
Dear Delegate,

Thank you for participating in the International Conference of Books and Publishing! We are pleased you will be joining us at University of St. Michael's College at the University of Toronto and hope you are looking forward to coming together with colleagues and members of the Books and Publishing community from October 14-16.

In preparation for the conference, we have put together some information that we hope will be helpful as you begin to prepare for the conference and your arrival in Toronto. In this document, you will find information such as city maps, conference venue maps, transportation information, accommodation information, conference registration information, presentation information, and paper and journal information.

This packet is a starting point for your preparations, and we realize you may have some additional questions after reviewing the presented material. For any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the conference secretariat at support@booksandpublishing.com.

We hope your planning goes well, and we look forward to meeting you in Toronto!

Best Regards,

Audrey LeGrande
Conference Producer
For the Ninth Annual Books and Publishing Conference

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Transportation

Toronto is the cultural, entertainment, and financial capital of Canada. The conference venue is within walking distance of the hotel and the best means to get around the city is using public transit.

Air

Toronto Pearson International Airport is 29 km from the city centre. For more information go [here](#)

Taxi

Taxis in Toronto are metered taxis. The taxi from the airport to the city centre will take about 20-30 minutes and costs about \$50 dollars.

Public Transit

Subway

There is a subway system through Toronto. The fare is \$3.00 for a single ride. On weekdays and Saturdays, trains run every few minutes from about 6:00am until 1:30am. On Sundays, they run from about 9:00am to 1:30am. Please refer here for maps and schedules [here](#)



Bus

Most buses run from about 6:00 am (9:00 am on Sundays) until about 1:00 am, every day. A single fare is \$3.00. For more information on bus routes, please refer [here](#)

Streetcar

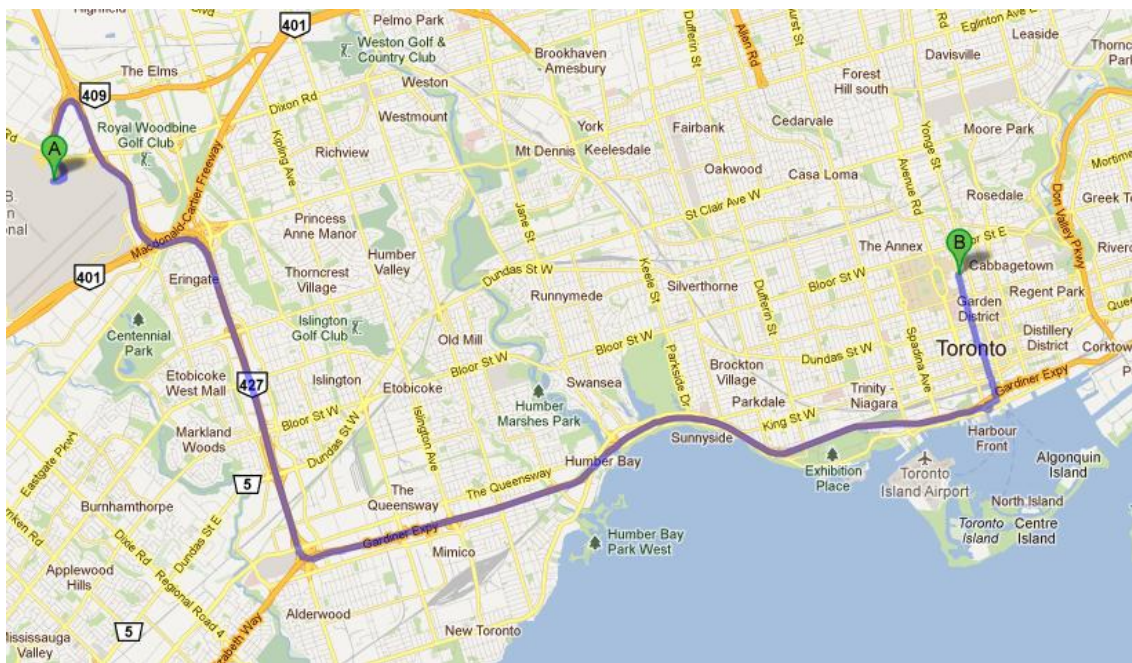
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Car Rental

