

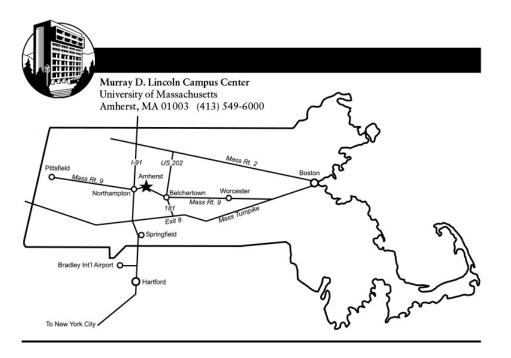


The conference will be held at the **University of Massachusetts Amherst**. The hub of the conference is the Murray D. Lincoln Campus Center. Many sessions and events will be held in the Campus Center, with additional programming in nearby academic buildings, the Fine Arts Center, and around the campus pond. <u>Click here < http://www.umass.edu/visitorsctr/sites/default/files/maps/campusmap.pdf></u> to take a look at a campus map.

The Campus Center and Campus Center Parking Garage are located at 1 Campus Center Way, Amherst MA 01003. Click here < https://goo.gl/maps/poDJ9fNbo1G2> to obtain turn-by-turn directions to the Campus Center Parking Garage.

The North Residence Halls are all located on Eastman Lane, Amherst MA 01003. <u>Click here < https://goo.gl/maps/bLJ33Mq9gJH2></u> to obtain turn-by-turn direction to North (please note this link will provide directions to North D, but as all 4 North buildings are located next to each other these directions can be used regardless of your final building assignment).

The traditional residence hall will be located in the Central Residential Area, near Infirmary Way in Amherst MA 01003, but at this time we do not know the exact building that will be used. Campus Center eateries will be open and we anticipate that Franklin Dining Commons will be the main DC. Updates will be posted here and detailed information will be emailed to all registered attendees as the conference approaches.



DRIVING TO CAMPUS

From the South, via I-91 North

Route 91 North to Exit 19 (Northampton/Amherst) - Right onto Route 9 and go approximately 4.5 miles to Route 116 North (left turn at the lights), then 1 mile to UMass Exit - Right at the end of the ramp onto Massachusetts Avenue.

From the North, via I-91 South

Route 91 South to Exit 25 – At the end of the ramp turn left and follow the road to the intersection – turn right onto routes 5 & 10 South – go 1 mile, then left onto Route 116 South, then 8 miles to UMass Exit – Left at the end of the ramp onto Massachusetts Avenue.

From the East, via I-90

Mass Pike (Route 90) West to Exit 4 (West Springfield) onto Route 91 North to Exit 19 (Northampton/Amherst) – Right onto Route 9 and go approximately 4.5 miles to Route 116 North (left turn at the lights), then 1 mile to UMass Exit – Right at the end of the ramp onto Massachusetts Avenue.

From the West, via I-90

Mass Pike (Route 90) East to Exit 4 (West Springfield) onto Route 91 North to Exit 19 (Northampton/Amherst) – Right onto Route 9 and go approximately 4.5 miles to Route 116 North (left turn at the lights), then 1 mile to UMass Exit – Right at the end of the ramp onto Massachusetts Avenue.

For commuters and Hotel UMass guests:

Once on campus, continue on Commonwealth Avenue until you reach a set of traffic lights. Turn right onto Campus Center Way. Stay to the left to go up the hill - you will see the garage entrance up the hill on your right.

For North Apartment guests:

Commonwealth Avenue will become Governors Drive. Stay on Governors Drive until you reach the traffic circle. Take the second exit onto Eastman Lane. Take your second left (immediately after Totman) onto the one-way street. You will see the first two North Apartment buildings on the right. Based on the housing assignment email you will receive in July, pull into the small half circle in front of your building and check-in.

TRAVELING BY AIR

If you are traveling to Amherst by plane, the closest airport is **Bradley International Airport** in Windsor Locks, Connecticut (near Hartford). This airport is approximately 45 miles from the UMass campus. Another option is **Logan** International Airport in Boston, located approximately 95 miles from the UMass campus. Please remember to organize transportation to and from the airport in advance.

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- Valley Transporter < https://www.valleytransporter.com/>, 800-872-8752
- Seemo Shuttle < https://seemoshuttle.com/>, 800-908-2829
- Exclusive Car Service < http://www.mylimo5.com/>, 877-695-4665
- <u>Bluebird Transportation < http://www.bluebirdairporttransportation.com/></u>, 413-221-4512
- Michael's Limousine & Transportation Service < https://michaels-limo.com/>, 800-533-8470

TRAVELING BY BUS

The Amherst area is serviced by <u>Greyhound < http://www.greyhound.com/></u>, 800-229-9424, <u>Peter Pan Bus Lines < https://peterpanbus.com/></u>, Peter Pan Bus Lines, PeterPanBus.com, 800-343-9999, and the <u>Pioneer Valley_Transit</u> <u>Authority < http://www.pvta.com/></u>(PTVA), 413-586-5806. Based on the service you select and route availabilities you should take a bus to Amherst UMass if at all possible instead of Amherst Center (Amherst Center is about 1.5 miles from the UMass Campus). Please be sure to review bus schedules and <u>campus maps < http://www.umass.edu/visitorsctr/campusmaps></u> before your arrival as both the area and the campus can be confusing to navigate if it is your first time here.

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