



NAATBatt 2020 SPOUSES & COMPANION PROGRAM OVERVIEW



The Langham Huntington, Pasadena Hotel

The NAATBatt Spouses & Companion Program is an important part of the NAATBatt 2020 Annual Meeting & Conference. One of NAATBatt International's key missions is to build a community of professionals working in the business of electrochemical energy storage technology. Spouses and companions of those professionals are an important part of that community and play a critical role in building it.

We've designed the Spouses & Companion Program to provide an opportunity for spouses and companions to participate in the social events surrounding the NAATBatt 2020 Annual Meeting & Conference, to take advantage of amenities that The Langham Huntington, Pasadena Hotel offers. Those NAATBatt spouses and companions who are interested can sign up for and participate in individual small group tours with other NAATBatt spouses and companions of places of interest in the Pasadena area.

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Basic Registration. Spouses and companions who register for the basic NAATBatt 2020 Spouses and Companion Program (\$300 cost) are welcome to attend all Conference meals (the continental breakfasts and lunches on Wednesday and Thursday, and the networking receptions and dinners on Tuesday and Wednesday).

While lodging at The Langham Huntington, Pasadena Hotel NAATBatt 2020 conference attendees, their spouses, companions and children can use the Hotel's many amenities. They can play tennis (reserve courts through the Spa), swim in the outdoor saline heated pool, rent bicycles through the Hotel's Concierge, participate in the Langham Huntington Kids' Program, enjoy the historic 104 year-old Hotel's prized gardens, use the fitness center, and request free shuttle transportation services from the Hotel for distances up to 3 miles away. The Hotel's Carriage House is home to the fitness center and The Chuan Spa.



The Chuan Spa at The Langham Huntington, Pasadena Hotel

The Chuan Spa offers signature treatments inspired by Traditional Chinese Medicine and cutting edge skin care technology. <http://www.chuanspa.com/en/Pasadena/> To book your treatments at the Spa, call 626-585-6414 as soon as possible or book on-line at tlax.info@chuanspa.com. The Chuan Spa is offering all NAATBatt 2020 Conference registrants and their spouses/companions a 25% discount for a treatment performed Monday through Wednesday, February 10-13, so when booking be sure to mention "NAATBatt 2020" to obtain the discount.

In addition to the NAATBatt 2020 Golf Tournament, which NAABatt spouses and companions are welcome to play in, Ellen Greenberger, NAATBatt's Event Coordinator and wife of Jim Greenberger, NAATBatt International's Executive Director, has organized some other optional activities for NAATBatt spouses and companions. Some of those activities require advance registration and payment of fees in addition to the Spouses Program \$300 basic registration fee.

Please let Ellen know AS SOON AS POSSIBLE if you are interested in an optional activity so that NAATBatt can purchase for you any required advance purchase ticket. You can reimburse NAATBatt at the NAATBatt 2020 conference. Feel free to contact Ellen directly egreenberger@prodigy.net or cell: 847-722-2157 with any questions or comments.

Please e-mail Ellen at egreenberger@prodigy.net your selection of optional activities by Friday, February 7. To register for the basic portion of the NAATBatt Spouses Program covering meals and receptions at the NAATBatt 2020 Conference, go to the NAATBatt 2020 Registration Page at: <https://naatbatt.org/conference-registration-2020/>.

A detailed itinerary for the NAATBatt 2020 Spouses & Companion Program is set out below.

NAATBatt 2020 SPOUSES & COMPANION PROGRAM ITINERARY

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10:

NAATBatt Golf Tournament and Tournament Awards Dinner:
Register on Conference Website: Additional Fees Required



Golf at LaCanada Flintridge Country Club

On Monday February 10, the day before NAATBatt 2020 officially kicks off, NAATBatt spouses and companions are welcome to join all other NAATBatt 2020 conference attendees at the NAATBatt Golf Tournament and/or the Tournament Dinner. The Golf Tournament will start at 1 pm at LaCanada Flintridge Country Club, located 10 miles north of the Hotel. Transportation to the course from the Hotel will be provided. Golf clubs will be available for rent. Players of all levels are welcome.

