



## Sponsorship Opportunities

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#### Dear Friend of SATW,

As the 2022-2023 SATW President, I am honored to serve this great organization. This past year, we resumed international events, showcasing our resilience and strength of our community, none of which would have been possible without your generous support. Over the years, SATW has raised the bar on what we offer the travel



community, offering valuable networking events, and professional development opportunities and expanding our membership globally. This year, we are excited to announce diverse sponsorship opportunities including Annual, Convention, Webinar and Virtual Media Marketplace sponsorships. We invite you to partner with SATW and become a 2023 SATW Sponsor.

- Annual Sponsorships include year-round benefits to advertise your company and membership benefits. These packages combine convention, webinar, and membership values all in one convenient package.
- **Convention Sponsorships** are specifically tailored to have your company promoted at our 2023 Annual Convention, taking place in Puerto Rico from September 7-11, 2023. This four-day event typically has more than 300 attendees, and is composed of travel media and PR professionals.
- Webinar Sponsorships increase your visibility directly with SATW members with 70-100 members attending each session! Either take over an entire webinar, or sponsor the introduction.
- Virtual Media Marketplace Sponsorship is available to one exclusive sponsor to take over the virtual space and present to our members! Last year, attendance reached nearly 250 members and we anticipate even more this year.
- SATW Directory Sponsorship is a new, exclusive opportunity for a company to claim a prime, full-color advertising spot at the top of the SATW digital membership directory. SATW members value the directory as one of their most coveted benefits to connect with our nearly 1,000 members.

Thank you in advance for considering sponsorship of SATW. We believe you will find our events, resources and benefits a great way to connect with the travel industry. Your generous support will help us achieve our mission - To Inspire Travel Through Responsible Journalism. We look forward to an exciting year of being together in collaboration!

Thank you, Kim Foley MacKinnon, 2022-2023 SATW President





## Why Sponsor SATW?

SATW is a professional association made up of 1,000 qualified\* journalists, photographers, editors, digital publishers, public relations experts, destination representatives, broadcasters, mostly from the United States and Canada, who make a living through creating and disseminating travel content.

Founded in 1955, SATW comprises Travel's Most Trusted Voices and focuses on its simple and worthy mission:

To Inspire Travel Through Responsible Journalism.

## This is your opportunity to reach travel writers from the most influential media outlets in the world.

Our members represent, and are, many of the most influential content producers in the travel industry. Their work can be seen in the world's most prestigious and popular print, digital and broadcast channels including but not limited to:

#### Newspaper (print & digital):

Chicago Tribune Miami Herald NY Times San Francisco Chronicle Toronto Star Vancouver Sun Washington Post Philadelphia Inquirer Globe and Mail (Canada) Dallas Morning News Boston Globe Toronto Sun Montreal Gazette

#### Magazines (print & digital):

Travel + Leisure Condé Nast Traveler Afar Southern Living Canadian Automobile Association Westways and affiliated AAA magazines Wine Spectator Bold Magazine (Canada); many regional and specialty magazines such as Dreamscapes (Canada) Nuvo Luxe Beat Virtuoso Life AARP Hemispheres

#### Online:

**USA** Today 10Best Robbreport CruiseCritic Ebony fwtmagazine Frommers AARP CAA Architectural Digest Atlas Obscura BBC CNN National Geographic **Lonely Planet** The Points Guy Travel Weekly The Caribbean Journal Refinery 29

#### **Digital Publishers:**

Everything Everywhere Daily Podcast Kids Are a Trip Stuffed Suitcase Carpe Diem Our Way Families Go Travel **Divergent Travelers** Traveling with MJ Travel Past 50 World Footprints Getaway Mavens Wander With Wonder Curb Free with Cory Lee The Travel Bite Journey Woman Travel Babbo **Going Awesome Places** 

#### **Broadcast:**

NY1 CBC (Canada) HLNTV iHeart Radio Breakfast Television Toronto OnTravel.com CTV News (Canada) Travel Writers Radio CJAD Radio Montreal Global News (Canada) WDUN NPR AM 640 News Toronto and numerous morning TV shows throughout North America

#### Travel Books (print & digital):

100 Best Places to Retire

(as well as many other titles in the 100 Best series)

Frommer's Guides
Fodor's Guides
Insider's Guides
Lonely Planet Guides
Rand McNally
National Geographic

\*All SATW members are required to qualify for initial membership and again every two years.



