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MEETING DESTINATION**



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Visit Anaheim offers a full spectrum of complimentary support services to assist planners, exhibitors and attendees to ensure a positive event experience. We can become your most valuable resource.



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## A 5-star business model that revolves around you

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We'll help you discover all that Anaheim and Orange County have to offer.



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ANAHEIM CONVENTION CENTER GRAND PLAZA





# Choose Anaheim & Orange County

Anaheim remains a distinctive, vibrant and evolving destination for international and national conventions, trade shows and meetings. It offers world-class facilities and venues, the broad infrastructure for housing and transportation, and the people supporting the needs of meeting professionals, exhibitors and attendees. Anaheim is within a 20-minute drive to the Pacific Ocean with many hotels on a 42-mile stretch of Orange County coastline

## Fast Facts:

- **Centrally located** in Southern California, between Los Angeles and San Diego
- Accessible from **four major airports** and the Anaheim Regional Transportation Intermodal Center (ARTIC)
- Surrounded by a **drive market** of 20 million people living within a 90-mile radius
- Home to the Anaheim Convention Center (ACC), the **largest on the West Coast**, plus a wide variety of hotels and alternative venues with meeting and special event spaces
- Popular as a **leisure capital** for its world-renowned theme parks and tourist attractions, major pro sports teams, abundant recreational activities, distinguished dining, luxury shopping and entertainment options
- Graced by **nearly 300 days of sunshine**, just 13 inches of rain — no snow — and an average temperature of 67 degrees
- Nationally recognized for its **generous hospitality** and customer service
- Orange County is home to an **eclectic collection of cities** that surround Anaheim, offering endless easily-accessible opportunities to experience the best that Southern California has to offer.



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# Planes, Trains & Automobiles

Traveling to Anaheim and around Orange County is a breeze for visitors. Four major airports, Amtrak<sup>SM</sup>, Metrolink, public transportation, shuttle services, and taxi, limousine and rideshare companies can get you here and to everywhere you want to be.

## Airlift

### John Wayne Airport, Orange County (SNA)

Named Best Airport in the U.S. by Time Money in 2018

[ocair.com](http://ocair.com)

The closest airport to Anaheim, John Wayne Airport, is constantly expanding its services to offer daily nonstop flights to many cities. A renovated ground transportation center is located between terminals. Passengers can hop on the *Disneyland*® Resort Express Bus at John Wayne Airport's Ground Transportation Center and head directly to the *Disneyland*® Resort or their Anaheim Resort™ Hotel.

About 20 minutes from Anaheim

- Located 13 miles from the Anaheim Convention Center (ACC)
- More than 20 nonstop domestic and international routes
- More than 250 daily nonstop flights on several carriers, among them:



## AIRPORTS SERVING THE ORANGE COUNTY AREA

LAX | 34 miles from ACC

ONT | 35 miles from ACC

LGB | 18 miles from ACC

SNA | 13 miles from ACC

### Los Angeles International Airport (LAX)

[lawa.org](http://lawa.org)

Being so close to the fifth busiest airport in the world – and the second busiest in the United States — has its advantages. With so many daily nonstop flights, routes serving major cities, all the major carriers and a full timetable at LAX, you're likely to find your ideal flight. Taxi, public transportation, rental car and shuttle services can get you to Anaheim.

About 45 minutes from Anaheim

- Located 34 miles from ACC
- Nearly 700 daily flights to 85 U.S. cities
- More than 900 weekly nonstop flights to 67 cities in 34 countries on 59 airlines

### Long Beach Airport (LGB)

[lgb.org](http://lgb.org)

About 30 minutes from Anaheim

- Located 18 miles from ACC
- Small-airport convenience, large-airport destinations
- More than 450 weekly nonstop flights to 12 U.S. cities, including direct flights to New York City (JFK) and Boston (BOS)

### LA/Ontario International Airport (ONT)

[flyontario.com](http://flyontario.com)

About 45 minutes from Anaheim

- Located 35 miles from ACC
- 15 nonstop cities, 64 daily flights

## Ground Transportation

### ARTIC

[articinfo.com](http://articinfo.com)

Opened in 2014, Anaheim Regional Transportation Intermodal Center (ARTIC) is a modernized Southern California transit hub serving Orange County's 3.1 million residents and its 47.3 million visitors in 2015. This majestic \$182.5 million landmark and 67,000-square-foot terminal is located in Anaheim and within walking distance of Honda Center® and Angel Stadium of Anaheim.

ARTIC Facts:

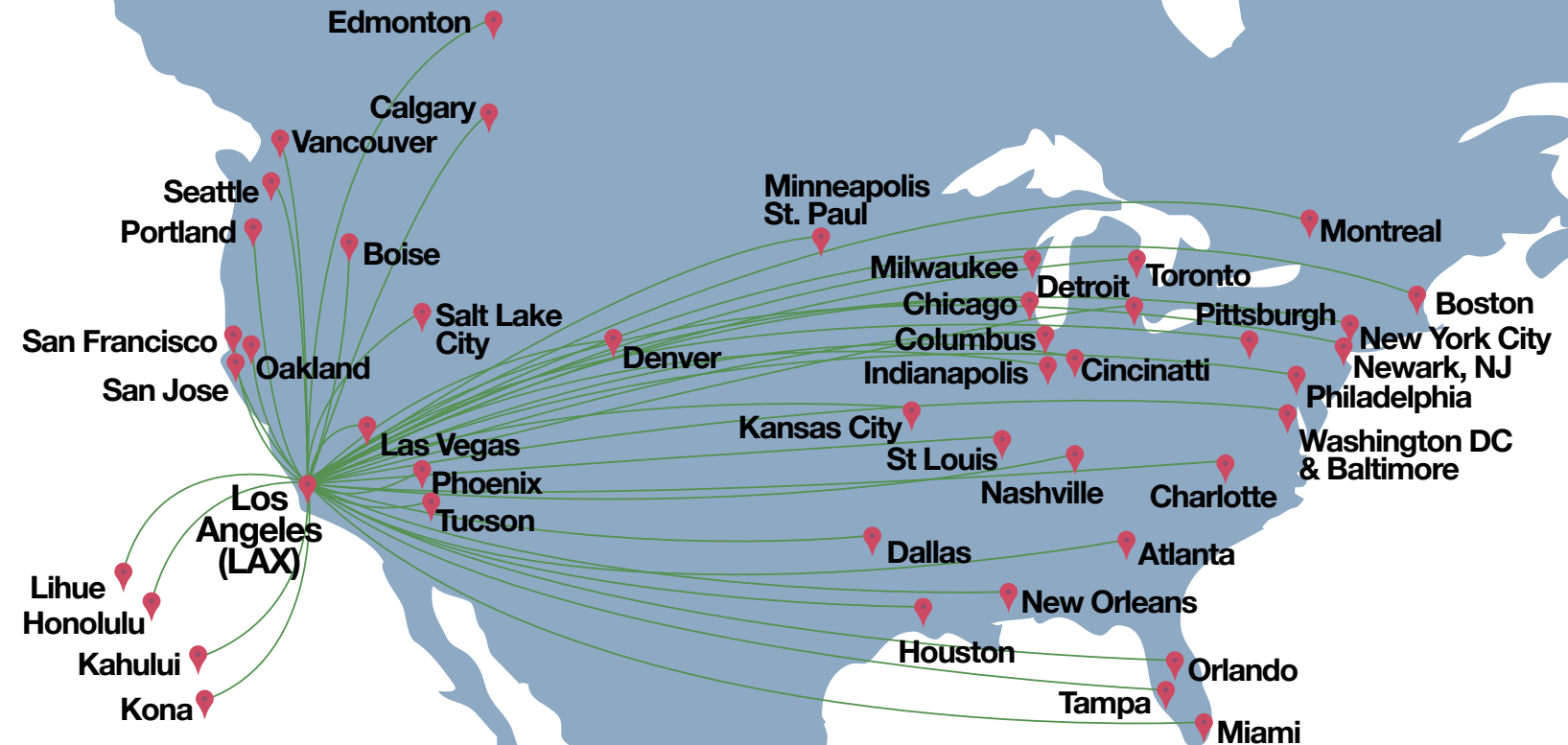
- Located 2 ½ miles from ACC
- Provides access to Metrolink (local trains), Amtrak<sup>SM</sup>, Orange County Transit Authority (OCTA) buses, Anaheim Resort Transportation (ART), shuttles, taxis, and tour and charter buses

