

Travel Information

WIPIP 2020 February 7-8, 2020 Santa Clara University

Transportation

Santa Clara University is served by three major airports: San Jose, San Francisco and Oakland.

San Jose Airport (SJC). SJC is typically the most convenient option. It has many non-stop flights (see https://www.flysanjose.com/timetables) and is 10 minutes from campus and the conference hotel.

San Francisco Airport (SFO). SFO has more flights and sometimes lower airfare prices than SJC, but it's not always a better choice. First, it has more weather delays than SJC due to outdated runways and its prime fogbelt location. Second, SFO is busier and larger than SCJ, so getting in and out of the airport usually takes longer. Finally, its distance from campus – about 40 miles/45 minutes (depending on traffic) – means extra post-flight travel time and expense. Ground transportation options include:

- Uber/Lyft (approx. \$80 plus tip)
- Taxi (approx. \$125 each way plus tip)
- Pre-arranged car service (approx. \$110 each way plus tip)
- Shared ride service, such as SuperShuttle (approx. \$45 each way plus tip)
- Car rental (include an extra 10 minutes to get from the airport terminals to the car rental center)
- Mass transit to get to campus, take <u>BART</u> to Millbrae (\$4.55), then switch to <u>Caltrain</u> and take it to the Santa Clara station (\$8.25), which is across the street from campus. You should allow 90+ minutes for this option. You would still need to take a taxi or ride share service to the conference hotel (about 10 minutes away)

Oakland Airport (OAK). OAK and SJC are similar in size, but OAK has some non-stop options that SJC doesn't have. OAK is about 40 miles/45 minutes from campus, and ground transportation options/costs are about the same as SFO's (but mass transit is even less attractive).

Hotel

The official conference hotel is <u>The Westin San Jose</u> in downtown San Jose (302 S Market St., San Jose, CA 95113). The Westin is about 5 miles from SCU campus and 4 miles from the San Jose Airport.



We negotiated a discounted room rates starting at \$169/night, plus taxes. To reserve your room at the discounted rate, please call The Westin at 1-855-811-0227 or book online at https://bit.ly/339M8YH.

If calling, please specify you want the *Santa Clara University Block*". Rooms are available on a first-come, first served basis, and rates are subject to change.

Reservations must be made prior to 1/16/2020, to take advantage of the negotiated room rate.

Meeting Venue

WIPIP 2020 will be held in Charney Hall, our new law school building, on the beautiful Santa Clara University campus. For a campus map, please visit <u>here</u>.

We will be providing transportation to and from the Westin and the conference/social programs. For local driving directions, please visit <u>here</u>.

On Saturday, for anyone driving themselves, on-campus parking is free of charge and doesn't require a permit. Park in the central parking structure across Palm Drive from Charney Hall