

GRC at BATES COLLEGE

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ARRIVAL AND ACCOMMODATIONS



Logan Airport (BOS): Located 140 miles south of Lewiston

Portland International Jetport (PWM): Located 35 miles south of Lewiston

GRC Chartered Bus: You can reserve a spot on the bus through your MyGRC account and find details about the bus [here](#) and [click here](#) to see what Concord Coach is doing to protect you.

Rental Car: [Click here](#) for GRC's discounted rates with Enterprise or National Rental Car.

Enterprise has a [Clean Car Pledge](#) to combat the spread of COVID-19.

GRC Check-in is from 2:00 pm – 9:00 pm in Chu Hall, 55 Campus Avenue.

- Visit campus security at 245 College Street if you arrive outside of standard check-in hours. The phone number is 207-786-6254.
- GRS check-in is from 2:00 pm—5:00 pm on Saturday.

The GRC office is located in 211 Commons.

ACCOMMODATIONS AND AMENITIES



Conferees stay in newly renovated residence halls with single or shared rooms.

- Air-conditioned
- Non-smoking
- Single and multiple-occupancy hall bathrooms
- Complimentary Wi-Fi throughout campus
- Linens, towels and soap provided

Amenities:

- Pool
- Fitness center
- Track
- Tennis and racquetball courts
- On-site parking
- Laundry on-site
- Mobility accessible rooms

Poster Printing:

- Posters can be emailed in PDF format at least 3 business days in advance to posterprinting@bates.edu and you will be emailed when the poster is ready, or you can request a print in person (please allow at least 2 hours for printing)
- Cost is \$60 per poster and can be paid in cash or credit
- Posters must be picked up or ordered during Post and Print hours (Monday-Friday 8am-4:30pm)
- Please note that Post and Print is only open during the week so posters cannot be picked up over the weekend. If a poster is needed for the weekend, please note this when sending your PDF to Post and Print. They can print it and drop it off to the GRC office on Friday. It will be ready for you to pick up when checking in on the first day of your conference.

PLANNING YOUR VISIT



Dress is Casual

Bring a relaxed wardrobe and comfortable shoes. Please check the weather forecast and plan to bring a raincoat and or light jacket for outside activities.

Activities

Once you arrive on-site, you can sign up for various activities .



HEALTH AND SAFETY

Bates is located within 5 minutes of hospital facilities.

COVID-19 Update for 2023 Conferences from the GRC Board of Trustees as of October 2022:

- Masks and vaccination documentation are **no longer required** but are strongly encouraged.
- Meals will be served buffet-style in a dining room, but those not comfortable eating in the dining room may take meals to their rooms.
- Self-testing is encouraged but not mandated, please bring **your own test kits and masks** with you since they can no longer be provided by the venues or GRC.

MEALS

All meals are served buffet style in the Dining Hall.

Vegetarian and gluten free selections are provided at all meals.

SCIENCE AND POSTER SESSIONS

Science Sessions are held in Olin Concert Hall, Room 210

Poster Sessions are held in the Perry Atrium in Pettengill Hall.

Poster board dimensions are 36" x 48".

DEPARTURES

Breakfast is available on Friday morning from 7:30 am to 8:30 am.

Check-out is at 10:00 am.



ADDITIONAL DETAILS ARE AVAILABLE AT WWW.GRC.ORG