

TRADITION & INNOVATION IN BASKETRY 10



Western Kentucky University
Bowling Green, Kentucky
July 16-20, 2019

Join us on the beautiful campus of Western Kentucky University for our 10th biennial conference, Tradition & Innovation in Basketball 10. The heart of our conference is the workshops and the community that happens while we're together. We are pleased to present a diverse mix of instructors and materials for you to choose from.

Highlights at the 2019 conference include:

- Skilled instructors known for their expertise in their field. A rare opportunity to study with many of them.
- 4 full days of workshops (23 hours). More class time than prior conferences!
- Six Exhibitions:
 - ❖ *Basketry Now: 10th Anniversary Exhibition* a Juried Exhibition
 - ❖ *More Basketry: Celebrating Our Community* a Non-juried Exhibition of attendees work
 - ❖ *Instructors & Recipients of the 2019 Lifetime Achievement Awards* Exhibition
 - ❖ *Handmade Heritage: Kentucky's White Oak Tradition* Exhibition
 - ❖ *Interconnected* – An Exhibition at the Downing Museum
 - ❖ *A Week's Work* – a Closing Exhibition of students' work during the conference
- An opportunity to experience a Patrick Dougherty Installation on the Western Kentucky University Campus.
- 4 lunches and 4 dinners including 3 banquet meals
- "Know Your Instructor" Presentation and Conversation
- Live and Silent Auctions
- NBO Biennial Meeting with Board of Directors
- Open Forum Discussion with the Guild Advisory Committee
- Basketry Supply Vendors
- Open Weave Get-Togethers

Our conference will begin on Tuesday with check-in from 1:00–5:00 p.m. where attendees may also drop off their entry for *More Basketry: Celebrating Our Community*. During the afternoon NBO's *Basketry Now* exhibition will be open to view in the Kentucky Museum. An Open Weave Room will offer an opportunity to weave together, catch up with friends and meet new people during the arrival day. Tuesday evening is our first banquet dinner followed by an opportunity to meet the conference instructors during the "Know Your Instructor" presentation.

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This week is filled with many opportunities to gather and connect with others in the basketry world. Special evening events include the opening receptions for *More Basketry: Celebrating Our Community* and *Basketry Now* exhibits. Our gala dinner evening will be followed by a live auction. Friday night is Bowling Green's Gallery Hop, a chance to explore the cities galleries and many delicious restaurants. The week will finish with a buffet dinner and time to experience *A Week's Work*, an exhibition of basketry created during the conference workshops. A more detailed schedule will soon be available on our website.

REGISTRATION

Registration for the Conference is \$65, tuition is \$795.00. A payment of \$315/\$365 is due at registration. This includes a \$65 nonrefundable processing fee and a \$250 conference tuition deposit. (Non-members pay an additional \$50.) The balance is due no later than January 16, 2019. Registrations after January 16 require full payment at the time of registration.

WHERE TO STAY

NBO recommends The Hyatt Place, Bowling Green, on the campus of Western Kentucky University. For reservations call 270-467-0001 or go online to [Hyatt Bowling Green](#) and use Corporate Code/Group Code G-NBBB. Book early to get the NBO special rate. (See diagram below for additional helpful details.)

People wishing to find a roommate can check the "roommate" box on the registration form to be included on a list of others also looking to share a room.

Other Options in the local area:

[VRBO](#) - Vacation Rentals by Owner

[Air B&B](#)

[Visit Kentucky](#) lists many additional hotels in Bowling Green

TRANSPORTATION

Nashville Airport is only a little over an hour from Bowling Green, and there are two shuttle services into Bowling Green available. Nashville is a Southwest Airlines hub, offering many flight options.

Bowling Green Shuttle Service: 270-781-4321 email: reservations@bgshuttle.com

The Taxi Guy: 270-681-7729 email: thetaxiguybg@gmail.com

SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships are available for both members and non-members. Complete scholarship information can be downloaded here: <http://nationalbasketry.org/grants-scholarships-awards>. Scholarship applications will be accepted September 1 through October 5, 2018. Notification will be in late October 2018.

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The conference is open to both members and non-members. Registration begins September 17, 2018 for members and October 15, 2018 for non-members. The registration form can be found at www.nationalbasketry.org.

Registrants will be placed in their first or second choice of classes, according to availability and based on the postmark or online date of application. All registrants have the option of being wait-listed for possible openings if their class choices are full at the time of registration. The balance of all fees is due after class assignment, but no later than January 16, 2019. These fees are non-refundable after January 16, 2019, unless class is cancelled.

KEY REGISTRATION DATES

- September 1, 2018 Scholarship applications accepted starting this date
- September 17, 2018 Registration opens for members
- October 5, 2018 Scholarship applications due or postmarked by this date
- October 15, 2018 Registration opens to non-members
- January 16, 2019 Full payment for the conference due
- January 16, 2019 No refunds for cancellations after this date
- April 1, 2019 Registration closes

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

For additional information, please visit our website, www.nationalbasketry.org or contact NBO Registrar at 617-863-0366 or registrar@nationalbasketry.org.

***Please note: Workshop photos are of the instructor's individual work and represent techniques taught, and not necessarily what will be woven in class.**

Additional Booking Help:

1 Sun, Jul 14 Sun, Jul 21 CHECK RATES

1 Room, 1 Guest

Special Rates (AAA, Govt, ...) X

- None
- Government
- AAA / CAA Member
- Senior
- Special Offer Code
- Corporate or Group Code **3**

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NOTE Go to <https://bowlinggreen.place.hyatt.com/>

1. Choose dates July 14 -21, 2019
2. Click Special rates drop down
3. Enter in Corporate Code/Group Code G-NBBB
4. Click "Check Availability" (visible after code is entered)

From there, you can choose your room type and book a reservation.
Hyatt Bowling Green: 270-467-0001

Situated on Western Kentucky University Campus, the Hyatt Place Bowling Green @ WKU is an inviting, casually chic hotel ideally designed to support Western Kentucky University and Downtown Bowling Green. Adjacent to the WKU Alumni Center and easy access to Downtown Bowling Green, SKyPAC,