

**IFES, 2005 Annual General Meeting and Convention
London – June 27-28, 2005**

VENUE

Crowne Plaza Hotel London Docklands (www.crowneplazadocklands.co.uk)

PROGRAMME

Sunday, June 26th

3:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Board Meeting Terra Private Dining Room
3:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Registration Set up of Suppliers' Showcase Meeting Success Lounge
7:30 pm	Board Dinner Terra Private Dining Room

Monday, June 27th

7:00 am – 9:00 am	Set up of Suppliers' Showcase Meeting Success Lounge
9:00 am – 10:00 am	Registration with Coffee Meeting Success Lounge
9:00 am – 4:00 pm	Supplier Showcase Meeting Success Lounge
10:30 am – Noon	Annual General Meeting Docklands West Ballroom <ul style="list-style-type: none">- IFES Review- Budget- Statuary Decisions- New Member Introductions
Noon	Lunch
1:00 pm – 1:15 pm	Opening Convention by IFES President

1:15 pm – 2:15 pm	Doug Ducate President – CEIR (Center for Exposition Industry Research) <i>“Riding the Wave”</i>
2:15 pm – 2:30 pm	Break
2:30 pm – 3:15 pm	Rich Erschik President-Leads to Sales <i>“Power of Tradeshows”</i>
3:20 pm – 4:00 pm	(Theater Designer-to come) <i>“Perception is Reality”</i>
5:30 pm	**Bus leaves for Theater
6:00 pm	Behind the Scenes Tour of the Theater
7:00 pm	Dinner at Papagoli’s
8:00 pm	Theater Presentation** ** (Confirmation Needed)
Tuesday, June 28th	
9:00 am– 10:00 am	Registration with Coffee Meeting Success Lounge
9:00 am – 4:00 pm	Supplier Showcase Meeting Success Lounge
10:00 am – 11:00 am	Dr. Michael Davies <i>“History of Exposition Industry in Europe”</i> Docklands West
11:15 am – 11:30 am	Break
11:30 am – 12:40 pm	Simon Burton <i>“Builder or Marketing Partner....A British Point of View”</i>
1:35 pm – 3:00 pm	Interactive Workshop

Round Table Discussions

(6) Tables – (8) Per Table

Three Ideas (25 minutes each)

- greatest barriers to industry growth
- next major trend in the expo industry
- impressions of country regulations w/regard to exposition services

3:00 pm – 3:15 pm

Break

3:15 pm – 4:30 pm

Table Leaders Report on Roundtable Discussions

4:30 pm – 4:45 pm

Close of Convention by IFES President

6:30 pm – 10:00 pm

Thame River Cruise/Dinner
Walk to Westminster Cathedral

Wednesday, June 29th

10:00 am – 11:00 pm

Power Breakfast at ExCel Centre

- Welcome speech for representatives from House of Parliament
- Briefing of Exhibition Show

10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Visit Exhibiting Show/Tom at ExCel Center

6:00 pm

Exhibiting Show Party – ExCel Center

Thursday, June 30th

10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Continued visit of Exhibiting Show

4:00 pm -

[Relax – Free Time to Enjoy London!](#)

Friday, July 1st

Noon – 1:00 pm

AEO Awards Luncheon/Party/ExCel Ctr.

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