

Save the Dates

**SEFA 37th Annual Conference - Trump National Doral
Miami, Florida - November 5-7, 2025**

Dear Members and industry colleagues:

SEFA ANNUAL CONFERENCE - NOV. 5-7

Our Annual Conference in Miami is approaching with the deadline to book your hotel rooms "just around the corner" (October 15th). We still have rooms available so reserve them now before it's too late to book at our favorable nightly rate. The attendee list is attached along with our official Notice of Annual Meeting. If you do not see your name on the registration list then contact barbara@sefalabs.com to work out those details.

We have attached to this email the list of golfers that have already registered. Tee times start at 11:20 AM on November 5th. If you are still interested in participating please let us know and we will put you on a waiting list.

SEFA LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

The Board of Directors has unanimously approved SEFA LifeTime Achievement awards for Robert DeLuca, Sr. and Kevin Gilkison. These awards will be presented during the Annual Conference in Miami. Congratulations to Bob and Kevin for their well-deserved acknowledgement in growing SEFA's influence throughout the world.

SEFA LAB OF THE YEAR WINNERS

On September 30th the 2025 SEFA Lab of the Year judges met at our 2020 Lab of the Year winner at The Rockefeller University. After careful consideration the Judges selected the following projects as our 2025 finalists:

- 1) **Emory University – Health & Sciences Research Building II** (Atlanta, Georgia)
- 2) **L'Oréal North American Research Innovation Center** (Clark, New Jersey)

These finalists will be presenting their respective projects at our Annual Conference on November 6th from 11:30 AM to 12:30 PM. Following the presentations we will announce the 2025 SEFA Lab of the Year Award winner and High Honors recipient. All SEFA members involved in these projects will be receiving awards recognizing their contribution to these award-winning projects. Additionally, there are two other projects that will receive special recognition awards at our Miami Conference.

We are looking forward to seeing you all at our Annual Conference in Miami as we are expecting attendees from 10 different nations.

Until then - safe travels!

SEFA Annual Conference Golf Registration List – November 5, 2025

	Member Company	Golfer		Member Company	Golfer
1	Absolute Testing	Steve McCauley	25	Kewaunee Scientific	Don Gardner
			26		Lance Gray (36+)
2	Air Master Systems	Don Nelson	27		Tom Hull
			28		Rodney LaBelle (18)
3	American Epoxy Sci	Ben Luelf	29		Ryan Noble
4		Dennis Ray	30		Kurt Rindoks
			31		Alex Rindoks
5	Bedcolab	Jeff Anderson			
6		Ron Bedard (20)	32	Kirksey Architecture	Brian Richard
7	Case Systems	Bert Bowden (11)	33	Lab Crafters	Robert DeLuca (6)
8	CEA Consulting	Eddie Adkins	34	Lab Fit Out Solutions	James Broderick
9	Charles Schwab	John Rhodes	35	Mott Mfg.	Mario DiFonte (100)
10	CiF Lab Solutions	Lori MacLeod	36	NEIS Collective	Mike Last (6)
11		James Sutcliffe (20)			
			37	NuAire	John Peters
12	Counter Reaction	Mike Harris	38		Drew Pippin
13	E-Com Seating	Jim Dahl (14)	39	Perspectus Arch	Vladimir Novakovic (18)
14		Scott Ebersole (13)			
			40	SCAT Americas	Christian Fromm
15	Trespa Toplab / Formica	Jim Lewis III			
			41	Simmons Epoxy	Harry Simmons (16)
16	Fundermax	John Plachko (16)			
17		Ken Sitarz (28-30)	42	Spectron Gas Control	Andreas Alker (54)
18	Hanson Lab Solutions	Doug Quirk (20)	43	The Rockefeller Univ	Alex Kogan
19		Ross Vlietstra (20)			
20		John Walden (20)	44	TMI Systems Corp	Kevin Kovash (24)
21	HOK	Randy Kray	45	Water Saver	Nathan Pilon
			46		Mike Straughn
22	Inter Dyne System	Murray Andree (15.4)			
			47	SEFA	Ross Sutton
23	JED Installation/DH Pace Co	David Werner (10.7)			
34	Karan and Associates	Joe Beilfuss (36)			