ACCOMMODATIONS AND DIRECTIONS FOR 2020 NC BIKEWALK SUMMIT

The NC BikeWalk Summit will be held at the **W.G. Pearson Center**, 600 E. Umstead St, Durham, NC 27701, November 4–6, 2021. While it is difficult to know what November will look like, we are giving you information for attending the Summit in person. We are currently hoping and planning to have an inperson Summit with virtual options.

Accommodations

We have reserved a small block of rooms for the summit at two great local hotels. To get our special rates, you must reserve by October 25. We recommend you reserve accommodations as soon as possible. The two are:

<u>UnScripted Hotel</u>, (1 mi. from venue) 222 N. Corcoran St., Durham, NC 27701. King or Queen room for \$189/night, including attached garage parking, Wireless WiFi, complimentary welcome drink. Contact the Hotel <u>using this link to make reservations</u> by the cut-off date of October 2, 2021. Reservations may also be made by calling Reservations 984-329-9500 Monday–Friday 9:00AM to 5:00PM. When making reservations, request the (2021 BikeWalkNC) group block.

Durham Residence Inn by Marriott, (1.6 mi. from venue) 1108 W. Main St., Durham, NC 27701. King Studio Rate is \$189/night, a suite including breakfast, high speed internet, parking, kitchen. To reserve at the BikeWalk NC rate, click here, and make your reservations before the cut-off date of October 2, 2021.

Other hotels near the venue include:

Marriott Aloft Downtown (.8mi from venue), 345 Blackwell St. 919-402-5656

The Durham Hotel (1 mi from venue), 315 E. Chapel Hill St. 919-768-8830

21C Museum Hotel (1mi from venue), 111 N. Corcoran St. 919-956-6700

Durham Marriott City Center (1.1 mi from venue) 201 Foster Street 919-768-6000

Millennium Hotel (3.7 mi from venue) 2800 Campus Walk 919-383-8575

Spring Hill Suites/Marriott Durham Chapel Hill (5.7 mi from venue), 5310 McFarland Dr., 919-403-1111 (block reserved until Oct. 5 for \$229/night)

For your planning, we will be offering an LCI class Tuesday, Nov. 2—Thursday, Nov 4 at the Pearson Center. If you want to attend the LCI training, you may want to reserve a room for Tues and Weds as well (these have been blocked at the Durham Residence Inn by Marriott). We are planning an informal gathering on Thursday evening, and the actual Summit will begin early on Friday, November 5. It will end on Saturday around noon, but there will be an organized ride that will include the American Tobacco Trail after the Summit.

Travel Options

By Transit

Transit is a great way to connect to the NCBike Walk Summit if you live in the Triangle. We encourage you to use <u>Google Transit</u> to get step-by-step directions from your origin to the W.G. Pearson Center. <u>GoTriangle</u> connects the Triangle to the Durham Transportation Station. From there, you can consult <u>GoDurham</u> for routes and schedules. Unscripted is a walkable .4 miles from the Durham Station. (Residence Inn is .6 miles from Durham Station.

By Amtrak

<u>Durham's Amtrak Station</u> is a short walk from the Transit Center. The Carolinian and the Piedmont trains both serve the Durham Station.

By Car

If you are traveling by car, you can consult your GPS and put in 600 E. Umstead St, Durham, NC 27701.

By Air

The airport that serves Durham, NC is RDU International Airport. From there, it is possible to take a bus to the GoTriangle Transit hub and then catch a bus to Durham Transportation Station. Uber and Lyft are also options.