

2013 Annual Washington, D.C. Advocacy Trip -- March 19-21

Silicon Valley Leadership Group
 Tuesday, March 19, 2013 at 8:30 AM - Thursday, March 21, 2013 at 12:00 PM (EDT)
 Washington, DC



Ticket Information

TICKET TYPE	SALES END	PRICE	FEE	QUANTITY
Leadership Group Individual Ticket - Early Bird at the Premium Jefferson Hotel <small>No cancellations or refunds, but substitutions are welcome.</small>	Mar 15, 2013	\$2,900.00	\$9.95	0
Leadership Group Individual Ticket - Early Bird at Quality Hotel more info	Mar 15, 2013	\$2,000.00	\$9.95	0
Public Official Individual Ticket at the Premium Jefferson Hotel <small>No cancellations or refunds, but substitutions are welcome.</small>	Mar 15, 2013	\$1,500.00	\$9.95	0
Public Official Individual Ticket at Quality Hotel more info	Mar 15, 2013	\$1,000.00	\$9.95	0
Washington, D.C.-based Individual Ticket <small>No refunds or cancellations, but sending another representative is possible.</small>	Mar 15, 2013	\$300.00	\$8.49	0
Leadership Group Individual Ticket - Post-Early Bird more info	Mar 15, 2013	\$3,000.00	\$9.95	0
Staff	Mar 19, 2013	\$0.00	\$0.00	0

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Silicon Valley Leadership Group Washington, D.C. -- Annual CEO Trip

March 19-21, 2013

Register now for the Silicon Valley Leadership Group's Annual trip to Washington, D.C. with an agenda focused on specific solutions to encourage more U.S. economic growth.

Federal Policy Agenda:

- Comprehensive business tax reform
- Workforce: Improve STEM education in the U.S. and easier access to H-1B visa and green card to allow employers access to highly skilled talent
- Increased access to capital for renewable energy and energy efficiency, including preserving renewable tax credits, comprehensive federal energy and building efficiency legislation, and smart grid standards with third party access to data
- Cybersecurity: Improving security through standards and incentives rather than increased regulation and mandates
- Scientific research support in STEM and energy
- High growth entrepreneurship: access to capital and talent, tax credits and decreased regulatory burden for start ups
- Federal transportation funding for Bay Area Rapid Transit needed to support the transportation needs of one of the U.S.' most dynamic tech hubs

This trip presents an opportunity for the delegation to meet with Senate and Congressional leaders and key Administration officials. In addition to high-level visits, the trip will feature many networking opportunities with Silicon Valley industry leaders.

Draft Itinerary:

Tuesday, March 19	Travel from the San Francisco Bay Area to Washington, D.C. Evening reception and dinner
Wednesday, March 20	All-day visits at the Capitol
Thursday, March 21	Half-day Visits -- Trip Ends at Noon Travel from Washington, D.C. to the San Francisco Bay Area

Trip Cost:

\$2,900	Leadership Group Members	All visits, all meals, 2 nights hotel accommodation, staff time/travel costs, and all meeting materials (does NOT include airfare or ground trans.)
\$1,500	Public Sector Officials	All visits, all meals, 2 nights hotel accommodation, staff time/travel costs, and all meeting materials (does NOT include airfare or ground trans.)
\$300	D.C.-based Representatives	All visits, all meals, staff time/travel costs, and all meeting materials(does NOT include 2 nights hotel accommodation)

Hotel:

The Jefferson Hotel
1200 16th Street NW
Washington, D.C. 20036

Please contact the Leadership Group if you require a hotel room

Please note the hotel cost is covered through registration.

Flight Information: Please note the trip cost does not include airfare and trip participants are responsible for own airline reservations. Several Leadership Group member carriers offer one-stop or direct flights to the greater Washington, D.C. area. Consider the following when booking your travel arrangements:

American Airlines

SJC to DCA (or IAD/BWI)

SFO to DCA/IAD/BWI

Southwest Airlines

SJC to BWI (or IAD)

SFO to BWI (or IAD)

Virgin America

SFO to IAD

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Trip Terms: No cancellations or refunds. Substitutions are encouraged!

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