



LPI / ULPA 2023 Annual Conference Agenda

Luminary Hotel, Fort Myers, FL



Tuesday, February 14, 2023

8:00 am to 5:00 pm	LPI Certification Testing Pre-registered 2-2 ½ hour sessions <i>Heitman Room</i>
8:00 am to 12:00 pm	LPI Board of Directors Meeting <i>Caloosa Sound Convention Center – Salon D</i>
1:00 pm to 3:00 pm	LPI Board of Directors Meeting
3:00 pm to 4:00 pm	LPI-IP Board of Directors Meeting <i>Caloosa Sound Convention Center – Salon D</i>
4:00 pm to 5:00 pm	ULPA Board of Directors Meeting <i>Caloosa Sound Convention Center – Salon D</i>
5:00 pm	Hospitality Suite Open
7:00 pm to 9:00 pm	Welcome Cocktail Reception <i>Galleria</i>

Wednesday, February 15, 2023

7:30 am to 8:30 am	Breakfast <i>Caloosa Sound Convention Center – Salon A</i>
8:30 am to 8:45 am	Opening Comments & Welcome Tim Harger – Kris Philips Bratten – Kelley Collins
8:45 am to 9:15 am	ULPA General Assembly Meeting Kris Philips Bratten
9:15 am to 10:30 am	LPI General Assembly Meeting Tim Harger – Kelley Collins – Lesley Paske

10:30 am to 10:45 am **Break** **Exhibitor Tabletop Displays**

10:45 am to 11:15 am | **LPI-IP Update**
Tim Harger – Kellie Roberts

11:15 am to 12:00 pm | **Ditek – Fundamentals of Surge Protection**
Michael Molinari

12:00 pm to 1:00 pm | **Lunch** **Exhibitor Tabletop Displays**

1:00 pm to 2:15 pm | **Keynote Address and Q&A – The Art of Negotiation**
Scott Tillema

2:15 pm to 3:00 pm | **IBEC – Working with Building Enclosure Consultants**
Chris Griffin, President and Brian Pallasch, EVP

3:00 pm to 3:15 pm | **Break** **Exhibitor Tabletop Displays**

3:15 pm to 4:00 pm | **NFPA 780 – 2023 Update**
Christine Porter

4:00 pm to 4:30 pm | **Exhibitor Displays**

5:00 pm | **Hospitality Suite Open**

6:00 pm to 9:00 pm | **Social Event – Bar & Dinner Stations / Entertainment**
Pool Deck

Thursday, February 16, 2023

7:30 am to 8:30 am | **Breakfast**
Caloosa Sound Convention Center – Salon A

8:30 am to 9:15 am | **Lightning Strike Data and How to Use for Business**
Chris Vagasky - Vaisala

9:15 am to 10:00 am | **Understanding Ground Resistance Testing**
Gregg Wong- AEMC

10:00 am to 10:15 am | **Break** **Exhibitor Tabletop Displays**

10:15 am to 11:00 am | **Colony/Milwaukee Demo**
Nick Biondo

11:00 am to 12:00 pm | **Scientific Lightning Solutions: Topic To Be Announced**
Dr. Carlos Mata - SLS

12:00 pm to 1:00 pm | **Lunch** **Exhibitor Tabletop Displays**

1:00 pm to 1:45 pm | **Legislative and Regulatory hurdles at the State and Local level regarding mandatory LPS installation requirements**
Bryan Holland – NEMA

1:45 pm to 2:00 pm | **Break** **Exhibitor Tabletop Displays**

2:00 pm to 3:00 pm | **Public Safety & Mission Critical Communication**
James Krebs – Mission Critical Partners

3:00 pm to 3:30 pm | **Industry Town Hall**
Q&A to discuss industry challenges & solutions

3:30 pm to 4:00 pm | **Promethean, Promotion, & Harvest Presentations**
Kris Philips Bratten

Professional Division Breakout Meeting
Mitch Guthrie - Salon D

5:00 pm | **Hospitality Suite Open**

6:00 pm to 7:00 pm | **Cocktail Reception**
Caloosa Sound Convention Center – Salon D

7:00 pm to 10:00 pm | **Awards Dinner**

Friday, February 17, 2023

Departures or Stay for a Day of Fun

Activities TBD

*Golf, Boating, Fishing