



2011 QUIN CONFERENCE



January 21 & 22, 2011

The 2011 Quin Conference will be held at the Red Lion Hotel located at 4040 Quebec St, Denver CO. Room rates are \$89.00 (prices are subject to change) ask for the Quin Conference rate when making your hotel reservations by calling 303-321-6666 or 800-RED-LION (800-733-5466), rooms have wireless internet. Hotel restaurant seats 120 people. Banquet will be \$40.00 per person; choices are Pork Loin or Santa Fe Chicken. Shuttles are available from Denver International Airport to the hotel. Registration and Banquet forms will be available on the Rocky Mountain Division Website listed below.

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Top Reason to Visit Denver

1. **Great Museums:** The Denver Art Museum sports a new wing designed by Daniel Libeskind, which hold the Modern/Contemporary, African, Oceanic and Western American art collections. The original building is home to one of the finest collection of American Indian art anywhere. The **Denver Museum of Nature and Science** offers a spectacular view of City Park and the Mountains.
2. **The Rocky Mountains:** The Mountains make a dramatic, majestic backdrop, and offer awe-inspiring views from every street corner.
3. **Fantastic weather:** Summer weather is warm and dry and the skies are blue. Summer humidity is usually around 20 percent. Winter weather tends to be mild; snow falls beautifully and usually does not last long.
4. **Walkable Streets:** many outdoor shopping malls are accessible by foot.
5. **Denver Public Library:** The award winning central branch of the public library, which was designed by Michael Graves. Highlights include the Western History Collection and the Genealogy Collection, both on the 5th Floor.
6. **The Tattered Cover Book Store:** Denverites are very proud of our local independent book store, which has a national reputation. The LoDo (Lower Downtown) location is on the west end of the 16th Street Mall. The Tattered Cover Book stores offer free book signings and lectures at one of its three locations every day.
7. **Brewpubs:** More than 80 different beers are brewed in Denver every day.
8. **Atmosphere:** Denver is a casual, friendly, relaxed city. It is pedestrian-friendly, safe and clean too!! Did we mention friendly??
9. **Coors Field:** Home of the Colorado Rockies Baseball team. Tours are available of the facilities.
10. **Invesco Field at Mile High:** Home of the Denver Broncos.
11. **Pepsi Center:** Home of the Denver Nuggets and the Colorado Avalanche
12. **The Denver Mint:** Only two (2) mints are open for tours – don't miss your chance!
13. **U.S. Marine Corps Memorial:** this is the only memorial on this side of the Mississippi that is dedication to U.S. Marines, living and dead. Other Memorial is the Iwo Jima Memorial in Virginia. The U.S. Marine Corps Memorial is located at intersecting highways 6 and 40 in Golden Colorado.

14. **National Western Stock Show:** a great venue for those who have never been to one.

Other Great Reasons to Visit:

Western History:

The Colorado History Museum is downtown across the street from the Denver Public Library. History Buffs will also want to take a tour of the **Molly Brown House**, which was the home of the Unsinkable Molly Brown and has been restored to its Victorian splendor! And don't miss the themed tours of the historic **Brown Palace Hotel!**

Outdoor Recreation:

Confluence Park: is located on the western edge of downtown. Visitors can bike, walk or rollerblade along the 11 mile Platte River Trail, which leads to the Cherry Creek Bike Path. Together, these trails make largest system of walking paths in the nation. At Confluence Park, visitors can watch or try rafting or kayaking the Platte River. Visitors who have cars can explore the Denver Mountain parks, which include: Echo Lake, Summit Lake, Red Rocks Park (home of the world famous Red Rocks Amphitheater), Lookout Mountain Park (site of Buffalo Bill's Grave) and Genesee Park's bison herd. Skiing at one of many Ski resorts though out Colorado.

Entertainment:

The Denver Zoo is the fourth most popular zoo in the Nation, this is where the world known Polar Bears, Klondik and Snow, were born at. The **Denver Botanic Gardens** is recognized as one of the top five botanical gardens in the U.S. The **Downtown Aquarium** includes more than 1 million gallons of underwater tanks. The **Denver Center for the Performing Arts** offers world-class theatre, opera, symphony and ballet performances.

The Mountains: within an hour, visitors can be in the middle of the Rocky Mountains, enjoying Central City, Blackhawk, Golden Gate State Park, Rocky Mountain National Park, and more! Beautiful Boulder (Home of the Colorado Buffs) in only 35 minutes away via public transportation. The **Coors Brewery** offers free tours (with free samples for adult guests), and is the world's largest single brewing site. Colorado Springs and Cheyenne, Wyoming, are only an hour or two away and full of more western fun.

The BEST Reason to Visit Denver –

***The 2011 Quin Conference
Come Join all the Fun!!!***