Family Itinerary for NeurIPS 2025 San Diego, CA (Dec 1–8, 2025)

Flight Options (Beijing - San Diego Round-Trip)

- Option A: Air China + United Airlines Outbound (Dec 1): Daxing PKX 00:20 → SFO 19:30 (CA 987, 11h10) Layover SFO 19:30–22:00 SFO → SAN 22:00 → 23:30 (UA 45, 1h30) Return (Dec 8): SAN → SFO 12:00 → 13:30 (UA 1280, 1h30) Layover SFO 13:30–16:30 SFO → PKX 16:30 → 20:00+1 (CA 988, 13h30) Total fare (2 adults + 2 children): USD 4,700
- Option B: China Southern + Alaska Airlines (Recommended) Outbound (Dec 1): PEK 00:15 \rightarrow LAX 19:05 (CZ 311, 11h50) Layover LAX 19:05–21:05 LAX \rightarrow SAN 21:05 \rightarrow 22:40 (AS 2606, 1h35) Return (Dec 8): SAN \rightarrow LAX 12:15 \rightarrow 13:50 (AS 2607, 1h35) Layover LAX 13:50–17:00 LAX \rightarrow PEK 17:00 \rightarrow 21:10+1 (CZ 312, 13h10) Total fare (2 adults \times 1, 200; 2*children*1,050): USD 4,500
- Option C: ANA via Tokyo Outbound (Dec 1): PEK $08:55 \rightarrow NRT$ 13:40 (NH 964, 3h45) Layover NRT 13:40–17:00 NRT $\rightarrow SAN$ $17:00 \rightarrow 11:00+1$ (NH 112, 9h00) Return (Dec 8): SAN $\rightarrow NRT$ $13:00 \rightarrow 17:00+1$ (NH 111, 11h00) Layover NRT 17:00–21:00 NRT $\rightarrow PEK$ $21:00 \rightarrow 23:45$ (NH 963, 3h45) Total fare (2 adults \times 1, 300; 2children1,150): USD 4,900

Accommodation (Dec 1–8, 2025)

Staybridge Suites San Diego Downtown/Bayfront

- Address: 509 West G Street, San Diego, CA 92101 (0.6 mi to Convention Center)
- Suite: One-bedroom with two-burner cooktop, full fridge, microwave, dishwasher; separate living area
- Amenities: Hot breakfast buffet; weekday evening socials; outdoor pool & hot tub; laundry facilities
- Rate: USD $250/\text{night} \times 7 \text{ nights} = \text{USD } 1,750$

Day-by-Day Itinerary

Date	Time	Activity	
Dec 1	Evening	Arrive SAN, shuttle to hotel, settle in,	
		nearby dinner, early rest	
Dec 2	08:00-12:00	NeurIPS Tutorials	
	12:30-17:00	Visit Balboa Park: children's guided tour at	
		San Diego Zoo	

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	18:00-20:00	Simple family dinner in suite; game time
Dec 3	08:00-12:00	Opening Keynote and Sessions
	12:30-17:00	USS Midway Museum audio tour for kids;
		waterfront stroll
	18:00-20:00	Harbor sunset cruise
Dec 4	08:00-12:00	NeurIPS Oral Sessions
	12:30-17:00	LEGOLAND California day visit
	18:00-20:00	Light dinner at hotel; children's bedtime rou-
		tine
Dec 5	08:00-12:00	NeurIPS Panels and Poster Session
	12:30-17:00	SeaWorld San Diego shows and play area
	18:00-20:00	Ice cream and walk at Mission Beach board-
		walk
Dec 6	08:00-12:00	NeurIPS Demo Sessions
	12:30-17:00	La Jolla Cove seal watching and tide pooling
	18:00-21:00	Conference reception (parents alternate
		childcare)
Dec 7	08:30-12:00	Final Tutorials and Closing Panel
	12:30-15:00	Badge collection; conference farewell
	15:30-18:00	Pool time; pack luggage
	18:00-20:00	Farewell dinner at Liberty Public Market
Dec 8	Morning	Check out; shuttle to SAN; depart 12:15

Budget Estimate (USD)

Item	Amount
Flights (Option B for 4)	4,500
Hotel (7 nights Staybridge)	1,750
Meals (8 days \times \$40/meal \times 3 meals \times 4	3,840
people)	
Local transport (shuttles, rideshares, transit)	500
Activities (Zoo, USS Midway, LEGOLAND,	1,200
SeaWorld, tours)	
Total Estimated Budget	11,790