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TRAVELLING TO AND FROM THE AIRPORT

Public Transportation

Denver Intl Airport

A Line Train

Denver Union Station Walk

> OR "Mall Ride" Bus

Hyatt Regency Denver

The conference hotel, **Hyatt Regency Denver**, is accessible via the <u>"A Line"</u> which runs to and from the airport and Denver's **Union Station**.

Trains leave every:

- 15 min (6 a.m. 8 p.m.)
- 30 min (early a.m., late p.m.)

The 23-mile trip takes 37 minutes.

Jeppesen Terminal information is <u>here</u>, and A Train ticket information is <u>here</u>.

MALL RIDE: BUS TO CONFERENCE HOTEL

Walk South until you reach 17th and Blake

Take the Mall Ride to 15th and California

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Tickets are available from kiosks on the platform

Once you arrive at Union Station, you can **EITHER**:

• Walk to the Hyatt Regency Denver (15-20 min.)

OR

• Take the free electric bus, the "Mall Ride"

Car Services

Taxis and ride share services are also available from the Denver Airport.

Rideshare instructions are provided <u>here</u>, and taxi instructions are <u>here</u>.

Denver International Airport is approximately 25 miles from the conference venue. The freeway connecting the airport and downtown Denver is a primary traffic artery.

Transportation times can vary greatly--ranging from 35 minutes in the best case, to far longer in many other instances

Taking public transit is thus the most dependable (and environmentally friendly!) choice

DRINKS & DINING

As the recent slate of <u>James Beard Award finalists</u> attests, Denver is earning a reputation as a place to eat well.

Two of Denver's local magazines, 5280 and Westword, can help you navigate the finest food and drinks Denver has to offer:

FOOD	DRINKS	
WESTWORD		
 <u>100 Restaurants We Can't</u> <u>Live Without</u> <u>10 Best New Restaurants of</u> <u>2023</u> 	 <u>100 Bars We Can't Live</u> <u>Without</u> 	
5280		
 <u>5280 Restaurant Guide</u> <u>25 Best Restaurants in Denver</u> <u>2023</u> 	• <u>23 Best Bars</u>	

Need fast suggestions? Read on below!



BAR AND BREWERY RECOMMENDATIONS

<u>The Cruise Room</u> - Westword calls it "Denver's most iconic drinking establishment." This bar is worth the stop. *1600 17th Street*

<u>Bierstadt Lagerhaus</u> – Denver is an IPA town, but this is a personal favorite for German lagers. 2875 Blake Street

<u>Great Divide</u> – A Denver staple, brewing IPAs, sours, and more. 2201 Arapahoe Street

QUICK & EASY OPTIONS

Sam's No. 3 – Classic Denver diner with a wide range of options, from classic diner fare to local green chili. Great for late nights and early mornings. *1500 Curtis Street*

<u>Modern Market (aka Mod Market)</u> - Local fast-casual chain offering fresh, made-to-order cuisine for breakfast, lunch, and dinner. *900 16th Street Mall*

Stout Street Social - Looking for high-end pub offerings, from burgers, to trout, to portabella sandwiches? You don't have far to walk. 1400 Stout Street A complete list of 16th Street restaurants is available here.

FOOD HALLS

Denver Central Market - Breakfast, lunch, or dinner, DCM is a foodie destination in RiNo loved by the NY Times and Bon Appétit. 2669 Larimer Street Avanti Food & Beverage – Hip neighborhood + rooftop access + a rotating range of options = a Denver staple. 3200 Pecos Street

A complete list of Union Station options is available <u>here</u>.

HIGH-END RESTAURANT RECOMMENDATIONS

Rioja - Looking for a James Beard semifinalist chef a short walk from the conference? How about just really good Mediterranean-inspired food? Come here for lunch or dinner! 1431 Larimer Street
Mercantile Dining & Provisions - Breakfast, lunch, and dinner in a place where the menu matches the setting and the seasons. 1701 Wynkoop Street
Guard & Grace - High-end steak house (that's not limited to steak). 1801 California Street
Sushi Den - Sushi. You should also consider its neighboring

sister restaurants, Izakaya Den and Ototo. 1487 Pearl Street

LOCAL ATTRACTIONS AND ACTIVITIES

You're here for the conference, but don't forget to go outside and see a little of what Denver and Colorado have to offer!

ART MUSEUMS

Denver Art Museum Museum of Contemporary Art Denver Clyfford Still Museum

CULTURAL/HISTORY MUSEUMS AND INSTITUTIONS History Colorado Molly Brown House Byers-Evans House/Center for Colorado Women's History Denver Mint Colorado State Capitol Brewery Tours



CLOSE OUTDOOR OPTIONS

Denver Botanic Gardens & Cheesman Park (10-minute drive, 15-minute transit ride) Confluence Park & Cherry Creek Trail (5-minute drive, 10-minute transit ride) City Park (10-minute drive, 15-minute transit ride) Self-Guided Mural Tour Red Rocks Amphitheater (20-minute drive) Golden (20-minute drive, 45-minute transit ride)

FARTHER AFIELD (WITHIN 90 MINUTES)

Roxborough State Park (45-minute drive) Golden Gate Canyon State Park (45-minute drive) Eldorado Canyon State (45-minute drive) Staunton State Park (50 minutes) Rocky Mountain National Park (90-minute drive) Breckenridge (90-minute drive)

LOCAL PLACES OF WORSHIP

*Mileage indicates distance from conference hotel

<u>Trinity United Methodist</u> <u>Church</u>	1820 Broadway	o.5 mile*
<u>Holy Ghost Church</u>	1900 California Street	o.5 mile
<u>SGI-USA</u>	1400 Speer Blvd	o.5 mile
<u>St. John's Cathedral</u>	1350 Washington Street	1 mile
<u>Scum of the Earth Church</u>	935 11 th Avenue	ı mile
Denver Community Church	1595 Pearl Street	ı mile
<u>Denver Buddhist Temple</u>	1947 Lawrence Street	ı mile
<u>The Church of Jesus Christ of</u> <u>Latter-Day Saints</u>	838 Grant Street	1.5 miles
<u>City Church of Denver</u>	120 1 st Avenue	2 miles
<u>Church in the City</u>	1580 Gaylord Street	2 miles
<u>New Denver Church</u>	700 Bonnie Brae Blvd	4 miles
<u>Denver United Church</u>	660 Broadway	3 miles
<u>Mikvah of Denver</u>	1404 Quitman Street	3 miles
<u>St. John's Church</u>	700 Franklin Street	3.5 miles
<u>The Pearl Church</u>	200 University Blvd	3.5 miles
<u>Temple Micah Denver</u>	1980 Dahlia Street	3.5 miles
<u>Central Christian</u>	3690 Cherry Creek S. Drive	4 miles
<u>Denver Islamic Society Masjid</u> <u>Al Nur</u>	2124 Birch Street	8.5 miles (Driving)