

Dear Prospective 2025 Sponsor,

We are thrilled to extend our invitation for you to join us at the 2025 Meeting of the Society for Glycobiology, scheduled to take place from November 9-12, 2025, at the Sheraton San Diego. This momentous occasion will bring together prominent glycobiologists from across the globe to delve into recent groundbreaking advancements in the glycosciences and related fields. The scientific program for Glycobiology 2025 will encompass a wide range of topics including:

- analysis of the structure and function of various glycans including proteoglycans, glycolipids and glycoproteins
- technologies and tools used to study glycosylation-related processes including informatics and Al
- the latest developments in a wide array of glycan-related areas including:
 - o immunology
 - o drug development
 - o vaccines
 - o viruses
 - o microbes
 - o glycan-binding interactions
 - o chemical biology
 - o glycochemistry
 - o polysaccharides
 - o plants

Throughout the meeting, attendees will have the opportunity to engage in an inspiring series of plenary lectures, short talks, workshops and poster presentations showcasing cutting-edge research in the glycosciences.

In addition to the formal meeting sessions, a Trainee Mentoring program called "Glycopalooza" and Satellite scientific sessions will be offered on the opening day of the meeting. Glycopalooza will provide career development and networking opportunities for graduate students and postdoctoral fellows with industrial partners via activities where students, early-career researchers, and sponsors can interact. The Satellite sessions will include presentations and in-depth discussions focused on practical applications and technologies important for glycobiology research.

The meeting aims to integrate a diverse range of research areas and foster lively discussions and innovative ideas. By sponsoring this event, your organization will gain visibility and the opportunity to network with influential scientists and professionals at the forefront of glycobiology research.

We invite you to explore the sponsorship opportunities outlined in the accompanying prospectus and consider the various levels of engagement that best align with your organization's objectives. By partnering with us, you will not only support the advancement of glycobiology but also gain valuable exposure to a global audience of scientists, researchers, and industry leaders. We look forward to your partnership and to welcoming you to Glycobiology 2025 for an unforgettable scientific experience in the breathtaking setting of San Diego.

Sincerely,

Kiyoko Aoki-Kinoshita, President, SFG

Deputy Director, Professor Glycan and Life Systems Integration Center Soka University

Lance Wells, Past-President, SFG

Professor Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology University of Georgia



Why Sponsor the Society for Glycobiology (SfG)?

The annual meeting of the SFG in 2025 expects to attract over 400 research scientists and industry experts. As a sponsor, you'll have the opportunity to connect with this influential audience, whether you are seeking new customer leads, expanding your employee pipeline, or simply aiming to enhance your company's reputation within the scientific community.

Support for the Field

Your sponsorship plays a vital role in supporting the scientific community. SFG utilizes sponsorship funds to provide travel awards for students and junior scientists, enabling them to attend and actively participate in the meeting. Additionally, your contribution helps offset travel costs for internationally renowned speakers, ensuring a diverse range of perspectives and expertise at Glycobiology 2025. By sponsoring SFG, you directly contribute to the growth and development of the next generation of researchers while supporting the dissemination of knowledge and advancements in glycobiology.

Networking and Engagement

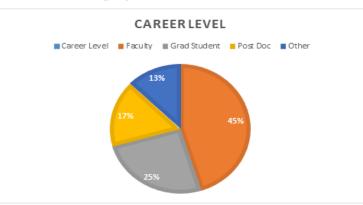
SFG's meeting brings together leading glycobiology researchers and industry professionals, offering unparalleled networking opportunities. As a sponsor, you'll have direct access to engage with influential scientists, researchers, and experts in glycobiology, enabling you to gain valuable insights into the latest advancements and trends in the field. This direct interaction allows you to discuss your products and mission in a personal and engaging manner, fostering potential partnerships and collaborations.

Recognition and Visibility

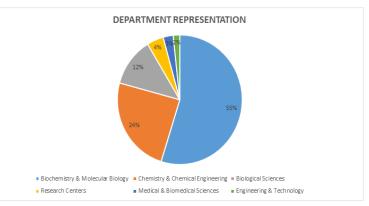
BBy sponsoring SFG, you can position your company as a prominent supporter of the medical and research community. Your sponsorship will provide highly visible exposure to a diverse group of attendees, allowing you to showcase your company's products, services, and commitment to innovation.

With strategically located exhibits in high-traffic areas, you can engage in meaningful interactions and foster fruitful collaborations with attendees from various disciplines.

