Guide to Book Selling Options

For the 2024 LDSPMA Conference, Oct 18–19

("Books" = any physical item sold at the conference)

| | Option A: Sold as UVU Inventory | Option B: Sold on Consignment |
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| Who can sell their books through this option? | Speakers and presenters LDSPMA volunteers People with a vendor/exhibit table People with a half table at the Mass Book and Media Signing | |
| How do the books arrive at the conference? | UVU orders books in advance from publishers or distributors | You bring the books yourself |
| Where are the books displayed? | At the Conference Store (a row of tables in the registration/check-in/vendor area, set up for the whole length of the conference) | |
| Can I also have copies of the books at my table? | Yes (Pick them up from and return them to the Conference Store. To avoid mix-ups, don't bring your own copies.) | Yes. (They must still be sold through the UVU cashier.) |
| Who handles the sale? | The UVU cashier on site | |
| Who collects sales tax? | UVU | |
| Can I offer attendees a discount on my books? | No. UVU requires that books be sold at list price. | |
| What is UVU's profit? | The difference between sale price and wholesale price (typically 15%–45%) | 20% of the sale |
| What is my profit? | Whatever royalty you get from your publisher for retail sales. (For Amazon KDP, this is 60% minus the cost of printing the book.) | 80% (minus what it cost you to have the book printed and shipped to you) |
| What happens to unsold books? | UVU returns them to the publisher or distributor for a refund. | You carry them out with you at the end of the conference. |
| How do I select this option? | Fill out the <u>Conference Store form</u> by September 1. | Fill out the <u>Conference Store form</u> by October 1. |