

SBI Annual Conference 2017 Bahia Resort, San Diego, CA February 16-18, 2017

"Small Business at the Border"

CALL FOR PAPERS AND PARTICIPATION



CONFERENCE TRACKS

Submission Website: https://cmt.research.com/SBI2017

- Small Business Research*

Topics include:

Accounting, Finance, and Legal; Ethics; Sustainable & Environmental

Responsibility; Experiential Learning;

Family Business; Global

Entrepreneurship; Marketing; Social Entrepreneurship; Small Business; Women & Minority Business & more!

- SBDC

Topics include:

SBDC Success Story; SBDC Student Consulting Report/Plan

- SBI Best Practices Competition

Workshops:

Half or full sessions of special interest to the membership

 NEW! Breakfast Roundtables: Lead a discussion of shared interest at breakfast

PROJECT OF THE YEAR COMPETITION

SBI Student Consulting Projects:

Undergraduate and Graduate Student Categories

Project Types

Comprehensive, Specialized, and Feasibility/Business Plan

For projects completed Aug 1, 2015 -July 31, 2016

Submission deadline: Sept. 25, 2016

For more information and to submit:

See <u>information online</u> at or contact

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^{*} Abstracts may be submitted; full papers are eligible for Best Paper awards and may choose to publish only an abstract.

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Conference Management Site

Submissions accepted now (due Sept. 25) at https://cmt.microsoft.com/SBI2017. Conference Registration available September 1.

Rooms and Rates

Bahia Resort

Standard Garden Room: \$169/night (Single or double) Web. Feb 15-Sun. Feb. 19

Upgrades available at higher rates

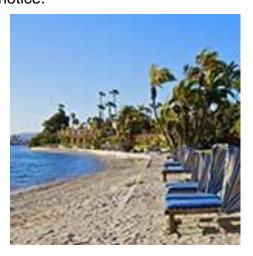
No parking or resort fees

This rate available at conference rates 3 days before and after, as available)

Hotel Reservations

To reserve, <u>use this link</u> or call 800.576.4229 before January 16, 2017 and mention *Small Business Institute*

All rooms must be guaranteed with a cash deposit or credit card; cancellations require 72 hours notice.



Important Dates

- September 25, 2016 Submission deadline
- November 11: Notification to authors of acceptance decisions
- December 16: Preliminary Program posted online at SBI website
- January 6, 2017 "Early Bird" Conference Registration deadline
- January 16, 2017: Hotel registration deadline

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