### ART Shuttle

[rideart.org](http://rideart.org)

The Anaheim Resort Transportation (ART) shuttle network connects hotels with dining, shopping and entertainment venues in the Anaheim Resort™ district. All 15 lines begin and end at the Disneyland® Resort Transportation Center. Pay one-way fares or get an ART single-day or multi-day pass to get around Anaheim and beyond. Here are some places ART goes:

- ACC
- Disneyland® Park
- Anaheim Packing District
- ARTIC
- The Outlets at Orange
- Knott's Berry Farm (Buena Park)
- South Coast Plaza (Costa Mesa)





# Anaheim Convention Center

The Anaheim Convention Center (ACC) reigns as the largest exhibit facility on the West Coast, having hosted such large, well-attended events as the Winter NAMM Show, Disney's D23 Expo and Citrix Synergy. Originally opened in 1967, the ACC spans 53 acres and offers 1.8 million square feet of function space and many dynamic features.

## By the Numbers:

- Exhibit space: 1,013,000 square feet
- Meeting rooms: 99
- Meeting space: 352,000 square feet
- Three ballrooms: 238,000 square feet total
  - Two ballrooms: 100,000 square feet
  - One ballroom: 38,000 square feet
- Pre-function lobby space: 200,000 square feet
- Outdoor venue space: 200,000 square feet in the Arena Plaza, Palm Court and Grand Plaza
- Arena: 7,500 theater-style stadium seats



# ACC NORTH

In September 2017, ACC debuted 200,000 square feet of flexible space, creating a blank canvas for meeting professionals and the ultimate opportunity for event customization.

ACC North includes 100,000 square feet on the 100 level and an additional 100,000 square feet of carpeted, column-free space on the 200 level with direct access to an over 10,000 square-foot outdoor balcony and state-of-the-art pre-function areas.

## ACC North Details:

- Natural light on each level with blackout capabilities.
- Up to 35 rooms on the 200 level (over 3,400 linear feet of moveable walls) and up to 13 rooms on the 100 level (over 2,200 linear feet of moveable walls).
- ACC North meeting rooms are grouped into neighborhoods to allow for customizable climate and lighting controls.
- Rigging points on each level and pre-function spaces are able to hang 2,000 lbs. every 10 feet in the event space and in the pre-function space offering over 2,100 points to hang.





# ACC's "Green" Life

The ACC cares for the environment through word and deed.

## Environmentally Conscious Practices and Policies

- Green Roof: The 2,000 square-foot space atop the Arena box office is a garden for adaptive plants and herbs.
- Solar Power: The 300,000 square-foot solar array spanning the roofs of Exhibit Halls A, B and C produces 2.37 megawatts of clean, renewable and sustainable electricity.
- HVAC Policy: The Exhibit Hall HVAC is operational only from one hour before the event to its completion. It is not used while the roll-up doors are open in order to conserve energy.
- Sustainable Purchasing: Sustainable purchasing is always encouraged and, when feasible, required for ongoing consumables such as paper, printer toner cartridges and batteries.

## Green Achievements

- The ACC is a 2016 LEED (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) Gold-certified structure, one of the largest convention centers in North America to earn this prestigious distinction.
- With ACC-wide efforts, 86 percent of ongoing consumable purchases, 95 percent of electronic purchases and 78 percent of cleaning product purchases meet strict LEED guidelines for sustainability.
- The "Green Zone" turns kitchen food scraps into nutrient-rich compost later used for the landscape beautification of the Anaheim Resort™ district.
- More than half (54 percent) of all mixed trash waste is diverted from the landfill each year.

## Awards and Achievements

- The ACC was honored with the "Greening Pioneer" award by Venues Today.
- The ACC received the "Venue Excellence Award" from the International Association of Venue Managers (IAVM).
- Anaheim was named the 2011 and 2012 top "Eco City" in Orange County by the U.S. Green Building Council.

## Recycling Initiatives

- The "Green Zone" serves as the ACC's onsite recycling center.
- At least 50 percent of ACC products are Forest Stewardship Council (FSC)-certified.
- The ACC encourages use of biodegradable utensils, cups and serving plates.
- Partnerships have been developed with the Environmental Protection Agency, local food banks and other environmentally conscious organizations.



ROOFTOP GARDEN - ANAHEIM CONVENTION CENTER



SOLAR ROOFTOP - ANAHEIM CONVENTION CENTER



ARAMARK SERVICES



## More ACC Features:

### Catering Services

- In-house banquet, catering and event chefs bring an ease and flair to any sized dining event. Sustainable practices and memorable experiences are our trademark.

### Our Technology and Event Production Services

- The ACC has a newly upgraded wired and wireless network with an industry-best 10-gigabyte connection from Smart City Networks, the nation's convention telecommunications and internet services leader.
- Free WiFi access is available throughout the entire ACC.
- Audiovisual and event production support is facilitated by PSAV.

### Environmental/Social Change

- Helping Others: The ACC works with "Chefs to End Hunger," which provides meals to the hungry by repurposing and redistributing the excess prepared food that would normally go to waste at the ACC and participating hotels.
- Developing Sustainable Menus: Catering Services remains committed to protecting and improving the environment and to making socially responsible choices.



# Places to Meet and Stay

Many Anaheim and surrounding Orange County hotels have designated function space for meetings and special events that span the full spectrum of size, luxury, location and affordability.

