

Lecturers and Senior Participant General Information

Getting to UC Berkeley

You will be responsible for booking your own airfare and making your own travel arrangements. Travel reimbursement limit is stated in your acceptance letter.

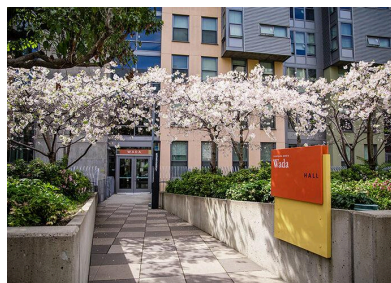
Unless you are not attending the first week, plan to arrive in Berkeley by Sunday, June 19th, 2022 in time for an icebreaker activity at 4:00 PM.

BART (Bay Area Rapid Transit) is accessible from San Francisco International (SFO) and Oakland International (OAK) Airports. The BART trip planner is a useful tool (<https://www.bart.gov/planner>). OAK is much closer to Berkeley than SFO, if convenient for your flight itinerary. Exit BART at Downtown Berkeley Station and [walk one mile uphill](#) to campus housing reserved for you. You could also choose to take a [campus shuttle](#) if you arrive on a weekday (Bear Transit: \$1 fare, shuttle stop at Shattuck Ave & Allston, southbound, take line "R" Reverse Perimeter to Unit 2 Residence Hall stop on College Ave and Haste; Weekdays 7:15 am to 6:45pm, shuttle every 30 minutes, last full trip from Downtown Berkeley BART at 6:15pm, after which there is a night safety shuttle service that starts at 7:30 PM and runs to 3:00 AM, 7 nights a week, otherwise no weekend or holiday campus shuttles). You can also choose to use a ride service app.

Campus Housing

[Wada Apartments](#) (within Unit 2)
2650 Haste Street

Check-In: 3:00 PM or later, June 19, 2022
Check-out: by 11:00 AM, July 16, 2022



- Early arrivals may leave things at the Desk.
- Check-in by going to the housing office on the lower level of the central building of [Unit 2 Residence Halls](#) located at 2650 Haste St. It can be tricky to access ramps down to the lower level, so you may need to use stairs.
- Late Arrivals (after 11:00 PM) call for clerk: (510) 708 4068. It is recommended that you call when you're on your way to the Residence Hall, if you are arriving late.
- Clerk will give you keys and meal card, which will be coded for you to join group lunches at [Foothill Dining Hall](#). Other than a weekly BBQ provided by CIDER, along with numerous coffee breaks, you will be on your own for breakfast and dinner.

- To help make your kitchenette more useful, CIDER is providing you with a box of supplies which includes:

• 1 paring knife	• 4 mugs	oz.)
• 1 chef's knife	• 1 frying pan	• 1 pack of salt & pepper
• 1 bread knife	• 1 big pot + lid	• 1 roll of paper towels
• 1 dish cloth	• 1 small pot	• 1 trash bag
• 8 sets of silverware (in grey Tupperware)	• 2 mixing bowls	• 1 Mr. Clean magic eraser (white sponge)
• 4 cereal bowls	• 2 mixing spoons	• 2 disinfectant wipes
• 4 small plates	• 1 spatula	• 1 hand soap dispenser
• 4 large plates	• 1 serving fork	• 1 dish soap + sponge
• 6 glasses	• 2 cutting boards	• 1 extra sponge
	• 1 glass jar of olive oil (8 oz.)	

- When you leave please put these items back in the box provided. If you are the last CIDER participant staying in that apartment, please drop it off at the housing desk with your keys when you check-out
- .We will not be able to extend your stay beyond July 16 at 11:00 AM
- Units are single-occupancy bedrooms in two-bedroom, one-bath apartments, so you will share an apartment (bathroom, living room, kitchenette) with up to one other lecturer or senior participant.
- Charge for lost or not returned keys is \$75.00.
- Linen/Housekeeping service: Beds will be made prior to arrival with pillow, pillow case, sheets, blanket, and bedspread. Two towels, a face cloth, and a bar of soap will be provided. Bedrooms are not cleaned during the conference duration. Once per week, each conference attendee should drop off dirty linens (pillow case, sheets, two towels, facecloth) in the bins located on each floor of the building. If there are not enough bins to place on each floor, then a linen cart will be available in the lobby of the building. A new bag of linens (pillow case, sheets, two towels, facecloth) will be placed by the bedroom door. If it is a double-occupancy room, then two bags of linens will be placed by the door. Pillows, blankets and bedspreads are available to exchange at each unit's front desk. When a group checks out at the end of their stay, they can leave dirty linens in the room.

[Walking Map](#)

Campus Parking

Individuals have two options to purchase parking at a [campus lot which offers public parking](#):

- Pay-by-Phone App (<https://www.paybyphone.com/>)
- Purchase a parking code at the yellow dispenser in the lot.

Cost: \$2.00 per hour

Note: Either of the above methods will need to be done daily.

Public Parking in the City of Berkeley

Parking is cheaper and more available the farther you park from campus, and sometimes it's only a block or two away. [Visit City of Berkeley Parking Lots](#) for detailed information about city parking lots and garages.

There are a number of public parking lots and facilities near campus and in downtown Berkeley. This list includes municipal and privately owned parking lots and garages open to the public. Please consult signs for hours and fees prior to entering the facilities.

