



GETTING AROUND PHILADELPHIA

We're excited to have you back in Philadelphia for this year's [LearnX!](#) To help you get around, we've pulled together some places to eat and drink, things to see, and tips to getting around.

IMPORTANT ADDRESSES

Hotel: [Cambria Hotel](#) Philadelphia Downtown Center City
219 S Broad St, Philadelphia, PA 19107

Main Conference Venue: [Hamilton Garden at The Kimmel Center](#)
300 S Broad St, Philadelphia, PA 19102

Unlikely Film Screening & Reception (September 9, 5-8pm):
[National Museum of American Jewish History](#)
101 S Independence Mall E, Philadelphia, PA 19106

Graduate! Network Offices (September 10, 5-6:30pm): [MakeOffices](#)
17th & Market, 1635 Market St, 15th floor, Philadelphia, PA 19103

GETTING AROUND

Philadelphia is a very walkable city so be sure to bring comfortable shoes! The center city area (where majority of the conference happenings and hotel will be) is dense and has lots of shops and places to eat/drink. The stretch of Broad Street where the Kimmel Center and Cambria Hotel are located is called "[Avenue of the Arts](#)".

Philadelphia also has Lyft, Uber, good old yellow cabs, [Indego Bike Share](#), and Zipcar. Our public transit system is [SEPTA](#) with routes offered city-wide via buses, trains, and trolleys.

JOIN THE CONVERSATION!

For the social media users out there, we'll be using the hashtag #LearnX2019 leading up to and during the conference.

PHILLY “TO DO” LINKS

[Visit Philly](#)
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[Philly Magazine](#)
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SPECIAL EVENTS & PLACES TO VISIT

[Creatures of Habit @ The Philadelphia Zoo](#): Life-sized LEGO sculpture of endangered animals on display at The Philadelphia Zoo. Area: West Philadelphia

[Silent Secret Waterfalls @ The Barnes Foundation](#): An installation of 11 new paintings by the American artist. Area: Art Museum Area

[Fringe Festival](#) (September 5-21): City-wide celebration of innovation and creativity in contemporary performance.

[Brazilian Day Philadelphia](#) (Sunday, September 8): Brazilian Independence Day celebration. Area: Delaware Riverfront

[Spruce Street Harbor Park](#): features colorful hammocks, floating gardens, beautiful lights, refreshing craft beer, and food from popular Philly restaurants, making it a summer gathering space for locals and visitors alike. Area: Delaware Riverfront

[Cherry Street Pier](#): is a year-round, mixed-use public space on the central Delaware River waterfront. Built into the shell of a century-old municipal pier, it is a reflection of Philadelphia today—creative, diverse, historic, adaptable, and inspired. Area: Delaware Riverfront

[Philadelphia Magic Gardens](#): is a folk art environment and gallery space on South Street in Philadelphia. To date, it is the largest work created by mosaic artist Isaiah Zagar. The Magic Gardens spans three city lots, and includes indoor galleries and a large outdoor labyrinth. Area: Center City (close to hotel and conference venue).

TO EAT

ALL LOCATIONS IN CLOSE PROXIMITY TO CONFERENCE EVENT LOCATIONS

We highly recommend all the restaurants and shops along 13th Street between Chestnut and Walnut Streets. Especially restaurants and shops by Chef Marcie Turney and Valerie Safran - <http://weheartphilly.com/>.

[Double Knot](#): 120 S. 13th Street - quick breakfast and lunch, happy hour, dinner
Charming coffee shop with a secret izakaya in the basement offering sushi & robatayaki meats.

[Charlie Was A Sinner](#): 131 S 13th Street - delicious vegan food for all!
Vegan cafe/bar dishing up creative, plant-based small plates & drinks

[Harper's Garden](#): 31 S 18th Street - great for sharing!
Has the best outdoor space around Rittenhouse Square, along with a good late-night Happy Hour and solid small plates.

[Mission Taqueria](#): 1516 Sansom Street, 2nd Floor - good for happy hour and dinner
Lively Mexican spot for cocktails, aguas frescas, tacos & share plates in bright, 2nd-floor digs.

[Good Dog Cafe](#): 224 S 15th Street - great bar food; casual long time staple in Philly!
Hip bar serving craft beer & signature blue-cheese burgers on 3 pooch-themed floors.

[Monk's Cafe](#): 264 S 16th Street - great mussels; casual long time staple in Philly!
Mussels, fries, craft ales & other Belgian-accented offerings dispensed in a brewpub setting.

[Tria Philly](#): 123 S. 18th Street - lunch, dinner, cocktails
Snug cafe offers an ever-changing wine, cheese & beer selection plus an eclectic small-plates menu.

[Vedge](#): 1221 Locust Street - dinner
Restaurant serving inventive vegan & vegetarian small plates in a charming old mansion.

[Tredici Enoteca](#): 114 S 13th Street - happy hour, dinner
Welcoming wine bar spin-off of Zavino serving varied small plates & vino in half & full pours.

[Reading Terminal Market](#): 12th & Arch Streets - Breakfast, Lunch
Famous indoor farmer's market offering diverse fare, housewares & area specialties since 1892.

TO DRINK

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[La Colombe](#): 1414 S Penn Square - get the draft latte!

Trendy cafe serving house-brand artisanal coffee, pastries & snacks in a sleek space.

[Elixir Coffee](#): 207 S Sydenham Street

Single-origin, hand-poured brews & espresso drinks offered up in an eco-friendly marble & wood cafe.

[1 Tippling Place](#): 2006 Chestnut Street

This stylish craft cocktail bar offers seasonal & classic libations in a midcentury parlor setting.

Writer's Block Rehab: 1342 Cypress Street

Chill hangout with couches & globe chandeliers serving cocktails, wines, beers & light snacks.

[Maison 208](#): 208 S 13th Street

Stylish, bilevel French-influenced New American restaurant & cocktail lounge.

[Vintage](#): 129 S 13th Street

Wines by the bottle or glass plus cocktails & bistro plates both big & small, all in an airy venue.