

*Summer 2018*  
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## Introduction

Having ESIP at Scripps for the Summer 2018 meeting will offer an unprecedented opportunity for us to engage one of the few institutions that conduct [global research](#) in and produces data for all of ESIP's scientific domains. ~~In addition, [Walter Munk](#) will be there in person to celebrate his 101st birthday.~~

NOAA's 275-person [Southwest Fisheries Science Center](#) has been an unofficial part of Scripps for over 50 years, sharing projects, personnel, and ships. SWFSC has moved into its new facility across the street from Scripps, and ESIP has an opportunity to include data professionals and scientists from the federal fisheries community.



## Venue

The Scripps Seaside Forum and all connected meeting rooms have been reserved for the week of July 16, 2018. In addition, several nearby conference rooms that meet ESIP's needs have been set aside for breakout sessions.

DataONE will use the 250-person Sumner Auditorium on Sunday, July 15. ESIP may also use this venue for Friday's closing plenary.

All meeting rooms are less than 500 ft from the Seaside Forum and were chosen to accommodate ESIP meeting attendees with limited mobility. Electric carts are available to shuttle 5-7 people at a time if additional rooms are needed.

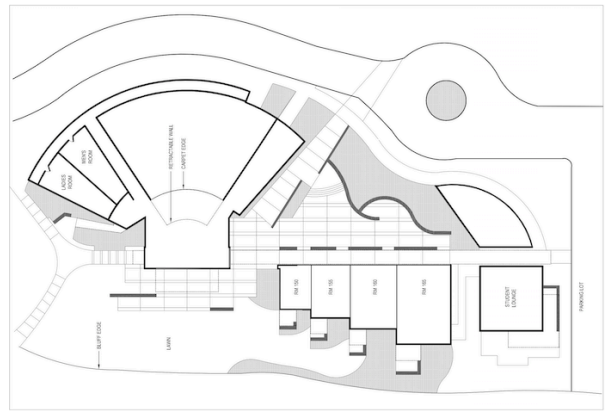
Detailed meeting room information is available [HERE](#).



Seaside Forum Auditorium (334 person)



