

FAST, CONVENIENT... TAKE METRA

SfN HAS CONTRACTED WITH METRA TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL TRAIN SERVICE FOR NEUROSCIENCE 2015.

STATION INFORMATION

McCormick Place Station is located adjacent to Level 2.5 in the South Building below the Grand Concourse, and stairway/elevator access is available to the train platform. At McCormick Place, board trains to downtown Chicago on left side (as you descend stairs or exit elevator). Millennium Station is often referred to as the Randolph Street Station and is below ground on Michigan Avenue with entrances at South Water Street and Randolph Street. Street level access to the station is on Michigan Avenue at the southwest corner at Randolph Street. The indoor access to the Hyatt Regency Chicago, Fairmont and the Swissôtel via the South Water Street exit, is through the Illinois Center. Van Buren Street Station is below ground on Michigan Avenue with entrances at Jackson and Van Buren Street. Street level access to the station is on Michigan Avenue at the northeast, northwest, and southwest corners at Van Buren Street.

GET YOUR FREE METRA TRAIN PASS

Free Metra passes are available to all attendees for unlimited rides between McCormick Place and the downtown Millennium, Van Buren Street, or Museum Campus stations. This pass or your Neuroscience 2015 badge must be displayed to gate agents and conductors when boarding. Passes are available at the Metra desk on Level 2.5 and at SfN Information Booths while supplies last.

METRA COMMUTER TRAIN SCHEDULE

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Daily Metra Schedule on the L

Chicago Transportation Options

Chicago is ready to welcome Neuroscience 2015, and SfN has made navigating Chicago a breeze! Whether you choose to hop on Metra or the world-famous elevated "L" train system, take the dedicated SfN shuttle bus directly from your hotel, or grab a taxi, McCormick Place Convention Center is a quick trip.

METRA — FASTEST OPTION AND FREE TO DOWNTOWN HOTELS

Metra, Chicago's commuter train system, runs from downtown and stops directly in the convention center on Level 2.5. Metra stations are within walking distance to 60 percent of the meeting hotel rooms. SfN has contracted with Metra to provide additional train service for Neuroscience 2015. Free Metra passes are available to all attendees for unlimited rides between McCormick Place and the downtown Millennium, Van Buren Street, and Museum Campus stations. This pass or an SfN-Neuroscience 2015 badge must be displayed to gate agents and conductors when boarding. Passes and schedules are available at the Metra desk on Level 2.5 and at SfN Information Booths. Trains operate on a fixed schedule, with frequent service during peak am and pm times. Please see the back page for more information.

CTA

The CTA, Chicago's light rail system known as the "L," provides service throughout the city and to O'Hare and Midway airports and is convenient to many of the meeting hotels. SfN will run a complimentary shuttle from the Roosevelt Road station (on the Red, Orange and Green lines) to McCormick Place during regular shuttle hours.

SfN SHUTTLE SERVICE

With shuttle bus service operating every 10 minutes during peak times and 20 minutes during off peak times, you can conveniently travel between your official SfN meeting hotel and the convention center. For Neuroscience 2015, SfN offers a shuttle fleet with 105 buses dedicated to your travel. With the exception of the Hyatt Regency McCormick Place, adjacent to the convention center, shuttle service is available at all of the official SfN meeting hotels. In addition, because of Chicago's commitment to successful large meetings, shuttles operate on a dedicated traffic-free "busway" from downtown to the convention center.

TAXIS

With more than 6,500 vehicles, Chicago has the second largest taxi fleet in the country. Discounted shared rides are available between McCormick Place and downtown. This program allows up to four passengers to share a taxi for a flat fare per person. Each passenger can be dropped off at a different destination. The program covers hotels, restaurants, and other attractions within these downtown boundaries: Roosevelt Road on the south, North Avenue on the north, Halsted Street on the west, and Lake Michigan on the east. Shared rides are available throughout the conference. In addition, a taxi dispatch center is located in McCormick Place to ensure cabs are readily available to meet demand.

