

2007 International Conference

Pre-Conference Tour to Colorado Springs, CO

September 9-11, 2007



Colorado Springs, one of the nation's top tourist destinations, offers an abundance of cultural and recreational opportunities. The Colorado Springs Pre-Conference Tour will highlight the following attractions:

- » Enjoy breathtaking views of **Pikes Peak**, one of the state's most prominent 14,000-foot landmarks.
- » The **Air Force Academy**, Colorado's most frequently visited man-made attraction, will include a tour of the famous Chapel and the Visitor Center where a unique opportunity to learn about the Air Force both past and present is presented. The tour will be completed with a fine lunch at the Officers' Club.



- » Visit **Garden of the Gods**, a magnificent park of red sandstone formations that once was a spiritual retreat for Native American peoples. The over 300 million years old, the ancient rocks have been sculpted to perfection by wind and water erosion and are home to many species of plant and animal life unique to this area.

- » The Five-Star **Broadmoor Resort** has been an elite destination since the 1920s. Winner of virtually every luxury accommodation award, the Broadmoor features 3000 lush acres of manicured grounds, 15 restaurants, a "Global Ten" golf course, and a world-class spa. A tour of the Broadmoor will be topped off with an exquisite lunch at the famous Tavern Restaurant.



- » **Cave of the Winds** is a system of underground caverns featuring dramatic stalactites and other spectacular mineral formations. Guides knowledgeable in both geology and history conduct visitors along passageways formed by millions of years of water erosion.

Tour Details

- Plan to arrive on Sunday, September 9th. Arrive directly at the Colorado Springs airport (COS) and call the hotel van to pick you up. Or fly into Denver International Airport (DEN) and take the inter-city Colorado Shuttle (1-877-587-3456 or reservations@coloradoshuttle.com) directly to the Colorado Springs Sheraton Hotel. Tours will be Monday, September 10th and Tuesday, September 11th.

- Registration Includes:
 - Sheraton Colorado Springs Hotel — September 9th and 10th
 - Lunch at the Broadmoor Resort's Tavern Restaurant
 - Lunch at the Air Force Academy's Officers' Club
 - Dinner at Solo's, a restaurant which seats diners in the fuselage of a historic Boeing KC-97 tanker
 - Transportation to the Omni Interlaken Resort (conference hotel) on September 11th.

- Rates per person: Double Occupancy — \$380; Single Occupancy — \$480

Registration must be received by August 1, 2007.

All arrangements are being coordinated by the Table Mountain Travel Agency. Please contact the agency for registration, questions, and travel arrangements to Colorado Springs.

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NORAD is moving out of Cheyenne Mountain and shutting it down. The three commands are moving to Peterson AFB in Colorado Springs, California and Hawaii. Because of this, they have discontinued their tours of NORAD. Therefore, this tour will be replaced by Cave of the Winds. One of the most popular destinations in Colorado Springs, Cave of the Winds is a system of underground caverns featuring dramatic stalactites and other spectacular mineral formations. Guides knowledgeable in both geology and history conduct visitors along passageways formed by millions of years of water erosion.