Hotels	Number	Total Rooms
Within 1/4 mile of the ACC	10	4,469
Within 1/2 mile of the ACC	41	8,749
Within 3/4 mile of the ACC	64	14,221
Within 1 mile of the ACC	82	18,239
Within 2 miles of the ACC	111	22,183
In the Anaheim Resort™ District	92	20,157
In Anaheim	152	21,455
In Orange County	506	58,363

## ACC Adjacent Hotels

### Hilton Anaheim

- 1,574 guest rooms
- 146,000 square feet of function space

### Anaheim Marriott

- 1,030 guest rooms
- 100,000 square feet of function space

### The Westin at the Anaheim Resort (2020)

- 613 guest rooms
- 42,000 square feet of function space

### Sheraton Park Hotel at the Anaheim Resort

- 490 guest rooms
- 30,000 square feet of function space

### Clarion Hotel Anaheim Resort

- 284 guest rooms
- 7,000 square feet of function space



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THE WESTIN AT THE ANAHEIM RESORT™



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DISNEY'S GRAND CALIFORNIAN HOTEL® & SPA

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## Anaheim Resort™ District Hotels

### Homewood Suites by Hilton Anaheim Resort-Convention Center

- 215 guest suites
- 850 square feet of function space
- ¼ mile from ACC

### Desert Palms Hotel and Suites

- 189 guest rooms
- 5,000 square feet of function space
- ¼ mile from ACC

### Disney's Paradise Pier® Hotel

- 481 guest rooms
- 30,000 square feet of function space
- ½ mile from ACC

### DoubleTree Suites by Hilton Hotel Anaheim Resort-Anaheim Convention Center

- 251 guest rooms
- 7,500 square feet of function space
- ½ mile from ACC

### Red Lion Hotel Anaheim Resort

- 310 guest rooms
- 5,500 square feet of function space
- ½ mile from ACC

### Disneyland® Hotel

- AAA Four Diamond hotel
- 973 guest rooms
- 150,000 square feet of function space
- ¾ mile from ACC

### Disney's Grand Californian Hotel® & Spa

- AAA Four Diamond hotel
- 948 guest rooms
- 20,000 square feet of function space
- ½ mile from ACC

### Delta Hotels by Marriot Anaheim/Garden Grove

- 376 guest rooms
- 36,000 square feet of function space
- 1 mile from ACC

### Hyatt Regency Orange County

- 656 guest rooms
- 65,000 square feet of function space
- 1 mile from ACC

### Embassy Suites by Hilton Anaheim South

- 375 guest suites
- 11,000 square feet of function space
- 1 mile from ACC

### Anaheim Marriott Suites

- 371 guest suites
- 9,000 square feet of function space
- 1 mile from ACC

### Great Wolf Lodge Southern California

- 603 guest rooms
- 21,967 square feet of function space
- 1 ½ miles from ACC

### Anaheim Majestic Garden Hotel

- 489 guest rooms
- 20,000 square feet of function space
- 1 ½ miles from ACC

### Sheraton Garden Grove-Anaheim South Hotel

- 285 guest rooms
- 8,000 square feet of function space
- 1 ½ miles from ACC

### Four Points by Sheraton Anaheim

- 246 guest rooms
- 5,000 square feet of function space
- 1 ½ miles from the Convention Center

### Embassy Suites Anaheim-Orange

- 230 guest suites
- 2,000 square feet of function space
- 2 miles from ACC

### DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Anaheim-Orange County

- 461 guest rooms
- 22,000 square feet of function space
- 3 miles from ACC



Hotels listed include 800 square feet of function space  
For more Anaheim and Orange County hotels, check out [visitanaheim.org/meetings](https://www.visitanaheim.org/meetings)  
See next page for airport and coastal hotels.



# Airport and Coastal Hotels

If you seek the convenience of being near the airport or crave Orange County's 42 miles of stunning, sun-splashed Pacific Ocean coastline, Orange County has room for your group, meeting or event. You'll find business hotels, affordable options, AAA Four Diamond properties and upscale resorts with luxurious spas and award-winning restaurants. You can even have a cozy, boutique hideaway with a waterfront view - with Orange County as the destination for your perfect retreat.

## John Wayne Airport (SNA) Area Hotels

### Hotel Irvine

- 536 guest rooms
- 36,000 square feet of function space
- Located in Irvine

### Hilton Irvine/Orange County Airport

- 302 guest rooms
- 23,000 square feet of function space
- Located in Irvine

### Avenue of the Arts Hotel

- AAA Four Diamond hotel
- 258 guest rooms
- 7,200 square feet of function space
- Located in Costa Mesa

### Renaissance Hotel

- AAA Four Diamond hotel
- 390 guest rooms
- 31,000 square feet of function space
- Located in Newport Beach

### Hyatt Regency John Wayne Airport

- 253 guest rooms
- 13,000 square feet of function space
- Located in Newport Beach

## Coastal Hotels

### Hyatt Regency Huntington Beach Resort and Spa

- AAA Four Diamond hotel
- 517 guest rooms
- 112,000 square feet of function space
- Located in Huntington Beach

### The Waterfront Beach Resort, A Hilton Hotel

- AAA Four Diamond hotel
- 437 guest rooms
- 48,000 square feet of function space
- Located in Huntington Beach

### The Resort at Pelican Hill

- AAA Five Diamond hotel
- 332 guest rooms
- 20,000 square feet of function space
- Located in Newport Coast

### Fashion Island Hotel Newport Beach

- AAA Four Diamond hotel
- 295 guest rooms
- 30,000 square feet of function space
- Located in Newport Beach

### The Ranch at Laguna Beach

- AAA Four Diamond Hotel
- 97 guest rooms
- 5,000 square feet of function space
- Located in Laguna Beach

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# New Hotels in Development in Anaheim and Orange County



THE WESTIN ANAHEIM RESORT™

**Hampton Inn & Suites Anaheim Resort** and Convention Center located at 100 W. Katella Ave is set to open in Spring 2019 with 178-rooms, limited-service and will feature a second-level pool deck, breakfast room, meeting room and fitness room.

**Element by Westin** is a 174-guestroom select service hotel located at 205 W. Alro Way, set to open in early 2019. The property will offer a pool deck with barbecues and lounge chairs, suites and studio rooms, and a fitness center.

**Cambria Hotel & Suites** is scheduled to open in early 2019. The 352-room hotel is at 1721 S. Manchester Ave., and will feature meeting space, a contemporary bistro called Social Circle, and a California-themed outdoor space with a pool and movie screening wall.

**The Westin Anaheim Resort** features 613 guestrooms including 101 suites, three restaurants, two bars including a rooftop lounge overlooking Disneyland's nightly fireworks, a resort-style pool and a marketplace. The hotel will also feature 11 meeting rooms totaling 42,000 square feet of customizable and high-tech meeting space, including a 16,000-square-foot grand ballroom. The seven-story hotel is set to open in 2020.

**JW Marriott at the Anaheim GardenWalk** in the heart of the Anaheim Resort™ district. The 12-story \$150 million property will have 466 guest rooms as well as meeting space for groups. Construction began in late 2017; opening expected in early 2020.

