



## DIRECTIONS & ACCOMMODATIONS

### DIRECTIONS

#### **THE LAURIE M. TISCH CENTER FOR FOOD, EDUCATION & POLICY TEACHERS COLLEGE AT COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY**

525 West 120th Street  
New York, NY 10027

The main entrance is located midway between Broadway and Amsterdam Avenue, on the north side of West 120<sup>th</sup> Street.

#### **BY SUBWAY**

116<sup>th</sup> Street- Columbia University stop off the Local 1 train (red line)  
125<sup>th</sup> Street stop off the A, C (blue line) and B,D (orange line)

[Click here](#) for a NYC Subway map.

[Metropolitan Transportation Authority](#) - information about New York City Transit, Long Island Rail Road, Long Island Bus, Metro-North Railroad as well as metropolitan bridges and tunnels.

[HopStop](#) is a good site to help map out your best subway/bus/train route.

#### **BY BUS**

FROM OUTSIDE NYC: Bus transportation into New York City from neighboring states and communities usually terminates at Port Authority Bus Terminal, at West 42nd Street and Eighth Avenue. From here you can take the A or C (blue line) subway to the 125<sup>th</sup> Street stop or the 1 (red line) to the 116<sup>th</sup> Street stop.

WITHIN NYC: M4, M5, M11, M104 to 120th Street. The fare required is exact change in coins, Metropolitan Transit Authority token or Metrocard.

[Click here](#) for a Manhattan bus map.

#### **BY TRAIN**

**Grand Central Terminal**, which is located at East 42nd Street and Park Avenue, is the last stop in New York City for two commuter trains, MetroNorth and Conrail, as well as some Amtrak trains from Canada and Upstate New York. From here you can take the 7 (purple line) to Times Square- 42<sup>nd</sup> St and then the 1 (red line) Uptown to the 116<sup>th</sup> St- Columbia University stop.

[Metro-North Railroad](#)

**Penn Station**, at West 34th Street and Seventh Avenue, is the last stop for all other Amtrak service and the Long Island Railroad, New Jersey Transit, and the New Jersey PATH train commuter lines in New York City. From here you can take the 1 (red line) Uptown to the 116<sup>th</sup> St- Columbia University stop.

[Amtrak](http://www.amtrak.com/)<http://www.amtrak.com/>

[Long Island Railroad](#)

[New Jersey Transit](http://www.njtransit.state.nj.us/)<http://www.njtransit.state.nj.us/>

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## **BY CAR**

**The Henry Hudson Parkway (West Side Highway)** in New York City runs parallel to the Hudson River and offers convenient access to Teachers College. The highway can be reached from most of the main routes entering New York City. The nearest major highway link to it is Interstate Highway 95 (I-95).

Whether driving north or south on the Henry Hudson Parkway/West Side Highway, exit at 95<sup>th</sup> Street. At the first traffic light, turn north (left) onto Riverside Drive; at 120<sup>th</sup> Street turn east (right) and go two blocks east to the College. The main entrance is located midway between Broadway and Amsterdam Avenue, on the north side of West 120<sup>th</sup> Street.

Scroll down for a list of nearby parking garages.

## **BY BICYCLE**

Please use [Ride the City](#) to map out your best bike route.

# PARKING

While West 120<sup>th</sup> Street offers metered parking on both sides of the street, parking on New York City streets in the Columbia University area is limited. Nearby off-street parking facilities include:

### **MORNINGSIDE GARAGE**

3100 Broadway (at 123<sup>rd</sup> Street)

(212) 864-9877

### **E & B OPERATING CORP.**

137 West 108<sup>th</sup> Street (between Amsterdam and Columbus Avenues)

(212) 865-8315

### **PARK YORKSHIRE GARAGE**

151 West 108<sup>th</sup> Street (between Amsterdam and Columbus Avenues)

(212) 865-2314

### **UPPER WESTSIDE PARKING GARAGE**

234 West 108<sup>th</sup> Street (between Amsterdam Avenue and Broadway)

(212) 222-8800

### **RIVERSIDE CHURCH GARAGE**

120<sup>th</sup> Street (between Riverside Drive and Claremont Avenue)

(212) 870-6736

Evening parking is available at:

### **RIVERSIDE CHURCH**

(212) 866-1000

# ACCOMMODATIONS

## **HOSTELLING INTERNATIONAL \$**

891 Amsterdam Ave.

212.932.2300

<http://www.hiusa.org/nyc>

*\*Hostelling International has secured a number of rooms for Just Food Conference attendees at a discounted rate. When booking please be sure to mention that you are attending the conference to receive the discount. If booking online use promo code: **JUSTFOOD***

<http://www.hiusa.org/nyc>

## **UNION THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY - LANDMARK GUESTROOMS \$\$**

Hastings Hall

3041 Broadway Ave at 121<sup>st</sup> Street

212.280.1313

<http://www.utsnyc.edu/landmark-guest-rooms><http://www.utsnyc.edu/landmark-guest-rooms>

*\*The guest rooms are across the street from the conference venue. Limited number of rooms available on a first come, first served basis. Please be sure to mention that you are attending the Just Food Conference at Teachers College. Minimum 2-night stay. \$135 for single, \$165 for double.*

<http://www.utsnyc.edu/landmark-guest-rooms>

## **ALOFT HARLEM \$\$\$**

2296 Frederick Douglass Blvd

212.749.4000

[aloftharlem.com](http://aloftharlem.com)

*\*Aloft has secured a number of rooms for Just Food Conference attendees at a discounted rate. When booking please be sure to mention that you are attending the conference to receive the discount. Use the link below to book online. **MUST BOOK BY FEBRUARY 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2015.***

<https://www.starwoodmeeting.com/StarGroupsWeb/res?id=1502056886&key=21C10836>

## **GUEST HOUSING AT TEACHER'S COLLEGE**

525 W. 120th Street

212.678.3235

<http://www.tc.columbia.edu/housing/index.asp?Id=Housing+Options&Info=Guest+Housing>

*\*There is limited housing on campus. Conference attendees can stay tax free, be sure to mention you are attending the conference.*

Off-campus options ([See map of area](#))

# ALTERNATIVES

**GOOGLE HOTEL FINDER** - Compare prices, view photos, and read guest reviews

[google.com/hotelfinder](http://google.com/hotelfinder)<http://www.google.com/hotelfinder>

**MOTEL PLANET** - Search Brooklyn, Manhattan, or Queens for discount rates

[motelplanet.com](http://motelplanet.com)

**AIR BNB OR COUCHSURFING** - Find affordable local homestays

[airbnb.com](http://airbnb.com)

[couchsurfing.org](http://couchsurfing.org)<http://couchsurfing.org/>