

2017 AACS Conference Hotel and Reservation Information

Deadline to reserve rooms at conference rate is Friday-September 15, 2017

Hotel Information:

Courtyard by Marriott Downtown at USC
630 Assembly Street,
Columbia, S.C. 29201
Phone: 803-799-7800
Fax: 803-254-6842
www.Marriott.com/caecd

Rate and Reservations:

Nightly rate for AACS Participants is \$134.00 (+14% local taxes). Please call the Courtyard by Marriott Downtown at USC directly to reserve your room. Please indicate that you are participating in the American Association of Asian Studies (AACS) Conference hosted by USC.

Check-In and Check-Out Times:

Check-In starts at: 4:00pm
Check-Out ends at: 11:00am

Parking and Local Transportation:

Complimentary parking (bus/van/car) is available. Complimentary shuttle transportation to and from the Columbia Metropolitan Airport can be arranged based on the flight information provided by the guest to Ms. Lys Duffey (duffeya@mailbox.sc.edu) 72 hours prior to check-in.

Hotel Amenities:

The Courtyard by Marriott Downtown at USC is centrally located in downtown Columbia. Supplies complimentary property-wide Wi-Fi, on-site Bistro dining and 24-hour market. Some rooms located in this hotel feature views of the city, pull out sofa beds and mini-refrigerator. There is a 24-hour business center, laundry facilities, outdoor pool (opened seasonally) and on-site fitness center.

Ground Transportation from Columbia Metropolitan Airport:

Rental cars are available at the Airport, visit website: <https://columbiaairport.com/ground-transportation/>

Taxi Cab Services pick-up area is located on the lower level of the terminal in the baggage claim area outside of the doors to the left of the rental car counters. The rate of this fare is 2.50 per mile + 2.00 starting on the meter. The distance from the airport directly to the hotel is 7.2mi (via SC-302/Airport Blvd and US-21 N route).

Uber Service is available, visit website: <https://www.uber.com/airports/cae/>

Directions from CAE Airport Directly to Courtyard by Marriott Downtown at USC:

Directions: Head southwest on Airport Blvd toward Air Commerce Drive, turn left onto Lexington Drive, turn right at the 1st cross street onto John N. Hardee Expressway, turn left onto SC-302/Airport Boulevard, use any lane to turn slightly left onto US-176 W/US-21 N/US-321 N, continue straight onto Blossom Street, turn left onto Assembly Street and the hotel will be on the right side.