



MARK YOUR CALENDAR - NOW!
42nd Annual Southeast U.S./Japan Assoc. Joint Meeting:
Savannah, Georgia - October 20-23, 2019



Membership in the Southeast U.S./Japan Association is open to residents of Alabama, Florida, Georgia, North Carolina, Mississippi, South Carolina, and Tennessee, and includes both private and public sector members. The Southeast U.S./Japan Association has a counterpart in Tokyo, the Japan-U.S. Southeast Association. The Japanese Association's membership includes the top managers of Japan's leading enterprises as well as high-level government officials. To fulfill the mission of both Associations, an annual **Joint Meeting** is held, and alternates between selected sites in Japan and the Southeast. Membership in **Florida Delegation, Southeast U.S./Japan Association, Inc.** is open to individuals, companies and organizations interested in the promotion of trade, investment. Georgia is the host state and has selected the Westin Savannah Harbor Golf Resort & Spa in Savannah as the official venue for this year's 42nd Joint Meeting.

PROGRAM & ACTIVITIES:

- Overview of Current SEUS & Japan Economies
- Sessions on Trade, Investment, and Energy
- Participation of Top Japanese Business & Government Leaders and SEUS
- Invitational Golf Tournament
- Tours, Receptions, Dinners & Special Entertainment for Excellent Networking
- Florida Delegation Annual Meeting of Members
- Special post-conference optional sightseeing tours available to all delegates

ASK US ABOUT OUR SPECIAL PROMOTIONS FOR FIRST-TIME DELEGATES !

First-time Florida delegates are encouraged to take advantage of our special discount program that includes a limited-time trial membership. Also, SEUS/Japan has negotiated special group hotel rates at the Westin Savannah Harbor Golf Resort & Spa for all registered delegates. **Please return the form below to request pre-registration materials and more details, or contact us by email or visit us online. Early Bird registration will open in July 2019; registration deadlines to be announced at that time.**

- YES, I am currently a member of Florida Delegation. Please send me a pre-registration info and more details.
- YES, I wish to register, and am a first time Florida Delegate. Please send me first-time membership promo offers and registration form.

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Preliminary Announcement:
42nd ANNUAL



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Southeast U.S./Japan & Japan-U.S. Southeast Associations

“Success through Tradition, Innovation and Partnerships”

OCTOBER 20-23, 2019
SAVANNAH, GA



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GOLF RESORT & SPA

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Florida-Japan Business Leader:

I am pleased to invite you to this year's 42nd Joint Meeting of Southeast U.S./Japan & Japan-U.S. Southeast Associations. This prestigious event will be held in Savannah this coming October 20-23 at the Westin Savannah Harbor Golf Resort & Spa.



*Dave Woodward,
Executive Director,
Florida Delegation,
SEUS/Japan Assoc.*

The relationship between Japan and the Southeast United States has grown steadily since the first meeting took place between the business and government leaders of Japan and our region over in 1975. Since that time, more than 1,000 Japanese firms have invested in the Southeast, and in recent years Florida has ranked Japan as its largest FDI country with \$7.1 billion invested in our state with some 200 Japanese firms here, employing some 27,000 Floridians in 500 locations state wide. The ties between Japan and the Southeast U.S. are stronger than ever, truly building on these past three decades of successful partnership.

This year's program will include remarks and presentations by top business and government leaders, representing the most significant aspects of the economic relationship as well as ties of tourism, education, culture and friendship between Japan and the seven Southeast U.S. member states. Additionally, the respective governors of each of the member states, and senior Japanese business and government leaders and special guest speakers are expected to participate.

The meeting will provide exciting networking opportunities for all of the some 500-600 participating delegates to renew old friendships and establish new ones, including a golf tournament, sightseeing tours, receptions, meals and entertainment. Conference participation is limited to only 70 delegates per state to maximize networking opportunities. This provides an exclusive opportunity for our delegates to establish business relationships with Japanese business leaders.

The participation of leaders like you will provide significant benefits for our state. I invite you to mark your calendar now and strongly encourage your participation.

I look forward to seeing you in Savannah this October!

Sincerely,

Dave Woodward
Executive Director
Florida Delegation, SEUS/Japan Association



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Tentative Preliminary Program Agenda

(All events at the Westin unless otherwise noted)

Sunday, October 20

1:00 PM

Registration open

5:30 PM

Chairman's Dinner *(by special invitation only)*

Monday, October 21

7:00am

Registration open

Golf Tournament and Optional Delegate Tours (3)

5:00 PM

Florida Delegation Meeting of Members (TBD)

6:30 PM

Welcome Reception and Gala Dinner
Westin Grand Ballroom

Tuesday, October 22

7:00 AM

Registration open

7:45 – 9:00 AM

Delegate Networking Buffet Breakfast

8:15 – 9:00 AM

HOD Breakfast, Group Photo *(Private)*

9:00 AM

Spouse/Guest Tour

9:15 – 10:45 AM

Opening Ceremony

10:45 – 11:15 AM

Networking Break

11:15 AM

Conference Program

12:15 PM

Luncheon

1:30 PM

Conference Program

3:05 PM – 3:25 PM

Networking/Refreshment Break

3:25 PM – 4:45 PM

Conference Program

6:30 PM

Offsite Reception/Dinner and Networking

Wednesday, October 23

7:30 – 8:45 AM

Delegate Networking Breakfast

9:00 AM

Conference Program

9:45 AM

Closing Ceremony

-Joint Meeting Adjourns-

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