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When is the [Ovation Gala](#)?

Our 10th Anniversary Gala will be held on Saturday, **Dec 3, 2022**

Where is the Gala taking place?

The gala will be held at the JW Marriott located at 110 E 2nd St, Austin, TX 78701

How do I purchase tickets?

Tickets and sponsorships are available at ovationgala.org

What are the sponsor levels and benefits?

Learn more about the many benefits of sponsorship by visiting our event website: ovationgala.org

Is my donation tax-deductible?

GAACC is registered with the IRS as a 501(c)(6) entity Tax exempt. Payments of dues to 501(c)(6) organizations may be deductible to a member as an ordinary and necessary business expense in the conduct of the member's business. However, contributions to 501(c)(6) organizations are not deductible as charitable contributions. Please consult with your tax advisor to determine whether your donation is tax deductible in whole or in part.

Will I receive a receipt for my payment?

Yes! If you make your donation via ovationgala.org, you will receive an electronic receipt immediately. If you want to avoid fees and make your donation or payment directly to the GAACC, please reach out to info@austinasianchamber.org for more information.

Where can I learn more about the Greater Austin Asian Chamber?

Visit our website <https://www.austinasianchamber.org/> to learn more about us!

Where should I park at the event?

The hotel offers various parking options including:

JW Marriott Valet - Discounted Parking Rates: \$27 per Vehicle for Valet Parking to Capacity

JW Marriott Garage Self Parking - Discounted Parking Rates: \$17 per Vehicle for Self-Parking to Capacity

Convention Center Parking | 201 East 2nd Street - Entrances on Brazos and San Jacinto

What is the JW Marriott COVID Protocol?

Visit <https://whattoexpect.marriott.com/ausjw> to learn more about what the JW Marriott is doing to protect our safety.

Can I buy a ticket to the event?

Yes, however, tables are normally full prior to our event. We encourage you to purchase your seat/s prior to the event. Tickets and sponsorships are available for purchase at ovationgala.org

Can I purchase a table or become a sponsor without knowing the names of my guests?

Yes! You will receive an email and a dedicated QR code to add the names of your guests. At any time you can log in to your account to assign or re-allocate tickets.

Will I receive my tickets in the mail?

No, we do not issue physical event tickets. Your name and the names of your guests are listed on our registration form. You simply check-in upon arrival and give them your name(s). If you need to register guests for your table, visit ovationgala.org for more details.

If one of my guests is unable to attend, can I invite someone else at the last minute?

Yes, you can invite someone other than your original guest. You will need to go to theovationgala.org to update your guest details, email us the changes, and/or simply visit us at registration early for a better experience for your guests. At registration, tell our registration team the name of the person who is unable to attend, and provide them with the name of your new guest. Your new guest will be issued both a table and bidder number to use throughout the evening.

Can I wait to register my Credit Card to use on the evening of the event?

Yes, please log in to ovationgala.org and enter your CC details on the evening of the event. If you choose not to register your CC in advance, you will be asked to register it at check-in. If you have any issues with registration, please bring your credit card to register the night of the event.

Which Credit Cards do you accept?

We accept all major credit cards including Visa, Master Card, American Express, and Discover

How many seats are at each table?

Each table holds up to ten (10) seats.

What time does the event begin?

Check-in and champagne reception begin at 6:00 p.m. The doors for the event open at 6:45 pm and the event begins at 7:00 pm

What is the dress code for the evening?

With our futuristic theme for 2022, attendees are invited to express themselves with costume or fashion elements that reflect *your* vision for the future. Ask yourself “What will my future look like?” and decide how that might be expressed. Opportunities are rich for interesting and entertaining expressions of an optimistic future, so have fun with it!

If futuristic fashion isn’t your preference, attendees are also invited to dress in formal attire! Most ladies wear either a cocktail dress or evening gown and men wear a suit or a tux.

