

Monday 3/20/17 is the last day to get a great hotel rate for the

World Heritage and U. S. Civil Rights Sites Symposium April 20-22, 2017 - Atlanta, Georgia





The Georgia State University World Heritage Initiative is preparing a nomination of U. S. Civil Rights Sites to be considered for the World Heritage List in an effort to achieve the highest possible level of global recognition possible for these historic places. Next month, civil rights scholars and historic preservationists from around the country will gather in Atlanta to discuss this exciting project. **Join us!**

Free and open to the public, the *World Heritage and U. S. Civil Rights Sites Symposium* offers sessions that will explain the World Heritage program and its nomination process, the global significance of the U.S. Civil Rights Movement, and what might be expected of property owners and stakeholders of historic sites if they receive a World Heritage designation. With more than 50 properties under consideration by the GSU World Heritage Initiative for a nomination of a dozen sites or less, the process is highly selective.

Attending the Symposium

Registration

The *Symposium* is free but please register by **Wednesday**, **April 12**,

Register or Get Information



2017, so we can plan accordingly. Use this red button to send an email telling us what days you'll be attending or to ask any questions you may have.

Hotel Accommodations

Accommodations are

available at the Residence Inn by Marriott - Atlanta Downtown, in easy walking distance of the GeorgiaState University School of Law Auditorium and to the trolley line to the MartinLuther King, Jr., National Historic Site and Ebenezer Baptist Church. A special group rate of \$135 per night is available until March 20, 2017; use the blue button to make your reservation directly with the hotel.

NOTE: the block is filling up quickly. If you are unable to make a reservation, use the red "Get Information" button on the right to let us know. We will check for any unclaimed reserved rooms or put you on a waiting list.

Transportation Options

To get to the hotel from Hartsfield-Jackson International Atlanta Airport, you have three options: taxi, rideshare services such as Uber, or MARTA. Atlanta's rail transit system. To use a rideshare service, proceed to the rideshare pickup area. To use MARTA, take the North Line from the airport to the Peachtree Center station.

To get to theopening session and reception at Ebenezer Baptist Church in the Martin LutherKing, Jr., National Historic Site, walk down Auburn Avenue (less than 1 mile) or take the Atlanta Streetcar.

Make Hotel Reservation

Special thanks to our Symposium Hospitality Sponsor:



Website coming soon!

We expect to launch our website before the *Symposium*, where you'll find information about the project, the World Heritage program. and materials from the Symposium.