**A new luxury hotel** to replace the Anaheim Plaza Hotel & Suites will be located on the corner of Harbor Blvd. and Disney Way. The 580-room property will have two signature restaurants, swimming pools, 50,000 square feet of meeting space and a lounge overlooking the *Disneyland*® Resort. Construction on the \$208 million hotel has not yet begun.



JW MARRIOTT AT THE ANAHEIM GARDENWALK

**Garden Grove will soon be home to Kimpton and Le Meridien Hotels.** A five-acre mixed-use development site located on Harbor Blvd. within the greater Anaheim Resort™ district feature The Kimpton property with 200 rooms, meeting space, restaurants, a rooftop pool and lounge. The area's first Le Meridien Hotel, a 400-room property, will also join the mixed-use site. Groundbreaking on the project is planned to take place in 2019.

**Radisson Blu Anaheim** is a 12-story, 326-room property schedule to open in 2020 a half-mile away from *Disneyland*® Resort in the Platinum Triangle neighborhood of Anaheim. Amenities for the upscale property will include a rooftop pool, fitness center, restaurant and ground-level family activity space.



Keep up with what's new in Anaheim and Orange County!  
[visitanaheim.org/meetwhatsnew](http://visitanaheim.org/meetwhatsnew)



# Special Event Venues

Anaheim and surrounding Orange County have dozens of distinctive facilities where your group can gather for special events or enjoy a sporting event, an amusement park, music, the sunshine, surf, sunset or the stars. Here are a few options in Anaheim and beyond:

## The Arena at the Anaheim Convention Center

Anaheim

Since its opening in 1967, Elvis Presley, The Doors, Led Zeppelin, David Bowie and Ray Charles have performed there. And so can your group — for shows, keynote sessions, private receptions and events. The arena has 28,140 square feet of flat floor space and a capacity of 7,500 in theater-style, stadium seating. The alternative banquet arrangement can handle 1,200 people. Two adjacent meeting rooms of 2,100 and 3,100 square feet — or the combined 5,200-square-foot room for 500 people — are also available.

## Disneyland® Park and Disney California Adventure® Park

Anaheim | ½ mile from ACC

World-famous *Disneyland*® Park, which recently held its Diamond Celebration, and adjacent *Disney California Adventure*® Park, are a major draw for attendees who bring their families to a Southern California meeting. These are also magical places for entertaining before or after your meeting days. Disney offers special evening tickets for convention and meeting attendees and exclusive buyout areas for large groups.

## City National Grove of Anaheim

Anaheim | 3 miles from ACC

Buyout Capacity: 5,000

World-class musicians, celebrated comedians and entertainers perform at this venue that also often hosts large private and corporate receptions, dinners and roaming networking events. Each room has a distinctive style and ambiance, among them a vintage industrial lounge, a private outdoor Palm Terrace and an art deco lobby perfect for cocktails.



CITY NATIONAL GROVE OF ANAHEIM



THE ARENA AT THE ANAHEIM CONVENTION CENTER



More Special Event Venues

THE RANCH Private Dining and Events Center

Anaheim | 2 miles from ACC  
Buyout Capacity: 40-264  
Comprised of 7,679 square feet, THE RANCH Private Dining and Events Center is on the sixth floor and above the critically-acclaimed RANCH Restaurant & Saloon® (also available for buyout). Take in spectacular views of Anaheim and beyond and feast on Executive Chef Michael Rossi's farm-to-table menu.

Highway 39 Event Center

Anaheim | 2 miles from ACC  
Buyout Capacity 500  
Highway 39 Event Center is a museum-quality venue that showcases an incredible collection of classic American cars, vintage neon signs, original 1950's gas pumps and Cushman scooters. The 18,000 square foot facility offers over 40 professionally restored vehicles, a state-of-the-art sound and lighting system and a raised stage at a great value.

The FIFTH

Anaheim | 1/2 mile from ACC  
Buyout Capacity: 300  
The FIFTH is Anaheim's only rooftop bar and lounge located on top of Grand Legacy At The Park and directly across the street from the Disneyland® Resort. The FIFTH offers an assortment of craft cocktails, a wide selection of local brews, and a menu of lite bites and handcrafted entrees as well as a great view of Disneyland® Park's nightly fireworks.



BOWERS MUSEUM

Grasslands Meat Market

Anaheim | 1/2 mile from ACC  
Buyout Capacity 800  
Grasslands is a full-service restaurant and bar, steak house, BBQ, catering, banquets and butcher shop; offering meeting rooms with full AV capabilities with 680 seats plus private dining capacity up to 120 people.

Honda Center®

Anaheim | 3 miles from ACC  
Buyout Capacity: 19,200  
Opened in 1993, this premier sports and entertainment venue is home to the 2007 NHL Stanley Cup champion Anaheim Ducks™. The arena, which has a seating capacity ranging from 17,174 (hockey) to 18,900 (center-stage configuration), is equipped with Cisco's state-of-the-art StadiumVision platform, incorporating 500 HD monitors and a 27-by-47-foot scoreboard that provides the highest definition picture available in any North American venue. Honda Center also features a 7,000-seat theatre; a 15,000 square-foot Shock Top Terrace, an indoor/outdoor entertainment space with a 250-

seat, full-service restaurant and chef-inspired menu; the Standing 'O' and Jack Daniel's Old No. 7 Club restaurants; and two function rooms (Vista Room and Board Room) for private meetings or luncheons.

House of Blues Anaheim

Anaheim | 1/2 mile from ACC  
Buyout Capacity 3,300  
The House of Blues at Anaheim GardenWalk opened in February 2017 with four individual performance areas, including the exclusive Foundation Room for a VIP experience. Catch their famous (and delicious) Sunday brunch with a side of gospel, or enjoy a night out jamming to great music. With access to the world's most exceptional musical entertainment, custom menus and mixology, this new venue in Anaheim will exceed the expectations of even the most discerning guest.

Rumba Room Live

Anaheim | 1/2 mile from ACC  
Buyout Capacity: 900  
Part of the GardenWalk scene, the recently relaunched Rumba Room Live in Anaheim brings its exciting blend of energy and elegance to Anaheim featuring an expansive stage and dance floor, state-of-the-art sound and lighting. The venue's combination of live entertainment, appealing menu and VIP bottle service in an ultra sophisticated and stylish setting is sure to captivate you.



LUCKY STRIKE LANES

MUZEO Museum and Cultural Center

Anaheim | 3 miles from ACC  
Buyout Capacity: 2,200  
The new model for urban cultural centers opened in 2008; this 25,000-square-foot complex integrates Anaheim's original Carnegie Library and a gallery space for the Main Gallery. It's surrounded by loft living and street-level retail while offering a changing calendar of exhibitions, activities and events.

Lucky Strike Lanes, The Outlets at Orange

Orange | 3 miles from the ACC  
Buyout Capacity: 1,200  
This venue offers a cutting-edge combination of modern bowling, innovative dining, lounging and multimedia art. It features a 75-seat restaurant with an inventive menu from Along Came Mary Productions catering. There's also a private room with six lanes, a projection screen and lounge for VIP events.



