

Sustainability Guide

We are very excited to welcome all of you to the joint *ISES/ISEE Conference!* Both ISES and ISEE are committed to keeping this conference as green as possible. We have partnered with the *Hyatt Regency Atlanta*, a LEED-certified green hotel, to help us achieve that goal (https://www.hyatt.com/world-of-care/en-US/caring-for-the-planet). We can also do our part.

Atlanta in mid-August will be hot and humid (average high of 88°F (32°C), average low of 71°F (21°C), precipitation: 100.9 mm, humidity: 71%, frequent thunderstorms), but we think the following guidelines will help you enjoy the city while arriving prepared for weather (and keep things more sustainable!).

Come prepared!

- Pack smart: Bring a **refillable water bottle**/coffee mug (refill stations available), sunscreen, an umbrella (for sun or rain), and a light sweater (AC indoors can be chilly).
- Travel kit: A small sewing kit may come in handy for small repairs such as replacing buttons
- Luggage: The Hyatt offers **luggage storage** for hotel guests only. If you are not staying at the Hyatt, services such as Bounce are available to store your belongings for under \$20. Learn more: https://bounce.com/en/s?locationId=25869d47-8da7-43e7-b332-729c96da698e&standardBags=2

While in Atlanta:

- Use the conference app instead of printed programs.
- Save water and energy: Keep showers short, reuse towels, and unplug devices when not in use.
- Recycle and compost using the Hyatt's facilities. Learn more here: https://about.hyatt.com/content/dam/hyatt/woc/gri-index/EnvironmentalStatementWorldofCare.pdf
- Travel smart: Use MARTA for airport transfers or share rides.
 https://www.isesisee2025.org/wp-content/uploads/ISES-ISEE-2025_Airport-to-Hyatt_Directions.pdf.

Please plan ahead, stay hydrated, and be mindful of your environmental impact.

In case of any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact us: registration@isesisee2025.org. We are looking forward to a great and sustainable joint meeting in Atlanta!