## Annual Partnerships

		Ambassador Elite	Titanium Elite	Platinum Elite
		SOLD \$10,000 EXCLUSIVE	<b>\$7,500</b> TWO AVAILABLE	\$ <b>5,000</b> UNLIMITED
	Total Value	\$13,500	\$9,000	\$6,300
Advertising				
Website (1 Year) Acknowledgement of sponsor on SAT year-round	W website	Recognized as Ambassador Elite Sponsor with Linked Logo on Home & Sponsor Page	Recognized as Titanium Elite Sponsor with Linked Logo on Home & Sponsor Page	Recognized as Platinum Elite Sponsor with Linked Logo on Home & Sponsor Page
Newsletter Ad		4 Primary Ad Placement	2 Primary Ad Placement	1 Primary Ad Placement 1 Secondary Ad Placement
E-Blasts		3 promotional eblasts to SATW members and contacts	1 promotional eblast to SATW members and contacts	
Membership Directory Ad		Full-page color ad	Half-page color ad	
Social Media		Press release and social media announcement about your Sponsorship	Press release and social media announcement about your Sponsorship	Press release and social media announcement about your Sponsorship
Membership				-
Organizational		1 Organizational Membership (1 year - 3 members)		
Individual			2 Individual Memberships	1 Individual Membership
Webinar				-
Exclusive Webinar		1	1	
Presenter		1		1
Registration		6 Complimentary	4 Complimentary	3 Complimentary
Annual Convention				
Recognition at Convention		Recognized as Ambassador Elite Sponsor with Logo in slidedeck	Recognized as Titanium Elite Sponsor with Logo in slidedeck	Recognized as Platinum Elite Sponsor with Logo in slidedeck
Media Marketplace		1 Table at a key location	1 Table at a key location	1 Table at a key location
Registration		1	1	1
Virtual Media Marketplace				
Registration		3 Complimentary	2 Complimentary	1 Complimentary

## Webinar Sponsor<u>ships</u>

		Exclusive Webinar	Presenter
		\$2,000 Each	\$1,500 Each
	Total Value	\$4,000	\$2,500
Pre-Event			
Company recognized on registration page for sponsored program, hyperlink to company URL/landing page		$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Sponsor company link and logo included in mentions on communications with members regarding sponsored program		$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Sponsor logo included within registration program promotion – invitation, confirmations		$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Thank you to our sponsors included in news sponsor company link and logos	letter with	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Program			
Complimentary Webinar Registrations		3	3
Verbal acknowledgement of the sponsor including one company representative by SATW President or Moderator		$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Opportunity to welcome attendees. May include introduction video (approx. 1-3 minutes)			$\checkmark$
Sponsored Content: You pick the topic, speakers, format determined by sponsor (all above to be preapproved by SATW) * Presentation 45 minutes in length		$\checkmark$	
Post-Event			
Thank you acknowledgement to sponsor of program included in all post communications including social media, content recording and survey		$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$

Note: Webinars are typically held bi-weekly on Tuesdays at 1:00 pm ET.

## **Quick Facts:**

- 70-100 Freelance Writers, Editors, Digital Publishers and Associates attend each webinar
- Webinar E-Blasts have a 75% open rate
- Each Council provides content for our Professional Webinar Series
- SATW has approximately 1,000 members with over 75% being website owners, photographers, journalists, freelance writers, editors, digital publishers, videographers, and more. The remainder of members are public relations professionals, DMOs, and CVBs.





## Title Sponsor | \$20,000

#### Total Value | \$25,620

#### **Awards Dinner**

- Company logo on signage for the event
- Opportunity to address attendees during the Awards Dinner Gala (1-3 minutes, may include a video)
- Opportunity to drop an approved item for attendees during the dinner
- Two seats at the Awards Dinner Gala head table

#### **Convention Advertising**

- Recognized as the Title Sponsor in SATW bi-monthly e-newsletter during the months leading up to and the month of the Convention
- Recognition in the Convention schedule on the mobile app, on the convention webpage, and on marketing materials
- Daily e-newsletter sponsor, includes a banner ad in the daily e-newsletter sent to each attendee during the Convention
- Acknowledgment as the Title Sponsor in all Convention marketing material
- Linked company logo on the Convention website
- A full-page ad in the Member Directory
- 3 Social Media Posts on SATW channels promoting sponsor

