### Advance Preview



### 2014 MARKETING OPPORTUNITIES

As a benefit of your membership, Historic Hotels of America® offers several ways to participate in marketing programs that boost exposure and increase revenue on HistoricHotels.org. These opportunities are opt-in and deliver integrated online, e-communications, and print solutions.

#### **Programs Include:**

#### Cooperative Marketing Program campaigns

Reach over half million households each month with homepage placement on HistoricHotels.org, online media campaigns, *Preservation* magazine print ads, eblasts, social media, and more.



#### Discover & Explore ENEWSLETTER

Feature your hotel in our monthly consumer enewsletter that reaches more than 275,000 households.

#### Cooperative Print Ads

Advertise your hotel on the back cover of *Preservation* magazine which has a yearly readership of five million, including National Trust for Historic Preservation members and can be found in over 200 member hotels or more than 50,000 guestrooms.

#### NEW Employee Special Offers enewsletter

Promote your special employee rates in our monthly enewsletter sent to over 17,000 employees of Historic Hotels of America and Historic Hotels Worldwide member hotels; National Trust for Historic Preservation and designated affiliates; and other associates and participating hotels.

SEE INSIDE TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THESE PROGRAMS AND THEIR COMPONENTS.

#### HISTORICHOTELS.ORG

# Online Opportunities

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### Homepage

To maximize exposure on the homepage of HistoricHotels.org and reach more than 100,000\* visitors per month, choose from the Marquee or the Premiere placements. The Marquee placement or the rotating masthead image works best with a stunning shot of an exterior landscape or a panoramic lobby shot. The Premiere placement includes a static square image with a text ad promoting a historic or exclusive package; it can accommodate many image options.

Marquee placement - 958 x 139 pixels
Premiere placement - 292 x 191 pixels
and Text Ad - headline of 30 characters
and body copy of 250 characters

### Online Media Campaigns

All Cooperative Marketing Program participants will be featured in customized online media campaigns, such as Pay per click (PPC), Check Rates, and more, driving traffic to the hotel page and packages on HistoricHotels.org.



on the next trip to the great lakes region. Plan

the next adventure here and stay at several

historic hotels that combine history with

comfort and location. Book Now.

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accommodations for two nights, breakfast,

historical tour, and souvenir. Book Now.

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## MEETINGS & EVENTS

Provide fresh group sales promotions on the homepage of the Meetings & Events section as well as group value dates and receive targeted RFPs for new business.



### HOT DEALS

Drive revenue by highlighting your special offers on the homepage of the Hot Deals section as well as through categories such as dining, romance, and family.



West Baden Springs Hotel West Baden, Indiana Established 1902

### Social Media



### FACEBOOK, TWITTER, AND MORE

To encourage conversations with fans, Historic Hotels of America posts openended questions, surveys, enticing photos, videos, and fun facts on Facebook, Twitter, Pinterest, and Google+.





Share your hotel's events, packages, special offers, historic images, and trivia that we can use to interact with cultural and heritage travelers who are interested in historic hotels.



1886 Crescent Hotel & Spa Eureka Springs, Arkansas Established 1886

# **E-COMMUNICATIONS** OPPORTUNITIES

## TARGETED E-BLASTS

Select a targeted number of consumers from more than 275,000 households in the Historic Hotels of America database to promote packages and events to cultural and heritage travelers. Historic Hotels of America will create the communication and administer the distribution.

### Discover & Explore Enewsletter

Reach the full database of over 275,000 households by advertising in *Discover & Explore*, our monthly consumer enewsletter. Options include **featured placement** above the fold with a photo and short line of copy or the History Mystery, Best Bet, and Exclusive Package placements.



The targeted e-communications program also allows members to reach over 3,700 qualified meeting planners in the group sales database with information about function space, availability, and special offers.

## NEW Employee Special Offers Enewsletter

Our newest publication, *Employee Special Offers*, is distributed monthly and sent to over 17,000 employees of Historic Hotels of America and Historic Hotels Worldwide member hotels; National Trust for Historic Preservation and designated affiliates; and other associates and participating hotels. You can take advantage of additional business by promoting discounted rates in the **featured placement** or several other placements in the email.