KNOTT'S BERRY FARM®

Splitsville Luxury Lanes

Anaheim | 1/2 mile from ACC  
Buyout Capacity: 1,000  
Downtown Disney is a dynamic entertainment destination offering a unique combination of dining, drinks, bowling and live entertainment with 40,000 square feet of event space and 20 luxury bowling lanes on two floors. With ample indoor and outdoor seating and private event space to accommodate up to 1,000 guests. The eclectic menu and live entertainment on the patio ensures there's something for everyone whether you pick up a ball or not.

Bowers Museum

Santa Ana | 4 miles from ACC  
Buyout Capacity: 2,200  
One of Southern California's finest museums and Orange County's largest, Bowers Museum offers exhibitions from the world's greatest museums and its own collections of African, South Pacific, Asian, Native American and pre-Columbian art and California plein-air paintings. The museum also features a 300-seat auditorium.

Knott's Berry Farm® Theme Park

Buena Park | 8 miles from ACC  
Buyout Capacity: 5,000  
Experience six themed areas on 160 acres full of world-class thrills and family fun. Take off like a Silver Bullet, a suspended coaster that leads riders through six inversions. Visit Camp Snoopy and the Peanuts Gang. In 2016, Knott's began celebrating its 75th anniversary with the "Ghost Town Alive!" show and the reopening of GhostRider, the West Coast's longest, fastest and tallest wooden rollercoaster.

Marconi Automotive Museum

Tustin | 9 miles from ACC  
Buyout Capacity: 800  
Opened in 1994, this nonprofit museum and special events venue houses a \$30 million, one-of-a-kind collection of classic Ferraris, Lamborghinis, Maseratis, Porsches, historic, exotic and high performance muscle cars. The veranda is home to the motorcycle collection while the race shop features vintage Formula race cars. Automotive history is your backdrop.

Richard Nixon Presidential Library and Museum

Yorba Linda | 11 miles from ACC  
Buyout Capacity: 800  
Events are immediately memorable when guests move through this stunning replica of the historic White House East Room or reception, for candlelight dining or dancing. Massive crystal chandeliers, golden silk drapery, imported marble fireplaces and other adornments around this nine-acre venue provide an intimate glimpse into the life of the 37th U.S. President.



MARCONI AUTOMOTIVE MUSEUM



# Cities of Orange County

Discover Orange County's collection of distinct cities, incredible diversity of cultures, attractions, hotels, restaurants, museums, and experiences. From 42-miles of Pacific coastline to bustling urban centers, Orange County has everything you need to host your next perfect event while keeping attendees entertained and inspired.



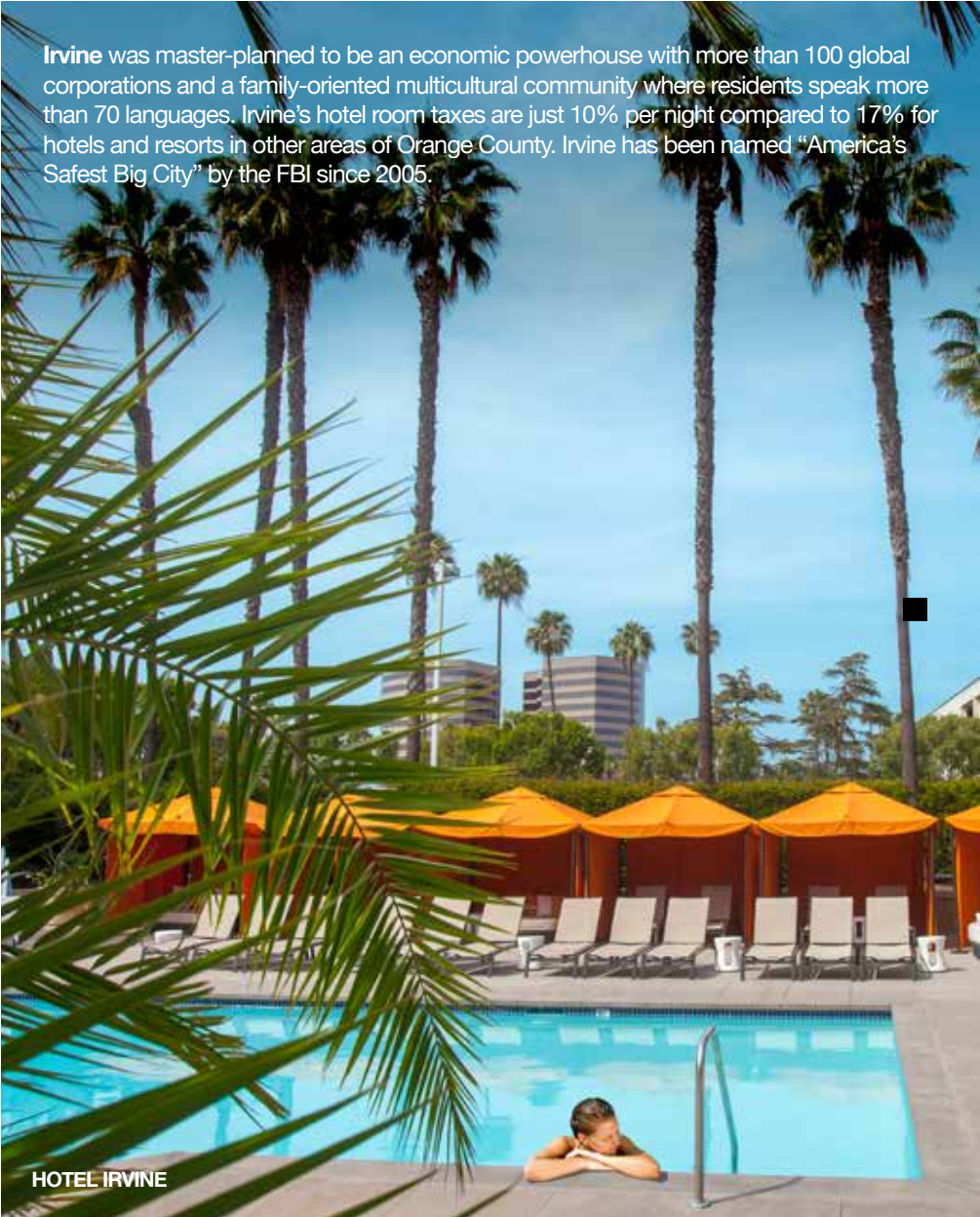
HYATT REGENCY ORANGE COUNTY - GARDEN GROVE

Easily accessible and adjacent to Anaheim, **Garden Grove** is an up-and-coming, value-packed option for visitors and the perfect spot for groups looking to access multiple areas for business and fun. Garden Grove also has a rich history that serves as a cultural hub for amazing and authentic Vietnamese cuisine.



