Registration Information:

Please note that registration will take place at 8:00am to 2:00pm on Monday, August 21\textsuperscript{st} and 8:15am to 9:00am on Tuesday, August 22\textsuperscript{nd} in the A-wing of the Physics-Astronomy Building. Wednesday arrivals can register with the Consortium Meeting Secretary, room B-321 in the Physics-Astronomy Building. Note: Registration fees must be paid with cash or check (personal, traveler's, cashier's); we will not be able to process credit/debit cards.

Contact Information:

Meeting Headquarters: 206-543-4230
Room B-321 Physics-Astronomy Building
Contact: Susan Carpenter-Brandt
email: sbrandt2@u.washington.edu

Emergency Contact: Gordon Watts, cell # 312-560-4873
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Transportation options to and from SeaTac Airport and the UW:

\textbf{Shuttle Express} - 425-981-7000 or 1-800-487-7433 (Washington State only); http://www.shuttleexpress.com, door-to-door 24-hour service. Follow signs to ground transportation; the Shuttle Express booth is located on the third floor of the parking garage. The cost is $24.00 per person or less depending on the number of passengers. Some motels in the area have lower contracted fares so please check with the driver. Cash, traveler's checks, and major credit cards are accepted. Advance reservations are required on trips returning to SeaTac Airport.

\textbf{Luxury Express} (Seattle Towncar Service) – 206-941-5400 or 206-444-4500, fax: 425-889-8521. This door-to-door service, to and from the airport, costs $45 one-way and takes about 20 - 25 minutes depending upon traffic conditions. When you want to go to the airport, you will need to call them at least one-half hour in advance.

\textbf{Taxi} - The cost will be approximately $40 - $50. Taxi waiting line is located adjacent to the Shuttle Express pickup point (see above) OR call 206-246-9999. It is approximately 15 miles to the University of Washington from the airport.
Grayline Airport Express Bus - Catch the Grayline outside of the airport baggage claim area. Buses leave every 10 to 20 minutes from 5:15am to 12:05am. The bus will drop you off at the Westin Hotel (5th & Stewart), where you will need to transfer to Metro (city) buses #74, 302 or 305 on the southeast corner of 5th & Stewart. The cost is $10.25 one-way ($17 roundtrip) for Grayline, Metro local fares are $1.25 to $2.00, depending upon the time of day. Tickets for Grayline can be purchased at the ticket booth next to the coach boarding area. Travel time to the city center is about 45 minutes.

METRO Bus - The cost will be $1.25 - $2.00. Exact change required. For schedule and route information, call 206-553-3000, or see METRO's Riderlink online at http://transit.metrokc.gov/. The METRO bus stop is located outside the baggage claim area. For travel directly to the UW:

- Board the #194 northbound to downtown Seattle. Pay fare and request a transfer pass. The trip downtown will be approximately 30 minutes.
- Exit the bus downtown Seattle; your stop will be Third Avenue and Union Street. (If you're not sure, ask -- Seattle bus drivers are very helpful).
- Board the #71, 72 or 73 northbound to the University District (the trip will be approximately 30 minutes).
- Exit the bus at NE Campus Parkway and Brooklyn Avenue NE. Walk along Campus Parkway; turn right onto 15th NE. At 40th NE cross 15th NE and follow Stevens Way around to the Physics-Astronomy Building; registration is in the A-wing atrium.

Driving - Via Interstate 5 - Take the NE 45th Street exit, and drive eastbound on to NE 45th Street. Turn right on to 15th NE, and after five blocks turn left at 40th NE into the entrance to the University of Washington campus. The Gatekeeper can give you directions to the Physics-Astronomy Building. If parking on campus, a daily permit costs $11.00 and can be purchased directly from the Gatehouse at the time of entrance. The closest parking lot is the Central Plaza Parking Garage, levels C1-C5, located underneath Red Square. Please notify the Gatehouse keeper if you need disability assistance.

Walking to Campus from your Hotel – an on-line campus map is available at, http://www.washington.edu/home/maps. The Physics-Astronomy Building is located in the southwest quadrant of the main campus, between 15th Avenue NE and Stevens Way, just north of NE Pacific Street. Meetings and registration will be held in the A-wing or “Auditorium” building. Note, if you are staying at the Silver Cloud Inn, a complimentary shuttle service to/from campus is offered; please see the concierge upon arrival to make arrangements.

Additional Information:

May be obtained by visiting the University of Washington Visitors Information Center Web site at, http://depts.washington.edu/visitors.