



# McMaster University

Hamilton, Ontario

## Beyond Numbers: Comparing Mechanisms for Substantive Representation of Ethnic Minorities & Indigenous People

### *Transportation From the Airport*

The easiest way to travel from Toronto Pearson International Airport to Hamilton is by making a reservation with **Airways Transit**. This shuttle will pick you up from the airport and take you directly to the Sheraton Hotel in Hamilton.

Depending on traffic the ride should take approximately 1 hour and the cost arranged for the conference is \$96.00 each way. You are required to make your own reservation online (note that ground transportation costs will be reimbursed up to \$200 maximum).

Airways Transit <http://www.airwaystransit.com>



### *Other Ways to Travel From Toronto Airport to Hamilton*

Public Transportation from the Toronto International Pearson Airport to Hamilton takes approximately 1.5 hours. Transportation is available using the local public transportation system called **GO Transit**. The best option through **GO Transit** is a direct bus (**GO 40 Bus**- Eastbound toward Hamilton GO) from the Toronto Pearson International Airport Terminal 1 to Downtown Hamilton, which costs under \$12 one way. The closest bus stop to the Sheraton Hotel is Main St. W & Summers Lane (Hamilton City Hall). From there, the hotel is a short walk (under 5 minutes).

If you are arriving at the Toronto Pearson International Airport **Terminal 3**, you will first need to take the Airport's **Link Train** toward Terminal 1. Follow the above instructions upon arriving at Terminal 1.

Taxis are also available from official taxi stands located in both Terminals 1 and 3 (note drivers may approach you in the airport, do not accept these offers as they are not official taxis). Taxis will drive from Toronto Pearson International Airport to Hamilton. However, costs may vary depending on traffic and are likely to be upwards of \$115 one way.

## *Driving From Toronto*

There are several ways to travel from Toronto to McMaster University in Hamilton. Driving Directions are available at <http://www.mcmaster.ca/welcome/directions.cfm>

## *Transit From Toronto*

If you are travelling from downtown Toronto, **GO Transit** offers convenient bus transportation from Union Station in Toronto to the GO terminal on the McMaster Campus or to downtown Hamilton (Main St W & Summers Ln- Hamilton City Hall Stop). Go Buses are also available that travel directly to the McMaster University Campus from York University. For complete schedules and information from other points in Toronto please access the Transit Trip Planner.

<https://www.gotransit.com/en/trip-planning/plan-your-trip>

## *Transit From John C. Munro International Airport in Hamilton*

If you are flying directly into Hamilton, Hamilton Taxis are available at the airport and travel time to the Sheraton is approximately 30 minutes and the cost \$40.00 depending on traffic.

## *Accommodation*

Accommodation during the workshop will be at the Sheraton Hotel in Downtown Hamilton; there is no need for you to make reservations as the rooms have been reserved by McMaster. However, if you are traveling with a spouse or family members please let us know so that arrangements can be made. The Sheraton is located at 116 King St W. <http://www.sheratonhamilton.com/>

## *Transportation to McMaster*

During the conference, transportation from the hotel to McMaster each morning will be arranged by taxi or shuttle.

The conference working sessions on Thursday and Friday will take place in  
L. R. Wilson Hall 1056



## *Reimbursement*

Please save all original receipts for your travel including your flight boarding passes which will be required to reimburse your travel expenses.



## *Tourist Information*

Tourism Hamilton offers lots of ideas about what to see and do in Hamilton. Download the iPhone app to have access to all the city has to offer in one place. <http://www.tourismhamilton.com/>

## *Entertainment*

### **Art Gallery of Hamilton**

The Art Gallery of Hamilton is located in downtown Hamilton across the street from the Sheraton Hotel and is well worth the visit for Art enthusiasts: Admission is free on Friday Evenings [www.artgalleryofhamilton.com](http://www.artgalleryofhamilton.com).



## *Dining*

There are many great restaurants and cafes on Locke Street a short distance by taxi or bus from the McMaster Campus and the Sheraton Hotel, these are just a couple of suggestions.

The Earth to Table Bread Bar <http://breadbar.ca/>

Mattson & Co. <http://mattsonandco.ca/>

Brux House <http://www.bruxhouse.com/>

There are also several great restaurants on King William St, just a 5 minute walk from the Sheraton Hotel. Suggestions include:

Berkeley North <https://www.berkeleynorth.ca>

The Diplomat <http://thediplomat.ca/>

The Bean Bar is a casual dining restaurant that is within walking distance of McMaster University

<http://www.beanbar.ca/>

## *Explore the Region*

If you are planning to stay in Hamilton or the surrounding region on Saturday and Sunday, you may want to take advantage of the following tours:

Niagara Wine and Chocolate Tours <http://www.niagarafuntours.com/>

Toronto Cruises <https://www.cruisetoronto.com>