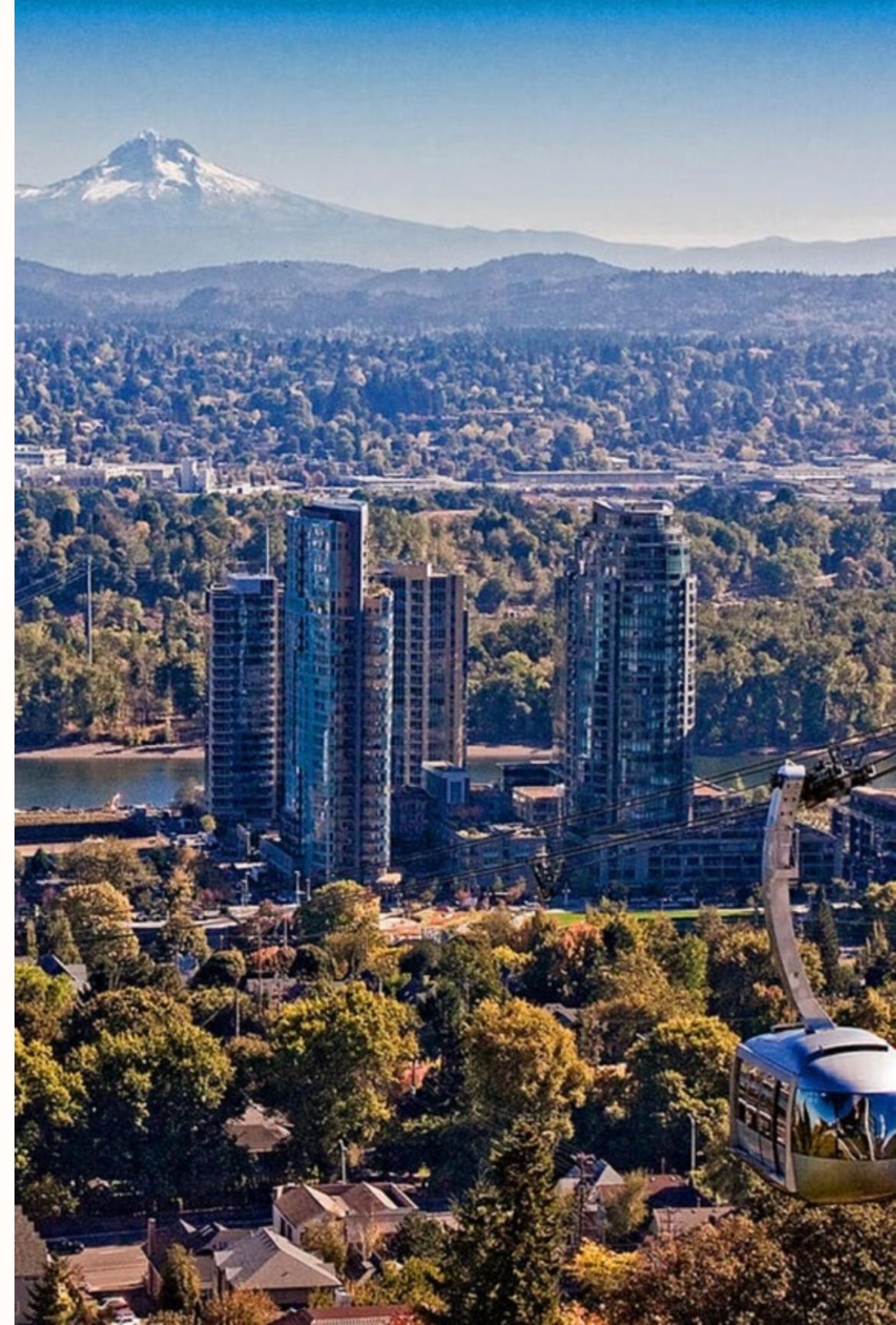# IEEE 802.3 September 2027 Interim

Offer to Host by Samtec

PORTLAND, OREGON

Destination — Portland, OR

The Portland area offers a world-class destination for IEEE members — celebrated for its vibrant tech and engineering ecosystem, mild Pacific Northwest climate, and excellent connectivity via Portland International Airport. The city seamlessly blends professional infrastructure with exceptional dining, culture, and outdoor recreation along the Willamette River.

