

AHEA Conference
14-17 April 2011
John Carroll University, University Hts. (Cleveland), Ohio USA

HOTEL and LOCAL TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

CONFERENCE HOTEL

Fairfield Inn and Suites
3750 Orange Place
Beachwood (Cleveland), Ohio 44122 USA
Local phone: 1-216-831-3300
Toll free: 1-800-MARRIOTT
Fax: 1-216-831-0486

Read about hotel amenities on their website:

<http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/clebh-fairfield-inn-and-suites-cleveland-beachwood/>

Smoking Policy: The Fairfield Inn is a smoke-free hotel, which is a Marriott brand policy. There is a Smoke Recovery Charge of \$250.00 if there is evidence of smoking in the sleeping rooms.

HOTEL RATES

JCU has a negotiated rate with this hotel; rates are per room, per night:

- room with 1 king bed = \$89 + tax (single or double)
- room with 2 queen beds = \$99 + tax (single or double)
- Hotel room rates are subject to applicable taxes (currently 15.25%) in effect at the time of check-in.
- Conference participants are responsible for their own accommodations and all related charges. AHEA and JCU assume no responsibility or obligation to this effect.
- Cut-off date: **Tuesday, March 15, 2011** (See also below.)
- (Other hotels may be available – feel free to explore on your own.)

METHOD OF RESERVATIONS

Individual Call-In:

- Call the local number **1-216-831-3300** or call the hotel's toll free reservation Line, **1-800-MARRIOTT**, and make your own reservations.
- To receive the established group rate as noted above, you must identify yourself (-selves) as member(s) of the **JCU - AHEA Conference group** initially when making the reservation.
- All reservations must be received by the group's cut-off date (**3-15-11**). Reservations made after the cut-off date will be subject to availability and the most available rate.

GUARANTEED RESERVATIONS

- All hotel reservations must be accompanied by a first night room deposit or guaranteed with a major credit card.
- Hotel will not hold any reservations unless secured, as noted above.

GETTING TO AND FROM THE FAIRFIELD INN and/or THE AHEA CONFERENCE SITE AT JCU

DRIVING TO THE HOTEL

If driving, the Fairfield Inn is off I-271 and near Chagrin Blvd. (take the HARVARD RD exit, EXIT 28B). Full directions on hotel website or check MAPQUEST:

<http://www.mapquest.com/>

FROM THE AIRPORT TO THE HOTEL

- The Fairfield Inn is about 22 miles from Cleveland Hopkins International Airport.
- Additional cab and airport shuttle information available on hotel website.

OUR RECOMMENDED AIRPORT SHUTTLE SERVICE

- **“Ohio Connection Airport Shuttle Service”**
- They speak Hungarian / *Magyarul beszélnek*
- Located between Gates 3 and 4 at the Cleveland airport / *Reptéren a 3-as és a 4-es kapu között* – “Information Booth, Cleveland Convention & Visitors Bureau”
- Tel: 1-216-299-6966
- Fax: 1-216.961.5010
- E-mail: office@ohconnection.com

Ohio Connection Airport Shuttle Service rates (other companies may differ):

- 1-2 persons = \$ 40 total per trip one-way
- 3 or more persons = \$ 15 per person per trip one-way
- Credit cards accepted, with additional service fee of \$2.50
- No service fee if paying cash or check
- 8% tax on all transactions
- Call 1-216-324-8999 for reservations, or reserve on line.
- Additional contact information and reservation form also available on-line: <http://www.ohconnection.com>
- Pre-reservations for shuttle strongly recommended

FOR THE PHYSICALLY FIT AND LIGHT OF LUGGAGE

You can take the “Rapid” from the airport almost to the JCU campus (but not to Fairfield Inn).

- At the airport, go to the “RTA station”; purchase an all-day pass (currently \$5).
- Take the **RED LINE** to downtown Cleveland, and get off (everyone exits trains here).
- When you get downtown, walk through to the other side of the downtown station, and get on the **GREEN LINE**, going toward Green Rd. (Careful – DO NOT take the Blue Line or get back on the Red Line!)
- Two choices: Get off at WARRENSVILLE stop (4th from end of line) or BELVOIR BLVD. stop (3rd from end of line). See map:
http://www.riderta.com/pdf/maps/System_Map_Main.pdf
- If you get off at the WARRENSVILLE CENTER RD. stop, walk NORTH on Warrensville Center Rd.
- If you get off at the BELVOIR BLVD. stop, walk north and **AWAY** from the big church tower, which will be behind you, and stay on Belvoir Blvd.
- Either way, about a 15 minute walk to the edge of the JCU campus.
- For schedules and more information, consult the “Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority” (RTA) website:

<http://www.riderta.com/>

(The RTA web site will also describe a Red Line to Windermere station with a # 41 Warrensville (south) bus connection. This will get you closer to campus with less walking, but it is slightly more complicated and may take longer.)

CONFERENCE LOCATION – JCU CAMPUS

- The general JCU campus address is 20700 North Park Blvd., University Hts., OH 44118.
- JCU switchboard: 1-216-397-1886 (M-F, 9 am - 5 pm only)
- Conference events will take place in the buildings called DOLAN and also the LOMBARDO STUDENT CENTER, and KULAS Auditorium in the ADMINISTRATION building. Locations and exact meeting rooms will be noted in the Conference program.
- Website to various JCU maps and additional driving directions (with links):
<http://www.jcu.edu/about/map.htm>

FROM THE FAIRFIELD INN TO THE AHEA CONFERENCE SITE (JCU CAMPUS)

The Conference hotel (Fairfield Inn) is located about 4 and 1/2 miles and about a 10-15 minute drive from the JCU campus. For those without cars, Conference organizers are arranging shuttle service during the Conference to and from the Fairfield Inn to the Conference site on the JCU campus. Free but limited guest parking will be available on campus, more parking information to follow.

For all other needs, check MAPQUEST for your own door-to-door driving directions:

<http://www.mapquest.com/>