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# HOTEL AND CONFERENCE CENTER INFORMATION:

Hotel	Website
Four Points Bellingham Hotel & Conference Center	
714 Lakeway Drive, Bellingham, WA, 98229 Phone: (360) 671-1011	http://www.fourpointsbellingham.com/
Hampton Inn Bellingham-Airport	
3985 Bennett Drive, Bellingham, Washington, 98225 Phone: (360) 676-7700	http://hamptoninn3.hilton.com/en/hotels/washington/hampton-inn-bellingham-airport-BLLWAHX/index.html
SpringHill Suites/ TownePlace Suites by Marriott Bellingham	
Address: 4040 Northwest Ave, Bellingham, WA 98226 Phone: (360) 714-9600	http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/blish-springhill-suites-bellingham/

# FROM THE AIRPORT:

There are shuttles to all three hotels from the airport.

# **PARKING**

There is free parking at the hotels and the convention center.

# REGISTRATION TABLES/ CHECK-IN

Early registration check-in will be in the Ballroom, May 9<sup>th</sup> from 4:30PM until 7:00PM. General Registration check-in will begin at 7:30 AM on May 10<sup>th</sup> in the Terrace hallway. You will receive a name badge, swag bag and agenda.

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# **WEATHER:**

DAY		DESCRIPTION	HIGH / LOW	PRECIP	WIND
TUE MAY 9	**	Sunny	67 <sup>*</sup> /51 <sup>*</sup>	<b>/</b> 0%	S 8 mph
WED MAY 10	**	Sunny	64 /51	<b>/</b> 10%	S 8 mph
THU MAY 11	7	Showers	61 / 49	<b>/</b> 50%	S 9 mph
FRI MAY 12	7	Showers	60 <sup>°</sup> /48 <sup>°</sup>	<b>/</b> 60%	S 9 mph

Sunrise: 5:30 AM Sunset: 8:30 PM

## **MEALS**

### **BREAKFAST**

A simple working pre-plated breakfast of eggs, breakfast potatoes, fruit and bacon/sausage will be provided the morning of the 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> at the Forum. Vegetarian/non-Pork options will be given to those who indicated a meal accommodation on their registration forms.

A continental breakfast of pastries and fruit will be available the morning of the Friday the 12th.

<sup>\*</sup>Note, both the Hampton and Springhill/TownPlace Suites offer continental breakfast included with lodging. The FourPoints does not, however they do have a restaurant.\*

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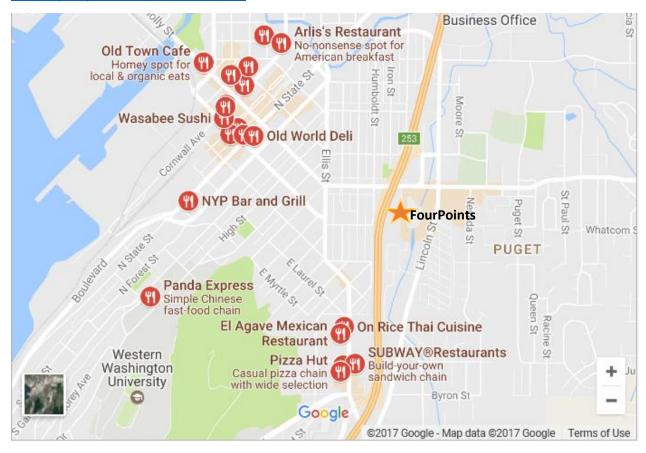




### LUNCH

This year lunch will be on your own. We offer this google map to lunch destinations in the area.

### https://goo.gl/maps/AyaKWhDvv722



## **COFFEE**

There will be a drip coffee and water stand at the forum.

Coffee shops in the area: <a href="https://goo.gl/maps/sJduouSk3dQ2">https://goo.gl/maps/sJduouSk3dQ2</a>

### **DINNER**

The evening of the 10<sup>th</sup> we have arranged some networking locations. Please see the agenda for full details. Other nights you are encouraged to create networking opportunities of your own and also discover the amazing eateries Bellingham has to offer.

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### **ACTIVITIES**

### **OUTDOOR**

Whatcom Falls Park - 1401 Electric Ave, Bellingham, WA 98229 - <a href="http://www.bellingham.org/insider-blogs/exploring-the-hidden-treasures-in-whatcom-falls-park/">http://www.bellingham.org/insider-blogs/exploring-the-hidden-treasures-in-whatcom-falls-park/</a>

**Boulevard Park** - 470 Bayview Dr. Bellingham, WA 98225 – <a href="https://www.cob.org/services/recreation/parks-trails/Pages/boulevard-park.aspx">https://www.cob.org/services/recreation/parks-trails/Pages/boulevard-park.aspx</a>

**Sehome Hill Arboretum**- 600 25th Street, Bellingham, WA 98225 (on WWU's Campus) <a href="http://www.wwu.edu/share/">http://www.wwu.edu/share/</a>

Western Washington University Campus/Tour http://www.wwu.edu/about/tours

### SHOPPING AND OTHER

**Bellis Fair Mall** - 1 Bellis Fair Pkwy, Bellingham, WA 98226 (including a movie theater) <a href="https://www.bellisfair.com">https://www.bellisfair.com</a>

**Creativitea** – Paint a souvenir! - 1312 11th St, Bellingham, WA 98225 http://www.creativitea.com/

**Fairhaven Historical District** – Bellingham's "old town" shopping district https://www.fairhaven.com/

**The Whatcom Museum** - 250 Flora Street, Bellingham, WA 98225 <a href="https://whatcommuseum.org/">https://whatcommuseum.org/</a>

If you have any questions or rooming issues during the forum please contact:

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