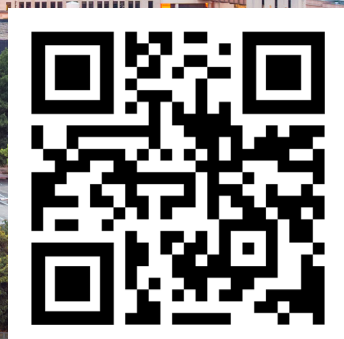


The 2026 CSWE Annual Conference

ATLANTA, GA | OCTOBER 22–25, 2026

Exhibiting, Sponsorship, and Marketing Prospectus



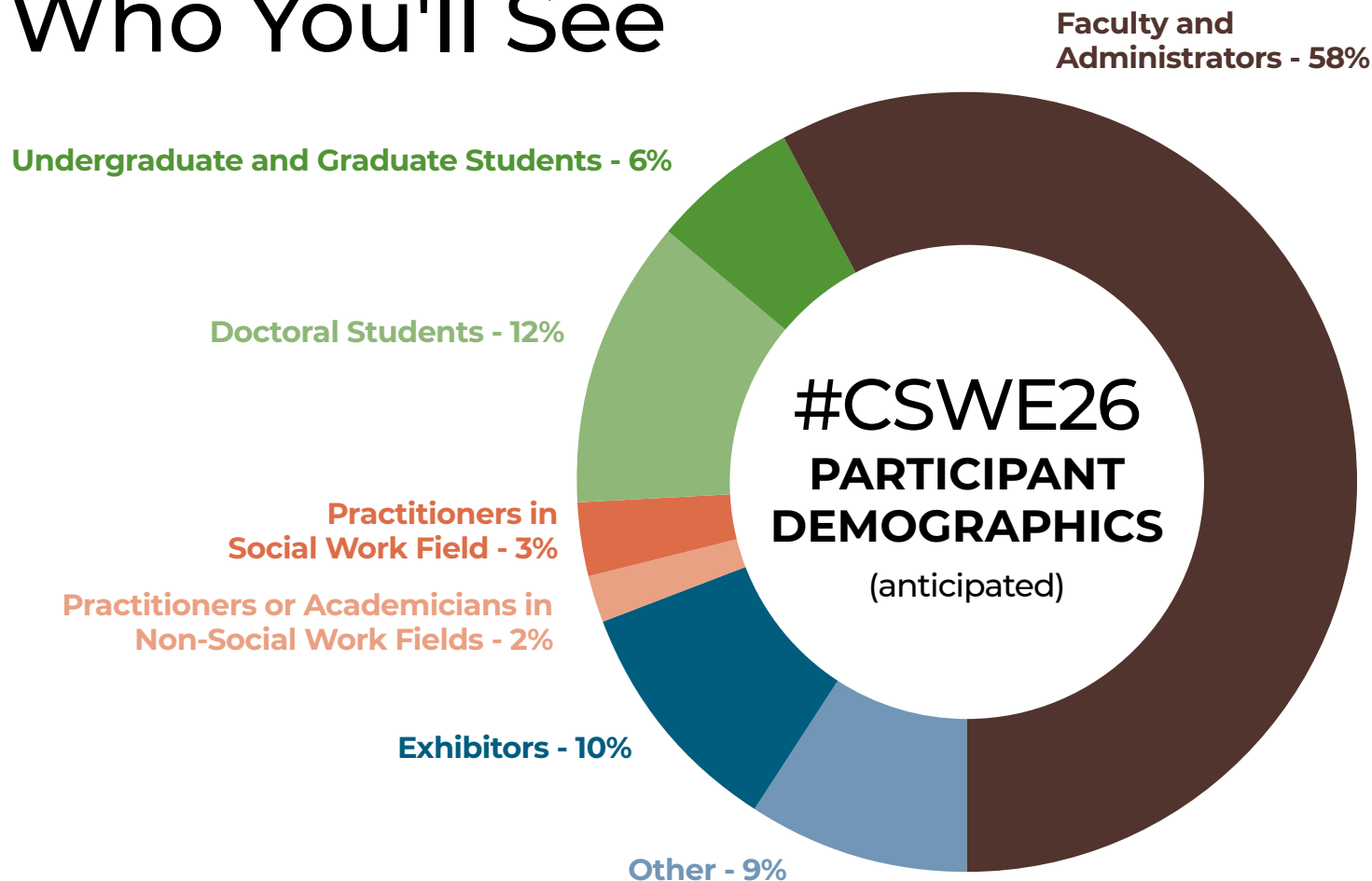
Support #CSWE26

At CSWE's 2026 Annual Conference, thousands of social work faculty members, influencers, administrators, and students will meet in Atlanta, GA to take part in the largest gathering of graduate and undergraduate programs of professional social work education.

Support the 2026 Conference and make sure your organization is visible by taking advantage of all three promotional opportunities.



Who You'll See



Who are you trying to connect with at the CSWE Annual Conference?

[Contact us](#) for more information on how to reach your target audiences.

Exhibit



Reserve an exhibit booth at the Conference and connect directly with social work educators, students, and practitioners on site during the meeting. Here's what you receive as an exhibitor:

- 8' D x 10' W booth space
- Two all-access, complimentary 2026 Conference registrations
- Two exhibit-booth-only 2026 Conference registrations
- Booth drapery and a basic identification sign

EXHIBIT BOOTH	Member	Nonmember
Early Bird Rate (through March 31)	\$1,750	\$2,000
Standard Rate (after March 31)	\$2,000	\$2,500

Please note that exhibits must remain intact until the final closing of the exhibit hall. Packing up or dismantling exhibits before 11:30 AM on Sunday, October 25, will result in a \$500 fine.

