

**Summit 2017**

**THINGS TO KNOW**

* The agenda and other materials are [available online](http://www.raisecenter.org/raise-summit-2017/) for you to access and/or print at your leisure.
* A participant list and biographies of our speakers can be found there as well.
* Lunch will be made available during the afternoon sessions each day of the Summit.
* The restaurant is open for breakfast on your own from 6:30-11:00 for á la carte and 6:30-9:30 for the buffet. A Starbucks can be found in the hotel lobby.

**GETTING HERE**

**September 18, 9:00 am–4:00 pm  
September 19, 9:00 am–1:00 pm**

[**The Hilton Meadowlands**](file:///C:\Users\jwils\Documents\_RAISE\RAISE%20Summit%20Sep%202017\www3.hilton.com\en\hotels\new-jersey\)2 Meadowlands Plaza  
East Rutherford, NJ 07073  
(201) 896-0500

Registration opens at 8:00 am, Monday, September 18, in the 2nd floor foyer**.**

All sessions will be conducted in **Diamond Court A & C,** located on the 2nd floor, upstairs from the main lobby.

[**Hilton Conference Rooms Map**](http://www3.hilton.com/resources/media/hi/EWRSMHF/en_US/pdf/EWRSM.Floorplans.May19.pdf)

**BY AIR** The Hilton Meadowlands is located 20 minutes from [**Newark Liberty International Airport**](http://www.panynj.gov/airports/newark-liberty.html) in NJ and 60 minutes from [**JFK International Airport**](http://www.panynj.gov/airports/jfk.html) in Queens, NY.

[**AirTrain JFK**](http://www.panynj.gov/airports/jfk-airtrain.html) will connect you to Newark Airport; [**AirTrain Newark**](http://www.panynj.gov/airports/pdf/Travel-Guide-AirTrainNewark.pdf) connects to Secaucus Junction train station. Travelers can also access other connection options on each airport’s ground transportation pages: (1) [**Newark**](http://www.panynj.gov/airports/ewr-ground-transportation.html), (2) [**JFK**](http://www.panynj.gov/airports/jfk-ground-transportation.html).

**BY TRAIN** The Hilton Meadowlands offers a complimentary shuttle service to and from the Secaucus Junction commuter train station. This station can be easily accessed from both New York Penn Station in Manhattan, Newark Penn Station and Newark Liberty Airport Station via New Jersey Transit trains. The [**Hilton shuttle schedule**](http://tinyurl.com/Hilton-Shuttle-Schedule) provides times for pickup.

**BY CAR** Find directions and maps on the [**Hilton Maps & Directions page**](http://www3.hilton.com/en/hotels/new-jersey/hilton-meadowlands-EWRSMHF/maps-directions/index.html).

**BY BOAT** The [**Hudson River Ferry**](http://www.nywaterway.com/Home.aspx) provides service between various points in NYC and Weehawken, NJ.

***What To Do in NJ/NY Metro:***

View a [**list of activities**](http://www.parentcenterhub.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/09/Boot-Camp-See-Go.docx)   
for your free time enjoyment.

**Important Notice!**

*Monday Night Football is live and well across the street from the hotel at Giants Stadium. The NY Giants will be playing the Detroit Lions on the 18th.*

*Be prepared for (sometimes long) delays with NJ Transportation, on the surroundings roads, and with the hotel shuttle Sunday and Monday.*