Frequently Asked Questions

Where is the conference?

Bellagio Hotel & Casino 3600 S Las Vegas Blvd, Las Vegas, NV 89109 (888) 987-6667

The conference rate is \$185 + \$37 daily resort fee.

***You will not receive the hotel code to book your room until you are registered and paid for the conference.

What is the conference doing about Covid guidelines and social distancing?

Conference staff is working daily with the Bellagio Hotel and Las Vegas Convention Bureau on event standards for social distancing. If you have specific questions or concerns, please contact us.

<u>Current CDC Event Guidelines</u>: <a href="https://www.northstarmeetingsgroup.com/News/Coronavirus-CDC-Event-Meeting-Conference-Planning-Guidelines-Tips-Advice?utm_source=eNewsletter&utm_medium=Email&utm_campaign=eltrMtgNews&oly_enc_id=4024E1689290A9X

Is there a one day pass?

No. We do not offer a one-day pass. You must pay the entire conference rate to attend. Your name badge is your "ticket" to get in to the sessions, networking and luncheons.

Do I have to wear a mask?

The conference area will abide by the current safety guidelines for MGM properties. If a mask is mandatory, you will need to wear one while on the conference floor.

What is the best way to maximize my time at the conference?

We recommend you set up appointments in advance. Use the conference mobile app to reach out to make appointments with fellow attendees

Who usually attends this conference?

Owners, operators, and executives of multi-unit restaurant companies—both franchised and independent—send representatives to FODC each year. Attendees also include executives in finance, accounting, development, legal, real estate and franchising. Also invited are consultants, private and public equity investors, lenders, brokers, bankers, developers, accountants, attorneys and financial dealmakers who serve the restaurant industry.

What time does the conference start and end?

Registration for the conference will open at 12:00 pm on Wednesday, November 10th. The general session begins at 2:00 pm. The conference will conclude at 12:00 pm on Friday, November 12th.

Does the Bellagio offer mobile check-in?

MGM Resorts offer mobile check in. Download the MGM Resorts app in advance and you can check in early and bypass the line when you arrive. Use it to access the guest elevators and pool as well.

Is there a dress code?

We require a minimum standard of business casual attire at all times, although it should be pointed out that many attendees wear sport coats or suits. The conference maintains a professional and business-like atmosphere and we expect our attendees to respect this. Ask yourself this question: If you were going to meet with your banker, what would you wear to the meeting?

• Is there a mobile app? How do I connect with other attendees?

There will be a mobile app for this event launching in October. From the app you can reach out to other attendees to set up meetings in advance, view the agenda, contact the sponsors, etc. Only registered attendees will have access to the app.

Will an attendee list be available?

An attendee list will be available to paid attendees starting in September and updated each Friday leading up to the event. To set up meetings, you must reach out through the mobile app.

• Who is Food On Demand News?

Food On Demand connects the foodservice industry's mobile ordering and delivery pacesetters and covers the ongoing transformation of how consumers discover, shop, order and consume food in a digital age. Food On Demand publishes a weekly e-newsletter, produces timely webinars and white papers, and hosts the annual Food On Demand Conference that is the industry's premier in-person event. The Food On Demand Conference examines new technologies and business models and the latest trends in consumer behaviors, preferences and expectations.