Airport Proximity

Portland International Airport (PDX) offers direct flights to major hubs including London, Tokyo, Frankfurt, and across North America — just 20 minutes from downtown.
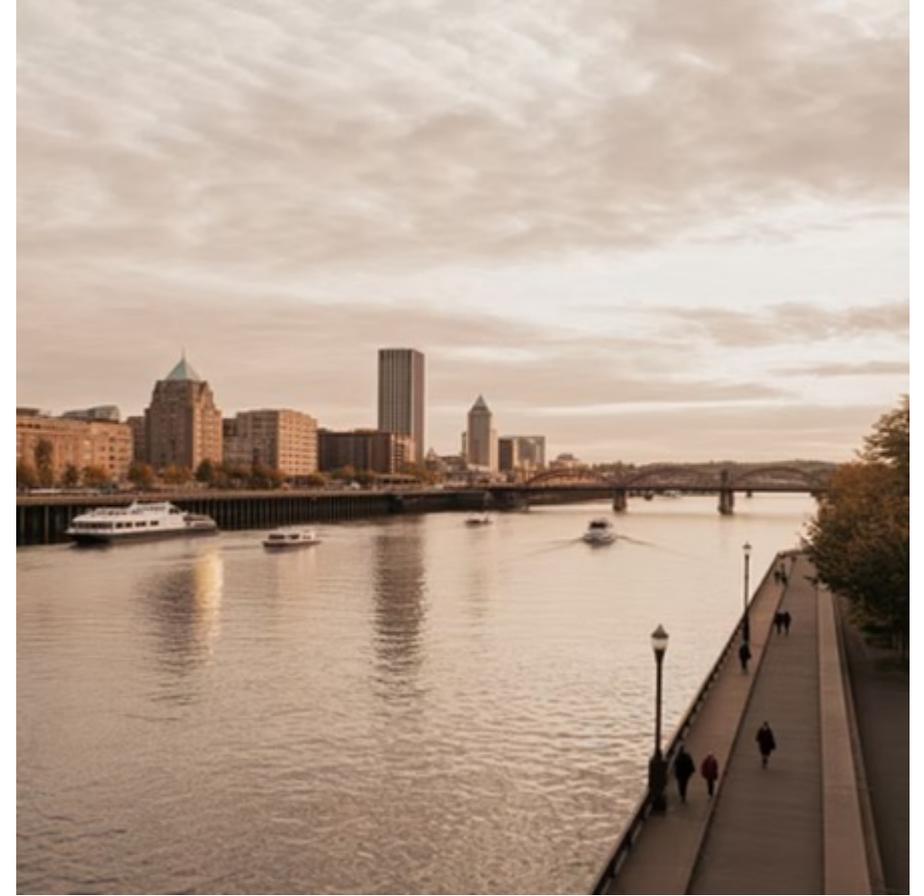
Effortless Transportation

Portland's MAX Light Rail connects PDX directly to downtown. Shuttles, ride-sharing, and an extensive streetcar network make navigating the city simple.

World-Class Amenities

From the historic charm of the Pearl District to the vibrant waterfront, Portland and the surrounding area boasts world-class amenities. Explore its renowned craft breweries, a diverse culinary scene from food trucks to fine dining, and cultural attractions like museums, art galleries, and live music venues. It's a premier destination ensuring a productive and enjoyable stay for all attendees.

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Portland's iconic waterfront, bridges, and vibrant urban core provide the perfect backdrop for networking and exploration during your stay.