Advertise



ON-SITE DIGITAL ADVERTISING

Boost your visibility with digital advertising! Reserve a digital ad on flat-screen monitors in high-traffic locations around the conference space. Artwork due no later than **Monday, September 7**.

Member	Nonmember
\$1,000	\$1,500

DIGITAL AD SPECIFICATIONS

Mobile App Banners*	
1	1920 pixels wide x 225 pixels high
2	1280 pixels wide x 200 pixels high



On-Site Digital Advertising*	
3840 pixels wide x 2160 pixels high	On-Site Digital Ads 16:19

*Can be a .jpg or .png format (.png is recommended)

MOBILE APP BANNERS

Make sure Conference participants are aware of your presence at the event by purchasing a logo placement in the official 2026 CSWE Annual Conference mobile app.

\$400 members and nonmembers. Limit of 15. Artwork due no later than **Monday, September 7**.

DIGITAL DAILY NEWSLETTER SPONSORSHIPS

About half of 2024 Conference attendees opened the Daily Conference Newsletter emails that summarized the day's events with photos and short articles. We are proud to offer this branding opportunity for the 2026 CSWE Annual Conference. *Limit one advertiser per daily newsletter, sent to all attendees on Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.*

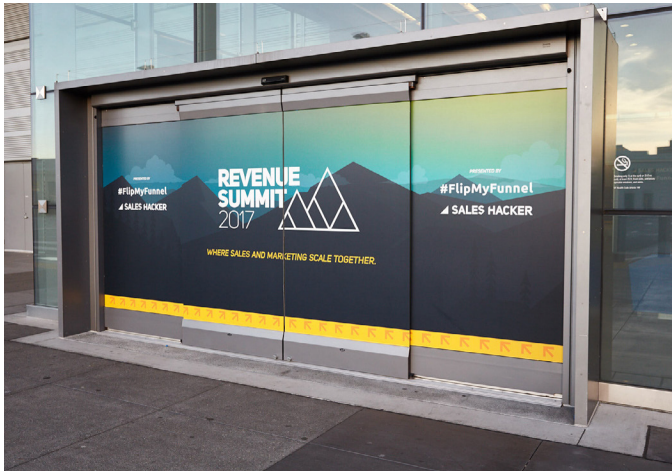
Member	Nonmember
\$2,000	\$2,500

Sponsor

BRANDED SIGNAGE OPPORTUNITIES

Window Clings

Custom-designed clings attach to glass doors, windows, and solid walls of the conference hotel.



