

# **HOW TO FIND US**

1919 W Taylor St. Chicago, IL 60612

#### **FROM OHARE:**

- -CTA Blue Line to Medical District Stop
- -Take I-90 W. to Ogden Ave. Left on Ashland. Right on Taylor.

### **FROM MIDWAY:**

- **-CTA** Orange Line to Ashland Stop. Take 9 (Ashland) bus north and get off at Taylor. Walk west to building
- -Head North on Cicero and take 55 N. Get off on Ashland and drive north. Left on Taylor.

## **PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION (CTA):**

- -**Bus:** 12 (Exit at Roosevelt and Paulina), 9 (Exit at Taylor and Ashland)
- **-El:** Pink line to Polk Street Stop or Blue line to Medical District Stop
- -Full CTA map

#### DRIVING:

- -I-290 Westbound: take exit 28B Ashland Ave/Paulina St, Eastbound: take exit 28A Damen Ave
- -I-90/94 Westbound: take exit 52B Roosevelt Rd towards Taylor St, Eastbound: take exit 52A Taylor St towards Roosevelt Rd

### **PARKING:**

- -Pay to park on the street: Taylor or Paulina
- -Pay to park in the guest lot at <u>1100 S</u>. Wood St.
- -Pay to park at 1101 S Hamilton Ave for only \$2 a day



## WHERE TO STAY

<u>Chicago Marriott and Medical District/UIC,</u> <u>Chicago Crowne Plaza Metro,</u> Hyatt Place Chicago - Medical/University District

# Where to Live (Explore Chicago's Neighborhoods)

-Apartment hunt using: **The Facebook group that each incoming class sets up**, DOMU, Apartments, AptPeople, Trulia, Zillow, RadPad, craigslist, Realtor

# Where to Eat (An Eater's Guide to Chicago)

- -In the area: Chilango's, Tufano's, Pompei, Stax Cafe for brunch
- -Eat like a local: <u>Portillo's, Big Star, Revival Food Hall, Piccolo Sogno, Parson's Chicken, The Gage, Smoke Daddy, Pequod's Pizza, Pizzeria Due, Stan's Donuts</u>
- -Explore our neighborhoods: <u>Lula Café Logan Square</u>, <u>Summer House in Lincoln Park</u>, <u>Beatnik in West Town</u>, <u>South Coast Sushi in the South Loop</u>, <u>Chicago Q in the Gold Coast</u>, <u>Beatrix in River North</u>, <u>Au Cheval in West Loop</u>, <u>Raj Darbar near Lakeview</u>, <u>Eataly in the Loop</u>

## Where to Drink (Thrillist - Best Bars in Chicago)

-In the area: Park Tavern, Taylor Street Tap, Hawkeye's, Vintage, The Ogden

## What to Do and See (Thrillist - Chicago Bucket List)

- -Visit the <u>Garfield Park Conservatory</u>, take a <u>Brewery tour at Revolution</u>, bike the <u>606 Elevated Trail</u>, explore the <u>River Walk</u>, visit <u>Navy Pier</u>
- **-Museums**: <u>10 Best Chicago Museums!</u> Don't forget: <u>The International Museum</u> of Surgical Science!
- -See a **concert or cultural event** at <u>Schuba's</u> or <u>Thalia Hall</u>, a **comedy** show at <u>Improv Olympics</u> or <u>Second City</u> Check out <u>hottix.org</u> for discounted tickets!
- **-Sports**: Go to a Bulls or Blackhawks game at the <u>United Center</u>, or just go see venues like <u>Wrigley Field</u>, <u>Guaranteed Rate Field</u>, or <u>Soldier Field</u>
- -Go to the <u>beach</u>, the <u>Lincoln Park Zoo</u> (**Free!**), rent a <u>Divvy bike</u>, or take an <u>Architectural Boat Tour down the Chicago River</u>
- -**Shop** on Michigan Avenue, State Street, North Avenue and Milwaukee, or Southport Street.

  <u>TripAdvisor: Top things to do in Chicago</u>