On Monday night the NAATBatt 2020 Golf Tournament Dinner and Awards Ceremony begins at 7 pm. The dinner is a great and much anticipated social event. Accomplishments and lack of accomplishment, during the Golf Tournament will be equally celebrated. Don't miss this fun event. The cost of the dinner is included in the cost of the Golf Tournament (\$340) or you can register for the Tournament Dinner alone (\$195). Register on-line at the NAATBatt 2020 Registration Page: <https://naatbatt.org/conference-registration-2020/>.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10 Continued:



“Meet & Greet” NAATBatt Spouses Group Lunch, Afternoon Historic Hotel Tour and Oak Knoll Neighborhood Tour

For those NAATBatt spouses and companions who are already on site at The Langham Huntington, Pasadena Hotel property at 12 noon on Monday, February 10, please join NAATBatt International’s Event Chair Ellen Greenberger for a complimentary NAATBatt Spouses Group “Meet & Greet Lunch at the Hotel’s Terrace Restaurant. Ask to be seated at the “NAATBatt Spouses Table”.

At 2 pm, interested NAATBatt spouses and companions can participate in the Hotel’s daily guided Historic Property Hotel Tour. For a self-guided tour, download copies of the Hotel’s Historical Property Tour map [here](#) along with the Hotel’s [Historic Timeline](#). Spouses and companions interested in taking the 2 pm tour together can meet up in the Hotel’s Lobby at 1:50 pm.

At 3 pm, those who are interested can take together a self-guided walking tour of the “Oak Knoll” neighborhood surrounding the Hotel, which is home to some other historic properties designed by noted architects. Meet in the Hotel Lobby at 3 pm.

Please let Ellen Greenberger know ASAP by e-mail: egreenberger@prodigy.net if you are interested in any of the optional Monday afternoon activities: the 12 noon complimentary NAATBatt Spouses Group “Meet & Greet Lunch, The Langham Hotel’s 2 pm Historic Hotel Property Tour, or the 3 pm “Oak Knoll” neighborhood self-guided walking tour.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11:

Docent-Led Tour of Greene & Greene designed Gamble House: \$15 adult/\$12.50 senior Fee



Greene & Greene designed Gamble House

If tickets are still available, NAATBatt will purchase tickets for interested spouses/companions to take the one-hour docent-guided tour at 10:30 am of the internationally famous Gamble House in Pasadena, a bungalow “Arts and Crafts” style of American architecture listed on the National Register of Historic Places. <https://gamblehouse.org/> The only way to view the interior of the Gamble House is on a docent-led tour. Tours are limited to groups of 10 persons and tickets to tours sell out quickly. Ticket prices are \$15 for adults and \$12.50 for seniors. If you are interested in the tour of The Gamble House, please e-mail Ellen Greenberger at egreenberger@prodigy.net ASAP and NAATBatt will purchase your ticket. You can reimburse NAATBatt at the conference.

Completed in 1908, with both the house and its furnishings designed by MIT-trained American architect brothers originally from Cincinnati, Charles & Henry Greene, specifically for husband and wife David and Mary Gamble from Cincinnati, of the Procter & Gamble Company. The architects worked closely with the Gambles in the design of the house, incorporating specific design elements to complement art pieces belonging to the family. The house remained in the Gamble Family until 1966 when it was deeded to the City of Pasadena in a joint agreement with the University of Southern California School of Architecture. It is the only Greene & Greene designed home that is open today to the public as a living museum.

On the tour, we will see the Gambles’ original furnishings, observe how the Greenes’ design incorporates the Gambles’ art objects, and witness the master craftsmanship of builders Peter and John Hall. We will learn about the upbringing of the brothers Charles and Henry Greene and how that influenced their design aesthetic, about the house’s construction, restoration and conservation.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11 Continued:

Optional Self-Guided Walking Tour of the Arroyo Terrace Historic District BEFORE the Docent-Guided Tour of The Gamble House



Myron Hunt Residence



Charles Greene Residence

For those NAATBatt spouses/companions who are interested in seeing the exteriors of more Greene & Greene designed homes, and those of their architect contemporaries that are located in the same Arroyo Terrace Historic Register District of Pasadena where The Gamble House is located, there is a self-guided one-hour walking tour of that district that the NAATBatt spouses/companions can take together. The walk features 9 Greene & Greene houses as well as works of other noted architects including Myron Hunt (the architect who designed the Rose Bowl and the Huntington Mansion, which today is used as the Huntington Art Gallery), Edwin Bergstrom, Elmer Grey, and D. M. Renton. The personal residences of Myron Hunt and Charles Greene are included.