SEGERSTROM CENTER FOR THE ARTS

Art, music and theater are some of **Costa Mesa's** signature activities, underscoring its reputation as the City of the Arts™. Create an elegant event overlooking the architectural mastery of Segerstrom Center for the Arts or a casual gathering at the OC Fair and Event Center for large scale groups. You're sure to find the perfect setting for your event.



HOTEL IRVINE

**Irvine** was master-planned to be an economic powerhouse with more than 100 global corporations and a family-oriented multicultural community where residents speak more than 70 languages. Irvine's hotel room taxes are just 10% per night compared to 17% for hotels and resorts in other areas of Orange County. Irvine has been named "America's Safest Big City" by the FBI since 2005.

From the natural beauty of the Fullerton Arboretum, to the historic Muckenthaler Cultural Center, **Fullerton** is home to boutique shopping, dozens of unique restaurants, the Fullerton Museum and the Leo Fender Gallery. Visitors to **Buena Park** can enjoy the rides at Knott's Berry Farm, dozens of slides at Knott's Soak City water park, and the swashbuckling crew at Pirate's Dinner Adventure or cheer on jousting knights at Medieval Times Dinner & Tournament. Stoll and enjoy the one-square-mile historic district known as **Old Towne Orange** where it's hard to take a step without stumbling upon history, beginning with the plaza's 1937 fountain. Old Towne Orange is known as "The Antique Capital of California" where you'll find more than 40 antiques shops, like the Antique Station & Depot and the Chapman Antique Mall.



DOWNTOWN FULLERTON



PIRATES DINNER ADVENTURE





**Newport Beach's** year-round Mediterranean climate, upscale accommodations, unparalleled amenities, endless activities and distinctive meeting venues of all sizes – from waterfront ballrooms to luxury yachts – makes it the perfect destination for your next meeting or convention. Try team-building activities like electric boat cruising, sailing, surfing, stand-up paddle boarding, kayaking, hiking, biking, golf or tennis. The possibilities are only limited by your imagination.

NEWPORT BEACH

**Huntington Beach** was recently named Time Magazine's Best Beach in America. Catch a wave in Surf City USA® year-round. Even if you never grab a board, there's great viewing of some of the local dudes riding the waves alongside the landmark Huntington Beach Pier, one of the longest piers on the West Coast. Huntington beach is also home to the Vans US Open of Surfing - the world's largest surf competition and lifestyle festival.



HUNTINGTON BEACH



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# Orange County's Turf and Surf

## Bike

About 1,000 scenic miles of cycling paths and mountain bike trails zigzag across Orange County, taking bicyclists from sea to mountain with 360-degree views of beaches, historic neighborhoods, the wetlands and the woods.

**Huntington Beach Bicycle Trail:** Ranked one of the nation's best bike trails by CNN Travel, this paved, oceanfront, 8 ½-mile course runs the length of "Surf City, U.S.A.®," passing the famed Huntington Beach Pier, the Bolsa Chica Ecological Reserve and scenes of surfing, sunbathing, the seaside and sunset.

## Run and Hike

Unwind from a long day of meetings with a workout at a hotel fitness center. Lace up your running shoes for a quick jog through the Anaheim Resort™ district with recommended routes from the Visit Anaheim website. Explore Southern California just by stepping outside.

Orange County has more than 39,000 acres of nature preserves, wilderness, wind-buffed bluffs and steep climbs, providing options for everyone from the casual hiker to the avid outdoorsman. Here are three places to explore:

- **San Clemente Beach Trail (Easy):** This seaside, fairly flat, out-and-back trail on well-groomed crushed granite is 4.6 miles long and shared with runners and cyclists.
- **Ridgeline Loop to Barbara Lake Trail (Moderate):** Laguna Coast Wilderness Park features 40 miles of trails through some of California's last remaining coastal canyons. This 3.12-mile trail with a 679-foot elevation gain takes you around Orange County's largest natural lake in about 90 minutes.

- **North Ridge and Gilman Peak Trails (Challenging):** Located in Chino Hills State Park (Yorba Linda), this rugged, 10.3-mile loop through canyons has a 1,300-foot elevation gain and takes about four hours. Both trails provide access to Gilman Peak (1,685 feet), the second-highest point in the state park.

## Surf

With 42 miles of coastline, Orange County offers plenty of waves from which to choose in this surfing mecca. Beyond legendary Trestles and its world-class waves, here are a few popular places for paddling out:

- **Huntington Beach Pier:** Located at the heart of "Surf City, U.S.A.®, " near the intersection of Pacific Coast Highway and Main Street, this world-famous surf spot is a must-try for both beginners and pros. Known for its beach breaks, the pier's south side is the site of each year's U.S. Open of Surfing.
- **T-Street Beach,** San Clemente: Named for the nearby T-shaped pedestrian overpass traversing the railroad tracks, this beach welcomes surfers of all levels. For crowd control, note summer "blackball" hours of 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., limiting the beach to only swimming and boogie boarding.
- **Brooks Street,** Laguna Beach: Home to the world's oldest and longest running surf contest, the Brooks Street Surfing Classic, this local favorite offers one of Laguna's biggest beach breaks and the south swells that give experienced surfers powerful waves.
- **Seal Beach Pier:** The centerpiece off Main Street in Old Town Seal Beach — the northernmost coastal city in Orange County — is a popular destination for bodysurfers and boogie boarders.

- **Balboa Peninsula,** Newport Beach: The Wedge, located at the east end, is a local favorite for surfing, skimboarding, bodyboarding and bodysurfing. A rocky jetty on the west side of Newport Harbor gives waves their wedge shape. They can be hollow, quick and tricky for even seasoned surfers. "Blackball" hours are set from May to October, reserving the spot for bodyboarders.

## More Water Activities

From Seal Beach south to Dana Point, Orange County offers a sea of adventure:

- Deep-sea fishing
- Gray and blue whale and dolphin-watching cruises
- Catalina Island getaways
- Stand-up paddleboarding
- Kayak, electric boat and personal water craft rentals
- Sailing and harbor cruises



# Get into the Swing of Things

With its year-round sunshine and warm weather, Orange County is home to more than 40 golf courses to match any skill level. Schedule a golf-themed outing for friendly competition or team-building by getting in a quick nine holes. Go networking or sightseeing at championship courses that take advantage of their natural surroundings. Here are some jewels where you can tee off:

## Tustin Ranch Golf Club

This public, Ted Robinson-designed course has consistently been voted “Best in OC” for the “Orange County Golf Course and Driving Range” category by readers of the Orange County Register. Also rated as a four-star course by Golf Digest, the 18-hole, par-72, 6,842-yard course offers luscious fairways and impeccably manicured greens. Check out No. 11, the signature, par-3, 136-yard hole that requires a strong iron shot to get to an island green. The first-class service and hospitality at the Restaurant at Tustin Ranch, Players’ Lounge and Pine Tree Patio make this club a popular site for corporate tournaments, business outings and events.

