared)

Sub-total of Sponsorship.....\$_____

2026 Spring Conference Registration

Full Conference Registration packages include admission to Thursday reception and two drink tickets, education sessions and materials for all registered attendees, including spouses, guests, and children. Friday Dinner/Music and the Awards Reception & Dinner each require a separate ticket priced separately / per person, each dinner ticket includes two drink tickets.

Name _____ Badge Name (Nickname) _____

Spouse _____ Badge Name (Nickname) _____

Other Attendees Name(s) and Age(s) (under 18 includes Kid's Meal at Banquet) _____

Company/Sponsored By: _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone # _____ Email Address: _____

Special Dietary Needs: _____

(Pre-registrations must be received on or before April 1, 2026)

<u>Registration Fees</u>	<u>Pre-registration</u>	<u>After April 1st</u>
____ Full Conference NUCA Members (Couple).....	\$ 575.....	\$ 625 or
____ Full Conference NUCA Members (Individual)	\$ 475.....	\$ 525 or
____ Full Conference Non-Member (Couple)	\$ 775.....	\$ 825 or
____ Full Conference Non-Member (Individual)	\$ 675.....	\$ 725 or
____ Daily NUCA Member Rate (Individual).....	\$ 325.....	\$ 375 or
____ Daily Non-Member Rate (Individual)	\$ 425.....	\$ 475 and/or
____ Children under 18 years of age	\$ 85.....	\$ 100
____ Presidents Awards Dinner	\$125 x _____ = _____	
____ Friday Hawaiian Night	\$125 x _____ = _____	

PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING

All individuals attending any of the NUCA of the Carolinas Spring Conference activities, including exhibitors, golf, receptions and dinners, must be registered for the conference.

We understand that plans can change. If you need to cancel your registration, please submit your refund request by April 1st. Unfortunately, we will not be able to process refunds after this deadline.

EXHIBITORS

Exhibit Information: Equipment and supply vendors, insurance agencies, bonding companies, application software companies and rental companies are invited to participate in showcasing their offerings at our table top exhibition, open during the Thursday, October 9th Welcome Reception, and on Friday, October 10th and Saturday, October 11th prior to sessions and during the breaks. **Booth spaces DO NOT include electrical or data connections or Conference Registration, which is required of all company representatives staffing your exhibit table.** A skirted 6-foot table and/or the space to erect a free-standing display is provided. **SPACE IS LIMITED.**

Tables are on a first come, first served basis. Those who sign up first will have priority in table location. This will be determined by order in which they are received.

Table Top Exhibit (NUCA Member) \$400.00

Table Top Exhibit (NON-Member)..... \$600.00

Company Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ ST: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

TOTAL CONFERENCE PAYMENTS

Sub-total for Registrations \$ _____

Sub-total for Friday/Hawaiian Night..... \$ _____

Sub-total for Saturday Banquet Tickets..... \$ _____

Sub-total for Sponsorship(s)..... \$ _____

Sub-total for Exhibit Space..... \$ _____

Sub-total Spring Conference Golf \$ _____

Total for all Conference Charges..... \$ _____

- **By registering for and attending this conference, you acknowledge and agree that event organizers may capture photographs, video recordings, and audio recordings during conference sessions, networking events, and related activities.**
- **By registering for and attending this conference, you acknowledge and agree to abide by the associations code of conduct which is attached at the end of this registration.**

CONFERENCE PAYMENT OPTIONS

Enclosed is my check for \$ _____ Check # _____ or

To Pay by Credit Card - Fill out the Credit Card Authorization Form

****Registration is also available at www.nucacarolinas.org****



Conference Credit Card Authorization

NAME ON CARD (Please Print)

COMPANY NAME

CARD NUMBER

EXPIRATION DATE

CVV CODE

BILLING ADDRESS FOR CREDIT CARD – Address, State and Zip Code

Email Address _____

****A 4% Processing Fee will be added to all Credit Card Payments**

Please send this completed registration form with a check or Credit Card processing information to:

Linda Goslee
NUCA of the Carolinas
P.O. Box 10519
Wilmington, N.C. 28404
Email Lgoslee@nucacarolinas.org
www.nucacarolinas.org for Pay Pal Option



NUCA of the Carolinas—Event Code of Conduct

At NUCA of the Carolinas, we are committed to providing a safe, respectful, and inclusive environment for all participants, regardless of gender, race, ethnicity, age, sexual orientation, disability, religion, or professional status.

This Code of Conduct applies to all attendees, speakers, sponsors, volunteers, exhibitors, staff, and contractors at our Conferences, both in person and in any associated online platforms.

Expected Behavior

All participants are expected to:

- Treat others with respect, professionalism, and courtesy.
- Be inclusive and considerate in speech, behavior, and actions.
- Respect personal boundaries and space.
- Follow instructions from event organizers and venue staff.
- Refrain from demeaning, discriminatory, or harassing behavior or speech.

Promptly report any violations of this Code of Conduct to event staff.

Unacceptable Behavior

Examples of unacceptable behavior include, but are not limited to:

- Harassment, intimidation, or discrimination in any form.
- Physical, verbal, or written abuse.
- Inappropriate or unwelcome sexual attention or advances.
- Disruptive behavior during sessions, meals, or social functions.
- Unauthorized recording or photography of individuals without their consent.

Refrain from excessive alcohol consumption. Poor behavior due to alcohol will not be tolerated and will be grounds for immediate removal of the event.

Consequences of Violations

NUCA of the Carolinas reserves the right to take any appropriate action in response to a violation of this Code of Conduct, including:

Verbal or written warnings

Removal from the event without refund

Reporting behavior to the individual's employer or professional organization

Banning attendance at future NUCA events

Acknowledgment

By attending the NUCA of the Carolinas Conference, you agree to adhere to this Code of Conduct and help us maintain a positive and professional environment for all participants.