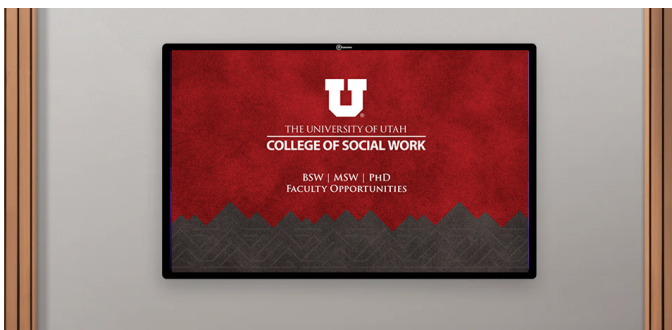
Elevator Wraps

Custom-fit clings attached to elevator doors in the conference hotel.



Digital Monitors

Illuminate your school's social work program or company brand on a large digital monitor placed in high-traffic areas throughout the conference hotel.



Column Wraps

Custom-printed with graphics wrapped around columns in the conference hotel.



PREMIUM SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Headshot Lounge

Get great visibility for your brand and give attendees the opportunity to up their headshot game at the Headshot Lounge. The Lounge is an executive portrait-taking experience where attendees can sit for a photo with a professional photographer. The lounge will be in a high-traffic location in the conference hotel.



Conference Registration Check-In

Showcase your school or company brand from the moment attendees check in at the Annual Conference!



Hotel Keycards

Put your school or company brand in every attendee's hands through branded hotel room keycards.



Hotel Keycard Sleeves

Boost your branding efforts with branded hotel room keycard sleeves.

Water Bottles

Help attendees stay hydrated by putting your school or company's name on branded, reusable water bottles that will be distributed in attendee tote bags onsite.

Lanyards

Proudly display your school or company's name on a cloth lanyard for use with registrant name badges onsite at the Annual Conference.

Attendee Tote Bags

Proudly display your school or company's name on a backpack or tote bag given to each registrant onsite.



Attendee T-Shirts

Proudly display your school or company's brand on a t-shirt distributed to conference attendees onsite.

Student Volunteer T-Shirts

Make your school or company's brand stand out on a t-shirt given to student volunteers at the Annual Conference.

CORE SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Charging Bar, Lounge, & Stations

Keep attendees charged through branded device charging bars, lounges, or stations placed in high-traffic areas around the conference hotel.



Coffee Breaks

Be the brand behind caffeination at multiple coffee stations inside the exhibit and/or prefunction area inside the conference hotel.



Microfiber Cleaning Cloth

Help attendees see clearly with a branded microfiber cleaning cloth, which can be used to clean tablet screens or glasses. This item will be placed in attendee tote bags.

Sensory Lounge

Provide a calming and supportive environment for conference attendees who may be experiencing sensory overload or seeking a space for relaxation and exploration of sensory experiences.

Registration Bag Insert

Ensure visibility right from the start with a one-page flyer and/or giveaway included in each conference attendee bag. Item provided by sponsor.




Sponsor (continued)

Choose from multiple sponsorship opportunities to show your support for the Conference and/or specific CSWE initiatives. Returning 2025 sponsors are extended the right of first refusal. Returning sponsors must confirm commitment in writing by **March 31, 2026**.

