

International Association  
of Piano Builders and Technicians  
20th Biennial Convention



JULY 2017 • ST. LOUIS MISSOURI, U.S.A.

**11-15 July 2017**

**St. Louis Union Station Hotel**  
1820 Market Street  
St. Louis, MO 63103, USA

***[IAPBT.org/convention](http://IAPBT.org/convention)***

***Register today!***  
**only \$579.00 USD**

Your registration includes:

- IAPBT Welcome Reception
- IAPBT Luncheon
- PTG Convention & Institute
- Golden Hammer Banquet
- All Evening Events
- Admittance to the Exhibit Hall

# DAILY SCHEDULE

## Tuesday, 11 July

17:00 - 18:30	IAPBT Welcome Reception*
19:00	PTG Opening Session/Awards Presentation
20:30 - 23:00	PTG President's Welcome Reception

## Wednesday, 12 July

08:00 - 09:30	PTG Classes Period 1
08:30 - 17:00	St. Louis City Tour
09:00 - 11:00	IAPBT Board Meeting
10:30 - 12:00	PTG Classes Period 2
12:00 - 16:30	PTG Exhibit Hall Grand Opening
13:00 - 17:00	IAPBT General Session/Symposium
13:30 - 15:00	PTG Classes Period 3
15:45 - 17:15	PTG Classes Period 4
17:30 - 19:00	PTG Classes Period 5
20:00	PTG Foundation Concert

## Thursday, 13 July

08:00 - 09:30	PTG Classes Period 1 General Session
08:30 - 16:30	Botanical Garden & St. Charles Tour
09:00 - 13:30	PTG Exhibit Hall Open
10:30 - 12:00	PTG Classes Period 2
13:30 - 15:00	PTG Classes Period 3
14:45 - 16:30	PTG Exhibit Hall Open
15:45 - 17:15	PTG Classes Period 4
17:30 - 19:00	PTG Classes Period 5
20:00	Kawai Concert

## Friday, 14 July

08:00 - 09:30	Institute Period 1
09:00 - 13:30	Exhibit Hall Open
10:30 - 12:00	Institute Period 2
12:00 - 13:30	IAPBT Luncheon**
13:30 - 15:00	Institute Period 3
13:45 - 17:00	Brewery Tour
14:45 - 16:30	Exhibit Hall Open
15:45 - 17:15	Institute Period 4
17:30 - 19:00	Institute Period 5
20:00 - 23:00	Yamaha Reception

## Saturday, 15 July

08:00 - 09:30	PTG Classes Period 1
09:00 - 13:30	Exhibit Hall Open
10:30 - 12:00	PTG Classes Period 2
13:30 - 15:00	PTG Classes Period 3
14:45 - 16:30	Exhibit Hall Open
15:45 - 17:15	PTG Classes Period 4
18:00 - 19:00	Cocktail Reception
19:00	Golden Hammer Banquet*

## Sunday, 16 July

08:00	Chapel Service
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\*Invitation Only

\*\*Please choose a meal type when registering for these events

Visit [convention.ptg.org](http://convention.ptg.org) for information on applying for a visa.

## 2017 Convention Hotel

Hotel reservations are not included in your registration fees. Please contact the convention hotel directly for room reservations.

The reduced convention rate of \$139 USD will be honored on reservations made before 7 June 2017.

St. Louis Union Station Hotel  
1820 Market Street  
St. Louis MO 63103  
01-314-231-1234

## A Legend Among Historic Hotels in St. Louis

Visitors to St. Louis can stay at the historic St. Louis Union Station Hotel, a AAA-approved Four Diamond hotel known for its refined and stylish upscale attributes, extensive amenities and a high degree of hospitality, service and attention to detail.

