

# 2025 **TRANSPORTATION MEMBER** PARTNER PROSPECTUS

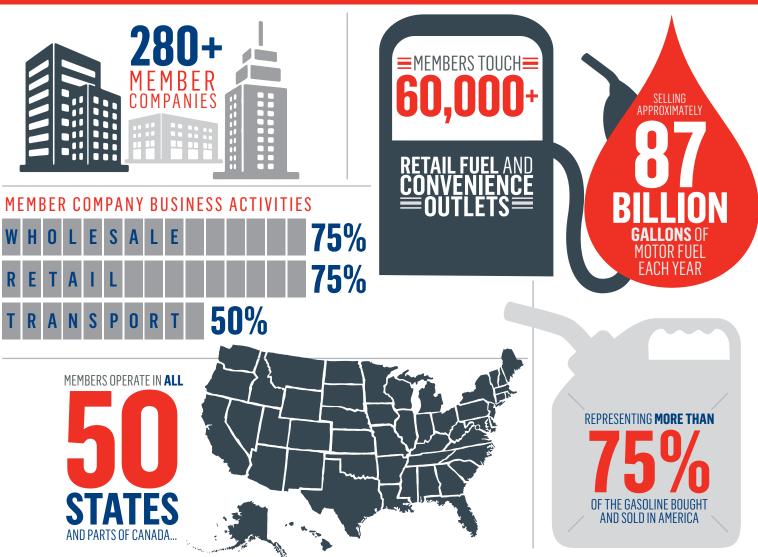
SIGMA assembles the most dedicated leaders within the liquid transportation fuel and retail industry, helping them to succeed in a free and fully competitive marketplace.

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# ABOUT SIGMA

Founded in 1958 as the Society of Independent Gasoline Marketers of America (SIGMA), SIGMA has become a fixture in the fuel marketing industry. After more than 60 years of leadership, SIGMA is the national trade association representing the most successful, progressive, and innovative fuel marketers and chain retailers in the United States and Canada. From the outset, the association has served to further the interests of both the branded and unbranded segments of the industry while providing information and services to members.

### **MEMBERSHIP STATISTICS**



"SIGMA has been instrumental in our growth, providing unmatched opportunities to connect with decision-makers and stay informed on industry trends. Through its networking and educational sessions, SIGMA enriches our business in spirit, knowledge, and valuable friendships. For anyone in the fuel-related energy sector, SIGMA is your partner for success."

FRANKLIN BRADLEY | ETP

SIGMA

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS



#### SPRING CONFERENCE • APRIL 22-24, 2025 | SCOTTSDALE, AZ

SIGMA's Spring Conference is a casual networking opportunity that offers an environment to sharpen your business edge. Share insights and best practices with other fuel industry leaders and walk away with information that will help your business grow.

600-Attendees 230+ MARKETERS & RETAILERS

70% SENIOR LEADERSHIP



## ANNUAL CONFERENCE NOVEMBER 4-6, 2025 | NASHVILLE, TN

SIGMA's Annual Conference is the largest gathering of SIGMA members throughout the year. CEO's, presidents and knowledge leaders in the fuel marketing sphere attend this unparalleled forum for in-depth education, networking and innovative business strategy reviews. SIGMA education sessions bring you up to speed on issues of interest and SIGMA's latest advocacy initiatives, while preserving time for marketers to network with fuel suppliers and peers.

**BOO**+

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**300+** MARKETERS & RETAILERS SENIOR



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## S P O N S O R S H I P O P O R T U N I T I E S

### PARTNER PROGRAMS

Relationship building is the foundation of SIGMA. Our Sponsors stand out in the group with special engagement opportunities and superior branding visibility. TELL YOUR STORY · REACH THE RIGHT PEOPLE · BUNDLE YOUR INVESTMENT AND SAVE

ELEMENTS	STRATEGIC	GOLD	SILVER	BRONZE
By Invitation Only	•			
Logo banner placed on General Session stage at Spring and Annual	•			
Invitation to the Board of Directors events at Spring and Annual	•			
Strategic level exposure, signage and promotion	•			
Strategic level sponsorship selection and placement within materials	•			
Logo on Weekly Report 52x a year	•			
Sponsorship activation at Winter Conference	•			
Special Invite(s) to the New Members Reception at Spring and Annual	2	1		
Access to the SIGMA Membership Directory	•	•		
Ads in the conference program at Spring and Annual	•	•		
Promote your company on the SIGMA Calendar of events – Quarterly Email	•	•		
Weekly Report banner ad (# of weeks)	4	2		
Additional Discounted member rate registrations/badge options (per event)	2	1		
Sponsorship activations at Spring and Annual (Mutually Agreed)	•	•	•	
Advertisements in IGM Magazine	6	4	2	*
Included badges @ Winter Conference	2	2	1	1
Included badges @ Spring Conference	4	3	2	2
Included badges @ Annual Conference	4	3	2	2
Pre-Event Access to Attendee Roster (name and company)	•	•	•	•
Recognition and signage at Winter, Spring, and Annual Conferences	•	•	•	•
Recognition on SIGMA.org, and conference app throughout the year	•	•	•	•
Profile in Supplier Resource Guide (# of pages)	2	2	•	1
Pre-Event Access to networking features in SIGMA App	•	•	•	•
*Opportunity to place 1, full-page, four-color ad insertion in IGM at discounted rate of \$1000	\$70,000	\$40,000	\$21,500	\$15,000

