



118th Annual
UBA Convention

June 28-July 1, 2026
Sun Valley, Idaho

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Speakers

Activities



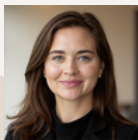
Christopher Bramwell – Director, UT Office of Data Privacy
Christopher was appointed by Governor Cox as Utah's Chief Privacy Officer and serves as the Director of the Utah Office of Data Privacy, where he leads efforts to modernize privacy practices for governmental entities statewide. He worked closely with the legislature to create Utah's Government Data Privacy Act.



Kenneth Kelly – Chairman & CEO, First Independence Bank, ABA Chair
Kenneth serves as Chairman & CEO of First Independence Bank, a minority depository institution based in Detroit. Under his leadership, the corporation has doubled its book value over the past five years. In October 2025, he was selected as chair of the American Bankers Association.



Judson Laipply – Speaker, Author
Combining comedy and content, laughter and learning, energy and engagement, Judson gives his audiences both immediate joy and lasting impact by helping them understand the difference between change and evolution while teaching them to embrace struggle, engage choice, and ultimately – evolve.



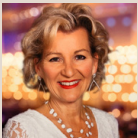
Kaye Lynch-Sparks – Sr. Dir. of Innovation Policy, ABA
Kaye plays a pivotal role in shaping regulatory and legislative frameworks that impact the banking industry related to digital assets, fintechs, AI, open banking, and privacy. Kaye comes to the ABA with over 12 years of experience in regulations and compliance.



Dave Martin – Founder, bankmechanics
Dave has spoken in front of and consulted with several hundred financial institutions in 48 states and Canada over the past 25+ years, as well as one of the most prolific writers in the banking industry. Dave's keynote presentations, seminars, and podcasts are infused with authenticity and humor.



Alex Treece – CEO / Co-Founder, Stablecore
Alex led digital asset ledgering, orchestration, and developer teams at Coinbase, and was the co-founder of Zabo – "Plaid of crypto" – which was acquired by Coinbase in 2021.



Joan Woodward – President, The Travelers Institute
Joan Woodward joined Travelers in 2008 from Goldman Sachs to establish The Travelers Institute as the company's thought leadership and public policy platform. Prior to joining Goldman, Woodward worked as Deputy Chief of Staff for U.S. Senate Finance Committee Chairman Bill Roth, where she was instrumental in creating the Roth IRA.

Bingo – Monday, June 29

4:00 – 5:30pm

Limelight Ballroom

The ever popular bingo game is open to all convention registrants and their families, no charge or registration needed.

Fun Run – Tuesday, June 30

6:15am

Dollar Bus Loop

The 5K Run or 1.5 mile Walk includes prizes for runners, refreshments, and a t-shirt. (Must sign up by May 22 to guarantee a shirt.) **\$35**

Golf Tournament – Tuesday, June 30

7:30am – 2:00pm

SV Golf Course

Scramble format open to all levels of golfers. Tournament includes continental breakfast, BBQ lunch, refreshments, and prizes. Pre-registration required. **\$350pp**

UTV Off-Road Ride – Tuesday, June 30

7:45am – 12:00pm

Ryan's Mountain Rentals, Bellevue

Explore Idaho's breathtaking backcountry on a half day UTV Off-Road Ride, with options to rent a machine or bring your own. Must be 18 to drive rented UTVs. Pre-registration required. **Rental price varies by machine, BYO price is \$50/machine.**

River Run – Tuesday, June 30

8:15am – 4:00pm

Baldy Bus Loop

Price includes breakfast, transportation, rafting trip, and lunch. Wear clothes and shoes that you don't mind getting wet, and bring a change of clothes for the ride home. Pre-registration required. Minimum age is 6. **\$225pp**

NEW THIS YEAR!

World Cup Watch Party – Tuesday, June 30

11:00 am – 1:00 pm

The Ram

To commemorate this special World Cup year played in North America we'll be hosting a watch party for a Round of 32 knockout match in The Ram Restaurant. There will be snacks and interactive soccer-themed games with awesome prizes – fun for the whole family! **FREE!**

Pickleball Tournament – Tuesday, June 30

2:15 – 4:00pm

SV Tennis Courts

Round robin format, includes paddles, balls, t-shirt, refreshments, and prizes. Minimum age is 12. Space is limited, pre-registration required. (Must sign up by May 22 to guarantee a shirt.) **\$120pp**

Trap Shoot – Monday, June 29 & Tuesday, June 30

SV Gun Club

Includes gun rental, targets, ammunition for 25 shots, prizes and gratuities. You must pre-register to participate and sign up for a specific appointment time. Appointments are assigned on a first come, first served basis. Check at registration for final appointment time. You must be at least 12 years old to shoot. **\$150pp**

Horseback Rides – Monday, June 29 & Tuesday, June 30

SV Stables

Price includes 1-hour trail ride and gratuity. You must pre-register to participate and sign-up for a specific appointment time. Appointments are assigned on a first come, first served basis. Check at registration for final appointment time. Minimum age is 9, and minimum height is 52". Children under 15 must be accompanied by a parent. **\$150pp**

Important Activities Information

Space is limited for all activities, so we encourage you to pre-register as soon as possible to guarantee your spot(s)!

