Saint Louis University Campus Map

Parking and Transportation Information

For Saint Louis University's campus and the Residence Inn Marriott:

Arriving by air: Saint Louis Lambert International Airport is serviced by most domestic airlines. A taxi from the airport to Saint Louis University's campus will cost $40 to $50 plus tip. Public transportation is also available via Metrolink.

The Residence Inn is easily reached via taxi and by public transportation. For those who prefer to use public transportation to the hotel, a free shuttle will be provided from the Metrolink stop at Union Station. Take the Metrolink from the airport (just follow the signs to the Metrolink) to Union Station, and call the hotel for a free pick-up. 314-289-7500.

Arriving by car: Saint Louis University is located off I-64. When traveling Eastbound or Westbound on I-64: take the Grand Blvd. Exit. Turn right (north) onto Grand Ave. Turn left (West) onto Laclede Ave. Immediately turn left into the Laclede Parking Deck.

Day Parking: The preferred locations for daytime parking are the Laclede Garage (located on Laclede Avenue, between North Grand Boulevard and Spring Avenue) and the Olive-Compton Garage (entrance at the corner of Olive Street and North Compton Avenue). Panelists, Speakers, and Teachers will receive parking vouchers. All others may park in the Visitor lot for $2.00/hour.

Over-night Parking: On-campus over-night parking is available in the Olive-Compton Garage (at the corner of Olive Street and N Compton Avenue) for $6 per day or per exit.

Accommodations

Panelists and Speakers will stay at the Residence Inn Marriott, Downtown St. Louis, 525 Jefferson St., St. Louis, MO 63103, 314-289-7500.

For our panelists, the Residence Inn offers complimentary parking, a hot complimentary breakfast daily, wireless and hard wired internet, and a complimentary grocery shopping service.

Panelists will also receive free transportation to the Saint Louis University Campus (1.2 miles from the hotel) as well as free transportation within 3 miles of the hotel from 7am-11pm. Speak to the concierge to arrange transportation, and call 314-289-7500 for a pick-up.

The hotel also features a lobby bar, indoor pool and hot tub, a 24 hour fitness center, and a 24 hour business center.

There are also numerous hotels in the surrounding area. All are located within easy walking distance of a MetroLink station and no more than one stop away from the Grand Station (two blocks south of Saint Louis University).
Here are some of the nicer hotels in the area:

- **The Chase Park Plaza**, located in the Central West End
- **The St. Louis Union Station Marriott**, located downtown at Union Station
- **The Sheraton St. Louis City Center Hotel & Suites**, located downtown near Union Station

For those seeking wallet-friendly accommodations, here are some suggestions:

- **The Drury Inn Union Station**, located downtown at Union Station
- **The Parkway Hotel**, located in the Central West End
- **The Comfort Inn**, located in the Central West End

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**Symposium Site**

The keynote address, the Friday evening reception, and the Saturday panels will take place in the [Pere Marquette](#) Gallery in historic DuBourg Hall (left, see also campus map) at 1 North Grand Boulevard, St. Louis, MO 63108, near the corner of Lindell Boulevard. The Pere Marquette Gallery is on the second floor of DuBourg Hall.

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**Dining Options**

Although the list below is just a small sampling of the wonderful dining options in St. Louis, it might be worthwhile to take a look at the [Riverfront Times' Best of 2015](#) list of restaurants to find the dining experience you are looking for. Or, if you would like a more complete listing of restaurants within walking distance, check out [this listing](#). Additionally, some of St. Louis' unique neighborhoods harbor numerous culinary options. [South Grand](#) and [The Grove](#) offer a wide variety of ethnic cuisines, including the famous [Sweetie Pie’s Restaurant](#). [Washington Avenue](#) and the [Central West End](#) contain the trendiest restaurants in town. [The Hill](#) is the Italian quarter of St. Louis, with a number of fine eateries. [The Delmar Loop](#), just north of Washington University at Saint Louis, contains a heady mix of eating and people-watching opportunities. Quaint [Lafayette Square](#) also offers a handful of establishments, all worthy of your patronage.

**Bailey's Range** is considered the best burger establishment in St. Louis. Range makes everything from scratch and uses only 100% grass fed Missouri range beef. With over 20 gourmet burgers to choose from, as well as handmade ice cream milkshakes, Range is a fantastic option for lunch or dinner. $$

**Diablitos Cantina** offers fresh, made-to-order Mexican fare with the largest tequila selection in St. Louis. Also, it is located right on Saint Louis University's campus. $$

Voted best Ice Cream Parlor in St. Louis, [The Fountain on Locust](#)’s impressive hand-painted art deco interior provides a wonderful ambiance for enjoying their wonderful ice cream treats or unwind with one of their adult ice cream concoctions (alcohol included). $$
Mama Josephine's serves up fantastic, authentic southern cooking with a healthy helping of southern hospitality by the friendliest staff in town. Enough said. $

Pappy's Smokehouse offers juicy Memphis Style BBQ prepared daily using only the best ingredients. Pappy's starts by slow smoking their meats from 4-14 hours over apple or cherry wood and finish them off with a selection of three delicious sauces and your choice of sides all prepared fresh in house. Come before noon to avoid long lines (regularly 45 minutes, but worth the wait!). $$