HOTELS

The Society's housing company, Convention Management Resources, will be on-site to assist with any housing questions during the meeting. Representatives will be located in McCormick Place, South Hall A, Oct. 17–21 during the following hours:

Friday, Oct. 16	2-5 p.m.
Saturday, Oct. 17	7:30 a.m5 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 18	7:30 a.m5 p.m.
Monday, Oct. 19	7:30 a.m5 p.m.
Tuesday, Oct. 20	7:30 a.m5 p.m.
Wednesday, Oct. 21	7:30 a.m3 p.m.

On-site phone: (312) 791-6745

HOTEL LIST

For travel between meeting hotels and McCormick Place, Neuroscience 2015 attendees have several options.

Hotel Name Location	Shuttle Route	Pick Up Point	Transportation Stop/Line/Distance		
Co-Headquarters Hotels					
Fairmont Chicago, Millennium Park 200 North Columbus Dr.	D	Curbside on Columbus Drive	CTA — State & Lake/Orange/4 blocks Metra — Millennium/Electric/3 blocks		
Hyatt Regency Chicago Downtown 151 East Wacker Dr.	D	Curbside on Wacker Drive	CTA — State & Lake/Orange & Green/4 blocks Metra — Millennium/Electric/3 blocks		
Attendee Hotels					
Aloft Chicago City Center 515 N. Clark St.	С	Walk to Hampton Inn — Front Entrance	CTA — State & Grand/Red/2 blocks		
Chicago Marriott Downtown Magnificent Mile 540 North Michigan Ave.	F	SW Corner Ohio & Rush Streets	CTA — State & Grand/Red/2 blocks Metra — Millennium/Electric/7 blocks		
Courtyard Chicago Downtown Magnificent Mile 165 East Ontario St.	G	Walk to Hyatt Mag Mile — SE Corner of St. Clair & Erie Streets	CTA — State & Grand/Red/6 blocks		
Courtyard Chicago Downtown River North 30 East Hubbard St.	С	Walk to Hampton Inn — Front Entrance	CTA — State & Grand/Red/1 block Metra — Millennium/Electric/7 blocks		
Chicago's Essex Inn 800 S. Michigan Ave.	В	Walk to Hilton Chicago — 8th Street Side Entrance	CTA — Harrison & Polk/Red/4 blocks Metra — Van Buren/Electric/4 blocks		
Crowne Plaza Chicago Metro 733 West Madison St.	К	Halsted Side Entrance	CTA — UIC — Halsted/Blue/5 blocks		
Embassy Suites Downtown 600 North State St.	F	SW Corner of Ohio & Rush Streets	CTA — State & Grand/Red/1 block		
Fairfield Inn & Suites Chicago Downtown/River North 60 W. Illinois St.	С	Walk to Hampton Inn — Front Entrance	CTA — State & Grand/Red/2 blocks		
Freehand Hotel 19 E. Ohio St.	F	SW Corner of Ohio & Rush Streets	CTA — State & Grand/Red/2 blocks		
Hampton Inn & Suites — Chicago Downtown 33 W. Illinois St.	С	Curbside — Front Entrance on Illinois	CTA — State & Grand/Red/2 blocks		
Hilton Chicago 720 South Michigan Ave.	В	8th Street Side Entrance	CTA — Harrison & Polk/Red/4 blocks Metra — Van Buren/Electric/3 blocks		
Hilton Suites Chicago Magnificent Mile 198 E. Delaware Pl.	н	Across the Street from Westin — on Delaware	CTA — State & Chicago/Red/4 blocks		
Holiday Inn Hotel & Suites Chicago Downtown 506 W. Harrison St.	К	Curbside on Harrison	CTA — Clinton/Blue/1 block		
Holiday Inn Chicago Mart Plaza River North 350 W. Mart Center Dr.	С	Across the Street on Orleans Street	CTA — Merchandise Mart/Brown/1 block CTA — Clark & Lake/Green/4 blocks		
Hotel Cass — Holiday Inn Express at Magnificent Mile 640 N. Wabash Ave.	F	SW Corner of Ohio & Rush Streets	CTA — State & Grand/Red/3 blocks		
Hotel Felix Chicago 111 W. Huron St.	G	Across the Street front Entrance — on Huron	CTA — Chicago & State/Red/4 blocks		
Hotel Indigo Chicago Downtown Gold Coast 1244 N. Dearborn Pkwy.	J	Curbside — Front Entrance on Dearborn	CTA — Clark & Division/Red/2 blocks		