Registration for Horseback Trail Rides and Trap Shoot will cut off on June 12.

We cannot accept event cancellations or offer refunds after June 12.

Schedule at a Glance

SUNDAY, JUNE 28

- 2:00 – 5:00pm** **Exhibit Hall & Registration**
Limelight Ballroom
- 6:30 – 8:30pm** **Welcome Reception, Buffet & Entertainment**
Trail Creek Campground

MONDAY, JUNE 29

- 7:30 – 9:30am** **Exhibit Hall, Registration & Breakfast**
Breakfast open until 9:00am
(Registered guests only)
Limelight Ballroom
- 9:30 – 11:30am** **Opening Business Session**
Continental Room

- **“Good People Win”**
 - **Dave Martin**, bankmechanics

More to be announced...

- 11:30am – 1:30pm** **Networking & Vendor Lunch**
Vendor Recognition & Prize Drawings
Lodge Terrace

- 1:45 – 3:30pm** **Afternoon Business Session**

- **Stablecoin Panel**
 - **Alex Treece**, Stablecore
 - **Kaye Lynch-Sparks**, ABA
- **“State-Endorsed Digital Identity: A New Infrastructure for Fraud Prevention & Trust”**
 - **Christopher Bramwell**, Utah Office of Data Privacy

More to be announced...

- 4:00 – 5:30pm** **Bingo**
Limelight Ballroom

- Evening** **Dinner on Your Own**

TUESDAY, JUNE 30

- 6:15am** **5k Fun Run/Walk**
- 7:30am – 2:00pm** **Golf Tournament**
- 7:45am – 12:00pm** **UTV Off-Road Ride**
- 8:15am – 4:00pm** **White Water Rafting Trip**
- 11:00am – 1:00pm** **World Cup Watch Party**
- 2:15 – 4:00pm** **Pickleball Tournament**
- 5:30 – 7:45pm** **Chairman’s Reception & Dinner**
- 8:00pm** **Entertainment**
Electric Avenue
The 80s MTV Experience
Sun Valley Pavilion



WEDNESDAY, JULY 1

- 7:00am** **UBA CEO & Past Chairman’s Breakfast**
(By invitation only)
Limelight B

- 8:30am – 12:00pm** **Business Session**
Continental Room

- **“ABA Report”**
 - **Kenneth Kelly**, ABA Chair
- **“Emerging Bank Leaders Report”**
 - **Jessica Sorensen**, Zions Bank
- **“State of the UBA”**
 - **Howard Headlee**, Utah Bankers Association
- **“Economic, Policy and Political Outlook”**
 - **Joan Woodward**, Travelers
- **Annual UBA Membership Meeting**
- **Closing Speaker**
 - **Judson Laipply**, Motivational Comedian
- **Closing Comments & Prize Drawings**

- 12:00pm** **Convention Adjourns**

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REGISTRATION & HOTEL INFORMATION

Registration Fees

Full registration includes all business sessions, meals, exhibit hall, entertainment, and Bingo. All other activities are an additional fee. Additional meal and/or event tickets may be purchased for non-registered guests.

Type	By 5/29	After 5/29
Convention Registration - Couple	\$1,495	\$1,595
Convention Registration - Single	\$1,125	\$1,225

Additional Meal / Event Tickets

Sunday Dinner	\$165
Monday Lunch	\$75
Tuesday Dinner	\$175
Concert - individual ticket	\$25
Concert Family 4-Pack	\$80

Registration Deadline

To receive early bird pricing, registrations must be received by May 29, 2026. Early bird registrants will be entered into a prize drawing for 2 nights lodging plus activities for two at Sun Valley.

Cancellation Policy

- A full registration refund less \$50 will be made if written notice is received on or before May 29, 2026. A \$150 administrative fee per registrant will be assessed if written notice is received after May 29, 2026.
- There will be no refunds for registration or activity cancellations received after June 12, 2026.
- Substitutions are allowed at any time.

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- Zions Correspondent Banking Group

Sun Valley Resort

1 Sun Valley Road, Sun Valley, Idaho 83353

Since 1936, the Sun Valley Lodge has welcomed visitors with elegant amenities and old world charm. From cozy cottages to three-bedroom condominiums, you'll find it all in Sun Valley. The centric arrangement of the Village puts shopping, entertainment and dining just a short stroll from your door, and three outdoor heated pools and a shimmering lake allow you to float the day away. The line between work and play surely gets a little blurry at Sun Valley.

Reservations

A block of rooms in the Sun Valley Lodge and Inn, as well as a variety of condos and cottages, have been reserved for your stay. Make your hotel reservations online using this link: <https://book.passkey.com/go/UTBankers2026>

Or you can call Sun Valley Reservations at 800.786.8259. The room block expires May 29, 2026.

Sun Valley Travel

Sun Valley is served by Hailey's Friedman Memorial Airport (SUN), located 14 miles from the resort.

Register online @ www.utah.bank/convention