

HOTEL RESERVATIONS

The 6th National Conference of African American Librarians (NCAAL) is pleased to offer **discounted group rates** at participating NCAAL hotels for all registered attendees. The hotels are ideally located in the center of Fort Worth's business, entertainment and cultural districts. Conference participants are strongly encouraged to stay in one of the identified conference hotels exclusively because:

1. An affordable room rate has been negotiated, the best rooms at the best rates, in order for conference participants to stay at the hotel to visit, network and relax before, during and after conference sessions. The group rates are available three days before and after the conference.
2. We want to enhance the 6th National Conference experience for colleagues and new/old acquaintances and provide a social, inclusive atmosphere within each hotel. The hotels are a few blocks from the convention center. Visit <http://www.fortworth.com/11maps/images/fw-downtown-map.pdf> to view a map of the 6th National Conference hotels.
3. By making reservations at one of the hotels listed above you are assured of being counted and increasing the business value of BCALA and its 6th National Conference.

Hotel	Group Rate	Distance to Convention Center
*Hilton Ft. Worth (Conference Headquarters) 815 Main Street, Fort Worth, TX 76102 (817)-870 2100 1-800-HILTONS	\$99 Single/ \$129 Double/ \$149 Quad \$14.00 per day for overnight Valet	1 block
Renaissance Worthington Hotel Fort Worth 200 Main Street, Fort Worth, TX 76102 (817) 870-1000 1-800-321-2211	\$155 Single/ \$155 Double \$12.00 daily self-park; \$16.00 valet, per day	4 blocks
Residence Inn by Marriott-- Fort Worth Cultural District 2500 Museum Way Fort Worth, TX 76107 (817) 885-8250 1-800-321-2211	\$139 Studio/ \$149 One Bedroom Suite	0.5 miles
Courtyard Fort Worth-Blackstone Hotel 601 Main Street Fort Worth, TX 76102 (817) 885-8700 1-800-321-2211	\$125 Single/\$125 Double Parking \$10.00 per day	3 blocks
Park Central Hotel 1010 Houston Street Fort Worth, TX 76102 (817) 336-2011 1-(800) 848-PARK	\$100 Single/ \$100 Double Parking \$7.00 per day	Across the street

*The Hilton charges an early departure fee of \$50.00 plus tax for any guest who checks out prior to their reserved check-out date. To avoid this charge being added to your account, advise the hotel on or before check-in of any changes to your reservation.

How to Book Your Hotel

To book a room contact the hotel you wish to stay at directly. The toll free reservation number has been provided for each hotel. You must mention the **Black Caucus of the American Library Associations (BCALA)** at the time the reservation is made to receive the discounted group rate. The **Renaissance Worthington, Residence Inn by Marriott--Fort Worth Cultural District and Courtyard Fort Worth—Blackstone** are Marriott properties and reservations can be made for these hotels using the same toll free number.

Reservations must be guaranteed with a credit card or one night's room and tax. Hotel room rates are subject to applicable state and local taxes currently 15% in effect at the time of check in. Hotels will not hold any reservations beyond ten days, unless secured by one of these methods. Cancellations must be made **72 hours** prior to arrival or one night's room and tax will be charged to the credit card or deposit will be retained.

The **cut-off date to receive the NCAAL group rate is July 1, 2007**. Any reservation requests received after the cut off date including modifications and additions for the group will be accepted on a space and rate available basis. If you have any questions or concerns regarding this hotel registration, please call (619) 337-5260 or email graykenly@yahoo.com with the subject of 6th National Hotel.

