Travel, Logistics, and Directions

Law School Location

4801 Massachusetts Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20016
http://wcl.american.edu
Please be aware the law school is NOT on the main undergraduate American University Campus – occasionally taxi drivers will need clarification.

Local transportation while in D.C.

Taxi

We recommend that participants take taxis to the law school from most downtown locations. Additionally, there is a cab stand at the Courtyard Chevy Chase, our event hotel. This will be the best way to get to the law school, as there is no direct shuttle from the hotel. After the event, the security desk at the law school can call you a return cab, though please be aware that there can be delays at rush hour.
  - Yellow Cab – 202-544-1212

Metro

There is a free shuttle from Tenleytown Metro stop to the Washington College of Law. No ticket or identification is required.

  - Washington Metro Area Transit Authority – information on DC public transportation, including subway map
  - From the Red Line Metro stop at Tenleytown there is a shuttle to the law school – it’s across the street from the shuttle to the main American University campus. For full shuttle information, click here.
    Please check with the driver to make sure that you are on the shuttle to the law school, rather than to main campus!

Parking

There is a parking garage under the law school. If you plan to drive to the event, please contact us at least 48 hours prior, so that we can put you on the list for the garage attendant. Please email pijip.events@wcl.american.edu with your request.
Hotel

Courtyard By Marriott Chevy Chase
5520 Wisconsin Avenue
Chevy Chase, MD 20815

Airports serving Washington, D.C.

- Reagan National Airport (DCA) – closest airport to the city, located across the Potomac River in Arlington, VA. Information on ground transportation from DCA is here.
- Dulles International Airport (IAD) – located 23 miles from the law school. Information on ground transportation is here.
- Baltimore-Washington International Airport (BWI) – located 37 miles from the law school. Information on ground transportation is here.

Generally, taxi cabs from DCA to the hotel will be approximately $30-$40, from IAD will be $70-80 and BWI will be $120-$140. These rates will vary with traffic and route, and should not be a strict guide. Most DC area cabs do not reliably accept credit cards.