



76th Plains Anthropological Conference

San Antonio, Texas

October 24-27, 2018

Please prepare to join us in San Antonio, Texas for the 76th Plains Anthropological Conference. San Antonio is celebrating its tricentennial in 2018 and the city is celebrating the occasion. October is Texas Archeology Month and there are numerous

events across the city. San Antonio served as a major transportation hub over the past 12,000 years and in the past 300 years it has been the focal point of numerous trails, such as the Old Spanish Trail, the Chisholm Trail, and the Camino Real. This year's logo incorporates to show that "All roads lead to San Antonio."

The planning committee has scheduled:

- Tours of the Gault Site and San Antonio Missions (part of the UNESCO San Antonio Missions World Heritage Site)
- Thursday reception at the Institute of Texan Cultures
- Keynote address by Carolyn Boyd, who will discuss her research on Texas rock art sites

Of course, we will have the world-famous Plains Conference Early Bird party and plenty of good times along the equally world-famous San Antonio Riverwalk, an easy 10-to-15-minute walk from the La Quinta Inn & Suites.

Speaking of the hotel, make sure to get your reservations in place soon. October is a busy time in San Antonio, mainly because the weather is gorgeous, and you do not want to miss out. Here is the hotel's contact information:

Hotel: La Quinta Inn & Suites San Antonio Riverwalk (property #0501)

Phone: 866-527-1498 option #1

Group Name: Plains Anthropological Society

The rate is \$149 plus taxes per night. Make sure you are getting this rate when making your reservation.

Please be prepared to provide credit card information to guarantee your reservation.

Unfortunately, there is not a way to make reservations online, so you will need to call and book your room.

The Texas Archeological Society is also holding their meeting the same weekend at the nearby Mengar Hotel. Check out their program at: <https://txarch.org/civicrm-event/189>.

If you have any questions, please email the conference committee conference@plainsanthropologicalsociety.org.