ARRIVAL AND CHECK-IN

Logan Airport (BOS): Located 55 miles north of Smithfield

T.F Green Airport (PVD): Located 20 miles south of Smithfield

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 the lobby of Residence Hall 17.

• If you arrive after the GRC Office is closed, please call 401-232-6921 for the coordinator on duty.

• GRS check-in is from 1:00 pm—5:00 pm on Saturday

The GRC office is located in the Unistructure, MRC 3.

ACCOMMODATIONS AND AMENITIES

Conferees stay in suites with single or double occupancy dorm rooms with twin beds.

• Air-conditioned
• Non-smoking
• 2 shared bathrooms per unit
• Shared living area
• Complimentary Wi-Fi throughout campus
• Linens, towels, soap and drinking cup provided

Amenities:

• Pool
• Sand volleyball, basketball, squash, racquetball, golf putting green, cross country course
• Hiking trails

• On-site parking
• Laundry available on-site
• Mobility accessible rooms

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 on-site and off-site activities.

HEALTH AND SAFETY

Bryant has on-campus medical facilities and is located within 15 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 Salmanson Dining Room. Vegetarian and gluten free selections are provided at all meals. Kosher meals are available at the venue with advanced notice.

SCIENCE AND POSTER SESSIONS

Science Sessions are held in Janikies Auditorium.

Poster Sessions are held in the Academic Innovation Center’s Innovation Forum. Poster board dimensions are 4 feet x 4 feet.

DEPARTURES

Breakfast is available on Friday morning from 7:30 am to 8:30 am. Hotel check-out is at 10:00 am.

ADDITIONAL DETAILS ARE AVAILABLE AT WWW.GRC.ORG