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7:00 AM – 8:30 AM Welcome Breakfast pickup. Metropolis Foyer, 14th Floor. Proceed to eating area North Pool Deck, 16th Floor or take to your guest room.

7:00 AM – 5:00 PM Green Room (Speaker Ready Room) Gotham B, 14th Floor.

7:00 AM – 5:00 PM Java Café (NAREE Press Room) Sanctum A&B, 14th Floor.

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7:30 AM – 5:00 PM Registration and NAREE’s Meet the Press Sign-up. Metropolis Foyer, 14th Floor.


10:00 AM – 10:30 AM Welcome to the Sunshine State: Florida journalists discuss hot topics, regional reality, and prevailing newsroom scuttlebutt. Panels include: Independent journalist Mary Shankanl, journalism faculty, University of Central Florida; Alex Harris, Miami Herald and Rebecca San Juan, Miami Herald. Moderator: Ralph Bivins, Realty News Report. Metropolis Ballroom, 14th Floor.


12:10 PM – 1:00 PM NAREE University - Surfside: Covering a Real Estate Tragedy. Reporting tips for covering condo boards, finding minutes and reviewing architectural plans after a disaster. Sarah Blaskey, The Miami Herald; Monique O. Madan, USA Today; Terry Spencer, Associated Press; and Patricia Mazzei, New York Times. Moderator: NAREE President Jeff Collins, Orange County Register. Metropolis Ballroom, 14th Floor.


2:00 PM – 2:50 PM Mortgage Matters - Shashank Shekhar, CEO InstaMortgage; Joel Kan, Mortgage Bankers Association; Nick Johnson, Credible; John Quin, Veterans United Home Loans. Moderator: Jeff Ostrowski, Bankrate. Metropolis Ballroom, 14th Floor.

2:55 PM – 3:45 PM The Post-COVID Suburb - Adam Ducker, RCLCO; Mark Meyer, TBG Partners architects; and Alex Kamkar, Bold Fox Development. Moderator: Catie Dixon, Bisnow. Metropolis Ballroom, 14th Floor.


5:00 PM – 6:00 PM Opening Reception. North Pool Deck, 16th Floor.

6:15 PM – 8:30 PM All Aboard for the Wynwood Tour: The Intersection of Art and Real Estate. Rooftop Cocktail Reception for journalists - Midtown 29 high-rise rental apartment building followed by walking tour of Wynwood (NW 2nd Avenue between 29th and 26th Streets.) Tour guides, Courtesy Gensler Miami: Co-managing Director Diana Farmer-Gonzalez; Co-managing Director Carlos Valera; Design Director Shamim Ahmadzadeegan and Tony Cho, Future of Cities and Metro 1 Brokerage.
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7:45 AM – 8:35 AM NAREE University - Reporting on Social Justice Issues in Real Estate. Uncovering what’s still on the books and testing measures to fix inequities, and discussion on incorporating more diversity into your coverage and newsroom. Eileen Woods, Boston Globe; Jeff Collins, Orange County Register; and Michele Lerner, freelance Boston Globe, Washington Post and others. Moderator: Dion Haynes, Washington Post. Metropolis Ballroom, 14th Floor.


9:35 AM – 10:20 AM Market Impact: The Surfside Tragedy. Robert Nordlund, CEO Association Reserves; Ana Bozovic, Analytics Miami; Attorney David Haber. Co-moderators: Katherine Kallergis, a Miami-based reporter for The Real Deal and Jeff Collins; Orange County Register and NAREE President. Metropolis Ballroom, 14th Floor.

10:25 AM – 11:10 AM Build-to-Rent: The Single-Family Rental Boom. Richard Ross, CEO Quinn Residences; Todd Wood, CEO Christopher Todd Communities; and Todd LaRue, managing director, RCLCO. Moderator: Laura Kinsler, GrowthSpotter. Metropolis Ballroom, 14th Floor.


12:20 PM – 1:00 PM Lunch pick up. Metropolis foyer. Eating area: Area 31 Restaurant outside terrace, 16th Floor.
1:10 PM – 2:00 PM Skyscrapers: Rinse, Repeat, Redesign and Return. IREM President Chip Watts; Lenny Beaudoin, CBRE executive managing director and Global Lead, Workplace, Design, Occupancy; Diana Farmer-Gonzalez, Ginsler. Moderator: John Gittelsohn, Bloomberg News. Metropolis Ballroom, 14th Floor.


5:00 PM – 6:30 PM Poolside Reception. North Pool Deck, 16th Floor.
9:00 PM – 10:30 PM NAREE President’s Suite. Club Lounge, 29th Floor.
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7:00 AM – 8:30 AM  
**Awards Day Breakfast pickup.** Metropolis Foyer, 14th Floor. Proceed to eating area North Pool Deck, 16th Floor or take to your guest room.

