### 40th Annual Pacific Rim International Conference on Disability and Diversity

Call for Exhibitors





We are excited to announce the **Call for Exhibitors** for the 40th annual <u>Pacific Rim</u> <u>International Conference on Disability and Diversity</u> (Pac Rim), hosted by the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa's <u>Center on Disability Studies</u> (CDS). The Pac Rim Conference is the premier global event dedicated to improving the lives of people with disabilities. It will take place in Honolulu, Hawai'i at the <u>Hawai'i Convention Center</u> on **Tuesday, April 15, 2025 and Wednesday, April 16, 2025** with an expected audience of 600–750 participants.

This event unites a diverse community of professionals, advocates, researchers, and individuals with disabilities to foster dialogue, share knowledge, and promote inclusivity. We invite you to join us as an **exhibitor** to showcase your products, services, and initiatives that contribute to empowering individuals with disabilities and promoting diversity.

The Pac Rim 2025 theme, **By Us and For Us: Legacy and Future of our Movement**, invites attendees to honor the past and contemplate the future of our global movement. It invites us to celebrate our achievements, share our struggles, and develop strategies for the work that lies ahead.

For more information about the conference and CDS, please visit our website at <u>pacrim.coe.hawaii.edu</u>.

Sincerely,

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# Pac Rim 2025 Exhibitor Information

# **Event Details**

- **Conference Title:** Pacific Rim International Conference on Disability and Diversity
- Date: Tuesday, April 15, 2025 and Wednesday, April 16, 2025
- Venue: Hawai'i Convention Center (1801 Kalākaua Ave, Honolulu, HI 96815)
- Theme: By Us and For Us: Legacy and Future of our Movement

### Why Exhibit at Pac Rim 2025:

- **Expand your Reach:** Connect with a diverse audience of professionals, stakeholders, and individuals passionate about disability and diversity issues.
- **Showcase Innovations:** Present your latest products, services, and initiatives that promote accessibility, inclusivity, and equity.
- **Network Opportunities:** Engage in meaningful conversations, build connections, and explore potential collaborations with like-minded individuals and organizations.
- **Visibility:** Gain exposure and increase brand awareness among conference participants, including disability advocates, researchers, policymakers, and industry experts.
- **Support a Worthy Cause:** Contribute to the advancement of disability rights, social inclusion, and diversity by being part of an event dedicated to these important issues.

# **Exhibitor Opportunities**

We offer a range of exhibitor opportunities tailored to meet your needs and showcase your organization's contributions to disability and diversity. Exhibitor benefits include:

- **Exhibition Space:** A designated area to showcase your products, services, and initiatives.
- **Brand Recognition:** Inclusion of your organization's logo and description in the conference programming and website.
- **Marketing Opportunities:** Promotion of your organization through social media channels, newsletters, and event materials.
- **Presentation Opportunities:** Depending on your exhibitor package, you may have the chance to deliver a presentation or demonstration to the conference audience.

### Who Should Exhibit:

- Companies and organizations offering assistive technologies and accessibility solutions.
- Service providers offering inclusive employment and vocational training programs.
- Non-profit organizations working in the field of disability rights, advocacy, and support services.
- Educational institutions promoting inclusive education and disability-related research.
- Government agencies and policymakers focusing on disability and diversity issues.
- Healthcare providers specializing in disability-related healthcare services.
- Social enterprises, startups and entrepreneurs working towards inclusive innovation.
- Publishers and media organizations dedicated to raising awareness about disability and diversity.
- Legal professionals specializing in disability rights and accessibility compliance.

# **Exhibitor Package Options**

As an Exhibitor at Pac Rim 2025, you will be allowed two On-Site Booth Representatives to represent your booth. Each booth is required to have at least one representative.

There are four exhibitor package options available: (1) Exhibitor - Basic, (2) Exhibitor and Attendee, (3) Exhibitor and Presenter, and (3) Exhibitor and Sponsor.

#### Exhibitor - Basic

The exhibitor - basic option includes an exhibitor booth for two people. This package does not include access to the conference meals and other conference events (e.g., presentations; poster reception).

Exhibitor Basic Fees	
Early Bird* (By December 1, 2024)	Regular Rate (After December 2, 2024)
\$450 Non-profit	\$600 Non-profit
\$600 For-profit	\$850 For-profit

\*To qualify for the early bird rate, return your application with payment by December 1, 2025 (11:59 PM, HST).

Each exhibit area includes a table that is approximately 6' x 30" with two chairs. A sign drape can be provided, but for accessibility, we will not put one on the table unless you bring one on your own. The height of all displays must not exceed 10'. The exhibitor shall adhere to decorum and good taste, as well as safety and structural integrity. No exhibitor shall erect any walls, partitions, paintings, decorations, or other types of obstructions, which would interfere with the view of any other exhibitor's booth, and will abide by all venue requirements.

#### **Exhibitor and Attendee**

In addition to the booth, this package includes access to the full conference. This includes materials, credentials, and access to all conference sessions. Conference registration includes lunch per conference day, poster reception entry, and access to all other main conference day events. Registration will be through the regular conference process. In addition to the exhibitor fees below, each individual interested in being an attendee, must register for the conference on the website:

https://pacrim.coe.hawaii.edu/registration-2025/.

#### **Exhibitor and Presenter**

In addition to the booth, this package is for accepted presenter(s). You will also have the same access as an attendee. This includes materials, credentials, and access to all conference events. Conference registration includes lunch per conference day, poster reception entry, and access to all other main conference day events. Registration will be through the regular conference process. In addition to the exhibitor fees below, each presenter must register as a presenter on the website: <a href="https://pacrim.coe.hawaii.edu/registration-2025/">https://pacrim.coe.hawaii.edu/registration-2025/</a>.

For more information about the call for proposals, view the website: <u>https://pacrim.coe.hawaii.edu</u>

## How to Apply:

Visit our website <u>https://pacrim.coe.hawaii.edu/cfe-2025</u> and complete the exhibitor application form. The application deadline is Wednesday, January 31, 2025.

### **Questions?**

If you have questions about exhibitorship or about the conference, please contact Pac Rim Info at <u>prinfo@hawaii.edu</u> with a subject line, "Exhibitors".