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## 2023 FALL NATIONAL/SW/NW CONFERENCE

### October 3 - 5, 2023

### LAKE TAHOE (STATELINE) NEVADA

The Southwest Area APDA will be hosting our Fall meeting on October 3 – 5, 2023 at Bally’s Lake Tahoe, Nevada. The meeting will include two days of simulation-based classes plus half-day activities, including a “State of the Grid” presentation from CAISO. **Members for the Northwest and other areas are encouraged to attend.**

### Class Content

The 2-day course is designed to provide students with an opportunity to implement mitigating actions in a simulated environment on a generic system Finist OTS. The course includes a wide scope of system conditions that must be mitigated. Each area of simulation is preceded with a brief overview to the causes, actions, and responses required to return the system to a reliable state. The simulation conditions include the following: Voltage Control and Mitigation, Transfer Limitations and Congestion, Relay Operation and Response related to UVLS, UFLS, and SPS/RAS, System Switching, and System Restoration. The goal is to provide attendees, with training and hands-on activity through simulation technology, the opportunity to better understand operating concepts and to mitigate various operational conditions. The simulation provides a first-hand perspective of the implications to and response of the system when actions are implemented by System Personnel.

### Event Schedule

- Day 0 Monday, October 2 @ 6pm - Hosted Meet and Greet
- Day 1 8:00 – 5:00 - Pat Everly, OES-NA, “Operations Through Simulation”
- Day 2 8:00 – 5:00 - Pat Everly, OES-NA, “Operations Through Simulation”
- Day 3 8:00 – 12:00 - Business Meeting, Brian Murray, CAISO, “State of the Grid”

#### HOTEL INFORMATION

**Bally’s Lake Tahoe**  
55 Highway 50  
Stateline, Nevada 89449



A block of rooms has been reserved at \$59/night plus fees and taxes. Rooms can be reserved online by clicking [HERE](#) or by calling (775) 588-3515 ext. 3015 and providing the group code: **STAPDA**

#### PRICING INFORMATION:

APDA Member:  
\$720  
Non-APDA System Operators:  
\$880

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