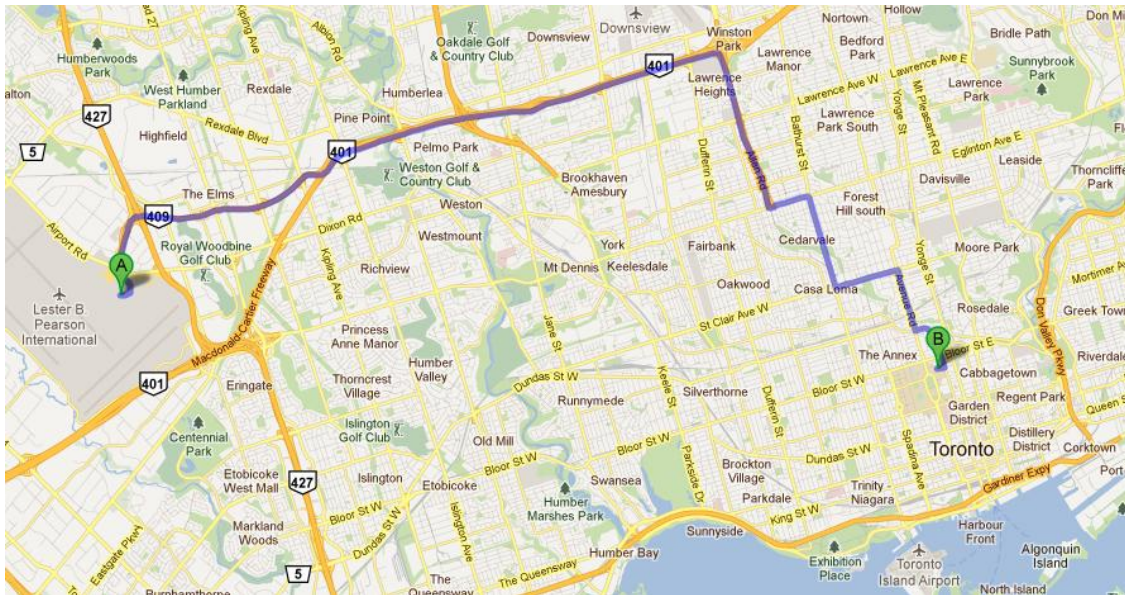
There are 6 on-site car rentals from Toronto Pearson International Airport. For more information go [here](#)

Directions and Map

The **airport** is labeled as A and the **Sutton Place Hotel** is labeled as B in the map below. For driving directions from the airport to the hotel please go [here](#)

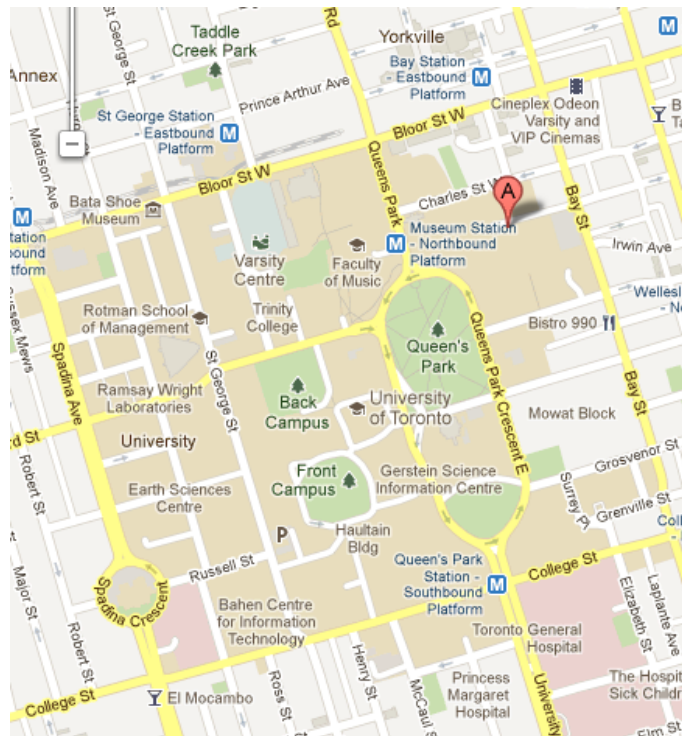


In the map below, the **airport** is labeled as A and the **University of St. Michael's College** at the **University of Toronto** labeled as B. For driving directions from the airport to the venue please refer [here](#)



Conference Information

The 2011 Book and Publishing Conference will be held at:
University of St. Michael's College at the University of Toronto
Toronto, Canada



