



## 2013 International Conference on Nuclear Data for Science & Technology

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Greetings!

The National Nuclear Data Center is organizing the 2013 International Conference on Nuclear Data for Science and Technology (ND2013).

The conference will be held on March 4-8, 2013 at the Sheraton New York Hotel & Towers in Manhattan, NY, USA.

ND2013 is the twelfth conference in a series held every three years that began in Harwell (1978) and continued in Antwerp (1982), Santa Fe (1985), Mito (1988), Jülich (1991), Gatlinburg (1994), Trieste (1997), Tsukuba (2001), Santa Fe (2004), Nice (2007) and Jeju Island (2010).

The aim of these conferences is to create a forum for the presentation and discussion of all aspects of nuclear data and their applications.

The conference will include a wide variety of nuclear data topics including:

More information about ND2013 can be found at its web site, [www.bnl.gov/nd2013](http://www.bnl.gov/nd2013)



## Registration

Please visit the ND2013 webpage at [www.bnl.gov/nd2013](http://www.bnl.gov/nd2013) to start the registration for ND2013. The full registration will take place in three separate steps: 1) pre-registration, 2) abstract submission, 3) registration fee payment.

In the pre-registration, we'll collect participant's names and addresses. We'll also ask if they plan to submit oral and poster presentations as well as the topics. This will help in planning the scientific program.

Finally, we'll ask about the interest in attending the conference dinner, the cost of which will not be included in the registration fee, as well as attending an evening Opera performance and a Broadway show.

We'll begin collecting abstracts in the next few months. The deadline to submit abstracts will be August 1<sup>st</sup> 2012.

Payment of the registration fee will be done by check or credit card. We will start collecting registrations fee around July 1<sup>st</sup> 2012.

## State Department registration

ND2013 has been registered with the US State Department; this should help obtaining US visas for international visitors needing one.

## Exhibitors

As mentioned before, ND2013 will provide an excellent opportunity for companies to showcase their products. Booths will be available and the cost of a booth will include two registrations. Please e-mail us at [nd2013@bnl.gov](mailto:nd2013@bnl.gov) for more details.

## Key Dates

August 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2012	Deadline to submit abstracts
October 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2012	Program is announced
February 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2013	Deadline to make Sheraton room reservations at government rate and for conference registration at regular rate
March 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2013	ND2013 starts
March 8 <sup>th</sup> , 2013	Deadline for article submission

## About the Venue

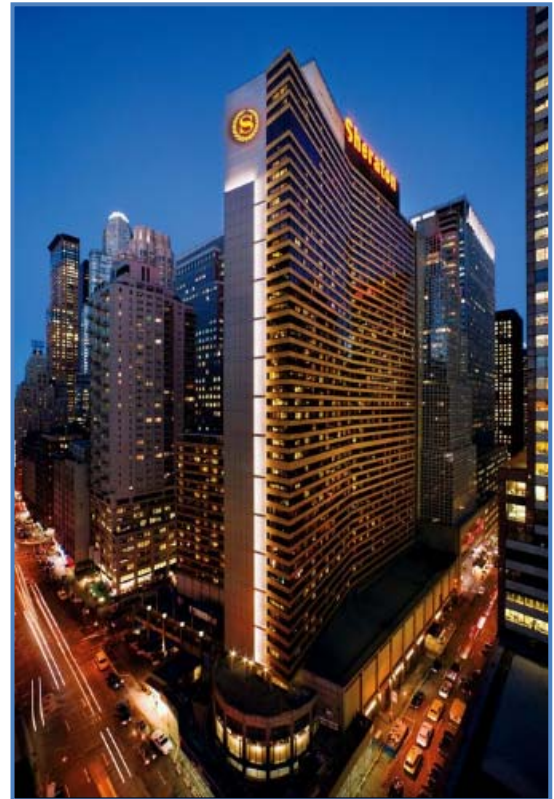
The venue will be the Sheraton New York Hotel & Towers, 811 7th Ave, New York, NY 10019, USA.

A block of 300 rooms has been reserved at the March 2013 U.S. government lodging rate, plus taxes and fees. As a reference, the March 2011 U.S. government rate was \$192 plus tax.

The hotel is located half-way between Times Square and Central Park.

New York City is served by three international airports, JFK, La Guardia and Newark, all of them at less than 20 miles from the venue. Public transportation from the airports to the hotel and throughout the city is inexpensive and widely available.

Among some of the local attractions are the Metropolitan Museum of Art, the Museum of Modern Art, the Guggenheim Museum, the Frick Collection, the Natural History Museum, Carnegie Hall, the Metropolitan Opera House at Lincoln Center, Broadway Theaters, Times Square, St Patrick Cathedral, the Empire State and Chrysler buildings, the Brooklyn Bridge and the Statue of Liberty.



An optional conference dinner is being planned. Additionally, if there is enough interest and taking advantage of reduced group ticket prices, attendance to a Broadway show and an Opera performance are under consideration. More details will be announced at a later time.

## ND2013 Local Organizing Committee

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