Small Meeting Room

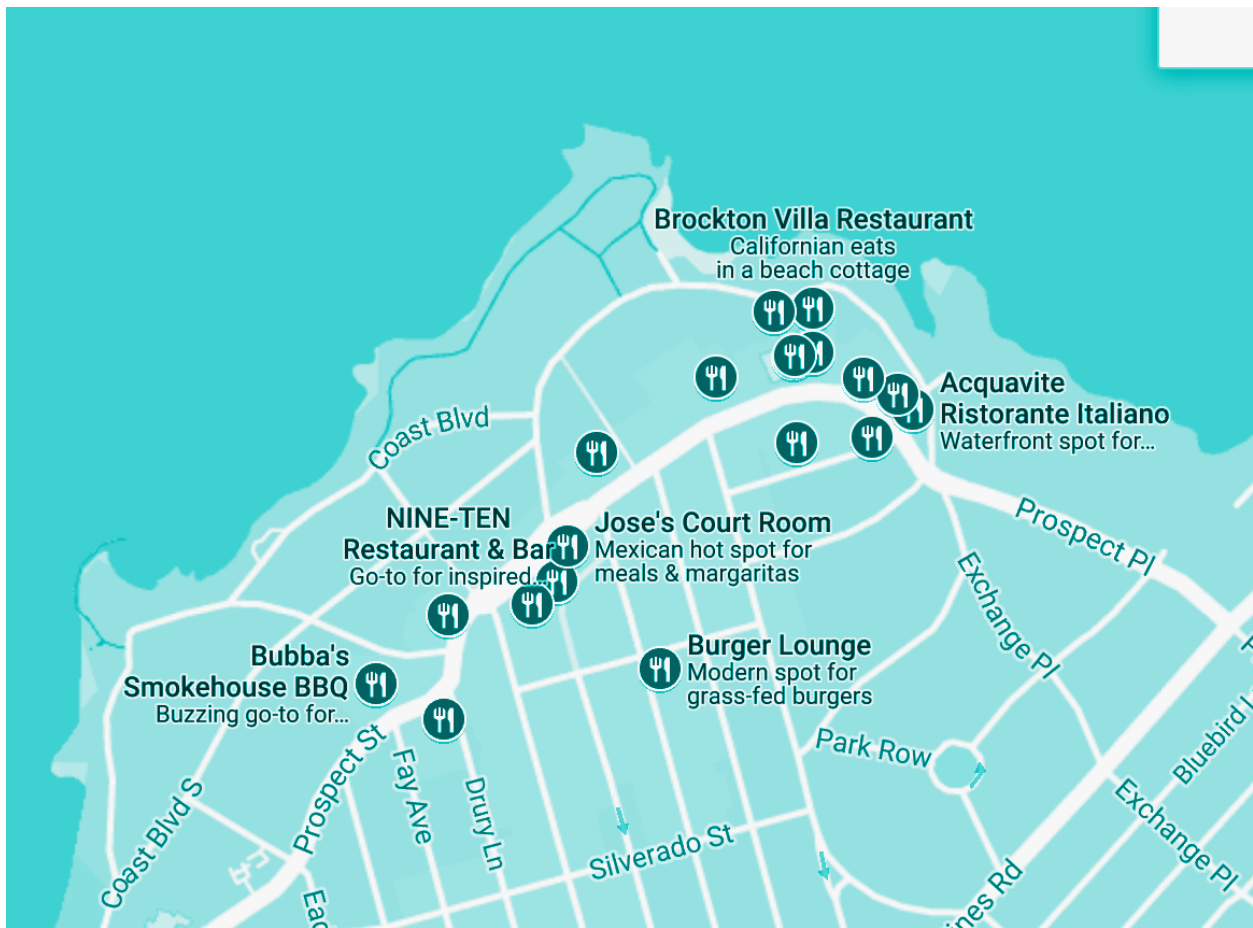


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## Restaurants / Nightlife in La Jolla

Both recommended hotels are 2-5 minutes walking distance from [Avenida De La Playa](#), the home of numerous fine restaurants as well as vacation sandwich shops. For the more adventurous, a 5-minute Lyft or Uber ride to Prospect Avenue will provide even more options, including award winning 5-star dining and oceanview bars.



Restaurants and Bars: The Village of La Jolla, along Prospect Place.

## Budget

Venue rental for the week is estimated be \$8K - \$10K. Many of the classrooms and conference rooms, including the Sumner Auditorium are free.

Scripps is part of UCSD, which provides catering for reasonable prices.

## Internet / Wireless

UCSD/Scripps provides several robust internet options, including *eduroam*. Detailed information on internet connectivity at UCSD is available [HERE](#).

## Airport / Lodging

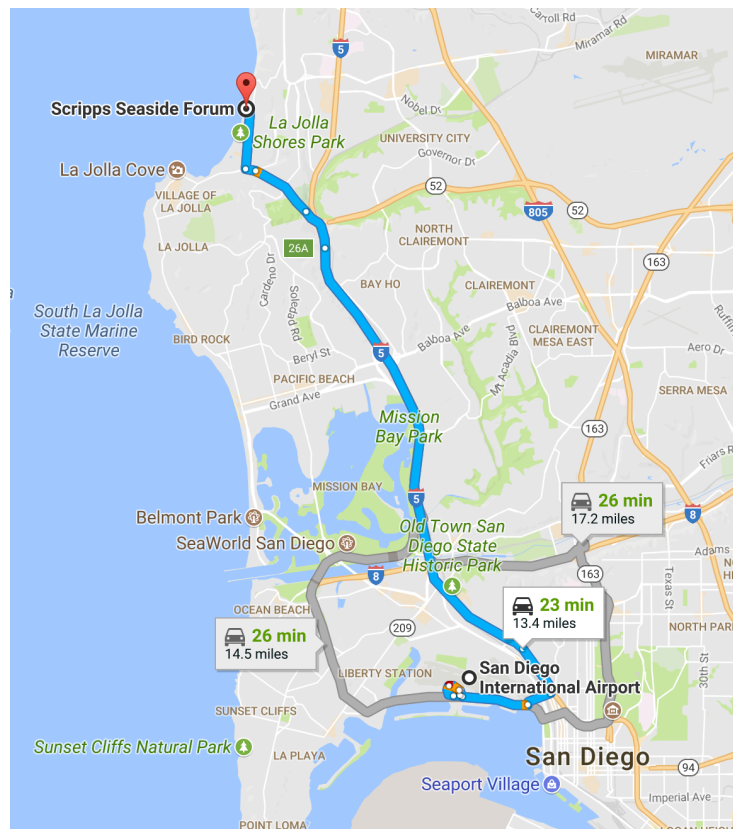
San Diego International Airport about 14 miles (20 km / 20 minutes) from Scripps, and

there are two hotels within walking distance, one with a pleasant low-tide beach walk. All hotel rates for meetings attendees are within the lodging per diem for federally funded projects.

Hotel La Jolla offers a Scripps-only rate of \$189/night for partial oceanview rooms in addition to free, on-demand shuttle service to and from Scripps.

Parking at the Scripps is available, but permits are required and may be purchased at several nearby kiosks.

If there is a need to move heavy equipment, there are SIO cargo vans that can be used.





[Hotel La Jolla](#)



[La Jolla Shores Hotel](#)

