



## DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATION

### Parking Instructions

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If you have a handicapped tag on your vehicle, you are welcome to park at any of the handicapped parking spots next to the Skinner Building, the Chapel, or the Chapel parking lot.

**Mowatt Lane Garage** is the recommended parking location for the event. Visitor parking is on the bottom floor of the garage. All other floors not marked for visitor parking will be ticketed. Please note that it is a 15-minute walk from the Mowatt Lane Garage to the Skinner Building (it is the closest visitor parking to the building).

A GPS instruction guide on driving to the Mowatt Lane Garage from VA, MD, and DC is found on the next page and includes a walking map to the Skinner Building.

If the Mowatt Lane Garage is full, or if you prefer not to park there, parking garages are available at:

- The Hotel (15-minute walk to Skinner Building)
  - 7777 Baltimore Ave, College Park, MD 20740
  - <https://www.thehotelumd.com/>
- Leedos Parking Garage (15-minute walk to Skinner Building)
  - 4509 Knox Road (corner of Knox and Yale RD), College Park, MD 20740
  - <http://shopcollegepark.org/shops/downtown-parking-garage/>

Both are located off Route 1, near the University of Maryland.

Please note that all garages (both on and off campus) charge for parking.

If you get lost trying to get to the University of Maryland, any of the parking garages, or the Skinner Building, please call Dr. Shawn Parry-Giles at 301-704-5541.

- To locate building on Map, visit <http://maps.umd.edu/map/#>
- To install Mobile Apps for a map or parking location: <http://www.dots.umd.edu/maps&apps.html>
- If you choose to travel by Air/Metro/foot instead of car: **UMD Parking link:**  
<http://www.transportation.umd.edu/>

TRAVELING BY CAR VIA GPS TO MOWATT LANE GARAGE: 7621 MOWATT LANE COLLEGE PARK, MD 20742

**Baltimore and Points North**

Take I-95 South to Capital Beltway (I-495). At split, take I-495 West (Exit 27, right lanes) to Silver Spring/Bethesda. Take Exit 28B, New Hampshire Avenue (MD Route 650). Proceed South on New Hampshire Avenue to Adelphi Road (two traffic lights). Turn left on Adelphi Road. Proceed South on Adelphi Road through intersection with University Blvd. (MD Route 193). Make next left at light on Campus Drive. Turn right at circle on Mowatt Lane. Follow signs to Visitor Parking. Turn left into Mowatt Lane Parking Garage. *\*Note: This route takes you past the conventional way to UM to avoid congestion on US Route 1, so ignore signs that say to exit for UM.*

**OR,**

Take I-95 South to Capital Beltway (I-495). At split, take I-495 West (Exit 27) to Silver Spring/Bethesda and stay in the center right lane to take immediate left exit to College Park, US Route 1. Follow signs and stay right to US Route 1 South, Baltimore Ave. (Exit 25B). Continue on US Route 1 South for more than two miles, passing main entrance to campus. Turn right at light on Guilford Road. Follow signs to Visitor Parking. Pass parking garage on right. Turn right into Mowatt Lane Parking Garage. *\*Note: This is the posted route to UM and easiest to follow, but may take longer due to traffic.*

**OR,**

Take Baltimore-Washington Parkway (I-295) South to Greenbelt Road (MD Route 193). Follow signs to MD Route 193. Turn left at light off ramp. Turn right at light on MD Route 193 West. Pass US Route 1 and university entrances to Comcast Center and Byrd Stadium. Turn left at light on Adelphi Road. Turn left at next light on Campus Drive. Turn right at circle on Mowatt Lane. Follow signs to Visitor Parking. Turn left into Mowatt Lane Parking Garage.

**From Montgomery County and Northern Virginia**

Take I-66 East or I-270 South to Capital Beltway (I-495). Go East on I-495 to Baltimore/Silver Spring. Take Exit 28B, New Hampshire Avenue (MD Route 650). Proceed South on New Hampshire Avenue to Adelphi Road (two traffic lights). Turn left on Adelphi Road. Proceed south on Adelphi Road through intersection with University Blvd. (MD Route 193). Turn left at next light on Campus Drive. Turn right at circle on Mowatt Lane. Follow signs to Visitor Parking. Turn left into Mowatt Lane Parking Garage.

**OR,**

Take I-66 East or I-270 South to Capital Beltway (I-495). Go East on I-495 to Baltimore/Silver Spring. Take Exit 25B, US Route 1 South, Baltimore Ave. Continue on US Route 1 South for more than two miles, passing main entrance to campus. Turn right at light on Guilford Road. Follow signs to Visitor Parking. Pass parking garage on right. Turn right into Mowatt Lane Parking Garage.

**From Washington, D.C.**

Take Rhode Island Avenue (US Route 1) North to College Park. Turn left on Guilford Drive. Follow signs to Visitor Parking. Pass parking garage on right. Turn right into Mowatt Lane Parking Garage.