- Awards Luncheon – \$6,000, \$3,000*
- T-Shirt Giveaway – \$12,500
- Award Sponsorships – \$500 and up
- Badge Lanyards – \$6,500
- Carl A. Scott Memorial Lecture – \$6,500, \$4,250*
- Charging Bar – \$5,000
- Charging Lounge – \$8,000
- Charging Station – \$3,000 (multiple available)
- Coffee Station – \$3,500 (multiple available)
- Council on Sexual Orientation and Gender Expression Events – \$500 and up (multiple available)
- Council on Racial, Ethnic, and Cultural Diversity Reception – \$8,500, \$4,250*
- CSWE Opening Night Reception – \$8,000, \$4,000*
- Countdown E-mail Sponsorship – \$2,500–\$3,000
- Daily Social Media Takeover – \$3,000 per day, limit one per day
- Doctoral Student Networking Breakfast – \$500 and up
- Feminist Networking Breakfast – \$500 and up
- Thursday Student Summit – \$2,500
- Future of Social Work Plenary Session – \$4,000
- Hokenstad International Lecture – \$6,500, \$4,250*
- Hotel Keycard Sleeves – \$5,000
- Hotel Keycards – \$6,000
- Selfie/Instagram Frames – \$3,000 (two locations, max of two logos per frame)
- *Journal of Social Work Education* – \$1,000
- Leadership Networking Reception – \$5,500, \$3,000*
- Membership Meeting Break – \$3,500
- Minority Fellowship Program Events – \$500 and up
- Mobile App – \$8,500, \$6,500*
- Opening Plenary Session – \$40,000, \$10,000*
- Photo Booth – \$6,000
- Registration – \$6,500, \$4,500*
- Ribbon Wall – \$2,500
- Student Volunteer T-Shirts – \$6,000
- Stylus Pen – \$3,500
- Technology Giveaway – \$4,000
- Tote Bags – \$13,000, \$8,000*
- Water Bottles – \$6,500
- Water Station – \$3,000 (multiple available)
- Wellness Area – \$12,500
- WiFi Network/Password – \$15,000, \$10,000*

*Price for co-sponsorship

If the total amount due for your sponsorship(s) adds up to a dollar amount shown below, you will receive the corresponding benefits in the table below. This is in addition to the visibility provided with your specific sponsorship.

PREMIER – \$10,500	PLATINUM – \$8,000	GOLD – \$5,500	SILVER – \$3,000
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Branded Conference countdown e-mail advertisement (3 weeks out) • Mobile app banner • All benefits received in Platinum Sponsorship 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • On-site digital ad • All benefits received in Gold Sponsorship 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$1,750 credit applied to the cost of a 8' x 10' exhibit booth at the Conference (credit is nontransferable and applicable only to the cost of one 2026 booth) • Exhibit booth includes two full, complimentary Conference registrations and exhibitor badges • All benefits included in Silver Sponsorship 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Logo with link displayed on website • Logo displayed at the Conference Opening Plenary and in high-traffic areas
			



Preconference Event Sponsorships

These special preconference events offer great visibility to highly engaged members and attendees. Contact annualconference@cswe.org for pricing and benefits.

Experiential Learning Workshop. An all-day program from CSWE's Center for Diversity in which participants visit sites around Atlanta to deepen their understanding of issues related to disability justice. (Wednesday)

Field Education Institute. An all-day program, this institute will focus on issues in field education relating to the conference theme. Specific areas of interest include how field education prepares students to tackle challenges related to disability and how field educators dismantle oppressive structures in the field education curriculum. (Thursday)



Leadership Development Institute. An all-day program for faculty members focused on anti-oppressive leadership strategies, crisis management, and/or responsiveness to world events. (Thursday)

Assessment Institute. The 2026 CSWE Annual Conference will offer the Assessment Institute designed for faculty and academic staff members. The Assessment Institute will focus on assessment trends and best practices in higher education. The Institute will include speakers and dialogue on practices in competency-based assessment and the current EPAS. (Thursday)

Student Summit. A student-focused event that includes a keynote speaker, additional speakers in breakout sessions, and an open discussion. The goal of the summit is to give social work students their own voice at the Conference as well as provide insight and information to BSW and MSW students approaching graduation. (Thursday)

Think Outside the Box—Build Your Own Sponsorship

If you have a unique idea or want to support something at #CSWE26 that is not included in this guide, contact annualconference@cswe.org to create a custom sponsorship plan.