#### **General Convention Benefits**

- One complimentary attendee registration
- Table at a key location at the Media Marketplace
- Opportunity to provide an item for the Convention bag
- Prominent onsite signage and podium recognition

#### Membership

• One Organizational Membership (1 year - 3 members)









### Presenting Sponsor | \$15,000

#### Total Value | \$21,000

#### Welcome Address

- Includes the opportunity to address the Convention attendees and show a promotional video (1-3 min)
- Company logo on signage at the Welcome Address

#### **General Convention Benefits**

- One complimentary attendee registration
- Table at a key location at the Media Marketplace
- Opportunity to provide an item for the Convention bag
- Prominent onsite signage and podium recognition

#### **Convention Advertising**

- Recognized as the Presenting Sponsor in SATW bi-monthly e-newsletter during the months leading up to and the month of the Convention
- Recognition in the Convention schedule on the mobile app, on the convention webpage, and on marketing materials
- Convention e-newsletter sponsor, includes a banner ad in the Convention e-newsletter sent to each attendee during the Convention
- Acknowledgment as the Presenting Sponsor in all Convention marketing material
- Linked company logo on the Convention website

#### Membership

• One Associate Membership (1 year - 1 member)

## Media Marketplace Sponsor | \$12,500

#### Total Value | \$17,000

#### **Media Marketplace Benefits**

- Company logo on signage at the Marketplace
- Company logo on beverage napkins, bar, and on-screen during Marketplace
- Signature drink at marketplace, you choose the name
- Recognition on all Media Marketplace communications
- Opportunities to incorporate activities during marketplace

#### **General Convention Benefits**

- One complimentary attendee registration
- Table at a key location at the Media Marketplace
- Prominent onsite signage and podium recognition

#### **Convention Advertising**

- Recognized as the Media Marketplace Sponsor in SATW Media Marketplace Communications
- Acknowledgment as the Media Marketplace Sponsor in all Convention marketing material
- Linked company logo on the Convention website

#### Membership

One Associate Membership (1 year - 1 member)





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## Awards Cocktail Reception Sponsor | \$10,000

#### Total Value | \$13,500

#### **Awards Cocktail Reception Benefits**

- Company logo on signage for the event
- Company logo on beverage napkins, bar, and on-screen during Awards Cocktail Reception
- Signature drink at Awards Reception, you choose the name

#### **General Convention Benefits**

- One complimentary attendee registration
- Table at the Media Marketplace

#### **Convention Advertising**

- Recognized as the Awards Cocktail Reception sponsor in Convention e-mails
- Acknowledgment as the Awards Cocktail Reception Sponsor in all Convention marketing material
- Linked company logo on the Convention website

### Farewell Reception Sponsor | \$10,000

Total Value | \$13,500

#### **Farewell Reception Benefits**

- Opportunity to address attendees during the Farewell Reception (1 minute) and show a promotional video (1-3 minutes)
- Opportunity to drop approved item during the Farewell Reception

#### **General Convention Benefits**

- One complimentary attendee registration
- Table at the Media Marketplace

- Recognized as the Farewell Reception in Convention e-mails
- Acknowledgment as the Farewell Reception Sponsor in all Convention marketing material
- Linked company logo on the Convention website







### Council Meetings Sponsor | \$7,500

#### Total Value | \$11,000

#### **Council Meetings Benefits**

- Opportunity to address attendees (1-2 minutes) during the four council meetings
- Escorted to the meeting and introduced to the Council by the SATW President
- Opportunity to distribute material or other handout at each meeting

#### **General Convention Benefits**

- One complimentary attendee registration
- Table at the Media Marketplace

#### **Convention Advertising Value**

- Recognized as a sponsor in Convention e-mails
- Acknowledgment as sponsor in all Convention marketing material
- Linked company logo on the Convention website

## Chapter Meetings Sponsor | \$7,500

Total Value | \$11,000

#### **Chapter Meetings Benefits**

- Opportunity to address attendees (1-2 minutes) during the four chapter meetings
- Escorted to the meeting and introduced to the Council by the SATW President
- Opportunity to distribute material or other handout at each meeting

#### **General Convention Benefits**

- One complimentary attendee registration
- Table at the Media Marketplace

- Recognized as a sponsor in Convention e-mails
- Acknowledgment as sponsor in all Convention marketing material
- Linked company logo on the Convention website







