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Dear Colleague,

It's time to plan ahead and mark your calendar for the upcoming MCERI annual meeting. The meeting venue has changed due to the La Torretta Resort selling out to Jimmy Buffet's Margaritaville. The resort closed June 1, 2019, and will not reopen until late 2020. This year we will host the meeting at the **Omni Houston Hotel at Westside**. The meeting format will remain the same, one full day and one half-day. The meeting and reception details are as follows:

Meeting

Date/Time: Thursday, November 7, 2019; 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Friday, November 8, 2019; 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Location: Omni Houston Hotel at Westside

13210 Katy Freeway

Houston, Texas 77079

website: <https://www.omnihotels.com/hotels/houston-westside>

Reception & Dinner

Date: Thursday, November 7, 2019

Reception: 5:30-6:30 PM

Dinner: 6:30-9:00 PM

Room Rates: \$129/night plus tax

Self-Parking – complimentary

Valet Parking - \$15.00/night

The meeting agenda will be sent out closer to the meeting date. Meanwhile, please hold the date and make plans for you and your colleagues to attend. If you have any questions please contact Dr. Datta-Gupta at 979-847-9030 or Dr. King at 979-845-1488.

Sincerely,

Dr. Akhil Datta-Gupta

Dr. Michael J. King