- [Stadium Parking Garage \(2175 Gayley Road\)](#)
- [Berkeley Way near Shattuck\(link is external\)](#)
- [Allston Way near Shattuck \(2061 Allston Way\)](#)
- [Durant Avenue near Telegraph \(2450 Durant Avenue\)](#)
- [Bancroft Way near Bowditch \(2558 Bancroft Way\)](#)

There is street and metered parking near the University, but be diligent about reading parking restrictions, as the regulations and schedules are strictly enforced by the City of Berkeley.

Wifi

"CalVisitor" network. This network does not need a username or password.

"eduroam" network. If your home institution has eduroam, you can use your login credentials while on campus to access this secure WiFi network.

Meals

Applies to both on-campus and off-campus participants

You will be provided a meal card for lunch only. CIDER will host a BBQ on every Wednesday evening of the program in front of the [Campanile](#). All participants are expected to attend each BBQ and if you have family members traveling with you, they are welcome to join.

[Foothill Dining Hall](#)

2700 Hearst Ave

(~ 500 meters from daily conference programming on north side of campus)

Lunch: 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM

You are expected to lunch with the Grad Students and Postdocs.

You will be on your own for breakfast and dinner (except on Wednesdays, with BBQ).

Icebreaker

[McCone Hall](#) Sunday, June 19th ~ 4PM to 5:30PM

Light refreshments are served.

Everyone is expected to attend outside in front of building to register and receive information folder, which contains the agenda, map, and nametag

Weather

The summer evenings can be cool in Berkeley, 45°F/7°C. Daytime temperatures sometimes do not exceed 65°F/18°C, but are often warmer. Make sure you pack a jacket.

Family Resources

CIDER is family friendly. If you bring family with you, here are some resources:

- Cal Youth Programs and Camps offers several [year-round opportunities and experiences](#) for youth of all ages hosted by Recreational Sports. These award-winning summer camps come with conveniences such as easy campus drop-off, complimentary early morning care, affordable afternoon extended care, a financial assistance program, and payment plans. While some camps are filled, there are still spaces available in a number of camps, particularly those for the 11+ age groups. Go to camps.berkeley.edu to select the camps that match interests and schedules. You can mix and match programs to meet the needs of your family.
- [Bananas](#). Besides having a database of over 900 childcare providers in the local area, they also have some resources for parents, and can arrange playgroups.
- [East Bay Regional Park District Outdoor Recreation Programs](#). They are still transitioning back to in person, but have historically had youth camps for archery, canoeing, fishing, and even llamas.
- [City of Berkeley summer camp guide](#)
- City of Oakland 2022 Lake Merritt Boating Center & Jack London Aquatic Center [Youth Summer Boating & Sailing Camp Information](#)
- For younger children: [Children's Fairyland](#), near Lake Merritt in Oakland
- For older children and adults, [Ace Makerspace](#) and [The Crucible](#), both nearby in Oakland, have many great workshops in woodworking, laser printing, printmaking, moldmaking, textiles, glass blowing, metal fabrication, and more.

COVID-19 Protocols

Check here for the latest [UC Berkeley mask requirements](#). When masks are strongly recommended, but not required, most people still wear masks, especially indoors.

All conference participants need to be compliant with the UC Vaccination Policy:

- As of 2/17/22, individuals who are 12 years or older should have received their primary vaccination series AND booster dose prior to arrival on campus; those between the ages of 5-12 should have received the final dose in the primary vaccination series at least two (2) weeks prior to arrival on campus.
- Part of the online registration process for all participants is a vaccine attestation

We recommend keeping proof of vaccination with you in case you are asked to show it to enter a building on campus or in the City of Berkeley.

Participants are encouraged to self-monitor for COVID-like symptoms. If symptoms develop:

- Stop participating in all conference activities until negative COVID test result is obtained
- Get COVID-19 test at a local testing site or obtain at an at home test kit from a local pharmacy
- After testing, notify cider@berkeley.edu of any positive COVID-19 test result, so that campus and local health departments are notified in a timely manner.
- Medical care can be obtained at nearby hospitals and medical centers. [View a list of local emergency and urgent care centers](#).
- Call 911 from any campus phone to report a life-threatening medical emergency and Berkeley Paramedics will respond.

- Procedures will be provided to help sick participants to go to Isolation/Quarantine Housing, or return home safely if it is feasible to do so

COVID-19 Test

Depending on the requirements of your home institution, state, or country, if you need a negative COVID-19 test result prior to returning home, here are some options for where to get tested:

- Testing at SFO: <https://www.flysfo.com/travel-well/covid-19-testing> (These can be expensive, but it's a great last-minute option in case you can't get a test prior to when you go to the airport. Appointments are recommended, and allow time to get the results)
- Test the People (Travel-specific testing):
https://my.primary.health/r/testthepeople?registration_type=default (This is in North Oakland, so you would have to take the bus or taxi or uber/lyft to get it. Results in 12 hours.)
- Walgreens: <https://www.walgreens.com/findcare/covid19/testing> (Closest site with PCR testing is in Oakland though)
- CVS/Target: <https://www.cvs.com/minuteclinic/covid-19-testing/> (Limited availability, closest site with PCR testing is in Oakland)
- Covid Clinic, Frank Ogawa Plaza: <https://www.covidclinic.org/frank-ogawa-plaza/> (accessible by BART; they have a rapid PCR test available)
- City Clinic location in El Cerrito: <https://covidtesting.cityhealthuc.com/locations/el-cerrito> (free; only need to provide passport - no citizenship or insurance required; this is a short 8 minute walk from the El Cerrito Plaza BART station –2 stations from Downtown Berkeley BART station; Results are typically available within 12-36 hours)

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