

ASL 2004 – Restaurant Guide

Lunch

A few of the building on campus have food courts:

University center: Downstairs, *The Original Hot Dog Shop* (“*The O*”) has classic greasy Pittsburgh fare. Restaurants upstairs include *Si Senior*, *East Street Deli*, *Main Street Market*. Also upstairs, the faculty club, *The Schatz Dining Room*, should be open on weekdays.

Newell-Simon Hall: If you enter through Wean, go down to the fourth floor and walk through the bridge to Newell-Simon. The large atrium has *Asiana*, as well as sandwiches, subs, and pizza.

Posner Hall: Downstairs has *Ginger’s Deli*, which has sandwiches, soups, and other entrees.

“*The carts*”: The trucks lining Tech Street offer take-out that you can eat on one of the campus lawns, in Schenley park, or at one of the tables in front of the university center. *Sree’s* Indian food, in the little red truck, is especially good.

It is a slightly longer walk to Craig Street, but there are a number of good lunch places there. These include:

Ali Baba: 404 S. Craig, Middle Eastern

Lulu’s Noodles: 400 S. Craig, Asian

Star of India: 412 S. Craig, Indian

Subway: 415 S. Craig, sandwiches

Thai Place Café: 303 S. Craig, Thai

Union Grill: 413 S. Craig, American

On the bridge on Forbes Avenue, just before Craig Street:

Il Valletto: 4646 Forbes, Italian

There are also a number of good lunch places on Oakland, along Forbes and on side streets.

Dinner

In addition to Craig street, restaurant areas within walking distance from campus include Oakland (along Forbes, west of campus), Squirrel Hill (along Forbes, about a 15 minutes walk east of campus), and Shadyside (walk along Fifth Avenue heading northeast from campus, and make a left on Atwood).

Here are some good restaurants in Oakland:

India Garden: 328 Atwood, Indian

Mad Mex: 370 Atwood, Mexican

Road to Karakesh: 320 Atwood, African

Spice Island Tea House: 253 Atwood , Pan Asian and Middle Eastern

Here are a few in Shadyside:

Girasole: 733 Copeland, Italian

Soba: 5847 Ellsworth, Pan Asian

Thai Place: 5518 Walnut, Thai

Here are some in Squirrel Hill:

Aladdin's Eatery: 5878 Forbes, Mediterranean

Bangkok Balcony: 5846 Forbes, Thai

Café Asia: 5833 Forbes, Asian

Pino's Café Rustica: 2100 Murray, Italian

There are also a number of good restaurants downtown, and northside (i.e. over the Allegheny river to the north of Pittsburgh), and on southside (over the river to the south).

For further information, see the *Pittsburgh Destination Planning Guide*, or follow the links on the ASL meeting web page.