

Annual 80th Meeting



Palm Beach, Florida
September 23-27, 2009
AMERICAN THYROID ASSOCIATION

Bring a
non-member
colleague and
SAVE \$200 each!
(online registration only)

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ATA Members: Bring a non-member colleague to the ATA 80th Annual Meeting and Save!

We understand the ATA meeting is very expensive this year. The ATA would like to offer an online discount if you register for the meeting along with a non-member colleague. For those ATA members whose registration is linked to a non-member attendee, an online discount will be applied to **EACH** registration of **\$200**. To participate in the **"Bring a non-member colleague to the ATA 80th Annual Meeting"** online discount program, please review the rules below. The overall goals of the **"Bring a non-member colleague to the ATA 80th Annual Meeting"** online discount program are to:

- maximize meeting attendance,
- encourage members to assist in increasing ATA membership and attendance, and
- extend a benefit for both the member and non-member for attending the 80th annual meeting.

RULES TO PARTICIPATE (This is an online registration offer only. The "Bring a Colleague" discount is not available with print registration forms.)

- The \$200.00 online discounted rate applies to ATA members (active, corresponding and senior) and non-members for each registration period (early bird, discounted and full rate). This discount does not apply to ATA associate members or non-member fellows.
- One ATA MEMBER must bring in one NON-MEMBER colleague to receive the two-person online registration fee discount. This discount does not apply to two ATA member registrations or two non-member registrations. There must be a member/non-member combination to qualify.
- The ATA member must: (1) register online for the meeting at www.thyroid.org, (2) check the box on the payment section of the registration form to participate in the **"Bring a non-member colleague to the ATA 80th Annual Meeting"** online registration discount, and (3) then provide his/her email address to the non-member sharing the online registration discount. The ATA non-member then: (1) registers online for the meeting, (2) checks the box on the payment section of the registration form to participate in the **"Bring a non-member colleague to the ATA 80th Annual Meeting"** online registration discount, and (3) provides the email address of the member they wish to share the registration discount offer with in the field provided on the online ATA registration form.
- **SPECIAL NOTES:** The ATA member must complete the online registration process before the non-member registers online. The ATA member registration will be held in the registration system until the non-member registers. Once both attendees have completed the registration process, payment will be processed for the amount applicable with the registration date (early bird, discount or full fee). Payment will NOT be processed if either the member or non-member has not completed the online registration process accurately and received initial confirmation.

- No additional discount will be offered for one member registering multiple non-members. This offer only applies to one ATA member and one non-member per discount.
- Any member who has registered online prior to this discount being offered will be allowed to take advantage of this option (a refund will be provided accordingly). Contact the ATA Headquarters to participate.

REGISTRATION DETAILS

Online registration is now open on the ATA website at <http://www.prereg.net/2009/ata/>.

KEY MEETING DEADLINES

- **Early Bird Registration Deadline: July 15, 2009**
- Short Call Abstract Submission: August 8, 2009 – August 22, 2009
- Discounted Registration Deadline: August 31, 2009
- ATA Hotel Special Room Rate Reservation Deadline: August 31, 2009
- Full Registration Fees: September 1, 2009

HOTEL INFORMATION

The Breakers Hotel, One South County Road, Palm Beach, FL 33480

New this year, the ATA is pleased to offer hotel room booking at The Breakers Hotel as part of the general registration process. Visit the ATA registration site at <http://www.prereg.net/2009/ata/> to register for the meeting and book your hotel reservation at the same time. Please make your reservation early at The Breakers Hotel as the ATA is committed to the hotel for a large room block over our meeting dates. Failure to book within our designated room block could result in an attrition penalty and eventual loss of income for the Association. If you would like to book your hotel reservation separate from the registration process, you may do so online at http://www.thyroid.org/ann_mtg/2009_80th/hotel.html.

ATA Group Rate: starting at \$249 U.S. dollars per night exclusive of tax (First come, first served.)

Group Rate Reservation Deadline: August 31, 2009

Phone: or (561) 655-6611 or call toll free to (888) BREAKERS (273-2537)

Fax: (561) 659-8403

Note: If you choose to phone in your hotel reservation, please indicate you are with the ATA to receive the group rate.

QUESTIONS

If you have any questions about the meeting, contact the ATA Headquarters Office at 6066 Leesburg Pike, Suite 550, Falls Church, VA 22041; Phone: 703-998-8890; Fax: 703-998-8893; E-mail: thyroid@thyroid.org; Website: www.thyroid.org.

We look forward to joining you in meeting new colleagues
in thyroidology and enjoying time with old friends,
all under “one roof” — the hallmark of the ATA meeting.

See you at The Breakers!