Spouses/Companions interested in taking this earlier self-guided walking tour of homes in the Arroyo Terrace Historic District will depart from The Langham Hotel 90 minutes before others leaving the Hotel for the Docent-Guided Tour of The Gamble House. There is no additional cost for the walking tour.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11 Continued:



La Grande Orange in Pasadena



Pasadena's Historic Colorado Street Bridge

On Tuesday afternoon, the NAATBatt 2020 Spouses Group will meet for lunch at 12 noon in the Old Pasadena section of town at La Grande Orange located at 260 S. Raymond Avenue in Pasadena, ph: 626-356-4444. www.lgostationcafe.com. There we will lunch together “Dutch,” with each person paying for his or her own meal.

After Lunch, each spouse/companion can explore on foot the 22-block “Old Pasadena” National Register Historic District, which is one of the country’s best examples of downtown revitalization. The district’s cobblestone courtyards, quaint alleyways and ornate architecture date back to the 1880s and today is home to over 300 businesses, including restaurants, unique one-of-a kind shops, art galleries, historic landmarks, and other attractions. The district also includes the iconic Beaux Arts style Colorado Street Bridge constructed in 1912 crossing over the Arroyo Secco. The bridge was the tallest concrete bridge of the time it was built and the first curvilinear bridge every designed. It has been featured in many films; including the 2016 Oscar nominated film “LA LA Land”. The bridge is also listed on the National Register of Historic Places. “Arroyo Secco” means “dry stream” in Spanish and refers to the 25-mile long seasonal river canyon watershed and cultural area in Los Angeles County. The watershed begins in the Angeles National Forest near Mount Wilson in the San Gabriel Mountains, passes through Pasadena, flows further south into northeast LA and ends at the confluence with the Los Angeles River near downtown LA.

The Spouses Group will return to The Langham Huntington, Pasadena Hotel by no later than 5 pm. NAATBatt Spouses/Companions who have registered for the Spouses Program are welcome to attend the NAATBatt 2020 Conference Opening Reception at 6:35 pm, followed by the NAATBatt 2020 Opening Dinner at 7:15 pm.

To sign up for Tuesday’s NAATBatt 2020 Spouses Group Activities: the optional Self-Guided Walking Tour of the Arroyo Terrace Historic District, the Docent-Guided Tour of The Gamble House (requires advance purchase ticket \$15 adult/\$12.50 senior), Lunch at La Grande Orange (self-pay), and/or Self-Guided Walking Tour of Old Pasadena (no additional cost), please e-mail ASAP Ellen Greenberger at egreenberger@prodigy.net.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12:

A Day at The Huntington Library, Art Museum & Botanical Gardens: \$45 Estate Tour Fee



The Huntington Art Gallery (formerly the Huntingtons' mansion) designed by Myron Hunt

On Wednesday, NAATBatt spouses/companions can spend the day exploring the grounds and literature and art collections at The Huntington in nearby San Marino. The Huntington was founded in 1919 by Henry E. Huntington, an exceptional businessman who built a financial empire of railroads, real estate, and utilities. Huntington was also a man of vision—with a special interest in books, art, and gardens. During his lifetime, he amassed the core of one of the finest research libraries in the world, together with his wife Annabelle established a splendid art collection, and created at their 120-acre ranch in San Marino an array of botanical gardens with plants from a geographic range spanning the globe. These three distinct facets of The Huntington Estate are linked by a devotion to research, education, and beauty.

Those NAATBatt spouses and companions interested in touring The Huntington will meet in the Hotel Lobby at 9:30 am and ride together over to The Huntington in order to arrive before our group's 90-minute docent-led Estate Tour that will begin at 10 am. On the tour we will walk through more than a dozen themed gardens, including the Rose Garden, Shakespeare Garden, Camellia paths, Herb Garden, North Vista with garden sculptures, Japanese Garden, Chinese Garden, and the Desert Garden. From the docent we will learn about the many buildings on The Huntington grounds, including The Huntington Art Gallery, with European art from the 15th to the early 20th century, the Virginia Steele Scott Galleries of American Art, the Library's exhibition halls, and more. The docent-guided Estate Tour is offered only at 10 am, and tickets are limited. The Estate Tour ticket cost is \$45 per person and includes general admission to The Huntington. General Admission Ticket Prices to The Huntington are \$25 for adults and \$18 for seniors. **Please let Ellen know ASAP if you are interested in taking the Docent-Guided Estate Tour of The Huntington by e-mailing Ellen at egreenberger@prodigy.net.**

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12 Continued:



“Pinkie” by Thomas Lawrence



In the Rose Garden at The Huntington

We will lunch together “Dutch,” with each person paying for his or her own meal at the “1919 Café” (named after the year of the Huntington’s founding), serving a variety of cuisines including modern Mexican, overlooking the gardens and the Huntington Art Gallery (formerly the Huntingtons’ mansion). After Lunch, each spouse/companion can explore The Huntington’s various collections at their own pace.

