

**THRILLERFEST XXI WEEK
May 5 - May 9, 2026**

All events take place onsite at the New York Hilton Midtown. Learn more at www.thrillerfest.com.

* Denotes that separate registration is required; not included in CraftFest or ThrillerFest registration.

Monday, May 4, 2026	Tuesday, May 5, 2026	Wednesday, May 6, 2026		Thursday, May 7, 2026		
<p>FBI & ATF Day * 8:00am - 5:30pm Learn directly from agents in an all-day, lecture format, pre-conference workshop.</p>	<p>Master Class 1.0 * 8:00am - 5:00pm An all-day, small-class format workshop for authors of all levels.</p>	<p>QueryFest * by appointment only: 8:00am - 5:00pm For authors of all levels who want feedback on their query package. No pitching.</p>	<p>CraftFest 8:00am - 5:30pm Hone your craft during hour-long lectures by experts and authors. Schedule released in Spring 2026.</p>	<p>Master Class 2.0 (NEW!) * Choose between a morning session (8:00am – 12:00pm) or an afternoon session (1:00pm – 5:00pm.) A four-hour small-class format workshop for ITW member-authors with at least one published novel.</p>	<p>QueryFest * by appointment only: 8:00am - 12:00pm For authors of all levels who want feedback on their query package. No pitching.</p>	<p>CraftFest 8:00am - 12:30pm Hone your craft during hour-long lectures by experts and authors. Schedule released in Spring 2026.</p>
			<p>CraftFest Luncheon 12:00pm - 12:50pm Enjoy an interview with a VIP guest over a plated lunch. Included with CraftFest registration.</p>		<p>PitchFest * 2:00pm - 5:00pm For querying authors who wish to pitch 60+ agents/editors in a speed dating format.</p>	
		<p>CraftFest Cocktail Party 6:00pm - 7:30pm Included with CraftFest registration</p>		<p>ThrillerFest Opening Reception 6:30pm - 8:00pm Included with ThrillerFest registration</p>		