

# ALBANY.

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## Albany's proximity to other major cities in the Northeast makes it Your Perfect Meet-in-the-Northeast Destination!

When it comes to meetings and special events Albany has an affordable variety of venues, 6000+ sleeping rooms, and complimentary services to ensure you are the big fish in our pond! New York's Capital city also offers a variety of restaurants, interesting attractions and shopping -- all within a short drive along convenient highways.

## Complimentary Meeting & Event Planning Assistance

A sales and services team approach to site selection, itinerary development, support services, media relations and marketing right through to program completion.

- ✓ Complimentary online marketing.
- ✓ Professional coordination of all support services proposals; including transportation, audio-visual, entertainment and off-site catering.
- ✓ Public and community relations assistance: media lists, development and dispersal of press releases.
- ✓ Post-convention collection of feedback from meeting planner and hotel contacts.

## Affordable Accommodations

**Albany Marriott Hotel** – 360 rooms

15 Meeting Rooms, Theatre: 1300, Banq: 820

**Crowne Plaza Albany Hotel** – 384 rooms

15 meeting rooms, Theatre: 1500, Banq: 900

**The Desmond Hotel & Conference Center** – 324 rooms

22 meeting rooms, Theatre: 600, Banq: 540

**Holiday Inn Albany** – 312 rooms

13 meeting rooms, Theatre: 1000, Banq: 650

**Other Brands:** Best Western, Clarion Hotel, Comfort Inns, Courtyard by Marriott, Days Inn, Econo Lodge, Fairfield Inn, Hampton Inn, Hilton Garden Inn, Holiday Inn Express, Homewood Suites, LaQuinta, Microtel, Quality Inns, Red Roof Inn, Residence Inn, Super 8, TownePlace Suites



## Places and Spaces-TODAY

**Empire State Plaza Convention Center**

26,000 s.f. exhibit hall, 81,000 total s.f., 8 meeting rooms

**Times Union Center**

6,000-17,000 seating, 51,000 s.f. exhibit hall

**Armory Sports & Convention Arena**

3,600-4,300 seating, 38,000 s.f. main floor, 160' x 90'; additional 11,000 s.f. of floor space, additional meeting space available



## Transportation – Air, Road, Rail

Albany International Airport served by these airlines:  
Air Canada, American Eagle, Continental, Delta,  
Northwest, Southwest, United, US Airways

82 daily direct flights to the following cities:

Atlanta	Baltimore	Boston
Charlotte	Chicago Midway	Chicago O'Hare
Cincinnati	Cleveland	Detroit
Las Vegas	Minneapolis	NYC JFK
NYC LaGuardia	Newark	Orlando
Philadelphia	Tampa	Washington Dulles
Washington National		

- Albany, New York is the crossroads of the Northeast, I-87 (N/S); I-90 (E/W).
- Albany-Rensselaer Train Station: AMTRAK offers 12 daily trains to/from Penn Station/NYC.