**OR,**

Take New Hampshire Avenue (MD Route 650) or Riggs Road (MD Route 212) to East-West Highway (MD Route 410). Proceed East on East-West Highway to US Route 1. Turn left onto US Route 1. After approximately one mile, turn left on Guilford Drive. Follow signs to Visitor Parking. Pass parking garage on right. Turn right into Mowatt Lane Parking Garage.

**OR,**

Take New York Avenue (US Route 50) East to Baltimore-Washington Parkway (I-295). Take MD Route 410 Hyattsville/New Carrollton exit. Turn left (West) at traffic light on East-West Highway, MD Route 410. Turn right on US Route 1 North. After approximately one mile, turn left on Guilford Drive. Follow signs to Visitor Parking. Pass parking garage on right. Turn right into Mowatt Lane Parking Garage.

#### **From Annapolis and Points East**

Take Rt. 50 West to Capital Beltway (I-495). Go North/West on I-495 to Exit 28B, New Hampshire Avenue (MD Route 650). Proceed South on New Hampshire Avenue to Adelphi Road (two traffic lights). Turn left on Adelphi Road. Proceed South on Adelphi Road through intersection with University Blvd. (MD Route 193). Make next left at light on Campus Drive. Turn right at circle on Mowatt Lane. Follow signs to Visitor Parking. Turn left into Mowatt Lane Parking Garage. *\*Note: This route takes you past the conventional way to UM to avoid congestion on US Route 1, so ignore signs that say to exit for UM.*

**OR,**

Take Rt. 50 West to Capital Beltway (I-495). Go North/West on I-495 to Exit 25 US Route 1. Turn left at light on US Route 1 South to College Park. Continue on US Route 1 for more than two miles, passing main entrance to campus. Turn right at light on Guilford Road. Follow signs to Visitor Parking. Pass parking garage on right. Turn right into Mowatt Lane Parking Garage. *\*Note: This is the posted route to UM and easiest to follow, but may take longer due to traffic.*

**OR,**

Take Rt. 50 West to Capital Beltway (I-495). Go North/West on I-495 to Exit 23 Kenilworth Ave (MD Route 201). Take MD Route 201 South to Bladensburg. Take Greenbelt Road (MD Route 193) exit and turn right at light on MD Route 193 West. Pass US Route 1 and university entrances to Comcast Center and Byrd Stadium. Turn left at light on Adelphi Road. Turn left at next light on Campus Drive. Turn right at circle on Mowatt Lane. Follow signs to Visitor Parking. Turn left into Mowatt Lane Parking Garage.

#### **From Springfield, Virginia, and Points South**

Take I-495/I-95 North to Exit 28B, New Hampshire Avenue (MD Route 650). Proceed South on New Hampshire Avenue to Adelphi Road (two traffic lights). Turn left on Adelphi Road. Proceed South on Adelphi Road through intersection with University Blvd. (MD Route 193). Make next left at light on Campus Drive. Turn right at circle on Mowatt Lane. Follow signs to Visitor Parking. Turn left into Mowatt Lane Parking Garage. *\*Note: This route takes you past the conventional way to UM to avoid congestion on US Route 1, so ignore signs that say to exit for UM.*

**OR,**

Take I-495/I-95 North to Exit 25 US Route 1 South, Baltimore Ave. Continue on US Route 1 South for more than two miles, passing main entrance to campus. Turn right at light on Guilford Road. Follow signs to Visitor Parking. Pass parking garage on right. Turn right into Mowatt Lane Parking Garage. *\*Note: This is the posted route to UM and easiest to follow, but may take longer due to traffic.*

**OR,**

Take I-495/I-95 North to Exit 23 Kenilworth Ave (MD Route 201). Take MD Route 201 South to Bladensburg. Take Greenbelt Road (MD Route 193) exit and turn right at light on MD Route 193 west. Pass US Route 1 and university entrances to Comcast Center and Byrd Stadium. Turn left at light on Adelphi Road. Turn left at next light on Campus Drive. Turn right at circle on Mowatt Lane. Follow signs to Visitor Parking. Turn left into Mowatt Lane Parking Garage.

**\*\*\*Note: Parking fee subject to change without prior notice:**

#### **HOW TO USE THE PAY STATION**

Look for your space number. This number will either be marked on the ground or on a metal plate on the wall in front of you. Make a note of the number; you will need to enter it at the station. Next, locate closest pay station. Press [OK] button to start, and enter your space number. Enter the amount of time, and insert payment. Take your receipt.

Parking is \$3.00 per hour, \$15.00 daily rate Monday - Friday, \$5.00 daily rate Saturday - Sunday. Payment is made at the green Digital Pay Stations. Coins: 5¢, 10¢, 25¢ Bills: \$1, \$5, \$10 Cards: Visa, Mastercard, American Express. \*Pay stations do not give change

WALKING DIRECTIONS TO SKINNER BUILDING FROM MOWATT LANE GARAGE (MLG)

