

# Helpful Information for Attending the LIT Program at CES 2026 <u>Members of Congress & Congressional Staffers</u>

Jan 6 - Jan 9

### **About the LIT Program:**

Historically, the Leaders in Technology (LIT) Program has brought over 200 elected and appointed government guests who experience firsthand the innovative consumer technology industry.

LIT program participants are able to interact with cutting-edge technology and discuss the policy issues that govern emerging technologies as part of the Innovation Policy Summit (IPS). IPS topics for CES 2026 will include artificial intelligence, digital health, self-driving vehicle technology, and more! The goal of IPS will be to discuss technology as an equalizing force.

#### Hotel

- You are eligible to participate on any of the following dates
  - o Monday, January 5, 2026 Wednesday, January 7, 2026
  - Tuesday, January 6, 2026 Thursday, January 8, 2026
  - Wednesday, January 7, 2026 Friday, January 9, 2026
  - Thursday, January 8, 2026 Saturday, January 10, 2026\*
- With your participation in the LIT Program, CTA will cover the room and tax for no more than 2 nights in Las Vegas at the Encore at Wynn
- Please note, you will be responsible for any additional charges to your room and will need to provide a valid credit and valid identification when checking in
- \* These dates are for Members of Congress only. You may ONLY attend if accompanying your member

#### **Air Travel**

- Please indicate on your CES/LIT Program registration if you will be booking airfare through CTA or on your own
- If booking travel via CTA You will be contacted by a travel agent from World Travel Service (WTS), and you will need to provide the following information for them to book travel on your behalf
  - o Full name as it appears on your Government ID
  - Date of Birth
  - o Gender
  - TSA Number/Known Travel Number
  - Mileage Plus number for preferred airline
- Look for a direct flight from DCA, IAD or BWI
- Remember when booking based on ethic requirements you must plan to arrive after 3 pm PST on the day of your arrival
- You are not eligible to participate in any of the LIT Programming until the next business day through that evening.
- You will need to depart on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day following the day of participation in the LIT Program and you need to book one of the earliest flights out of LAS to DC
- Please note if you miss your flight, any additional costs incurred will be at your expense
- It is always best to look at flight options on your own and share with travel agent.
- Flights must be booked by **December 19, 2025**

#### **Getting To and From the McCarren International Airport**

- If you booked your air travel with us, we will provide ground transportation to the Encore at Wynn from the Las Vegas International Airport upon arrival
- We will also provide transportation back for your return to DC
- If your flight is cancelled or delayed or you missed your connection due to a flight delay earlier or cancellation you need to advise the LIT Team by texting 301-518-6336 so we can make alternative arrangements for you

## **LIT Program Lounge and Suite**

- Hours
  - Encore Suite: 7 am − 11 pm
  - o LIT Lounge, LVCC, North Hall, N264: 10 am 6pm
- Meals
  - Breakfast will be available the morning of your LIT Programming at the LIT suite located at the Encore at Wynn
    - This is a great time to get registered, grab breakfast and get transported over to the CES Floor for the LIT Programming and show floor tours

- Lunch is available at the LIT Lounge on the show floor at the Las Vegas
   Convention Center (LVCC) and at the LIT Suite located at the Encore at Wynn
- The LIT Suite is open all day for soft drinks and snacks and prior to the evening events
- The evening event scheduled on your program day is where you will be able to get your dinner while still participating in the LIT Program
- Conference/Meeting Rooms in the LIT Lounge
  - o A few meetings rooms can be found in the LIT Lounge in the LVCC
  - These rooms are to be booked in advanced with the front desk of the lounge, on a first come basis

## **Extending your Stay in Las Vegas**

- You are eligible to extend your stay by one business day- however, you are not eligible to participate in any additional LIT Programming or events
- If you extend your stay and decide to stay at the hotel for your extended stay you will be personally responsible for the room rate of \$495 plus additional taxes and charges.
- You will also need to get ethics to approve your additional night stay
- If there is a flight fare difference in departing a day alter than you were scheduled for you will be responsible for that flight fare difference and will be invoiced by CES following the LIT Program

#### Attending LIT Without Filing your Ethics Paperwork

- You are eligible to attend CES/LIT Program without filing Ethics. If you are not filing through ethics, the following will be your responsibility:
  - \$149 Registration Fee for the LIT Program \*
  - Roundtrip airfare to Las Vegas
  - (2) nights overnight accommodations at the Encore at Wynn\*
  - Food & Beverage (based on the programming) set cost \*

\*You will be invoiced for a select number of the charges noted above and need to pay them 30 days post invoicing. You will be able to book your own air travel and pay your carrier directly. If you opt to stay at the Encore, please advise us of your booking need. We will make the reservation on your behalf, and you will need to work with the Encore to provide a credit card to quarantee your stay.

## Other Important Information:

 CTA does not provide any reimbursement for flights, hotel, nor transportation booked outside of the program! • CES/LIT registration is tied to a unique email address — if you are registering on behalf of someone else, your email will need to be connected to the individual's account. If you are registering on behalf of multiple people — you will need to use a different email address for each individual.

## For Questions – Contact Us!

• Program questions: <u>Litprogram@CTA.tech</u>

• CES Registration troubleshoot: <u>customersupport@CTA.tech</u>