The Spouses Group will depart from The Huntington at 4 pm to return to The Langham Hotel, allowing time to freshen up before the NAATBatt 2020 networking reception at 6:45 pm, followed by the NAATBatt International 2020 Annual Dinner at 7:30 pm for those spouses/companions registered for the Spouses Program.

To sign up for the Day at the Huntington, please e-mail ASAP Ellen Greenberger at egreenberger@prodigy.net. NAATBatt will purchase for you a \$45 ticket for the Docent-Guided Estate Tour of the Huntington, and you can reimburse NAATBatt at the Conference.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13:

Early Lunch in Old Town Pasadena & Visit to Norton Simon Art Museum: General Admission \$15 adults/\$12 seniors, \$3 audio tour



The Norton Simon Museum



“Mulberry Tree” by Vincent Van Gogh

On Thursday, NAATBatt spouses and companions interested in an early lunch (self-pay) in Old Town Pasadena will meet in the Hotel Lobby at 10:45 am to ride together to “Mi Piacce Italian Kitchen” (which means “My Place” in Italian”) for an 11 am reservation: www.mipiace.com. Mi Piacce has been in business for over 25 years and is known for its hand-made pastas and pizzas and in-house bakery.

Following Lunch, those interested in touring the Norton Simon Art Museum and Sculpture Gardens will continue on from the restaurant to the museum. Spouses/companions who do not join the lunch group can meet up with the other spouses/companions at the museum. The museum opens at 12 noon. The Spouses Group will return to the Hotel by 3:30 pm before the NAATBatt Conference concludes at 4 pm. However, if a spouse/companion wishes to return to the Hotel earlier, it is a short 3-mile car ride back to the Langham Huntington, Pasadena Hotel, and the Hotel’s shuttle may be available to pick you up.

The Norton Simon Museum is known world over as one of the most remarkable private art collections ever assembled. Over 30-year period industrialist Norton Simon (1907–1993) amassed an astonishing collection of European art from the Renaissance to the 20th century and a stellar collection of South and Southeast Asian art spanning 2,000 years. In 1974, Mr. Simon’s personal art collection merged with the significant modern and contemporary art and sculpture collections of the predecessor Pasadena Art Museum to form The Norton Simon Museum.

At any given time, only 800 to 900 works of the nearly 12,000 works in the permanent collection will be on display. The museum maintains a no-loans policy (with the exception of the National Gallery in Washington, DC), so this is your chance to view the Museum’s amazing collection of paintings, tapestries, sculptures and wood block prints, among other objects, and stroll through the museum’s extensive sculpture gardens.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13 Continued:

The museum building itself is also worth seeing. Designed by Pasadena architects Thorton Ladd and John Kelsey, and constructed by the Del. E. Webb Corporation in 1969, the museum building has a distinctive and modern curvilinear exterior façade faced in 115,00 glazed tiles in varying rich brown tones with an undulating surface made by renowned ceramic artisan Edith Heath. Famed architect Frank Gehry, a longtime trustee of the museum, redesigned the building's galleries in 1995.

General Admission to the Norton Simon Museum is \$15 for adults, \$12 for seniors, \$3 audio tour. The cost to arrange for a private docent guided tour for our group would be a minimum of \$250 (if under 10 persons) and would include the cost of general admission for persons on the tour. If several NAATBatt spouses/companions express interest in this option, Ellen will follow-up with the museum to see if a docent-led tour can be arranged.

Please let Ellen know ASAP by email to egreenberger@prodigy.net if you are interested in going for an early lunch to Mi Piacce (self-pay), and/or visiting the Norton Simon Museum, and for the museum would you prefer a general admission ticket or are you interested in a group docent-led tour (which will be more expensive), assuming it can be arranged.