



**COMMUNITY INDICATORS CONSORTIUM'S
SIXTH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON
INDICATORS**

**COMMUNITY INDICATORS: MOVING
INFORMATION TO ACTION**

**WASHINGTON, DC – June 26-28, 2008
SHERATON CRYSTAL CITY HOTEL
ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA**

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The Sixth International Conference on Community Indicators is designed to provide a learning forum for practitioners, academics, and students to meet and discuss the most significant challenges and opportunities facing community indicator projects and government performance measurement efforts.

Attendees at the conference should expect to:

- Connect with others to build a stronger network of community indicators practitioners
- Learn how to gain better access to data and move from indicators to action
- Discover how to better connect indicator projects with government performance measures, engage citizens, and connect with the media to create positive and sustainable change
- Identify issues of most importance for further development.

CONFERENCE TRACKS

- All about the Data: From Collection to Display and Reporting
- Linking Community Indicators and Government Performance Measures
- Using Indicator Data to Make a Difference
- Promising Practices from Community Indicator Projects

There will be one more track—a Discussion Forum track. This track will be for facilitated discussions on a series of significant issues.

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The **Community Indicators Consortium (CIC)** is an active, open learning network and global community of practice among persons interested or engaged in the field of indicators development and application. It is organized to:

- Advance the art and science of indicators;
- Facilitate the exchange of knowledge about the effective use of indicators;
- Encourage development of effective indicators;
- Foster informed civic and media discourse about local, regional, national, and global priorities.

CIC's Strategic Goals are to:

1. Advance the Use of Indicators for Community Awareness and Change
2. Create a Global Community of Practice (COP)
3. Strengthen CIC's International Perspective and Relevance
4. Promote Connectivity between Indicators and Performance Measurement

Conference Schedule at a Glance

Thursday, June 26

11:00 am – 5:00 pm	Registration
1:00 pm – 2:30 pm	Opening Plenary Session
2:30 pm – 4:30 pm	Concurrent Sessions
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm	Welcome Reception

Friday, June 27

7:30 am – 5:00 pm	Registration
7:30 am – 8:30 am	Continental Breakfast
8:30 am – 9:45 am	Plenary Session
10:15 am – 11:45 am	Concurrent Sessions
12:00 pm – 1:30 pm	Lunch with Keynote Speaker
2:00 pm – 3:30 pm	Concurrent Sessions
3:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Snack Break
4:00 pm – 5:30 pm	Concurrent Sessions
6:00 pm – 6:30 pm	CIC Membership Meeting

Saturday, June 28

7:30 am – 8:30 am	Continental Breakfast
8:30 am – 9:45 am	Plenary Session
10:15 am – 11:45 am	Concurrent Sessions

REGISTRATION COSTS

Early registration deadline is Friday, May 23, 2008.

Members

Early Registration	\$300.00
Regular Registration	\$350.00
Companion Registration	\$75.00

Non-Members

Early Registration	\$350.00
Regular Registration	\$400.00
Companion Registration	\$75.00

Companion Registration includes the reception, lunch, continental breakfasts, and snack break.

CONFERENCE HOTEL

Sheraton Crystal City Hotel
1800 Jefferson Davis Highway
Arlington, VA 22202
(703) 486-1111
1-800-325-3535

To reserve a room at the conference rate, please go to

[http://www.starwoodmeeting.com/StarGroupsWeb/booking/reservation?id=0804074218
&key=DF932](http://www.starwoodmeeting.com/StarGroupsWeb/booking/reservation?id=0804074218&key=DF932)

(If you cannot operate this link, please copy and paste it into your browser)

The Sheraton Crystal City Hotel is minutes away from Ronald Regan National Airport and downtown Washington D.C. There is complimentary shuttle service to and from Regan National Airport and the hotel is located one block from the Crystal City Metro Station. The Sheraton Crystal City Hotel is closely located near site seeing, museums, entertainment, sports, shopping, and unlimited dining options.

- The special nightly room rate for CIC Conference attendees is \$145 plus taxes.
- June 2 is the cutoff date for the special room rate, based on availability.

CIC CANCELLATION AND REFUND POLICY

All requests for refunds must be submitted in writing to:

Lynda Fairbanks Atkins
Community Indicators Consortium
Post Office Box 8222
Lynn, MA 01904

Or, via e-mail to: ED@communityindicators.net

Cancellation requests received prior to June 6, 2008, will be refunded full registration fee minus a \$75 processing fee. Refund requests received between June 6, 2008, and June 18, 2008, will be refunded full registration fee minus a \$100 processing fee. All requests for refunds will be processed after the conference.

There will be no refunds for requests received after June 18, 2008.

QUESTIONS

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REGISTER ON-LINE at www.communityindicators.net

If you're not a CIC Member, you can become one when you register for the Conference

OR REGISTER BY MAIL BY USING THE FORM BELOW

Community Indicators Consortium's
Sixth International Conference on Community Indicators
Registration Form

Last Name:
First Name:
Middle Name or Initial:
Title:
Organization:
Mailing Address:
City and State (or Providence):
Postal Code and Country:
Daytime Phone:
Fax:
Email:

Please check the box if you need a vegetarian lunch meal

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Companion registration includes reception, lunch, and all breaks

BECOME A CIC MEMBER

Individuals:

Individual Membership (US\$50)

Supporting Individual Membership (US\$120) (\$70 tax deductible)

Full-time Student Annual Membership (US\$25)

Organizations:

Annual Organizational/Institutional Membership (US\$250)

Supporting Annual Membership (US\$1000)

Sustaining Annual Membership (US\$5000)

Organizations may designate up to five staff people as members.

International:

Sustaining Annual Membership-Individual (US\$50)

Annual Membership-Organization (US\$250)

Payment

Registration \$ _____

Membership fee \$ _____

TOTAL AMOUNT DUE \$ _____

Enclosed is a check made payable to the Community Indicators Consortium

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IF YOU PREFER, JOIN ON-LINE AT: www.communityindicators.net: