

**2010 FOWA Conference**  
**Tallahassee, August 18-22**  
**Hosted by VisitTallahassee at The Hotel Duval**  
**415 North Monroe Street**  
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**CONFERENCE AND HOTEL INFORMATION**

FOWA's 2010 Conference will be held in Tallahassee from August 18-22. Not only will you experience many activities in the Tallahassee area, including fishing, kayaking, and shooting on the 20th, you'll be enlightened by a lineup of great programs on the 19th. Expect to take home stories from our Newsmaker Events as well as some useful information from our Craft Improvement Seminars. Other events include the annual Al Hubbard Corporate and Tourism Showcase (formerly the 'breakout'), the FOWA Awards Banquet, as well as the opportunity to help our Scholarship Program with purchases at our famous auction event. Our gracious host, VisitTallahassee, has also lined up an unprecedented number of pre- and post-Conference press opportunities for outdoor communicators. You'll be receiving a special mailing from them with a list of those opportunities soon.

The Hotel Duval, our host hotel, is offering a special rate to FOWA Conference attendees. The \$105 per night room rate will also apply to days on either 'side' of the conference dates, should you wish to extend your stay to take advantage of other local opportunities offered by our host. This promotional room rate does not include taxes, but does include valet parking and free high-speed Internet access. **You are responsible for making your own hotel reservations.** To do so, call **(850) 224-6000** and use the group name, 'Florida Outdoor Writers Association Annual Conference'. Please note that the hotel may not be able to guarantee the special rate after **August 1**, so make your reservations promptly. You'll be impressed with The Hotel Duval-it's a spectacular remake of a Tallahassee landmark.

**SPECIAL NEEDS**

We realize that some of you may have dietary or special access needs. Some of our meals will be buffet-style and others will offer a choice of entrees. However, please address any specific needs to the Executive Director.