



SOCIAL PROGRAM

Wednesday August 26th	Welcome Reception at Citadel hill Included in the registration fee
Thursday August 27th	Lobster Dinner at St. Marys' Club Included in the registration fee
Friday August 28th	Optional Visit at Grand Pre National Historic Site with dinner at Lightfoot and Wolfville Admission by ticket only <i>Please refer to the meeting home page for dedicated link and info</i>
Saturday August 29th	Concert at King's College Chapel Visit to the Canadian Museum of Immigration and Dinner at Pier 21 Included in the registration fee

Social and networking events are a core part of the GRS Meetings. The Social Program of the upcoming GRS 2020 will provide a unique experience for participants to enjoy the culture, history, hospitality and gastronomy in Halifax.

Halifax has one of the world's great natural harbors and a rich maritime history, which derives from its strategic location. In the 19th and early 20th century, Halifax was the entry point for European immigration to Canada. Today, Halifax is a busy Atlantic seaport and the economic and cultural hub of Eastern Canada.

This seaside town is dotted with red-brick heritage buildings, public parks and a landmark citadel, blessed with some first-rate museums, and home to a truly epic 4 km seafront boardwalk.

Above all, Halifax is a livable city: its small size, fresh air and easy-going lifestyle mean it scores high in quality-of-life tables. The nightlife and dining scene has come on in leaps and bounds in recent years: there are many craft breweries and local bistros, especially around the trendy North End.

Join us for a trip full of history, culture, tasty food and traditions!



Welcome Reception

Wednesday August 26th, 2020
Citadel Hill

All registered delegates are invited to join this wonderful evening and have the opportunity to mingle with the other meeting delegates while visiting the most important historical sites and enjoying a typical food and drinks standing reception. We will be accompanied by a local piper.



Lobster Dinner

Thursday August 27th, 2020
Saint Mary's Boat Club

All registered delegates will move to the Saint Mary's Boat Club and taste the most iconic food of the region, the famous lobster. Built in 1905 and renovated in 1991, St. Mary's Boat Club offers a unique event venue overlooking the Northwest Arm in Halifax's South End.





Concert at King's College Chapel

Saturday August 29th, 2020
King's College Chapel

All registered delegates will enjoy a short concert by the King's College Chapel Choir in the Chapel of the University of King's College, a beautiful and intimate space with a unique ambience and acoustics.



Visit to the Canadian Museum of Immigration and Dinner at Pier 21

Saturday August 29th, 2020
Canadian Museum of Immigration and Dinner at Pier 21



All the registered attendees can visit Canada's national museum of immigration, which occupies part of Pier 21, the former ocean liner terminal and immigration shed from 1928 to 1971. Pier 21 is Canada's last remaining ocean immigration shed. After the guided tour the evening will continue with a farewell cocktail and dinner reception inside the Museum.

Accompanying Persons Program

Information on the Accompanying Persons Program will be available shortly. If you need additional information about GRS 2020 Social events, please contact us.

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