Room Rates

NOT TO EXCEED

Nightly Rate

US $249 ++/ night

Included Perks

Complimentary Wi-Fi, fitness center access, and discounted on-site parking

Registration Fees

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Early Bird $800

Standard $1100

Late $1300

Onsite Discount $300

With a 3-night minimum stay at the meeting venue

Name on registration must match name on hotel reservation to qualify for the $300 discount.
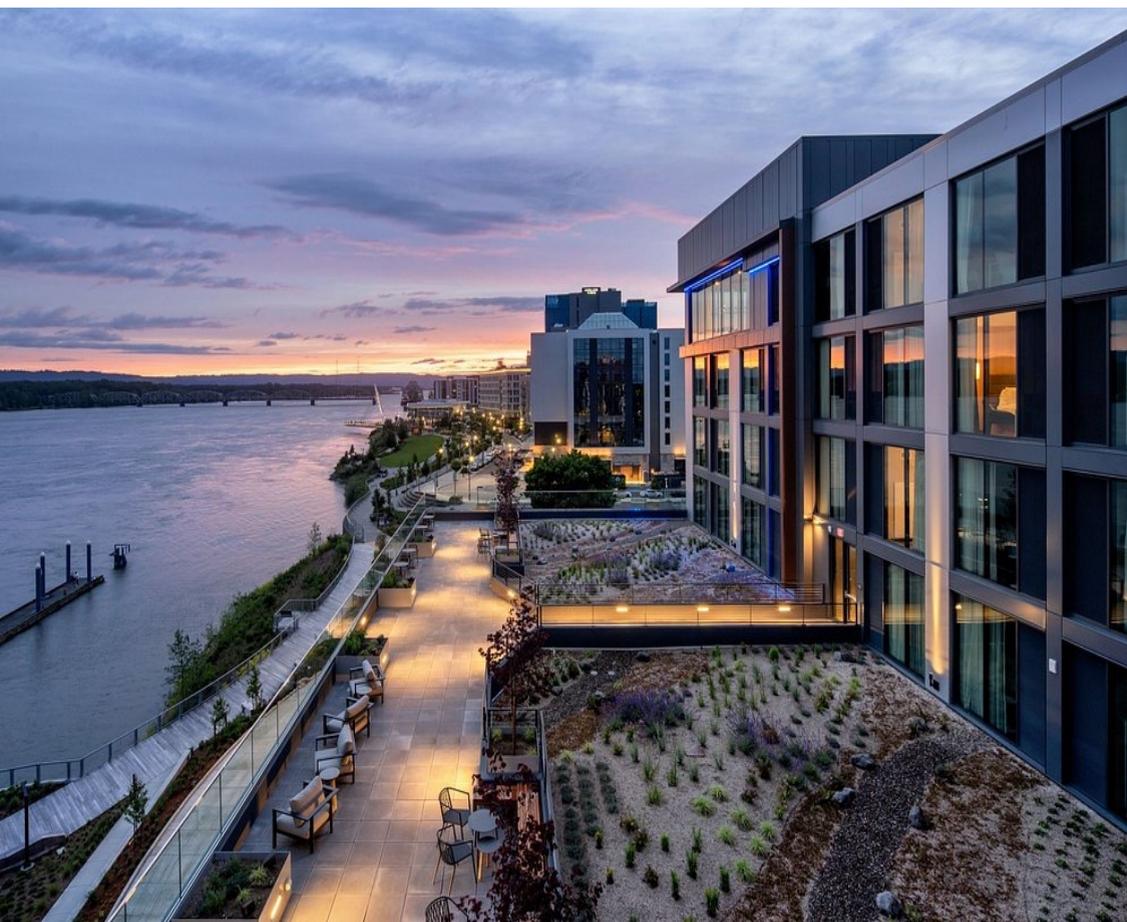
AC Hotel Vancouver Waterfront By Marriott

Vancouver, WA

Safe, walkable area with Several restaurants & shops nearby

Newly updated waterfront

12 Miles from PDX

8 Miles from downtown Portland for access to sites

Hotel Indigo Vancouver By IHG

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What's Included

Meeting fees, together with contributions from Eridu, cover a comprehensive package of services and amenities for all registered attendees.

🔍 Meals & Breaks

Breakfast and AM/PM refreshment breaks served throughout the full duration of the meeting.

📡 Meeting Infrastructure

Full meeting room rental with professional AV support and high-speed wireless network for hybrid attendance per 802.3 guidelines.

🙋 On-Site Support

Dedicated meeting planning and logistics support ensuring a smooth experience for both in-person and virtual attendees.

🎉 Mid-Week Social by Samtec

An exclusive networking gathering for IEEE 802.3 attendees — a perfect opportunity to connect professionally in a relaxed setting. Reception will include beer and wine from local vendors.

Samtec Looks Forward to Furthering the Work of IEEE

Samtec is proud to support the **IEEE 802.3** community as a committed partner in advancing the standards that drive global connectivity and innovation. We warmly welcome the working group to **Portland, Oregon** and look forward to hosting a productive, memorable, and collaborative interim meeting.

Our Commitment	**Our Partnership**
Full logistical and financial sponsorship of key meeting elements	Aligned with IEEE's mission to advance technology for the benefit of humanity

Our Welcome

Ready to make Portland 2027 a safe and enjoyable event