

CASCATO 2024 - GSC and Board Meeting Logistics

Getting to York

Subway/TTC: The best and easiest way to get to York University from downtown is the TTC. If you are staying at the Sheraton, Osgoode Station is 250m away from the hotel. Take line 1 north to York University Station. York is also accessible from Pioneer Village Station, however the workshop is much closer to York Station. Presto cards are available at most major stations in machines.

By car: If you are driving, York is a commuter campus and has many parking lots. Circled on the attached map are 4 lots all of which accept paid visitor parking and are equidistant from the workshop.

GSC Location

The GSC will be held in Vari Hall Lecture Room A. If you are coming from the York University subway station, walk west from the station along the common. Vari Hall is the main building at the end of the common. Inside the large atrium of the building Lecture hall "A" is on the ground floor on the left side. Vari Hall is building 30 and is circled on the attached map.

Board Meeting Location

The CASCA Board meeting will be held in the Petrie Building (PSE) Room 258 on the second floor. Petrie is about a 10 minute walk from the York University subway station.

GSC and Board Light Breakfast

A light breakfast of coffee/tea and pastries will be available at the GSC and Board meeting starting from 8:30am.

GSC Lunch

Lunch is not provided for the GSC however there are many restaurant options to choose from on York campus. There are two food courts very close to Vari Hall, these are buildings 23 and 24 on the map and these are noted with the rectangle. Building 24, "York Lanes" would be our recommendation as it has the most choice and the nicer restaurants. Building 23 is slightly closer to the workshop but has more shopping mall fast food restaurants like Wendy's and Pizza Pizza.

Internet Access

York campus has eduroam and that is recommended internet connection for all attendees. If you do not have eduroam York also has a guest internet network "Air York Guest" which you can use. There are some limitations on this service but it can do most of the things you want. More information is available here: <https://www.yorku.ca/uit/faculty-staff-services/internet-access/wireless-access/airyork-guest/>

We look forward to welcoming you to our campus!