Attendee Demographics









2025 Tiered Sponsorship Levels

Sponsorship	Cost	Benefits
Platinum	\$10,000	 Option to sponsor the Opening Reception or Banquet Four (4) complimentary registrations 6' table-top exhibit space in premium location Pre- and Post-Conference Email blast to conference attendees (Sponsor supplies content in html format)
Gold	\$5,500	 Sponsorship of One (1) Poster Session Three (3) complimentary registrations 6' table-top exhibit space Post-Conference Email blast to conference attendees (Sponsor supplies content in html format)
Silver	\$3,500	 • Two (2) complimentary registrations • 6' table-top exhibit space • Post-Conference Email blast to conference attendees (Sponsor supplies content in html format)
Bronze	\$2,500	One (1) full registration6' table-top exhibit space
Academic	\$1,500	One (1) full registration tions of table-top exhibit space

All Tiered Sponsors will also receive:

- Thank you slides displayed during general sessions
- · Logo with link to sponsor's landing page
- Logo recognition in program book and onsite Sponsor Board

Platinum and Gold Sponsors Options

Opening Reception Sponsor | Platinum Sponsor Option

The opening reception of the SFG Conference is a chance for all attendees to connect with one another and set the tone for the days ahead. Signage with your logo at the entrance of the event will be provided. Sponsors may provide logo-branded promotional items such as literature, cocktail napkins, decor, etc.

Banquet Sponsor | Platinum Sponsor Option

The Banquet Dinner is the event that all members of the society, VIPs, and speakers look forward to each year. This unforgettable evening will include at a semi-formal dinner with entertainment and dancing. Signage with your logo at the entrance will be provided, and your logo will be displayed on every table for maximum exposure. You'll also be recognized from the podium as a sponsor of the event.

Poster Hall Sponsor | Gold Sponsor Option

Attendees will have the opportunity to mingle with colleagues, sponsors, speakers, and society members while gaining education and networking opportunities in the Poster Hall. Prominent signage in high-traffic areas will be displayed at your sponsored event, and you'll be acknowledged in the program.





2025 Annual Meeting

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Á La Carte Sponsorships

Sponsorship opportunities are a great way to make a targeted, unique, or personal marketing impression on conference participants.

Conference App Sponsor | \$6,500

Put your brand in the hand of every attendee! This valuable resource enables participants to interact more actively, view the program, make appointments and chat with other attendees. Includes: Logo on splash screen with conference branding and company name included in login.

Lunch Session | \$5,500 + Food Costs

Enhance your brand's visibility and connect directly with attendees by sponsoring a conference luncheon session, positioning your company at the center of key discussions and networking moments. This exclusive opportunity includes event signage, recognition in the conference program and website, the chance to plan the session or deliver brief opening remarks at an SFG session, and the ability to place branded materials or giveaways on tables (provided by the sponsor).

Sponsored Session | \$5,500

Enhance your brand's visibility and connect directly with attendees by sponsoring a conference session, placing your company at the forefront during key discussions and networking moments. This exclusive opportunity includes event signage, recognition in the conference program and website, the chance to plan the session or deliver brief opening remarks at an SFG session, and the ability to place branded materials or giveaways on tables (provided by the sponsor).

WineBar | \$5,500

Raise a glass to brand visibility by sponsoring the Wine Bar at the networking reception, creating a memorable experience while keeping your company front and center. This exclusive opportunity includes wine bar signage, recognition in the conference program and website, branded cocktail napkins (provided by the sponsor), and the option to place promotional items near the bar. Limited to one sponsor per reception.

Glycopalooza Pre-Conference Sponsor | \$5,000

Make a life-long impression with students embarking on their careers at this pre-conference session where student attendees will learn the empowering value of being mentored. They will have the opportunity to connect with seasoned professionals and recruiters from academia and industry who are eager to help shape their budding careers. Your sponsorship will provide lunches for the session. Sponsors can provide personalized napkins, cups, or other items to be distributed. Includes signage in the area and recognition in the program.

Meeting Area Wi-Fi Sponsor | \$3,000

The Wi-Fi sponsor provides attendees with the ability to connect to the internet free of charge in the meeting location. This allows attendees to share their experience with colleagues and friends, and check in with their centers back home. Sponsor will be recognized on Wi-Fi instruction and the company name will be the password to access the Wi-Fi.

Coffee Bar | \$3,000

Sponsor the Coffee Bar to energize attendees and keep your brand at the heart of networking. Includes coffee bar signage, program and website recognition, and the option to feature branded coffee sleeves or napkins (provided by sponsor). Two sponsorships available per day. available per day.



Registration Sponsor | \$3,000 Exclusive, \$1,500 Shared

Sponsors will be recognized with signage in the registration area, the hub of all conference activity. Logo recognition on the meeting registration page and all promotional emails.

Hotel Key Cards | \$2,500

Put your brand directly in the hands of conference attendees with our exclusive Hotel Key Card Sponsorship. As one of the most visible sponsorship opportunities, your company's logo and message will be prominently displayed on the hotel key cards used by all attendees staying at the official conference hotel.

Lanyards | \$1,500

Your logo will be on constant view, and every attendee will be an ambassador for your brand by wearing your logo on the lanyard for the duration of the conference.

