

# Connecting the Gulf Coast Community to the Global Market

Join us for the Gulf Coast Trade Alliance  
2009 World Trade Conference

April 1 – 3, 2009  
L'Auberge du Lac Casino Resort  
Lake Charles, LA



Meet International Trade Specialists and Foreign Dignitaries at this year's conference! Agenda Topics Include:

- The Importance of Global Trade to Economic Survival
- Developing Sustainable Business through Trade
- Federal & State Business Resources

And participate in one or more area excursions such as

- Golfing at Contraband Bayou Golf Club at L'Auberge du Lac Casino Resort,
- An Eco Tourism Trip highlighting the natural foliage and wildlife along the Creole Nature Trail,
- A Boat Tour of Beautiful Lake Charles and the Calcasieu River,
- or Tours of the Port of Lake Charles and the Chennault International Airport Authority.

For the full conference agenda, log onto [www.allianceswla.org](http://www.allianceswla.org)  
and click on "Gulf Coast World Trade Conference"  
or contact David Conner, Conference Organizer, at 337-433-3632 ext. 213.  
Limited Booth & Sponsorship Opportunities are still available.

You can register online at [www.allianceswla.org](http://www.allianceswla.org) or by returning the information below.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Company: \_\_\_\_\_

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I will send in payment for \_\_\_\_\_ registrations. (\$200 before March 1<sup>st</sup>, \$250 after March 1<sup>st</sup>)

Participants Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

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*Mail checks & your registration form to The SWLA Economic Development Alliance at P.O. Box 3110,  
Lake Charles, LA 70602. If you would like to pay by credit card, call 337-433-3632.*