

Conference Information

CONFERENCE LOCATION

On Parliament Hill, the **Hilton Québec** hotel stands guard over the heritage and charm of Canada's oldest city. Located across the street from the Old City, with indoor access to the Québec City Convention Centre and Place Québec shops, the Hilton Québec hotel is also just steps away from all major tourist attractions and festivals.



Photo: Courtesy of Hilton Québec

All rooms offer spectacular views of either "Vieux-Québec", the majestic St. Lawrence River, the Parliament of Québec Province or the Laurentian Mountains. You can even enjoy great views from the fully equipped Fitness Center when gazing out of the ceiling-to-floor windows OR when relaxing in their outdoor swimming pool. If you don't feel like walking into the Old City, then after an intense day of conference sessions, perhaps you'll want to unwind in the Hilton's Allegro Restaurant and Bar or any number of other dining options within a block or two.

ROOMS FOR SIDE MEETINGS

Several meeting rooms are available for use by any registered conference attendee at the Hilton Québec on a first come, first served basis. *NSREC encourages side meetings to be scheduled at times other than during technical sessions.* Contact ETC Services at 720-733-2003 or send an e-mail to etcservices@qwestoffice.net to make side meeting reservations **before** the conference. To make a side meeting reservation **during** the conference, see the NSREC On-site Registration Desk staff on Level 1, Hilton Québec (above the lobby).

Notes: *You must register for the conference before a side meeting room can be reserved!* All audio/visual equipment and refreshments must be coordinated through the hotel and are the responsibility of the attendee hosting the meeting.

MESSAGES

418-647-6540
FAX: 418-647-6488

A message board for incoming messages will be located in the pre-function area outside the Québec City Convention Centre MultiPurpose Hall 2000A-B during the conference. Faxes can be received through the hotel's guest fax but there must be a cover sheet stating the recipient's name, noting the NSREC conference, and advising the total number of pages being sent. There is no fee for incoming faxes but they will be accepted for hotel guests only.

CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST AND COFFEE BREAKS

The 2009 IEEE NSREC will provide continental style breakfasts and refreshments at breaks during the NSREC Short Course and Technical Sessions. Breakfast on Monday - Friday will begin at 7:30 AM for *registered conference attendees only.*

BUSINESS CENTER

The Hilton Québec has a self-service Business Center. Available services include black and white photocopier, color photocopier, computer with internet service, and color computer printers. Costs associated with the Business Center must be paid via credit card. The Québec City Convention Centre has a "mobile" Business Center that will be set-up near our conference area with some capabilities such as photocopying. In addition, their staff at this desk also work as a "concierge" to supply local information on sights to see, restaurants, and more. The hours that this desk will be open are still to be determined.