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# Sand to Sash: Kansas City 2024



SGAA 113th Annual Conference:  
October 2nd–October 6th

Every year, our community comes together for all things stained glass. For more than 100 years, The Stained Glass Association of America's annual conference has served a vital role in the industry, bringing together artists and studios from across the country to exchange ideas and perspectives. Each year's national conference provides an educational and creative hub for glass artists, historians, manufacturers, and architects.

Please plan on joining your friends and colleagues both familiar and new for an inspirational and thought-provoking conference that will bring every facet of our industry together in celebration.

Wondering what to expect at an SGAA Conference? Each in-person event is carefully planned to bring you new experiences to learn about stained glass whether you're an artisan, part of a large studio, a retailer, or a distributor; whether you're brand new to the craft or the most experienced artisan. Conferences are the best places to find a mentor, connect with peers from across the country, and network with manufacturers and makers in the trade. Conference workshops are a major opportunity to expand your skill set with different instructors who often teach nowhere else.

The Stained Glass Association of America and the Society of American Mosaic Artists are thrilled to announce two separate in-person gatherings this year, each in a different city and over two separate weekends. While distinct, these events are united in celebrating our ongoing partnership and contribute to our traveling exhibition programs. Here's to continued success and collaboration!

Tyler Kimball



Kathy Barnard







Andrea Denning

Get ready, folks! The SGAA is heading to Kansas City this year, hosted by Monarch Studio and Tyler Kimball, with co-hosts Andrea Denning of Denning Stained Glass and Kathy Barnard of Kathy Barnard Studio. At our 2024 Conference, we will set up a Sponsor Resource Center and Demonstration Hall where our manufacturers, suppliers, retailers, and specialty artist service providers can come together to connect, network, and inspire the anticipated 150 professional conference attendees.

Our theme? "Sand to Sash!" Join us as we explore glass from concept to sheet to final installation and beyond, with numerous exciting opportunities to engage with the material in new ways. We can't wait to see you all in Kansas City as we continue to build on our conference mission of diving deep into the art and business of architectural glass!

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Find information on lodging, travel, schedule, and more at [www.stainedglass.org/conference](http://www.stainedglass.org/conference).

#### Tentative Conference Schedule\*

Wednesday 10/2/2024: Arrival, Welcome Reception  
 Thursday 10/3/2024: Networking Breakfast, Tours and Demonstrations, Field Sessions/Workshops  
 Friday 10/4/2024: Networking Breakfast, Field Sessions Workshops, Demonstrations & Resource Center  
 Saturday 10/5/2024: Networking Breakfast, Lecture, Workshops  
 Evening: Closing Event  
 Sunday 10/6/2024: Networking Breakfast, Optional Workshops

\*The tentative schedule is subject to change!



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