



VALVE FORUM

Conference & Exhibits

April 17-19, 2023 | San Antonio, Texas

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Welcome!

to the Valve Forum, North America's most comprehensive conference and exhibition in the valve, actuator and control industry.

Designed for trailblazers in the valve industry and its value chain, the Valve Forum is back for its third installment in April 2023. Secure your exhibit space and high-visibility sponsorship package early to lock in special benefits and take advantage of the full-event promotions.

What is the Valve Forum?

With a singular focus on providing the best education, training and professional connections to the industrial valve community, participants can expect to:



Learn

Timely education addressing technical, manufacturing, applications, management and marketing topics delivered by the industry's best known thought leaders



Discover

Product and technology exhibits that display the best and latest innovations in the industrial valve market



Connect

Premium networking opportunities to help reinforce existing business relationships or create new ones

Who Should Exhibit and Sponsor?

All suppliers, distributors and manufacturers who want to grow their industrial valve business are welcome and encouraged to take part. The Valve Forum provides a cost-effective venue to showcase your latest developments, newest equipment and best advances in products and services to valve manufacturers and end users.

Who Will Attend?

The Valve Forum attracts professionals in the valve, actuator, automation and flow control industries. Meet with more than 150 decision makers and buying influencers who work for industry manufacturers, suppliers and distributors in engineering, production and assembly roles as well as leaders in marketing, sales and management.

Schedule At-A-Glance

Monday | April 17, 2023

11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Exhibit Setup
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Pre-Conference Workshop or Facility Tour
5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Exhibits Open: Welcome Reception

Tuesday | April 18, 2023

7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Exhibits Open: Continental Breakfast
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Opening Keynote Session
10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Networking Break
10:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Conference Program
11:45 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Exhibits Open: Lunch
2:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Conference Program
2:45 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Exhibits Open: Break
3:15 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Exhibit Break Down
3:15 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.	Conference Program

Wednesday | April 19, 2023

8:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Exhibit Break Down
8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Conference Program
10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Networking Break
10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Conference Program

Please Note: Schedule is subject to change.

Exhibit Opportunities

Your Valve Forum exhibit investment includes:

- ▶ Your choice of tabletop exhibit or 9 x 9 booth space
- ▶ One full exhibitor registration, including access to all food and beverage events at the hotel
- ▶ One six-foot undraped table
- ▶ One chair
- ▶ Option to purchase additional full Valve Forum conference passes

9 x 9 Booth Exhibits

VMA/VRC Member

\$1,275

Non-Member

\$1,395

We have limited availability, so reserve your space early! The 9 x 9 booth allows for pop-up style displays.

Tabletop Exhibits

VMA/VRC Member

\$1,075

Non-Member

\$1,195

Your company materials must be displayed on the six-foot table and kept to the immediate area behind your table. Because there is restricted space, only small signs and banners are permissible.

Sponsorship Opportunities

In addition to the benefits of the enhanced branding that comes along with the following unique high-visibility sponsorship packages, every sponsor will receive recognition on the event website, in pre-event marketing materials, on the Mobile App and on signage throughout the event.

Premier Sponsorships		
Tote Bags	\$1,500	VMA supplies tote bag with your company branding.
	\$1,000	Sponsor supplies tote bag.
Evening Reception	\$1,250	Includes signage near the bar and food stations and one-color branded napkins.
Registration	\$1,200	Your logo is featured on the "Know Before You Go" letter sent to all attendees prior to the event and on the badge lanyards supplied by VMA.
Lunch	\$1,000	Includes signage near the beverage and food stations during lunch.

Additional Sponsorship Opportunities		
Continental Breakfast	\$750 per day	Includes signage near the beverage and food stations during breakfast.
Networking Break	\$500 per break	Includes signage near the beverage station during the break.
Mobile App	\$500	Your logo is featured alongside Valve Forum branding on the main Mobile App graphic.
Apple iPad Giveaway	\$50	A drawing for an Apple iPad will be held at the closing of the exhibit hall on Tuesday, April 18th. Attendees will receive a card at registration that lists all the Apple iPad Giveaway Sponsors. To be eligible to win, attendees must visit at least half of the companies listed on the card.

Extra Exposure, Extra Value!

Premier Sponsors will be featured on the cover of the registration brochure, the postcard and e-blasts sent to thousands of Valve Forum prospects.

Important Deadlines

To be included in:	Commit by:
Print Postcard (Premier Sponsors Only)	January 16, 2023
Registration Brochure (as an Exhibitor or Sponsor)	February 1, 2023
Print Onsite Guide	March 29, 2023

Please Note: Sponsorships are available only to companies who have at least one person attending the event as an exhibitor (included with exhibit package investment) or a conference registrant.



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