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7:00 AM – 5:00 PM  
**Zen Tea Room** (Quiet Press Room) Baxter, 14th Floor.

7:00 AM – 5:00 PM  
**Interview Studio** Gotham A, 14th Floor.

7:30 AM – 5:30 PM  
**Registration and NAREE’s Meet the Press Signup.** Metropolis Foyer, 14th Floor.

8:10 AM – 9:00 AM  
**NAREE University: Investigative Reporting - Insights for Real Estate Journalists.** Session includes tips on finding an LLC’s true property owner, covering tax havens and understanding the eviction process. Kevin Hall, Organized Crime and Corruption Reporting Project; Eric Peterson, The Utah Investigative Journalism Project. Moderator/Panelist: Investigative Reporter Nick Nehamas, Miami Herald. Metropolis Ballroom, 14th Floor.

9:05 AM – 9:50 AM  
**Adapting Retail, Restaurants and Aging Malls.** Alex Lopatynsky, Cooper Carry; Chris Drew, JLL Capital Markets; and Philippe Saint-Just, REEF Technology. Moderator: Jacob Adelman, Philadelphia Inquirer. Metropolis Ballroom, 14th Floor.

9:55 AM – 10:50 AM  
**Economic Forecast for 2022.** Frank Nothaft; CoreLogic; Lawrence Yun, NAR; John Worth, NAREIT. Moderator: Jason Hidalgo, Reno Gazette-Journal. Metropolis Ballroom, 14th Floor.

10:55 AM – 11:40 AM  
**What Apartment Dwellers Want.** Rick Haughey, National Multifamily Housing Council. Moderator: Jessica Fiur, Multi-Housing News. Metropolis Ballroom, 14th Floor.

11:45 AM – 12:30 PM  
**NAREE’s Robert Bruss Real Estate Book Awards Presentation.** NAREE President Jeff Collins, Orange County Register and NAREE Vice President Eileen Woods, Boston Globe. Immediately following the presentation, award winning journalists who wrote real estate books will talk about their journey from journalist to author; and give book highlights. Moderator: Jeff Collins, Orange County Register and Eileen Woods, Boston Globe. Metropolis Ballroom, 14th Floor.

12:30 PM – 1:15 PM  
**Lunch pickup.** Metropolis Foyer, 14th Floor. Eating area: Area 31 outdoor terrace.

1:30 PM – 1:55 PM  
**Caribbean Luxe – A fireside chat** with Ian Hurdle, Founder and Director of The Agency Turks & Caicos. Moderator: Tony Wilbert, CoStar News. Metropolis Ballroom, 14th Floor.

2:00 PM – 2:30 PM  

2:35 PM – 3:20 PM  
**Vacation Homes.** Glenn Phillips, Lake Homes Realty; Brittany Havard, Alpine Mountain Ranch; Stacy Hamilton, Alys Beach and Whitney Curry, Paccala. Moderator: Candy Evans, SecondShelters.com, CandysDirt.com. Metropolis Ballroom, 14th Floor.

3:20 PM  
**Cafecito Break.** Metropolis Foyer.

3:45 PM – 5:15 PM  
**NAREE’s Meet the Press.** Prime Ballroom, Mezzanine Floor (2nd Floor.) MTP coordinator, Sue Doerfler, NAREE Past President. Host: NAREE Board Chair Catie Dixon, Bisnow.

6:15 PM  
**Award Winner Red Carpet Reception for Journalists.** Club Lounge, 29th Floor.

7:30 PM – 9:00 PM  
**71st Annual NAREE Real Estate Journalism Awards Presentation.** NAREE President Jeff Collins, Vice President Eileen Woods and Chair Catie Dixon. Metropolis Ballroom, 14th Floor. (Reception fare before and after the presentation in Metropolis foyer.)

7:45 PM – 9:30 PM  
**Award winner individual photo shoots** available throughout the presentation in front of the NAREE Step and Repeat Banner, Baxter Room (across the foyer). Winners are encouraged to return to the ballroom to support awarding-winning colleagues after their photos are taken.

9:00 PM – 10:00 PM  
**Après Reception.** Metropolis foyer, 14th Floor.
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7:00 AM Farewell Breakfast pick up in Metropolis Ballroom Foyer. Eating area: North Pool Deck, 16th Floor. Note NAREE U session begins at 8:15 AM.

8:15 AM - 9:05 AM NAREE University: Award Winner Backstories. Get inside the heads of media colleagues who received NAREE’s top honors in 2021. Panelists to be announced after the awards ceremony on Thursday evening.
Moderator: Cameron Sperance, Skift. Metropolis Ballroom, 14th Floor.

9:10 AM - 10:00 AM General Membership/ Election Meeting and Board Installation. Metropolis Ballroom, 14th Floor.

10:00 AM Conference Ends.

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