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Hyatt Chicago Magnificent Mile 633 N. St. Clair St.	G	SE Corner of St. Clair & Erie Streets	CTA — State & Grand/Red/4 blocks
Hyatt Place Chicago/River North 66 W. Illinois St.	С	Walk to Hampton Inn — Front Entrance	CTA — State & Grand/Red/2 blocks
Hyatt Regency McCormick Place 2233 S. Martin Luther King Dr.	Walk	Walk to McCormick Place	Adjacent to McCormick Place
Inn of Chicago 162 E. Ohio St.	G	Walk to Hyatt Mag Mile — SE Corner of St. Clair & Erie Streets	CTA — State & Grand/Red/3 blocks
InterContinental Chicago Magnificent Mile 505 N. Michigan Ave.	E	Upper Illinois Side Entrance	CTA — State & Grand/Red/2 blocks Metra — Millennium/Electric/7 blocks
Omni Chicago Hotel 676 N. Michigan Ave.	G	Across the Street front Entrance — on Huron St	CTA — State & Chicago/Red/3 blocks
Palmer House A Hilton Hotel 17 East Monroe St.	ı	Wabash Avenue Door	CTA — Adams & Wabash/Orange & Green/1 block Metra — Millennium/Electric/4 blocks
Radisson Blu Aqua Hotel Chicago 221 North Columbus Dr.	D	Walk to Fairmont — Curbside on Columbus	CTA — State & Lake/Orange/4 blocks Metra — Millennium/Electric/3 blocks
Renaissance Blackstone Chicago Hotel 636 S. Michigan Ave.	В	Walk to Hilton Chicago — 8th Street Side Entrance	CTA — Harrison & Polk/Red/4 blocks Metra — Van Buren/Electric/4 blocks
Renaissance Chicago Downtown Hotel 1 West Wacker Dr.	С	Walk to Wyndham — Front Entrance on Wacker Drive	CTA — State & Lake/Orange/1 block Metra — Van Buren/Electric/4 blocks
Residence Inn Chicago Downtown/Magnificent Mile 201 E. Walton Pl.	Н	Across the Street from Westin — on Delaware Place	CTA — State & Chicago/Red/4 blocks
Sheraton Chicago Hotel & Towers 301 East North Water St.	E	Convention Center Entrance	CTA — State & Grand/Red/6 blocks Metra — Millennium/Electric/6 blocks
Silversmith Hotel Chicago Downtown 10 South Wabash	1	Walk to Palmer House Hilton — Wabash Avenue Door	CTA — Randolph & Wabash/Orange & Green/2 blocks Metra — Millennium/Electric/3 blocks
Sofitel Chicago Water Tower 20 East Chestnut Street	J	Curbside — Front Entrance on Chestnut	CTA — State & Chicago/Red/2 blocks
Swissôtel Chicago 323 East Wacker Drive	D	Walk to Hyatt — Curbside on Wacker Drive	CTA — State & Lake/Orange/4 blocks Metra — Millennium/Electric/3 blocks
Talbott Hotel 20 E. Delaware Pl.	J	Walk to Sofitel — Curbside on Chestnut	CTA — State & Chicago/Red/4 blocks
W Chicago Lakeshore 644 N. Lake Shore Dr.	н	Curbside on Inner Lake Shore Drive	CTA — State & Grand/Red/8 blocks
Westin Michigan Avenue 909 North Michigan Avenue	Н	Across the Street Front Entrance — on Delaware PI	CTA — State & Chicago/Red/4 blocks
Wyndham Grand Chicago Riverfront 71 E. Wacker Dr.	С	Front Entrance on Wacker Drive	CTA — State & Lake/Orange & Green/4 blocks Metra — Millennium/Electric/3 blocks