#### Press Releases

To reach a list of influential national media who follow Historic Hotels of America, choose a campaign that includes listings in monthly or quarterly press releases featuring multiple hotels.

#### Past coverage includes:

Atlanta Journal Constitution BBC Travel Boston.com Chicago Tribune Condé Nast Examiner.com Hotel Interactive Miami Herald National Geographic Traveler NYTimes.com PeterGreenberg.com The History Channel Club Magazine The Washington Post Travel + Leisure USA Today

### HISTORIC HOTELS

#### EMPLOYEE SPECIAL OFFERS

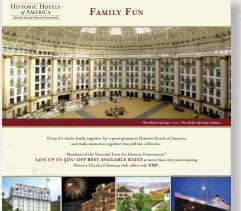
You are eligible to book special Employee rates at participating Historic Hotels of America. See below for come of this month's highlighted bords. Participating botels will honor these employee special rates based on advance reservation through <u>Historicibetic ourprotection</u> poor your showing proof of eligibility at check-ar photos ID and business

Select from our featured rates below or View all rates here



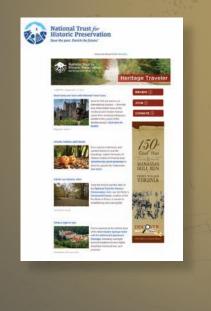
## National Trust for Historic Preservation<sup>®</sup> Opportunities





#### HERITAGE TRAVELER

Over 180,000 consumers enjoy the National Trust for Historic Preservation's *Heritage Traveler* monthly e-newsletter. Marketing options include short articles linking to the hotel Hot Deal's page.



## Preservation Magazine

Preservation, the magazine of the National Trust for Historic Preservation, reaches over five million readers each year. The magazine is distributed to National Trust Members and can be found in over 200 member hotels or more than 50,000 guestrooms. Seventy-eight percent of *Preservation* readers enjoy learning about historic sites and travel ideas. They engage in cultural activities, frequently visit museums, and attend live theater performances.

## Cooperative Print Ads

Historic Hotels of America promotes the brand and the National Trust for Historic Preservation member rate through the back cover print ad of *Preservation*. Each quarter, our ads with themes such as romance, family, or food and wine promote a featured hotel and four other hotels.

## Signature Print Ads

With Marquee and Premiere campaigns, you can be featured in a unique Historic Hotels of America advertising section of *Preservation* with a Signature 1/6 page ad and participate in "Spotlight on Advertisers," a reader services program that provides direct leads from print and online direct response vehicles with an interest in heritage travel.

### AUDIENCE

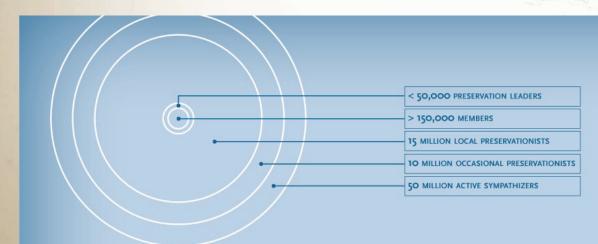
Expanding beyond the traditional market of preservation leaders and members, Historic Hotels of America taps into a wider group of consumers called Local Preservationists, named from a National Trust for Historic Preservation study\*. Roughly, 15 million in size, these Americans participate in preservation-related activities, including volunteering, fundraising, and many historic-related activities.

#### The Basics of Local Preservationists:

- Average age: 35
- Female/Male: 39%/61%
- College degree or higher: 54%
- Stayed in a historic hotel: 80%
- Historic-Related Activities
  - Frequent museums to learn about history: 93%
  - Visit places to learn about American history: 79%
  - Travel to historic communities: 78%
  - Attend an "insider's" tour of a historic place: 75%
  - Appreciate interesting architecture: 74%
  - Attend lectures on important historic sites: 73%

#### Within the Local Preservationists group, five segments have emerged:

- History Buffs: 15% or 2.2 million
- Architecture Lovers: 20% or 3 million
- Young Activists: 25% or 3.8 million
- Community-Conscious Parents: 15% or 2.2 million
- Green Go-Getters: 25% or 3.8 million