#### "SIGMA meetings are where our company establishes business contacts that result in long-term business relationships."

**SCOTT HARTMAN | RUTTER'S** 

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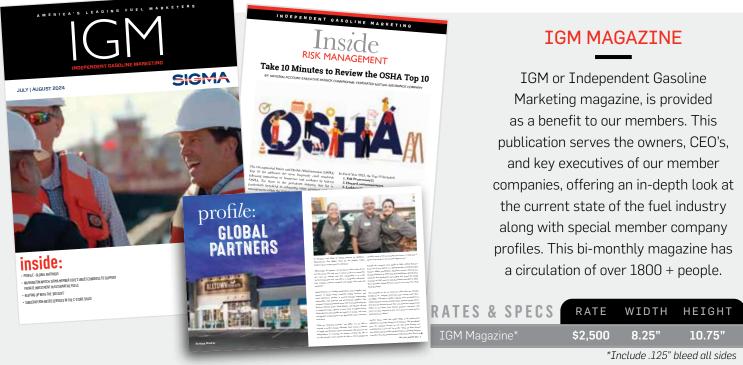
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ELEMENTS	VALUE	PARTNER COST
All Industry Reception	\$100,000	\$85,000
App Sponsorship	\$10,000	\$7,500
Après Ski Party at Winter Conference	\$25,000	\$15,000
Buffet Breakfast	\$7,500	\$5,000
Buffet Lunch	\$7,500	\$5,000
Business Meeting & General Session Sponsorships	\$25,000	\$15,000
Charging Stations	\$7,500	\$5,000
Coffee Break at Education Sessions	\$7,500	\$5,000
Coffee Break at Legislative Sessions	\$7,500	\$5,000
Donated Bottled Water	\$7,500	\$5,000
Golf Scramble at Spring Conference	\$25,000	\$15,000
Headshot photobooth	\$7,500	\$5,000
Hotel Key Cards	\$10,000	\$7,500
Lanyards	\$10,000	\$7,500
Hosted Late Night Gathering	\$15,000	\$7,500
Attendee Lunch at Winter Conference	\$15,000	\$5,000
Mints at Registration Desk	\$7,500	\$5,000
New Member's Orientation	\$7,500	\$7,500
New Member's Reception	\$10,000	\$7,500
Oxygen Bar at Winter Conference	\$7,500	\$5,000
Pen Sponsorship	\$7,500	\$5,000
Pool Side Bar at Spring Conference	\$7,500	\$5,000
Registration & Hospitality	\$7,500	\$5,000
Room Drop	\$7,500	\$5,000
Sponsored Notebook	\$7,500	\$5,000
Stress Reduction Activities at Winter Conference	\$7,500	\$5,000
Uber Coupon Codes	\$10,000	\$7,500
Welcome Reception	\$100,000	\$85,000
Welcome Reception at Winter Conference	\$25,000	\$15,000
Wi-Fi Sponsorship	\$10,000	\$7,500

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## A D V E R T I S I N G O P P O R T U N I T I E S



#### IGM CALENDAR

JANUARY / FEBRUARY AD DEADLINE: DECEMBER 15 MARCH / APRIL AD DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 15 MAY/JUNE AD DEADLINE: APRIL 14

JULY / AUGUST AD DEADLINE: JUNE 15

SEPTEMBER / OCTOBER AD DEADLINE: AUGUST 15

NOVEMBER / DECEMBER AD DEADLINE: OCTOBER 15

#### **CONFERENCE PROGRAM BOOKS**

Program books are printed and distributed at our Annual, and Spring Conferences touching a combined audience of 1500+ decision makers in the fuel and convenience industry. The conference program is used to share agendas, attendees list and other need-to-know info with all attendees.