CSWE Sales Contact

EXHIBIT BOOTH RESERVATIONS, SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES, & ADVERTISING

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Hotel Information

CONFERENCE LOCATION

Atlanta Marriott Marquis

Atlanta, GA

BOOKING YOUR HOTEL

Convention Management Resources (CMR) is the official housing company for the 2026 CSWE Annual Conference. All reservations should be placed via the online hotel reservation site, which will be made available on CSWE's website this spring. For any questions, please [contact us](#).

WARNING: CMR is the only official housing company for the 2026 Conference. You may find other companies offering housing for the 2026 Conference. Booking with these other companies may expose you to nonexistent reservations and unauthorized credit card charges. CSWE strongly encourages booking accommodations with CMR, because the rooms are guaranteed. CSWE is not liable for any financial loss in the event you book with a housing company other than CMR. CSWE assumes the responsibility to demand a cease-and desist of such efforts; please report any unauthorized hotel reservation solicitations to Yvette Clark at yclark@cswe.org.



Future CSWE Annual Conference Dates

2027 | Long Beach, CA: October 21–24

2028 | Chicago, IL: October 26–29

Rules & Regulations

ADVERTISERS

Payment Payment by check must be received within 14 days of reservation or your reservation may be forfeited.

Artwork Advertisers who do not supply artwork by the due dates given below will forfeit their space and will not receive a refund. Changes to ads made after the due dates will be subject to a \$300 fee.

- Artwork for mobile app sponsorships must be submitted by **September 7, 2026**.

CSWE does not provide ad design services, accept low resolution files, or accept ads in other than the stated formats. Ads must be sent in one of the orientations in the 2026 CSWE Exhibiting & Marketing Prospectus as specified on page 3.

Refunds There is a \$100 cancellation fee for each ad. Ads cancelled by September 7, 2026, will be fully refunded less the \$100 cancellation fee. Cancellations made after September 7, 2026, will not be refunded.

SPONSORS

Payment Failure to pay fees within 14 business days may result in sponsorship forfeiture unless another agreement is made between CSWE and sponsor. In-kind services shall be scheduled in writing by representatives of CSWE and sponsor.

Limitation of Sponsorship

Unless otherwise provided, the cash or services and the sponsor benefits exchanged are related solely to the 2026 CSWE Annual Conference to be held October 22–25, 2026. Assuming the Conference is continued in 2027, the sponsor shall have the first right of refusal to continue sponsor's involvement in the Conference on such terms as sponsor and CSWE shall agree.

License and Usage Sponsor hereby grants CSWE a limited, nonexclusive license to use sponsor's program names, trademarks, and other proprietary information (the "Proprietary Information") owned

by the sponsor. CSWE agrees that the Proprietary Information will be used only in connection with the 2026 Conference to provide the benefits set forth in the proposal and such other benefits as sponsor and CSWE may agree. CSWE's use of the Proprietary Information is subject to the approval of the sponsor's designated representative, which approval will not be unreasonably withheld.

Sponsor Understanding Sponsor understands as follows: The dollar values set forth are estimates based on general sponsorship information available to CSWE; the audience multiplier is based on averages of past CSWE Conference attendance, and actual attendance figures may vary materially. No portion of the sponsorship payment or in-kind services is subject to being refunded for any reason except as provided herein.

Sponsorship Disclosure Artwork, logos, and related materials for digital advertising, signage, or printed or manufactured items must be received by dates specified in your sponsor information packet. All submitted materials must meet CSWE specifications and requirements.

Termination In the event of termination for any reason other than failure to provide contracted fees or services, CSWE may substitute an event with equivalent benefits with the approval of the sponsor or shall refund any fees received from sponsor by CSWE.

