

Preliminary Local Arrangements for INCITS/Fortran (J3 Fortran) Meeting 229 in Berkeley, CA

This document has been prepared to provide local information for those responding to our inquiry to gain an approximate attendee count, which we need for our planning purposes. Before the final meeting sign-up, there will be an updated local arrangements document. This meeting will be a hybrid meeting and will be conducted simultaneously in person and on Zoom.

Date

February 21 - February 24, 2023

Place

Shyh Wang Hall - [Building 59](#)
Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory
1 Cyclotron Rd, Berkeley, CA 94720

Local Host

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Transportation

There are multiple airports in the area:

Oakland International Airport (OAK) - 17 mi / 27 km from Berkeley Lab
San Francisco International Airport (SFO) - 28 mi / 45 km from Berkeley Lab

BART: For traveling between the airports and Berkeley Lab and for traveling around the Bay Area, [Bay Area Rapid Transit \(BART\)](#) is available. The closest station to Berkeley Lab is the [Downtown Berkeley station](#). There is a [bus stop](#) for the Berkeley Lab Shuttle outside of this station.

Berkeley Lab Shuttle: There is a free [Berkeley Lab Shuttle](#) service with multiple routes that run every work day from approximately 7 am to 8 pm. Please see the [schedule and trip planner](#) for more detailed and up-to-date information about routes, stops, and timetables.

Taxis/Rideshare Apps: Taxis and rideshare apps, such as Uber and Lyft, are available to assist with local transportation.

Hotel

A block of rooms will be reserved at the [Berkeley Lab Guest House](#), which is onsite at Berkeley Lab. This gives very convenient access to the meeting rooms, but is further away from food options.

There is also a [Residence Inn by Marriott](#) that is a couple minutes walk away from the [Downtown Berkeley BART station](#) and from a [Berkeley Lab Shuttle stop](#). If there is interest, we can reserve a small block of rooms there as well. This location will be convenient for food, but will take longer to get to the meeting rooms.

Commuting Between Hotel and Meeting Venue

If staying at the Berkeley Lab Guest House, walking to Building 59 will take approximately between 5 - 10 minutes, depending on what shortcuts are available based on the ongoing cafeteria construction. There is also a shuttle stop outside of the Berkeley Lab Guest House, and there is a stop near Building 59.

If staying at the Marriott, it will take approximately 15 - 20 minutes to commute from the hotel to the meeting rooms in Building 59 when taking the Blue Route of the Berkeley Lab Shuttle.

Food

There are incredible food options in the Berkeley area, and we will provide a list of some of these delicious options. The Berkeley Lab cafeteria is under construction and will be unavailable during the meeting. For food options onsite during the cafeteria construction, there will be food trucks in the parking lot of [Building 91](#). The current information from Berkeley Lab about these food trucks is that each day, there will be one food truck onsite that is open from 11 AM - 2 PM. The food truck schedule for the week will be posted through a link on <https://food.lbl.gov/> at the beginning of each week.

Weather

[February in Berkeley](#) has an average high of 60°F and an average low of 46°F, with approximately 8 days of rain in the month.

Further Area Information

<https://www.visitberkeley.com/>
<https://www.sftravel.com/>
<https://www.visitoakland.com/>
<https://www.visitnapavalley.com/>

Questions

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