Coffee Break Sponsor | \$1,500

Refreshments provided for all attendees each day in the exhibit hall. Four coffee breaks available to choose from. Prominent signage in high-traffic areas will be displayed at your sponsored event, and you'll be acknowledged in the program.

Customize Your Sponsorship – Make It Your Own!

We know that one size doesn't fit all! We're happy to customize or tailor sponsorship packages to align with your brand's goals. Whether you want to enhance an existing package or create something unique, we'll work with you to maximize your visibility and impact. Let's collaborate to craft the perfect sponsorship opportunity for you!

Program Book Advertising Opportunities

Ad Type	Cost
Outside Back Cover	\$2,000
Inside Front & Back Cover	\$1,750
Full Page	\$1,500
Half-page	\$1,000

AD DISCOUNTS AVAILABLE

50% discount for Platinum & Gold Sponsors25% discount for Silver Sponsors

To secure your 2025 sponsorship please visit: www.glycobiology.org/2025Sponsorship

For questions or to discuss a customized sponsorship plan, please contact: **sponsor@glycobiology.org**





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Terms and Conditions

Correspondence – Please send all forms and direct all correspondence or inquiries regarding the meeting and sponsorship to sponsor@glycobiology.org.

Exhibit Space – Space is limited and will be assigned on a firstcome, first-served basis by sponsor level. SFG will offer complimentary Wi-Fi in the meeting space and provide a 6-ft draped table, space for rear 10-ft pop-up display, and two chairs. If you require electrical service, order forms from onsite providers will be sent with the full exhibitor packet prior to the conference. The hotel does not allow taping signage onto its walls. Displays should not interfere with other exhibitors, should not obstruct aisles, or exits, and must follow all local fire department regulations.

Booth Personnel – All exhibit personnel are to be registered. All exhibitors are expected to have their booths properly staffed at all times during exhibit hours.

Space Allocation – Space for exhibits will be allocated on a firstcome, first-served basis governed first by level of sponsorship, then date of payment received.

Attendee List Guidelines – Marketing or promotional blast emails are benefits offered exclusively to Platinum, Gold and Silver level sponsors of the meeting. SFG will send this email on behalf of the sponsor to attendees who have agreed to receive emails from the Society. The sponsor company understands that the ideas and opinions expressed in promotional material regarding its products or services are strictly those of the company. No endorsement by the SFG or meeting organizers can be claimed regarding the sponsor company's ideas, opinions, products, or services.

Hotel Accommodations – Individuals are responsible for making their own reservations. Please utilize the online reservations available on the meeting website to obtain the group discount. Note the reservation deadlines posted.

Liability/Indemnity – Exhibitors assume the entire responsibility for and hereby agree to protect, indemnify, defend, and save the host venue and hosting societies and their employees and agents harmless against all claims, losses, and damages to persons or property, governmental charges or fines, and attorney's fees arising out of or caused by exhibitor's installation, removal, maintenance, occupancy, or use of the exhibiting premises or a part thereof. In addition, the exhibitor acknowledges that the hotel and SFG do not maintain insurance covering exhibitors' property, and that it is the sole responsibility of the exhibitor to obtain business interruption and property damage insurance covering such losses by the exhibitor.

Labor – There will be no labor to assist you with the installation or dismantling of your exhibit.

Payment – All applications are pending until payment is received. Checks are the preferred method of payment due to credit card processing fees. Checks should be made out to the Society for Glycobiology. Credit cards can also be accepted. Due to the nature of the event, no refunds can be offered.

Personal Information – Registration information will be part of a database that is accessible only to SFG employees and conference organizers. SFG will use contact information to provide attendees and stakeholders with society updates and information about conferences. A participant list will be made available in the program book distributed to registered attendees on site that includes name and institution. Company contact information may be sent to our internal SFG accounting database and to any bank or wire transfer institution that accounting uses in order to facilitate sponsorship payment.

Photography Policy/Release – SFG may designate an official photographer for the conference. Any photographs taken by the photographer may be used in future SFG publications, on the website, or in other advertising materials. By registering to attend or sponsor this conference, you hereby grant SFG an irrevocable, worldwide, royalty-free, fully paid license to reproduce, copy, display, perform, or otherwise use any photos taken of you by SFG for promotional use (e.g., brochures, association publications, web-based media blogs, websites, enewsletters, social media). You hereby release and hold harmless SfG from all claims, demands, causes of action, and liability related to said use of the material.

Shipping/Storage – The venue has limited storage. Please review the full exhibitor packet available in the fall for carrier and shipping/storage information. You may utilize your preferred shipper and send your packages directly to the hotel.

Security – Exhibitors are urged to secure valuables nightly or take them to their hotel rooms. SFG and the hosting venue will not be responsible for lost or stolen items. No security is provided in the exhibit area.

Contractual Agreement – All of the aforementioned rules and regulations are to be considered as part of the exhibit space contract. It is agreed that by submitting the application, the exhibitor will abide by the rules and regulations cited above before, during, and after the exhibit.