Pi Pizzeria serves up award-winning deep and thin crust pizza for lunch and dinner. Pi Pizzeria has put a slightly southern spin on Chicago-style deep-dish pizza, making theirs with a cornbread crust (fantastic). Each location also has a thriving bar in the evenings. $$

If you are looking for a great breakfast spot, Rooster Downtown is your answer. Located downtown, Rooster is a European style, urban cafe specializing in crepes, sandwiches, and brunch items along with a unique selection of coffee, beer, wine and the best bloody marys and mimosas in town. Enjoy breakfast in their shaded sidewalk seating. $$

Saint Louis Bread Company, known nationally as Panera Bread Company, is a wonderful place to get fresh-made sandwiches and assorted pastries in a cozy atmosphere. $

St. Louis's second biggest brewer, every year Schlafly brews around fifty styles of fresh beer. The Schlafly Tap Room first opened its doors in 1991 and proudly holds the distinction of being the first new brewpub in Missouri since Prohibition. Housed in a beautifully-restored wood and brick building on the National Historic Register, the Schlafly Tap Room enjoys a reputation as a casual, earthy place to drink, dine, and listen to great live music. $$

Located one block west of Saint Louis University, The Scottish Arms is a rustic, traditional Victorian style pub and a comfortable setting for lunch, dinner and late night entertainment. The product driven menu changes seasonally focusing on the purity and quality of local ingredients and sustainable farming wherever possible. Our hearts will always be in Scotland so we will have our famous Scotch Eggs, Haddock n' Chips and Bangers, to name a few, all year round. $$

St. Louis Oasis & Mediterranean Café is a low-key Greek/Mediterranean restaurant known for its selection of Arabic coffee and delicious gyros. Be sure to try some of the authentic dessert pastries. $$

Taste Bar strives for perfection in food, cocktails, and drink with locally sourced food and new classic cocktails featuring a tip top selection of hand selected spirits. an experience of atmosphere, flavor, service, and enjoyment. The chef of Taste believes dining and drinking are experiences that should be cherished and enjoyed. The focus is on hand crafted cocktails paired with thoughtfully prepared dishes. Cocktails and food alike are made with attention to detail. Seating here is limited, so please be patient or call ahead. $$

Tortillaria Mexican Kitchen is located in the historic Central West End and serves traditional home-made Mexican food, using only "market fresh" ingredients. Their name means "Tortilla
Shop" and you will understand why they chose it after you try their home-made corn tortillas. Their salsa bar offers 4 salsas that will tempt any palate. $$

The Triumph Grill is a chic, understated tribute to Triumph motorcycles. Here an international variety of flavors abounds in a restaurant attached to the Moto Museum. $$

Vito's Sicilian Pizzeria is a family owned and operated, full-service, Italian restaurant specializing in award-winning pizza and other family recipes. Also right on the edge of campus! $$

Wild Flower brings together American gourmet dining with a casual atmosphere. It's been said many times, the Wild Flower is the Midwest's answer to a Greenwich Village hot spot; a charming atmosphere combined with a creative and delectable menu. There truly is something for everyone at the Wild Flower. $$

Urban Chestnut Brewing Company is an unconventional-minded yet tradition-oriented brewer of craft beer. They call their unique brewing philosophy Beer Divergency: a “new world meets old world” brewing approach wherein UCBC contributes to the 'revolution' of craft beer with artisanal creations of modern American beers, and pays 'reverence' to the heritage of beer with classically-crafted offerings of timeless European beer styles. The brewery also serves locally-sourced food and has a biergarten. $$

**Historic Sites in and Around St. Louis**

**HISTORICAL and CULTURAL INSTITUTIONS**

For easy access to the following sites, take the Metrolink from Grand Station to the Arch / Laclede’s Landing. All sites are within a 6-8 minute walk from the station.

The **Jefferson National Expansion Memorial**, which includes the Old Courthouse, the Gateway Arch, and the Old Cathedral (completed in 1834), is easily accessible via Metrolink. More information at [http://www.gatewayarch.com/visit/walking-tours/view-all-stops/the-old-cathedral/](http://www.gatewayarch.com/visit/walking-tours/view-all-stops/the-old-cathedral/)

*Gateway Arch and Museum of Westward Expansion.* The Arch is open daily from 8:00 am-10:00 pm. If you want to take a tram to the top of the arch, try to make reservations ahead of time to avoid lines. Call 877-982-1410. Ticket prices are $10.00 for adults, $4.00 for children under 3-15.

*Old Courthouse,* Corner North 4th and Market Streets, St. Louis

Exhibit: Legacy of Courage: Dred Scott & the Quest for Freedom

Open daily, 8:00 – 4:30, admission free.

**Farther afield:**

*The St. Louis Art Museum* is reachable by car, cab, or via Metrolink. The Skinker station is about a 10-minute walk to the Museum.
One Fine Arts Drive (in Forest Park), free every day. Hours: Tuesday–Sunday, 10:00 am–5:00 pm; Friday, 10:00 am–9:00 pm; closed Monday.

*The Missouri Botanical Garden*, founded in 1851 by Henry Shaw, is a historic public garden, arboretum, and learning center. Reachable by car, cab, or via the #80 bus from the Central West End Metrolink stop. Hours: 9-5 daily. Admission: $8.00 for adults, children free.