2019 Conference Overview

The Sister Cities International (SCI) Conference, held in Houston this year July 17-19, will be SCI’s most international, most action-oriented, and most networking-focused conference ever. Topics include:

- All day Wednesday Africa Symposium and US-China Mayors’ Summit
- Active participation from mayors from around the world with special sessions on Africa, China, Mexico, Japan and Germany
- Cities highlighting strong NxtGen and Woman Entrepreneurship
- Emerging Issues such as Innovation Through Adversity, Resilience and Disinformation
- Partnership models with global organizations like Rotary International, CLAIR, National League of Cities, UNICEF
- Fast-track and How-to sessions on Business of Sports, Arts and Culture, Unique Port Cities


**Sister Cities International will:**

1. **Recharge our network and partners with exciting, successful programs**
2. **Outline networking paths that ROCK our 700+ attendees**
3. **Cultivate Global Citizenship among NxtGen and Young Professionals**
4. **Kick off the strategies that start business opportunities**

This conference is committed to using minority/woman-owned businesses as vendors

For more information, visit our conference page at [https://sistercities.org/annual-conference-2019](https://sistercities.org/annual-conference-2019).

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