

LATCRIT XIII HOTEL ACCOMMODATION INFORMATION

LatCrit XIII attendees will be offered a special conference rate of \$149 per night, single or double occupancy, at the Silver Cloud Hotel – Broadway during the Annual Conference and related events.

NOTE: THE CUTOFF DATE FOR HOTEL RESERVATIONS IS SEPTEMBER 15, 2008.

LatCrit participants are encouraged to **reserve accommodations at the conference hotel as soon as is possible**, and should do so **well in advance of the September 15, 2008**, hotel cutoff date.

The Silver Cloud Hotel is has **ten** guest rooms specifically configured for persons with **disabilities or mobility challenges**. However, the hotel has informed us that in order to be fair to all its guests, **these ten rooms cannot be set aside solely for LatCrit participants**, and will be **assigned on a first come, first served basis**. Therefore, if you will need of these ten rooms you are **strongly encouraged to book your room now, and to not wait until the September 15, 2008 reservation deadline approaches**.

More information from the hotel's website:

Located in the trendy Capitol Hill neighborhood, the Silver Cloud Hotel - Broadway is directly across the street from Seattle University. All rooms include complimentary high-speed wired and wireless Internet access, microwaves, and refrigerators. With downtown only nine blocks away, the local area shuttle can take you to Seattle's fine restaurants, shopping and theaters in just minutes. A complimentary Silver Cloud Breakfast is offered daily and the hotel offers an indoor pool as well as fitness and business centers.

CONTACT INFORMATION FOR THE SILVER CLOUD HOTEL - BROADWAY

Please visit <http://www.silvercloud.com/14home.htm> for detailed information, or call 1-800-590-1801, or email to reservations@broadway.scinns.com, in order to make reservations. Be sure to identify yourself as a member of "LATCRIT" in order to receive the discounted room rate of \$149 per night for a single or double occupancy deluxe guest room.

**!!PLEASE MAKE RESERVATIONS BEFORE THE SEPTEMBER 15 HOTEL
RESERVATION CUTOFF DATE!!**

CHILDCARE SURVEY FORM

PROMPT RETURN REQUESTED

Please return this form by FAX to Beth Lyon, FAX No. 610-519-5173 ASAP and no later than September 15, 2008

The Thirteenth Annual LatCrit Conference welcomes non-participant partners, friends and families of all sorts and ages: bring your loved ones! Children are especially welcome. To facilitate registrants' childcare needs, the Planning Committee is exploring a range of childcare options that will be made available to participants at an additional expense. To devise the most age appropriate and affordable care, we need to collect information from parents of infants or children who may need care at the Conference (as well as from parents whose teen children might be interested in helping provide such care). Please use this form to convey your needs to us. Please **FAX** the completed form to Beth Lyon, Villanova University School of Law, at **610-519-5173**, ASAP, and no later than **September 15, 2008**. Thank you for your prompt response.

Your Name:

Institutional Affiliation:

Mailing Address:

Phone: Fax: Email:

Name(s) & Age(s) of Child(ren) who may need care during the Conference:

Do any of these children have special needs? Please describe below:

Speaking ideally, when during the Conference would you like childcare?

Thursday morning _____ Thursday afternoon _____ Thursday evening _____

Friday morning _____ Friday afternoon _____ Friday evening _____

Saturday morning _____ Saturday afternoon _____ Saturday evening _____

Sunday morning _____ Sunday afternoon _____ Other/specify: _____

Will the availability of childcare influence your decision to attend the Conference?

_____ Yes _____ No

Please provide us with any additional information about your needs:

FORM FOR CHILDCARE PROVIDER
For Parents with Children Willing and Able to Provide Childcare
PROMPT RETURN REQUESTED

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ASAP and no later than September 15, 2008**

Do you have an older child who would like to offer their babysitting services? To help us accommodate the child care needs of Conference attendees, we are seeking to connect those attendees with teen children who are attending the Conference with family or friends. If you are bringing a child who might be interested in offering babysitting services, please fill out this portion of the form, as well as the portion above for name, address, etc. Please **FAX** the completed form to Beth Lyon, Villanova University School of Law, at **610-519-5173**, ASAP, and no later than **September 15, 2008**. Thank you for your prompt response.

If you have an older child who would like to offer their babysitting services, please list their name and age, and briefly describe the nature of their babysitting experience:

How many and what aged children would your child feel comfortable babysitting?

Would your child be willing to provide those services free of charge?

_____ Yes _____ No

If not, how much would s/he expect to be paid (per hour)?

What is the likelihood that your child will be available to provide childcare?

When, during the conference events, would your child be likely to be able to provide childcare?

Thursday morning _____ Thursday afternoon _____ Thursday evening _____

Friday morning _____ Friday afternoon _____ Friday evening _____

Saturday morning _____ Saturday afternoon _____ Saturday evening _____

Sunday morning _____ Sunday afternoon _____ Other/specify: _____

Thank you for your prompt response! After receiving and compiling all responses, we will follow up directly with all respondents to pre-arrange for individual needs as best as possible. We look forward to seeing you and yours in beautiful Seattle! Muchas gracias!!

LatCrit Statement on Accessibility and Special Needs

LatCrit Inc. is committed to developing and maintaining an inclusive community respectful of the needs and challenges of all of its participants and friends. We are dedicated to insuring that the venues for all LatCrit activities are accessible to all of our participants and friends and that appropriate transportation services are available. We will make all feasible efforts to accommodate the needs of people with disabilities and to remain responsive to the needs of our participants and friends who have disabilities.

Hotel Connections:

Sea-Tac International Airport: All Shuttle Express vans are able to provide transport for passengers who are able to seat themselves and whose wheelchairs can be stowed for transport. Passengers requiring a wheelchair lift should request one at least 24 hours prior to arrival. Contact Shuttle Express at (800) 487-7433, or visit www.shuttleexpress.com for more information or to make airport transfer reservations.

Silver Cloud Hotel:

The Silver Cloud Hotel reports that it is fully compliant with accessibility standards. Additionally, it has **ten** rooms that are specifically configured to meet the needs of people with disabilities or mobility challenges, and **two** of these rooms are equipped with roll-in showers. However, the hotel has informed us that in order to be fair to all its guests, **these ten rooms cannot be set aside solely for LatCrit participants**, and will be **assigned on a first come, first served basis**. Therefore, if you will need of these ten rooms you are **strongly encouraged to book your room now, and to not wait until the September 15, 2008 reservation deadline approaches**. The hotel requests that we inform them of specific accessibility needs as soon as possible so they can prepare their facilities and accommodations appropriately.

Additional Information:

The Law School's event and program coordinator, Rebecca Parker, will be responsible for coordinating accessibility service for LatCrit XIII. Please contact her for additional information or to address any additional concerns and special needs. She may be reached at (206) 398-4281 and at parkerr@seattleu.edu.