#### VISITORS TO HISTORICHOTELS.ORG

Monthly Visitors 100,000+\*

Monthly Page Views 390,000+\*

Average Time Spent on Site More than 6 minutes\*

Average age 35–54\*\*

Female/Male 59% / 41%\*\*

College degree or higher 66%\*\*

\* 2014 projected \*\* Source: 2013 data from Omnitur

# Cooperative Marketing Program Fees

Opportunities	Marquee	Premiere
Featured Placement Highlighted presence on HistoricHotels.org	Prominent placement of hotel photo on His- toricHotels.org homepage masthead with direct link to hotel's Hot Deals page PLUS special placement of hotel photo on HistoricHotels.org mobile website homepage	Positioning on the homepage along with a text ad
<b>Social Media Campaigns</b> Spotlighted Facebook and Twitter postings	Maximum postings per month: Facebook – 2 Twitter – 3	Maximum postings per month: Facebook – 2 Twitter – 2
<b>E-Blast to Consumers</b> Targeted consumer lists from robust database	1 (maximum 20,000 names)	1 (maximum 10,000 names)
<b>Preservation Ads</b> Circulated National Trust for Historic Preservation magazine to 5 million readers each year	2 x 1/6 page ads (a \$1,900 value) and includes Reader Services in print and online for each issue	1 x 1/6 page ad (a \$1000 value) and includes Reader Services in print and online for one issue
<b>Online Media Campaigns</b> Broad and targeted traffic to botel's featured package using PPC, Check Rates, and more	Individual campaigns using a percentage of the co-op cost	Individual campaigns using a percentage of the co-op cost
<b>E-Blast to Meeting Planners</b> 3,700 + Qualified meeting planners from group sales database	One article	One article
<b>Press Release</b> Distributed releases to global A-list media contacts	Added to the monthly release	Added to the quarterly enhanced release
Heritage Traveler Circulated National Trust for Historic Preserva- tion enewsletter to 180,000	One article	One article
Additional Featured Placement Highlighted presence on HistoricHotels.org	Featured offers on the Hot Deals and Meetings & Events home page	
Cost per month	\$3,500	\$3,000
Discover & Explore Enewsletter Consumer enewsletter to 275,000	Featured Placement: \$950   History Mystery, Best Bet, or Exclusive Package Placements: \$375	
<b>Cooperative Print Ads</b> Back cover of <i>Preservation</i> Magazine	Featured Photo: \$4,000   Square Photo: \$1,600	
<b>NEW Employee Special Offers Enewsletter</b> Distributed to over 17,000 applicable employees	Featured Placement: \$500   Additional Placements: \$375	

CAMPAIGNS

ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

All purchases must be prepaid.

- All ads are embedded with a link and directed to the advertiser's hotel page on HistoricHotels.org.
- All photography is subject to approval by Historic Hotels of America.Placement is available on a first-come, first-served basis.
  - Pricing subject to change.

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# **ONLINE** SPECIFICATIONS

Opportunities	Specifications	
Marquee Placement on HistoricHotels.org	958 x 319 pixels	
Premiere Placement on HistoricHotels.org	292 x 191 pixels Max: headline of 30 characters and 250 characters of body copy	
Showcase Placement on HistoricHotels.org	178 x 148 pixels	
Facebook	75 words or less	
Twitter	140 characters maximum	
E-blast to Consumers	Segment by state, city, zip code or nth number	
Preservation Ads	Ad: A digital photo (tif or jpeg at 300 dpi) of the hotel, a 40-50 word description, and a website address Reader services page: a 15 word description and a 120 x 60 logo	
E-blast to Meeting Planners	Article of 100 words or less	
Discover & Explore and Employee Special Offers Enewsletter	Photo with short line of copy	
Cooperative Print Ads	High-resolution photo	

### General Guidelines

- All materials are due one month before the start of the campaign and are subject to approval by Historic Hotels of America.
- Hotel membership must be in good standing, have loaded the National Trust for Historic Preservation member rate and extended for at least 12 months, and have added a full year of events and packages to the website.

### Photo Criteria

- Photos must be of the highest quality.
- All photos are subject to approval by Historic Hotels of America.
- The photo rights are assigned to Historic Hotels of America.

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