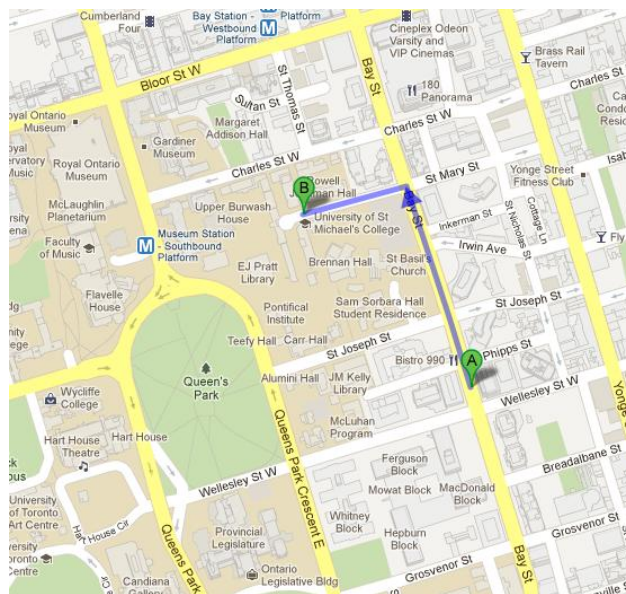
Accommodation Information

The Sutton Place Hotel
955 Bay Street
Toronto, ON M5S 2A2
416-324-5621

Conference Rate: CAD \$174.00 + 13% HST

Reservations may be made by calling the hotel at **416-324-5621** or **1-866-378-8866** or by visiting www.toronto.suttonplace.com. Please reference Block Code: **Publishing2011** to receive the conference rate. This rate is available until Monday, 12 September.

The conference venue is in walking distance of the Sutton Place Hotel. Please refer to the map below or [here](#).



Presentation Information

Equipment

Data projectors will be provided in all of the parallel session rooms. However, you must supply your own laptop for your presentation. In addition, if you are a Mac user, you will need to bring a VGA Mac connector.

Program

The current draft may be found online [here](#). In addition to this, you will receive a program booklet at the conference with the final schedule for the plenary and parallel sessions.

Online Presentations

Whether you are a virtual or in-person presenter at this conference, we encourage you to present on the conference YouTube Channel. Here are two suggestions:

1. Record a video of your presentation before or after the conference, or ask a colleague to record a video of your presentation at the conference, then submit it to our YouTube channel.
2. Create a PowerPoint presentation with voice-over before or after the conference, or record the audio of your presentation at the conference, then link this to your PowerPoint presentation.

These presentation recordings will be published to YouTube with links to your Session Description on the conference website.

Paper and Journal Submissions

Submission Timeline:

Whether you participate in the conference as a virtual registrant or as an in-person delegate, you are invited to submit a paper for consideration *The International Journal of the Books*. The final date for submitting your paper for consideration is November 16 – **one month after the last day of the conference**. This will guarantee that your paper is reviewed through our one way blind refereeing process.

More information on submitting your paper to *The International Journal of the Book* can be found at (needs to be changed!) (<http://ondiversity.com/journal/publish-your-paper/>). At this site you will find extensive information about the submission process, author guidelines, the editorial quality of our journal, and the publications process. This information will also be available in the conference program.

Activities and Extras

Evening Bus Tour of Toronto - Saturday, 15 October 2011 6:30pm (18:30)

We invite you to join us on a guided evening bus tour of Toronto. The tour will visit highlights of Toronto including Casa Loma, The Art Gallery of Ontario, The Royal Ontario Museum, China Town and many others. The tour bus will leave from The Sutton Place Hotel at 6:30pm.

Thomas Fisher Rare Books Library - Friday, 14 October 2011 10:45-11:45AM

Tour the Thomas Fisher Rare Books Library and collections by librarian Pearce Carefoote. For a general description of the collection please visit: <http://fisher.library.utoronto.ca/about-the-library>

Attendees should congregate in the exhibition room of the Fisher Library by 10:45AM on the Friday. A volunteer will lead you back in time for the conference opening.

This tour can accommodate a maximum and 25 people.

Location directions are here: <http://fisher.library.utoronto.ca/about-the-library/hours-location>

Pontifical Institute of Mediaeval Studies Library - Friday, 14 October 2011 9:00-9:45AM and 9:45-10:30AM

A tour of the manuscripts and early printed books of the Pontifical Institute of Mediaeval Studies will be held twice: from 9am-9:45am and from 9:45am – 10:30am on Friday morning. To view the collection please visit: <http://www.pims.ca/library/access.html>

The library is located on the 4th floor of the John M. Kelly Library (please meet here for the tour) on the St. Mike's campus.

Each tour can accommodate a maximum of 12 people.

Highlights from the Collections of the John M. Kelly Library, University of St. Michael's College - Friday, October 14 2011 9:00-9:45AM and 9:45-10:00AM

For a description of the collections, please visit:
http://stmikes.utoronto.ca/kelly/special_collections/default.asp.

Please meet in the special collections located on the 2nd Floor.

Each tour of can accommodate a maximum of 15 people.

Hands on Tour of the Hand Press Printing Room in the John M. Kelly Library - Friday, 14 October 2011 9:00-10:00AM, 10:00-11:00AM and 11:00AM-12:00PM

For a description of this tour visit

<http://www.archive.org/stream/printingroomjohn00gilbuoft#page/n5/mode/2up>

Please meet in the Printing Room of the John M. Kelly Library on the 2nd Floor

Each tour can accommodate a maximum of 8 people.