## Oak Creek Golf Club

Located in Irvine, this award-winning, Tom Fazio-designed course offers 18 spectacular holes (par-71, 6,834 yards) that wind past lakes, tree-lined fairways and bull-nosed

carved bunkers to reach the challenging greens. Owls and hawks nest in the dense surrounding woods of towering eucalyptus. Egrets and herons take stilted steps in the creek at this Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary participating course. Its group events department organizes corporate golf clinics, including lessons and golf socials, nine-hole tournaments and cocktail parties on the terrace overlooking the 18th hole.

## Monarch Beach Golf Links

Located at the prestigious St. Regis Resort in Dana Point, this public, par-70 championship course offers a variety of play set against the stunning views of the Pacific. Master architect Robert Trent Jones Jr. capitalizes on the location as the only Orange County course literally “on the beach.” Golf Magazine awarded Monarch Beach a silver medal in its 2012 list of Premier Golf Resorts. Golf Digest gave it 4 ½ out of 5 stars among its “Best Places to Play.” Its Club 19 restaurant offers breakfast, lunch and a view.

## Pelican Hill Golf Club

World-renowned course architect Tom Fazio has taken full advantage of its stunning seaside location along the Newport Coast to create two 18-hole championship courses that will test your mettle and take your breath away. Both the Ocean North (par-71, 6,945 yards) and the Ocean South (par-70, 6,580 yards) require a cerebral game. The green fees reflect the luxury and amenities, including professional forecaddies and well-appointed men’s and women’s locker rooms. The club welcomes groups of 10 to 400 to its indoor and outdoor spaces for the meetings that mix business with pleasure.



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# Creating the vibe

Anaheim, yes, is a top convention destination. But the dining here is anything but conventional.

We're in the belly of Southern California. Sure, we have a buffet of familiar national chains. But we're very much a foodie city too, one driven by award-winning chefs who sustain what has become a very cool era of dining out. Our restaurants pull from a bounty of locally grown organic produce. They select the fresh sustainable catch from the Pacific Ocean and grass-fed meats from regional ranches. Chef-inspired concepts thrive in hip, trendy districts where the food looks as good as it tastes. Our many artisanal restaurants have changing farm-to-fork menus. Our eateries run the gamut from greasy spoons to garden-fresh, health-conscious hotspots. Our ethnic enclaves offer authentic favorites. Our drinkeries reward anyone with a fondness for craft beer and the mixology behind cocktails.

This is a place where you can bring on the night.

Taste. Swig. Sip. Savor.  
Unwind in Anaheim.

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## ANAHEIM CAMPUS

If you want to take a break from your room-service menu, you won't have to venture far from the Anaheim Convention Center for a quick, casual indulgence. More than 100 restaurants are within walking distance, offering your group the memorable dining experience you're seeking.

### Anaheim Campus

Adjacent to ACC

- **Anaheim Marriott: nFuse Restaurant, Bar & Lounge, Slice Pizzeria Marketplace, Starbucks™**
- **Hilton Anaheim MIX Restaurant and Lounge, Pool Bar & Grill, Starbucks™, Sbarro, Baja Fresh Express, Just Grillin' and Submarina**
- **Park 55 at the Sheraton Park Hotel at the Anaheim Resort**
- **Clarion Hotel - Trivoli Gardens Cafe**
- **Morton's The Steakhouse**
- **Ruth's Chris Steakhouse**

### Anaheim GardenWalk

321 W. Katella Ave. | ¼ mile from ACC

Opened in 2008, this 460,000-square-foot outdoor dining, shopping and entertainment plaza has scaled down or express versions of popular upscale chains and plenty of places where you can people-watch, hang out and have a couple happy hours.

- **Bowlmor Lanes**
- **Bubba Gump Shrimp Co.**
- **California Pizza Kitchen**
- **FIRE+iCE**
- **Grasslands Meat Market**
- **House of Blues Anaheim**
- **McCormick & Schmick's Grille**
- **P.F. Chang's China Bistro**
- **Roy's Hawaiian Fusion Cuisine**
- **Rumba Room Live**
- **The Cheesecake Factory**



## Napa Rose

### Disney's Grand Californian Hotel® & Spa

1600 Disneyland Drive | ½ mile from the ACC

At this often Zagat-honored crown jewel of the Orange County culinary scene, French-trained Executive Chef Andrew Sutton tells a Napa Valley story through his frequently changing menu crafted in an exhibition kitchen. Sutton's signature dessert, "Best Ever Hot Chocolate," with premium Scharffen Berger and Valrhona Manjari chocolates, shows his dedication to seducing all the senses. The Wine Spectator-awarded wine list highlights California wines, but also 450 international wines and 1,000 different labels from its a 17,000-bottle cellar.

SPOTLIGHT

### Disneyland® Resort restaurants

**Downtown Disney® District** is a lively promenade of distinctive indoor and outdoor dining, entertainment and shops. Its adjacent hotels offer some of the top eats in Anaheim. And you won't even have to pay park admission to get there.

### Downtown Disney® District

1565 Disneyland Drive | 1/2 mile from ACC

- **Catal**
- **Naples Risotorante e Pizzeria**
- **Ralph Brennan's Jazz Kitchen®**
- **Tortilla Jo's**
- **Splitsville**

### Disneyland® Hotel

1150 Magic Way | ½ mile from the ACC

- **Steakhouse 55**
- **Trader Sam's Enchanted Tiki Bar**

## Anaheim Packing District

440 S. Anaheim Blvd. | 3 miles from ACC

In the restored spaces that were once orange groves, Sunkist® citrus packing facilities at the turn of the century, at the Anaheim Packing House and Center Street Promenade. Anchored by a central communal table surrounded by more than 20 artisanal eateries and drinkeries specializing in innovative takes on comfort food. Enjoy live music most nights.

- **The Kroft**
- **Adya**
- **Umami Burger**
- **The Chippy**
- **ECCO PIZZA SHOPPE**
- **Rolling Boil**
- **Georgia's**
- **BXCR - Underground Wine Society**

### The RANCH Restaurant & Saloon®

1025 E. Ball Rd. | 2 miles from ACC

The winner of the 2015 OpenTable Diners' Choice award and the 2015 Golden The Foodie for "Best steak" is renowned for its 36-ounce, bone-in rib chop and the steer-head motifs looming over the darkly lit leather booths. Award-winning chef Michael Rossi serves up local farm-to-table fare and beef from its own ranch in the Santa Ana Mountains. Master sommelier Michael Jordan oversees an extensive wine cellar that received the 2015 Wine Spectator Award of Excellence. Live country music acts perform on The RANCH Saloon's 40-foot concert stage and in front of a 47 by 26 foot dance floor.

### The Catch Restaurant

2100 E. Katella Ave., #104 | 2 ½ miles from ACC

A popular gathering spot near sports and entertainment venues, The Catch offers a menu of American classics and 14 flat screens on which you can "catch" a game. Enjoy Wagyu Kobe beef, sustainable seafood, a captain's wine list, a comfortable bar with 20 craft beers and a cigar-friendly patio with fire pits.

