



**ANNUAL NATIONAL AMERICAN GLASS CLUB SEMINAR  
MAY 8–11, 2019  
PITTSBURGH, PA**

Dear Glass Enthusiasts,

Our 35th Annual Glass Seminar takes us to Pittsburgh, western Pennsylvania, and the Ohio River Valley with its abundant glass sites and long history of glassmaking. In order to take advantage of the many glass-rich opportunities, we have added an additional, optional day trip. Realizing that some of you may have recently visited some of the sites but not others, you can choose which of the day trips to include in the usual 3-day seminar (any 2 day trips plus Saturday) or opt to attend all 4 days offered.

Because of the variety of options available, please carefully read over the enclosed sheets with information on the following:

**Hotel Accommodations:** The DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Pittsburgh–Green Tree will be our home base for the Seminar. The 3 days of bus trips will leave/return here and all of Saturday's activities will take place at the hotel. Please make your reservations separately by **Wednesday, April 24**. We suggest that you plan your arrival at the hotel sometime the day before you begin the Seminar since each day starts fairly early in the morning.

**Seminar Information:** See the details for each of our day trips and for the presentations and banquet on Saturday.

**Registration Form:** You have the option of registering for either the full 4-day seminar or 3 days of the seminar—Saturday and your choice of any 2 day trips from the Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday offerings. Please fill out the form and return the entire sheet with your check no later than **Wednesday, April 24**.

**Registration Form Back Page:** Be sure to fill out your meal choices for each day that you will be attending on the back of the registration form.

**NAGC Election Ballot:** Please vote in the NAGC 2019 election and return the ballot sheet either separately or with your Seminar Registration so it can be counted before the Annual Meeting.

All of the museums and places we'll see along with our presenters are looking forward to our visit in May. With so many opportunities to see and learn about the area's extensive glassmaking, we believe that you will find each day very worthwhile. Please come immerse yourself in this region, so important to the glass history of our nation.

Sincerely,

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## **HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS**

***Make your reservations directly with the Hotel***

*DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Pittsburgh–Green Tree*

500 Mansfield Avenue    412-922-8400    Room Rate  
Pittsburgh, PA 15205    800-222-8733    \$125 (plus tax)

- Please make your reservations by **Wednesday, April 24** to receive the \$125 room rate
- This rate will be honored (with availability) 3 days before and after the Seminar dates of May 8–11
- Complimentary full or buffet breakfast for 2 per room, per night
- Free hotel shuttle service to/from the airport and local area and mall within 3 miles
- Free parking
- Complimentary in-room Wi-Fi and mini refrigerator
- Full-service restaurant, bar, and Bistro-Marketplace
- 50%-off coupon for food/beverage to use in Bistro-Marketplace (1 per attendee, one-time use)
- When making your reservations, say that you are with the National American Glass Club

### ***IMPORTANT DATES***

- Make your hotel reservations by **Wednesday, April 24**
- For early registration, return the Seminar Registration Form by **Monday, April 1**
- Seminar Registration closes on **Wednesday, April 24**
- Return the 2019 Ballot by mail by **Wednesday, May 1** or with your Seminar Registration

*All Seminar Information and Forms are available on the NAGC Website*