



Preliminary Schedule

All sessions take place at the **Monona Terrace Community and Convention Center**, 1 John Nolen Drive, Madison, WI, except where noted. All times are Central Daylight Savings Time (CDT begins March 10, 2024).

* Separate registration is required.

Wednesday, May 15

- 8:00 a.m.–4:30 p.m.** Emerging Museums Pre-Conference*
- 12:30 p.m.–4:30 p.m.** Museum CEO and Executive Directors Retreat*
- 12:30 p.m.–4:45 p.m.** Study Tour A. The Birds of Baraboo*
- 4:30 p.m.–5:15 p.m.** New Attendee Orientation
- 5:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m.** Opening Reception in the ACM MarketPlace

Thursday, May 16

- 7:30 a.m.–4:00 p.m.** ACM MarketPlace
- 7:30 a.m.–8:45 a.m.** Professional Networking Breakfast in the ACM MarketPlace
- 9:00 a.m.–10:30 a.m.** Plenary Session
- 10:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.** Study Tour B. Madison Children’s Museum: Outdoor Play Spaces*
- 10:45 a.m.–12:00 p.m.** Concurrent Professional Development Sessions
- 12:00 p.m.–2:00 p.m.** Lunch in the ACM MarketPlace
- 1:00 p.m.–3:15 p.m.** Study Tour C. Step Outside at Aldo Nature Center*
- 2:00 p.m.–3:15 p.m.** Concurrent Professional Development Sessions
- 3:15 p.m.–3:45 p.m.** Coffee Break in the ACM MarketPlace
- 3:45 p.m.–5:00 p.m.** Concurrent Professional Development Sessions
- 6:30 p.m.–9:30 p.m.** An Evening at Madison Children’s Museum*

Friday, May 17

- 7:30 a.m.–8:45 a.m.** Continental Breakfast
- 7:30 a.m.–8:45 a.m.** Peer-to-Peer Roundtable Discussions
- 9:00 a.m.–10:15 a.m.** Plenary Session: ACM 2024 Great Friend to Kids Award
- 10:15 a.m.–12:15 p.m.** Study Tour D. Center for Healthy Minds at University of Wisconsin-Madison*
- 10:30 a.m.–11:45 a.m.** Concurrent Professional Development Sessions
- 11:45 a.m.–1:15 p.m.** Lunch on Your Own
- 12:45 p.m.–2:24 p.m.** Study Tour E. Madison Children’s Museum: Sustainability for All*
- 1:15 p.m.–2:30 p.m.** Concurrent Professional Development Sessions
- 2:45 p.m.–4:00 p.m.** Concurrent Professional Development Sessions