## Professional Development Session Sponsor | \$2,500\*

\* Discounts given for purchasing multiple sessions, ONLY 4 LEFT

#### Total Value | \$5,000

#### **PD Session Sponsor Benefit**

- Acknowledgement of sponsorship by session moderator at the start of the session
- Opportunity to address attendees (1-2 minutes)
- Opportunity to drop an approved item in the breakout session

#### **Convention Advertising**

- Recognized as the Professional Development Session Sponsor in Convention e-mails
- Acknowledgment as the Professional Development Session Sponsor in all Convention marketing material
- Linked company logo on the Convention website

## **Registration Sponsor** | \$5,500

Total Value | \$7,000

#### **Registration Sponsor Benefits**

- Table with signage near registration desk to welcome all attendees
- Table may distribute one item to attendees (approved by SATW)

- Recognized as the Registration Sponsor in Convention e-mails
- Acknowledgment as the Registration Sponsor in all Convention marketing material
- Linked company logo on the Convention website





## Wifi Sponsor | \$5,000 (per day)\*

\* Discounts given for purchasing multiple days.

#### Total Value | \$7,000

#### Wifi Sponsor Benefits

• Your customized Wi-Fi password given to all attendees. Wi-Fi login information will be included in the daily Conference e-newsletter and onsite signage.

#### **Convention Advertising**

- Recognized as a sponsor in Convention e-mails
- Acknowledgment as sponsor in all Convention marketing materials
- Linked company logo on the Convention website

## Mobile App Sponsor | \$6,000

Total Value | \$7,000

#### **Mobile App Sponsor Benefits**

- Includes exclusive branding on the mobile app to include a banner ad and your logo on the splash screen
- Recognition of your sponsorship is included in preconvention emails sent to attendees with mobile app instructions

#### **Convention Advertising**

- Recognized as a sponsor in Convention e-mails
- Acknowledgment as sponsor in all Convention marketing material
- · Linked company logo on the Convention website

## Hospitality Room Sponsor | \$7,500

Total Value | \$9,000

#### **Hospitality Room Sponsor Benefits**

- Company logo on signage in room for entire convention
- Company logo on beverage napkins
- Dedicated table for brochures and handouts

#### **General Convention Benefits**

- One complimentary attendee registration
- Table at the Media Marketplace

- Recognized as a sponsor in Convention e-mails
- Acknowledgment as sponsor in all Convention marketing material
- Linked company logo on the Convention website





### **Convention Bag Sponsor** \$8,500\* SOLD

\*Cost of Convention Bag Included

Total Value | \$11,000

#### **Convention Bag Sponsor Benefits**

- Includes your company logo (one-color imprint) on all bags purchased by the association and given to attendees at check-in and used to gather items throughout the Convention.
- Sponsor may include one promotional item for the bag.

#### **General Convention Benefits**

- One complimentary attendee registration
- Table at the Media Marketplace

#### **Convention Advertising**

- Recognized as a sponsor in Convention e-mails
- Acknowledgment as sponsor in all Convention marketing material
- Linked company logo on the Convention website



### Name Badge Holder Sponsor \$5,000

Total Value | \$6,000

#### Name Badge Sponsor Benefits

Have your company logo conveniently displayed on all attendee badges. Each attendee will receive their badge during registration and will wear it throughout the duration of the convention.

#### **Convention Advertising**

- Recognized as a sponsor in Convention e-mails
- Acknowledgment as sponsor in all Convention marketing material
- Linked company logo on the Convention website

### Note Pads & Pens Sponsor \$5,000\*

\*Cost of Note Pads & Pens Included

Total Value | \$8,000

#### Note Pads & Pens Sponsor Benefits

Have your company logo on all the conference notepads and pens given to attendees in tote bags at check-in. You'll also be providing a valuable resource for attendees to use as they take notes throughout the conference.