## AD SUBMISSIONS FOR THE PROGRAM BOOKS ARE DUE ONE MONTH PRIOR TO THE START OF EACH EVENT.

RATES & SPECS	RATE	WIDTH	HEIGHT
Spring Conference Program	\$1,250	4"	9"
Annual Conference Program	\$1,250	4"	9"



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## SUPPLIER Resource guide

### **TELL YOUR STORY**

In 2025 SIGMA will distribute a new Supplier Resource Guide to all members that will list key Fuel and Business Service Suppliers.

Distribution will include:

- 700+ attendees at the Spring and Annual Conferences
- Available to members digitally on Sigma.org

#### EACH COMPANY 1 PAGE PROFILE WILL INCLUDE:

Company Logo

"About Us" Statement\*

Targeted value proposition Statement for SIGMA Members\*

2025 Added value meeting / events, special pricing or other offerings\*

Contact Information (Company & Individuals)

COST: \$5,000 (INCLUDES PROFILE AND ADVERTISEMENT) \*(100 words or less)

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## FUEL FOUNDATION OPPORTUNITIES

### **OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOU WITH SIGMA'S FUEL FOUNDATION**

## THE FUEL FOUNDATION

The Fuel Foundation is SIGMA'S charitable arm and recognized as a 501(c)(3). The Fuel Foundation would not be possible without the generous support of individuals and businesses within our industry.

Funds raised are used for a variety of purposes to achieve our goals, from research and grants related to studies on topics that affect our industry, to our scholarship programs.

All donations are tax-deductible to corporations and individuals. Your company will also be recognized on The Fuel Foundation's website, in the app, and on signage throughout the year.



#### LEVELS OF GIVING [BASED ON ANNUAL CONTRIBUTIONS]

EDUCATION TRAILBLAZER	EDUCATION ADVOCATE	EDUCATION HONOREE	DEVELOPER	PATRON	STEWARD	
\$25,000 + per year	\$10,000	\$5,000	\$2,500	\$1,000	\$500	

#### WINTER CONFERENCE

At SIGMA's Winter Conference we always try to find a fun and unique way to collect donations for the foundation. Last year we did a Superbowl Squares Game that was a huge hit.

This is a great opportunity offering visibility for sponsors via signage set up at the entrance and being able to engage with members as they enter the reception. You will also receive recognition from SIGMA CEO Scott Berhang when the winners are announced during the event.

#### Sponsorship Opportunities:

- Be the overall sponsor of the Event/Game
- Provide prizes for winners

#### SPRING CONFERENCE

At SIGMA's Spring conference we focus on events. We are always looking for sponsors for our Pickleball Round Robin and Casino Night Event. Both events provide visibility throughout the conference and a way to network with attendees.

#### Sponsorship Opportunities:

- Be the overall sponsor of the Event/Game
- Donate an Item
- Sponsor an Item
- Provide prizes for winners

FEEL FREE TO CONTACT GINNY GRIFFIN AT GGRIFFIN@SIGMA.ORG OR 703.375.0495 WITH ANY QUESTIONS OR TO MAKE A DONATION.

#### ANNUAL CONFERENCE

At SIGMA's Annual Conference we always do a silent auction. You receive great visibility during the conference with signage and our online platform. The auction is promoted to everyone, not just attendees.

#### Sponsorship Opportunities:

- Donate an Item
- Sponsor an Item

#### SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS

We offer two scholarship programs. Our Pay It Forward Scholarship offers 8 scholarships that total \$25,000 and our Boyett-Greinke Industry Scholarship that offers two \$5,000 scholarships. Our scholarship programs are offered to all SIGMA member employees and their families. These scholarships change the lives of young people and are only possible with charitable donations each year.

#### 2024 Pay It Forward Winners:

- Brianna Vasquez Pilot Company
- Samantha Johns GROWMARK, Inc.
- Anna Gribbell Sheetz, Inc.
- Victoria Paulson Christensen Inc.
- Noah Hackerott Offen Petroleum
- Beckett Postlewaite Robinson Oil Corporation
- Alyssa Norada SC Fuels
- Rebekah Anne Lay Ports Petroleum

#### 2024 Boyett-Greinke Winners:

- Jared Shick RaceTrac
- Sarah Clark Casey's General Stores, Inc.





"SIGMA'S INTEGRATED MARKETING APPROACH FOR ITS MEMBERS AND EVENTS PROVIDES GULF WITH THE INVALUABLE OPPORTUNITY TO REACH CUSTOMERS IN BOTH EXISTING AND GROWTH MARKETS. THROUGH A NEWLY ADDED MARQUIS PARTNERSHIP, THE GULF BRAND IS BEING ELEVATED AND EXPOSED TO THE EXACT AUDIENCES NEEDED FOR NATIONAL EXPANSION."

NIKKI FALES | VICE PRESIDENT, MARKETING & PAYMENTS, GULF OIL



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