### The FIFTH

1650 S Harbor Blvd | ½ mile from ACC

This open-air rooftop restaurant and bar in Grand Legacy at the Park Hotel serves up local craft beers, mixology masterpieces and California-style comfort-food classics. Don't miss the tequila lime Drunken Donuts or Tiki Tuesdays, with tacos and tiki cocktails. Located right across the street from Disneyland® Resort, you won't find a better view of the nightly fireworks spectacular.



DOWNTOWN SANTA ANA/4TH STREET

Just 10 minutes from Anaheim and in the county seat, this hipster-magnet gastroheaven and artists village offer a growing collection of new, innovative eateries and craft-beer and craft-cocktail drinkeries all within walking distance.



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Playground

Santa Ana | 7 miles from ACC  
Brilliant, young chef Jason Quinn, the second season’s winner of the Food Network’s “The Great Food Truck Race,” pushes cuisine into an uncharted realm with a rotating, ingredient-driven, technique-heavy menu of New American small plates made for sharing. The gustatory adventure, open kitchen, communal seating and beer menu (15 taps, 60-bottle list) led Open Table to put Playground among “America’s Top 100 Restaurants for Foodies.”

SPOTLIGHT

OLD TOWNE ORANGE

Orange | 6 miles from ACC  
This historic district, home to Chapman University, offers a walkable world of eats alongside vintage shops, galleries and markets who’ve grown up with the city. One restaurant — Watson’s Soda Fountain & Cafe — opened in 1899 and has a 1950s-style soda fountain and was the backdrop for the film “That Thing You Do.” Another — Zito’s — is known for having the county’s “Best Pizza” (MyFoxLA’s Hotlist).

Orange Hill Restaurant

Orange | 10 miles from ACC  
Perched atop the hills of Orange County, diners will feast upon sweeping views of Catalina Island, Disneyland® fireworks, sunsets and surrounding Southern California as much as the prime, aged steaks, the chateaubriand, miso-marinated Chilean sea bass and Sunday brunch.

SPOTLIGHT

GARDEN GROVE

In this city, five miles from the ACC, you’ll find plenty of authentic Vietnamese cuisine in mom-and-pop eateries, many offering pho (noodle soup), handmade tofu and café sua dá (French roast with sweetened

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Garden Grove | 5 miles from ACC  
The most popular Vietnamese restaurant in Orange County offers family-style cooking with more than 100 traditional dishes, notably its famous nem nuong (grilled sausage), fresh spring rolls, roasted duck salad and banh xeo (savory filled crepe). Its fine dining relative, Brodard Chateau, is located in nearby Westminster.

SPOTLIGHT



ORANGE HILL RESTAURANT

Vaca

Costa Mesa | 13 miles from the ACC  
Vaca is the latest restaurant from Executive Chef Amar Santana, who has competed as a front-runner on Bravo TV’s award-winning “Top Chef” series. Authentically Spanish, Vaca offers everything from mouthwatering tapas and savory paellas to freshly cut steaks and ocean-caught seafood. Santana runs a kitchen that prides itself with hard work and passion. “This is heaven,” said Santana, when asked of what work feels like managing Vaca. “This isn’t work for me.”

SPOTLIGHT

COSTA MESA

SOUTH COAST PLAZA

Costa Mesa | 13 miles from the ACC  
Recognized internationally for its sophisticated collection of more than 250 boutiques and luxury department stores, South Coast Plaza is also world-famous for its award-winning, upscale restaurants.

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- Antonello Ristorante
- Royal Khyber Fine Indian Cuisine
- Capital Grille
- Seasons 52 Fresh Grill
- Morton’s The Steakhouse
- Mastro’s Steakhouse
- Water Grill

Taco Maria

Costa Mesa | 9 miles from ACC  
Even with the kitchen, dining room and patio accommodating only a dozen people or so, Executive Chef Carlos Salgado is taking West Coast-style Chicano flavors and thinking big. Named Food & Wine “Best New Chef” in 2015 and a James Beard Award semi-finalist, Orange County-native Salgado handles each locally sourced ingredient with extreme care, showing a precision of technique that matches his creativity and flavor. The smoked marlin taco, trout with green mole and pork belly with grilled cactus are among the attractions.

SPOTLIGHT



VACA





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## DOWNTOWN FULLERTON

Fullerton | 5 miles from ACC

As home to Cal State Fullerton and Fullerton College, you'll get the campus feel but also more than the basics of a collegetown dining hangout. Okay, your trip might begin with a great burger joint in Burger Parlor, where ex-Bastide chef Joseph Mahon reinvents the sizzling ground beef patties and creative toppings into masterpieces inside sweet, griddle-toasted buns.

## IRVINE SPECTRUM

670 Fortune Drive  
Irvine | 17 miles from ACC

One of Orange County's top entertainment, shopping and lifestyle destinations, the Spectrum has more than 130 stores, the Edwards Irvine Spectrum 21 IMAX & RPX theatre, a comedy club, a 108-foot Giant Wheel and carousel. The center has increasingly become home to the latest quick/casual dining and chef-driven concepts. Try TLT Food, the brick-and-mortar version of Food Network's The Great Food Truck Race winner, The Lime Truck, which offers New American cuisine on small plates.



IRVINE SPECTRUM

## NEWPORT BEACH

### FASHION ISLAND

327 Newport Center Drive  
Newport Beach | 18 miles from ACC

This is where the well-heeled go to sip and savor but also enjoy something sunny and social near the coast. Orange County's premier coastal shopping destination has more than 60 stores found nowhere else in Orange County along with an impressive lineup of exclusive boutiques, world-class stores, top-tier restaurants and casual outdoor cafes.

#### Studio at the Montage

Laguna Beach | 27 miles from ACC

Savor Chef Craig Strong's modern French cuisine with California influences that take full advantage of our region's organic farms and the finest seasonal and artisanal products. Indulge in the dining experience with Strong's ever-changing menu, expert wine pairing and the Studio's impeccable service in a Craftsman-style restaurant overlooking the Pacific. The Studio has been honored as a 2016 James Beard Award Semi-finalist for "Outstanding Wine Program" and featured among the "100 Best Wine Restaurants in America" by Wine Enthusiast.



#### Sushi Roku

Fashion Island

Voted the "Best New Restaurant" in 2015 by the Orange County Register, this Hollywood original pushes American-style sushi into a new realm. Try the happy hour favorite: a sampler of new-style sushi, which might include kumquat and citrus vinegar-kissed fluke. The selection changes regularly but there are some decadent mainstays such as the tofu with truffles or the soba noodles rolling in a rich cream sauce and topped with sea urchin roe.

#### SPOTLIGHT

## LAGUNA BEACH

From quaint cafes and bistros to fine dining establishments, ocean view dining or family-friendly spots, Laguna Beach has an array of options to indulge in the pleasure of eating. With more than 100 restaurants along the seven-mile span of coastline, you are sure to find any type of cuisine to satisfy your taste for the extraordinary. The majority of restaurants are independently-owned and this pride of ownership has served as the foundation to our world-class culinary destination.



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