



ILA WOMEN'S MARITIME CONFERENCE 2026

MARCH 5-8 | JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA

Dear Supporter:

We are pleased to announce the 3rd Bi-Annual ILA Women's Maritime Conference. This year's theme is "Anchored In Strength United In Purpose". At the 2023 International convention a resolution was adopted to hold this conference Bi- Annually. We have secured a block of rooms at the South Bank Hotel overlooking the beautiful St. John's River, 1515 Prudential Drive, Jacksonville, FL March 5-8, 2026. At a rate 135.00 + per. There is no cost to reserve a room and the cancellation policy is 72 hours prior to check in. Rooms can be booked at this link

<https://www.marriott.com/event-reservations/reservation-link.mi?id=1751472241118&key=GRP&app=resvlink> or by calling the hotel directly at 904-396-5100. Deadline to reserve rooms is February 5, 2026.

With the rising number of women presently in the craft, it is fitting that these ladies convene to exchange ideas and get educated on issues involving their continued employment in the maritime industry. We have a host of exciting speakers and events lined up and we assure that the ladies will be secure and comfortable. Please return the attached sponsorship form and encourage ladies to register at a cost of \$50.00. Registration form will be provided.

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In Solidarity,

Lovette McGill-Co Chair
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