

Industry Studies Association

2026 Annual Conference

Schedule Overview | June 3-5, 2026

Wednesday, June 3, 2026

Optional Excursions	
8:00 AM - 11:30 AM	<i>Choice of Morning Excursion (optional add-on):</i> 1) Introduction to DC area research and think tanks 2) Guided, walking tour of the Washington National Mall
Milkin Institute	
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	Lunch
1:00 PM - 1:55 PM	Opening Plenary
Science & Engineering Hall	
2:00 PM - 3:10 PM	Paper Sessions 1 (Seven Concurrent Tracks)
3:10 PM - 3:30 PM	Break
3:30 PM - 5:55 PM	Professional Development Workshop
3:30 PM - 4:40 PM	Paper Sessions 2 (Concurrent)
4:45 PM - 5:55 PM	Paper Sessions 3 (Concurrent)
6:00 PM - 7:00 PM	Reception (drinks and light snacks)

Thursday, June 4, 2026

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM	Breakfast
9:00 AM - 10:10 AM	Paper Sessions 4 (Concurrent)
10:15 AM - 11:10 AM	Special Sessions 1 (Two Concurrent Panels)
11:10 AM - 11:30 AM	Break
11:30 AM - 12:40 PM	Lunch & Business Meeting
12:45 PM - 1:55 PM	Paper Sessions 5 (Concurrent)
2:00 PM - 3:00 PM	Special Sessions 2 (Concurrent)
3:00 PM - 3:20 PM	Break
3:20 PM - 4:30 PM	Paper Sessions 6 (Concurrent)
4:30 PM - 4:50 PM	Break
4:50 PM - 6:00 PM	Plenary
6:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Reception (drinks and heavy hors d'oeuvres)

Friday, June 5, 2026

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM	Breakfast
9:00 AM - 10:10 AM	Paper Sessions 7 (Concurrent)
10:15 AM - 11:15 AM	Special Sessions 3 (Concurrent)
11:30 AM - 12:55 PM	Lunch & Awards Ceremony
1:00 PM - 2:10 PM	Paper Sessions 8 (Concurrent)