## Tours

### St. Louis City Tour

*Wednesday, 08:30 – 17:00*

Enjoy St. Louis with a professional guide. We'll start with the revitalized Laclede's Landing warehouse district, then drive through the downtown area past Busch Stadium and local neighborhoods. Stops will include: the Gateway Arch, Favazza's Restaurant, located in a famed Italian neighborhood known as "The Hill," the Cathedral Basilica, the Chocolate Chocolate Chocolate factory & Forest Park.



### Botanicals and Historic St. Charles Tour

*Thursday, 08:30 – 16:30*

Your day starts at the Missouri Botanical Garden. Enjoy a private tram ride through the Garden. We'll then hop back on the bus for a short ride to Historic Main Street in St. Charles, MO. St. Charles is a river city with a unique historical perspective, beautiful sites. We will be greeted by a costumed docent who will give us a tour of the Historic St. Charles area. Wear comfortable walking shoes!



### Brewery Tour

*Friday, 13:45 – 17:00*

For this afternoon tour, discover the Anheuser Busch InBev brewery, the oldest and largest of the Budweiser breweries. You'll see the entire 7-step brewing process, the world-famous Clydesdale horses at the historic stables, the brew kettles, and the beechwood aging cellars. Enjoy product samples and a driving tour of the Soulard neighborhood. This historic area is known for its French heritage and influence.



# Registration Form

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**11-15 July 2017 ♦ St. Louis, Missouri USA**

[IAPBT.org/convention](http://IAPBT.org/convention)

Please complete and return this form and the required fees to the PTG Home Office no later than June 1.  
 Register each person separately for each IAPBT Full Pass or Guest Tour/Meal Pass.

*Please print clearly*

<b>Name:</b>	First:	Last:
<b>Organization:</b>	Telephone:	
<b>Address:</b>	Number/Street:	City:
	State/Province:	Postal code:
	Country:	Email:

Will you require interpreter services for the IAPBT Board Meeting or General Session?  Yes  No

If yes, what language will you require? \_\_\_\_\_

(Note: Interpreters will be provided for IAPBT meetings on Wednesday. Personal interpreters for classes & tours will be at the expense of the attendee. Contact PTG for information on local interpreters.)

## IAPBT Full Pass

**\$579 USD per person**

The following functions/services are included in your registration fee:

- IAPBT Welcome Reception (Tuesday, 11 July)
- IAPBT Board Meeting or General Session
- PTG Convention & Technical Institute registration
- IAPBT Luncheon (Fri., 14 July)  Regular meal  Vegetarian meal  Not attending
- Golden Hammer Banquet (Sat., 15 July)  Regular meal  Vegetarian meal  Not attending
- Tours - St. Louis City Tour (All Day Wed.), Botanical Garden and St. Charles (All Day Thurs.) and Brewery Tour (Fri. Afternoon) • All evening events and admittance to Exhibit Hall

## Guest Meal/Tour Pass

**\$295 USD x \_\_\_\_\_**  
per person

The following functions/services are included in your registration fee:

- IAPBT Welcome Reception (Tues., 11 July)
- IAPBT Luncheon (Fri., 14 July)  Regular meal x \_\_\_\_  Veggie meal x \_\_\_\_  Not attending x \_\_\_\_
- Golden Hammer Banquet (Sat., 15 July)  Regular meal x \_\_\_\_  Veggie meal x \_\_\_\_  Not attending x \_\_\_\_
- Tours - St. Louis City Tour (All Day Wed.), Botanical Garden and St. Charles (All Day Thurs.) and Brewery Tour (Fri. Afternoon)
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Guest Name:	Country:
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## Payment

Mastercard  Visa  Discover

Check enclosed - Payable to PTG

Card #: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration date: \_\_\_\_\_ CW code: \_\_\_\_\_

Name on card: \_\_\_\_\_ **Total Amount Enclosed: \$** \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to: Piano Technicians Guild, 4444 Forest Ave, Kansas City, KS 66106.

*You can also register online at [IAPBT.org/convention](http://IAPBT.org/convention), by phone: 01-913-432-9975 or by Fax 01-913-432-9986*