- Recognized as a sponsor in Convention e-mails
- Acknowledgment as sponsor in all Convention marketing material
- Linked company logo on the Convention website



## Water Bottle Sponsor | \$7,000

#### Total Value | \$8,000

#### Water Bottle Sponsor Benefits

• Logo on water bottle, distributed in convention bag

#### **General Convention Benefits**

- One complimentary attendee registration
- Table at the Media Marketplace

#### **Convention Advertising**

- Recognized as a sponsor in Convention e-mails
- Acknowledgment as sponsor in all Convention marketing material
- Linked company logo on the Convention website

## Eco-Friendly Sunscreen Lotion Sponsor | \$7,000

Total Value | \$8,000

#### **Sunscreen Sponsor Benefits**

• Logo on suntan lotion, distributed in convention bag

#### **General Convention Benefits**

- One complimentary attendee registration
- Table at the Media Marketplace

#### **Convention Advertising**

- Recognized as a sponsor in Convention e-mails
- Acknowledgment as sponsor in all Convention marketing material
- Linked company logo on the Convention website

## Travel Hand Sanitizer Sponsor \$6,000\*

\*Cost of Travel Hand Sanitizer Included

Total Value | \$8,000

#### **Travel Hand Sanitizer Sponsor Benefits**

Logo on hand sanitizer, distributed in convention bag

#### **Convention Advertising**

- Recognized as a sponsor in Convention e-mails
- Acknowledgment as sponsor in all Convention marketing material
- Linked company logo on the Convention website

## Mobile App Advertising | \$500

• The convention Mobile App is used in place of a printed program. Every attendee will use the App all day to keep track of programs, time and places to be. Use this opportunity to catch their attention. Artwork and copy due by August 12.

## Item in Convention Bag | \$800

 SATW will place your item in the convention bag that is given to each attendee at the Annual Convention. Material must be pre-approved by SATW and sponsor is responsible for any shipping and handling charges.

## **Custom Sponsorship**

 Becoming a sponsor or advertiser with SATW is the best way for you to get your brand in front of the most influential journalists, public relations experts and destination representatives in the travel industry. Want to become a sponsor, but have another idea? Reach out to us at info@satw.org for custom package opportunities.

## Exclusive Sponsorship | \$20,000

#### Total Value | \$25,000

#### Directory

• Full color, static image on the top of the SATW digital membership directory, used by every SATW member for one year, beginning the month payment is received

#### Advertising

- Company Logo with link in the following areas:
  - SATW Website home page
  - SATW 4 Bi-weekly Newsletters
- 5 promotional e-blasts to SATW members, reviewed and sent by SATW HQ
- Press release and social media announcement about your Sponsorship

#### Membership

- Organizational Membership: 3 members of the organization. All SATW memberships end December 31.
- Webinar:
  - 1 Exclusive Webinar
  - o 10 Complimentary Registrations for webinars throughout the year, beginning during the month payment is received

#### **Annual Convention**

- Recognition on Convention App as SATW Directory Sponsor
- Recognition in General Session Convention Slideshow
- One Table at key location for Media Marketplace
- One Complimentary Registration

#### Virtual Media Marketplace

• 2 Complimentary Registrations



## Virtual Media Marketplace Sponsorship

# Exclusive Sponsorship\$15,000Total Value\$18,000column

#### **Pre-Event**

- Company logo with link on SATW's website, in the Media Marketplace Portal, and on appointment confirmation emails
- Recognition in four SATW bi-weekly newsletters leading up to the virtual event
- Banner or Header/Footer ad within Media Marketplace Portal
- One Organizational Membership (1 year 3 members)
- One complimentary registration for Virtual Media Marketplace

#### **Virtual Happy Hour**

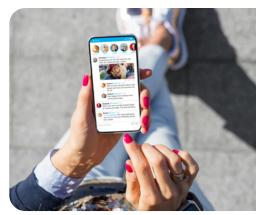
- Introduction to attendees by SATW President or moderator
- Opportunity to welcome attendees and show a promotional video (may include a video approx. 1-3 minutes)

#### **Post-Event**

- Thank you email with promo to attendees (to be approved and sent by SATW)
- Company logo on post-event survey
- Social media post in December
- Banner ad in bi-weekly newsletter for Q1 2024







## **Quick Facts:**

- Anticipating more than 250 active and associate members attending
- Up to 11 appointments per member
- Exclusive SATW member only event!
- · All members attending have met the SATW qualification requirements
- Member base is GLOBAL, with over 85% of members based in the US and 15% based in Canada
- SATW has approximately 1,000 members with over 75% being website owners, photographers, journalists, freelance writers, editors, digital publishers, videographers, and more. The remainder of members are public relations professionals, DMOs, and CVBs.





## Thank You to SATW 2022 Sponsors



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#### Virtual Media Marketplace Sponsor



Webinar