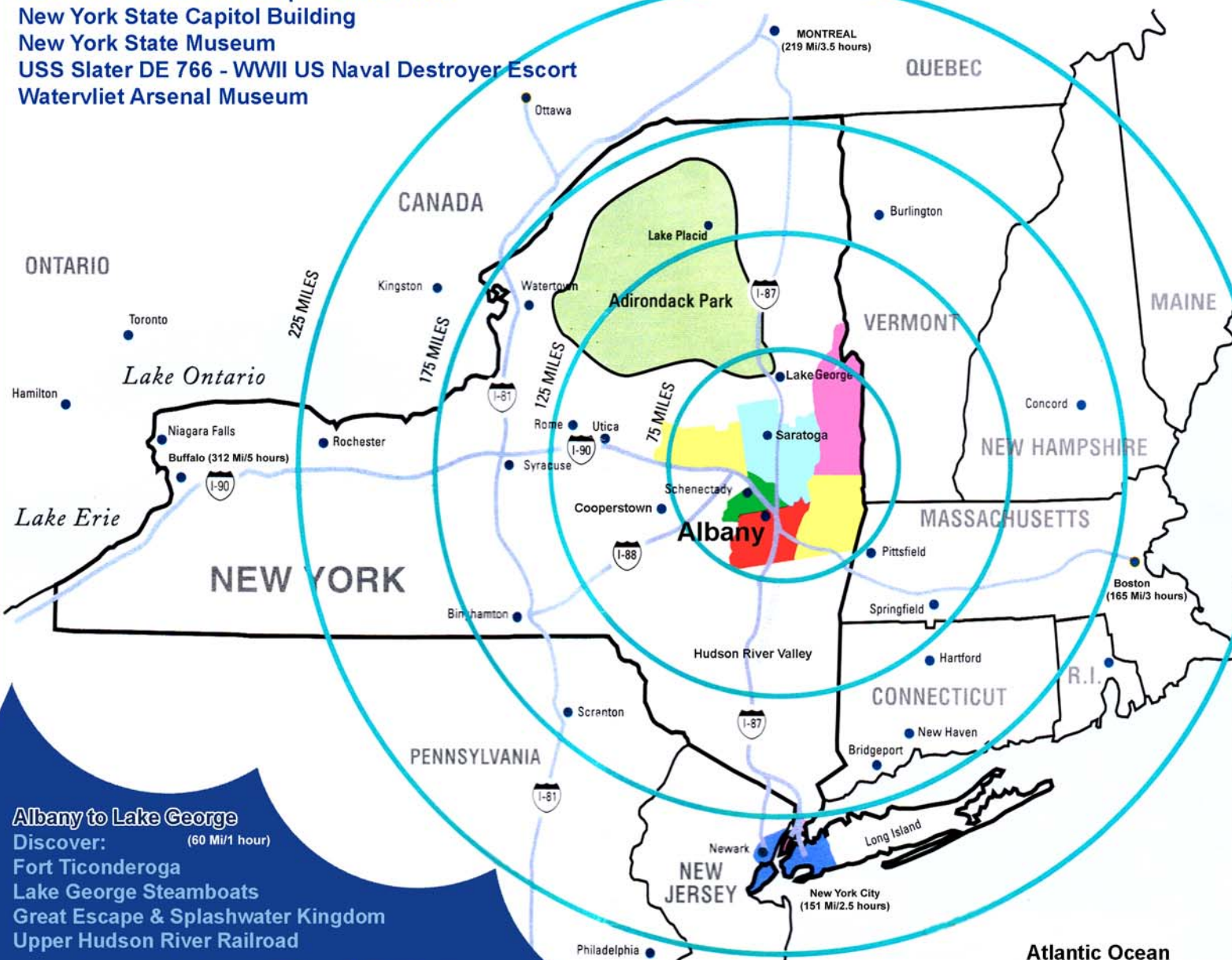
*Albany, An Amazing Discovery*

## Discover Albany:

Albany Aqua Ducks & Trolley Tours  
 Albany Heritage Area Visitors Center Exhibits  
 Albany Institute of History & Art  
 Cruises on the Hudson River  
 Nelson A. Rockefeller Empire State Plaza  
 New York State Capitol Building  
 New York State Museum  
 USS Slater DE 766 - WWII US Naval Destroyer Escort  
 Watervliet Arsenal Museum

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### Albany to Lake George

Discover: (60 Mi/1 hour)  
 Fort Ticonderoga  
 Lake George Steamboats  
 Great Escape & Splashwater Kingdom  
 Upper Hudson River Railroad

### Albany to Saratoga

Discover: (35 Mi/.5 hours)  
 Thoroughbred & Harness Racing  
 National Museums of Racing & Dance  
 New York State Military Museum  
 Saratoga Gaming and Raceway

### Albany to Cooperstown

Discover: (80 Mi/1.5 hours)  
 National Baseball Hall of Fame  
 Fenimore Art Museum  
 Brewery Ommegang  
 Howe Caverns

### Albany to the Hudson River Valley

Discover: (70 Mi/1 hour)  
 FDR National Historic Site  
 Vanderbilt Mansion  
 Olana State Historic Site  
 Culinary Institute of America

