Travel and Food

The symposium is being held in the NIU Naperville Conference Center. The Center is located about 25 miles from O'Hare airport and 29 miles from downtown Chicago. The symposium will begin the afternoon of Thursday, October 19 and end before lunch on Saturday, October 21. Rooms are available for a reduced conference rate at the Hampton Inn, 1120 E. Diehl Road, Naperville, located across the street from the Conference Center. Other hotels and restaurants are located within a few blocks of the Conference Center. More information about accommodations and transportation is located on the AERI website.

Travel Information

Directions to Naperville NIU Conference Center from O'Hare and Midway Airports*:

By Car:

From O'Hare Airport: 1--290/94 South (Indiana) to I--88 West (Aurora). Exit Naperville Rd, turn left at the first light (Freedom Drive), right onto Diehl Road, NIU Conference Center and hotel are ¼ mile down on right.

From Midway Airport: Cicero Avenue North to I--55 South (St. Louis) to I--355 North (NW Suburbs) to I--88 West (Aurora). Exit Naperville Road, turn left at the first light (Freedom Drive), turn right onto Diehl Rd, NIU conference center and hotel are ½ mile down on right.

(A suburban taxi fare from O'Hare should be approximately \$45-\$50. An area hotel recommends American Taxi, which is a suburban taxi company that takes credit cards. It is suggested that city taxis not be taken because they may overcharge.)

By Train:

The train from downtown Chicago is a short cab ride away from the hotel.

NIU Conference Center:

1120 E Diehl Road, Naperville, IL 60563

Phone: (630) 577--9101

Area Restaurants:

Buffalo Wild Wings Grill & Bar: 2555 W 75th Street Naperville, IL 60540 (630) 369--9464

Cooper's Hawk: 1740 Freedom Drive, Naperville, IL 60563 (630) 245--8000

Cuisine of India: 1163 E Ogden Avenue Naperville, IL 60563 Phone: (630) 548--9440 Hugo's Frog Bar & Fish House: 55 East Van Buren Avenue, Naperville, IL 60540 (630)

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Jason's Deli: 1163 E Ogden Avenue Naperville, IL 60563 Phone: (630) 548--9440

Las Palmas Mexican Restaurant: 1150 E Ogden Avenue, Naperville, IL 60563 (630)

717--9030 Maggiano's Little Italy: 1847 Freedom Drive, Naperville, IL 60563 (630) 536--2270

Morton's The Steakhouse: 1751 Freedom Drive, Naperville, IL 60563 (630) 577--1372 **White Chocolate Grill:** 1803 Freedom Drive, Naperville, IL 60563 Phone: (630) 505--8300