



LOUISIANA ASSOCIATION of DISPENSING OPTICIANS

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August 20, 2009

Dear Friends,

I am pleased to announce the dates for our Annual Meeting in 2010. The meeting will be held at the beautiful Hilton on the Vermilion River in Lafayette, from Friday, April 16, to Sunday, April 18, 2010.

As PARTNERS in providing Louisiana with the most innovative eyewear and lens design, we cordially invite you to support the opticians who dispense your products throughout the year. Our opticians represent some of the biggest optical shops in Louisiana, and are from all corners of the state. We welcome your comments and suggestions on the Exhibition part of the meeting.

Clark Services will be setting up the booths, which are 8' x 10' with one table, two chairs, waste can and your company name displayed in the back. You have the option of purchasing multiple adjacent booths to make larger areas, and will receive a discounted rate on the second and third booths.

Pricing will be as follows:

- 1- 8x10 booths \$ 475.00
- 1- 8 x 20 booth \$ 750.00 (\$200 savings)
- 1- 8 x 30 booth \$ 1025.00 (\$400.00 savings)

If you are unable to send a representative, we would still like to promote your products as one of LADO's sponsors. Listed below are the remaining available sponsorships.

Saturday Night Gala & Crawfish Boil	\$2000.00
Sunday Morning Brunch	\$1000.00
Welcome Reception	\$750.00
Saturday Morning Coffee	\$ 600.00

We have other sponsorship levels starting at \$300.00, and welcome any donation from your company for the goodie bags, to be distributed to all the attendees. All sponsors will receive ad space in our quarterly newsletter to members, and will be listed in the Meeting Guide.

A detailed agenda as well as on-line registration (including hotel reservations) will soon be available on our website www.lado.org. You will receive our special discounted rate at the Lafayette Hilton of \$99.00/night.

This will be our most exciting year yet. **Please contact Jennifer Riles at 337-344-3309 or via email at jennifer@lahavesight.com if you have any questions.** Thank you for your continued involvement in LADO!

With Warmest Regards,

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**EXHIBIT REGISTRATION FORM
LADO CONFERENCE AND TRADE SHOW
APRIL 16-18, 2010
LAFAYETTE HILTON**

Company Name: _____

Contact Name: _____ Phone: _____

Street, City, St, Zip: _____

Contact Email Address: _____

Website: _____

We will be sending _____ reps. Names: _____
2 reps are included in the cost of a single booth. Additional reps are \$65.00.

We would like

- 1- 8x10 booths \$ 475.00
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- I am unable to attend the show but would like to be a sponsor in the amount of _____

Please make checks payable to LADO. **Deadline for registration is February 28, 2010.**

Clark Services will be in charge of booth set up. Please contact them if you have any special requests. 337-234-5653.
Room rates at the Hilton are \$99.00 per night. Hilton's phone number is 337-235-6111 (be sure to ask for the special LADO convention rate).

Please return this form with your payment by February 28, 2010, to: **LADO**
Phil Coker, President
209 Constitution Drive
Lafayette, LA 70503

Your LADO contact for this event will be Jennifer Riles, 337-344-3309 or jennifer@lahayesight.com.