Hotel & Travel Information

Symposium Location

Penn’s 17th Annual Disability Symposium will take place in Houston Hall in the Perelman Quadrangle on the University of Pennsylvania campus. Houston Hall, built in 1894, is America’s first college union building. Houston Hall is located at 3417 Spruce Street, Philadelphia, PA. Breakfast, lunch, and the two plenary sessions will be held in Bodek Lounge. Workshops also will be held in Houston Hall. The building is wheelchair accessible.

Parking and walking directions can be found on our website.

Hotel Accommodations

The following hotels are holding a limited amount of rooms for this event. When making a reservation, please indicate that you are participating in the Weingarten Disability Symposium to receive conference rates. Please make reservations early.

*The Inn at Penn, a Hilton Hotel*: located on the Penn Campus *(guaranteed until Monday, March 12, 2018, subject to availability).*

- **Event name**: Weingarten Disability Symposium
- **Rate**: $259.00 plus tax, single and double rates
- **Address**: 3600 Sansom Street; Philadelphia, PA
- **Phone**: 215-222-0200  800-231-4587 after business hours
- **Parking**: Valet parking available at a cost of $43 per night. This charge is added to each individual guest room bill.

*Sheraton University City*: located two blocks from the Penn Campus *(guaranteed until Monday, March 12, 2018).*

- **Event name**: Weingarten Disability Symposium
- **Rate**: $194 plus tax, single and double rates
- **Address**: 3549 Chestnut Street; Philadelphia, PA
**Booking:**

Weingarten Learning Resource Center (or copy and paste the following link into a web browser)

https://www.starwoodmeeting.com/Book/weingarten2018  Enter password B6D02F8

**Parking:**

Covered, self-parking is available for overnight guests at a cost of $28/day. This charge is added to each individual guest room bill.

**Listed below are several other hotels in Philadelphia you may consider:**

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**Transportation from Airport**

From the Philadelphia Airport, cabs are available to Center City or Penn’s Campus: Philadelphia Taxi Cab Service 215-666-6666. Taxi charge is around $32. A taxi stand is located immediately outside of the baggage claim at each terminal.

The R1 SEPTA Rail stops at 30th Street Station, close to Penn’s campus; the charge is $8.00 per person. This service provides wheelchair accessible transportation, as well; please see the conductor.

**Transportation from 30th Street Station**

Amtrak stops at Philadelphia’s 30th Street Station, which is a short taxi ride to/from Penn. Taxis are available on the east side of the building. You are also able to travel to Penn on the LUCY, a wheelchair accessible mini-bus that is available from 6:10 am to 7:00 pm (Monday – Friday). Non-Penn individuals will have to pay a fare of $2.00 or a Septa TransPass swipe.

Please call the Weingarten Learning Resources Center at 215.573.9235 to register for the **Penn Accessible Transit** van. Once registered, call: 215-898-RIDE (7433) to arrange a ride within University City boundaries.

**Driving and Parking Directions**

[Perelman Quad Directions](#)