

Transportation



Lambert-St. Louis International Airport

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St. Louis is situated at the geographic hub of the United States. Our location makes it possible for your attendees to fly to St. Louis from most major U.S. cities in just two to three hours.

At Lambert-St. Louis International Airport, a \$2.6 billion runway expansion project has maximized operational capacity and minimized inclement weather delays. A \$97.5 million East Terminal expansion added 12 gates, allowing Southwest Airlines the capacity to operate up to 120 additional flight departures per day.

Flights

On average there are 252 daily departures from St. Louis with 61 non-stop destinations. Twelve airlines, along with their affiliates and charter companies, offer service to/from St. Louis.

General Aviation

Three general aviation airports – Spirit of St. Louis Airport, St. Louis Downtown Airport and St. Louis Regional Airport – also serve the metropolitan area.

Airlines Serving Lambert-St. Louis International Airport

- Air Canada
- Air Choice One
- Air Tran
- American/American Connection/American Eagle
- Cape Air
- Continental/Continental Express
- Delta/Delta Connection
- Frontier Airlines
- Southwest
- United/United Express
- USA 3000
- USAirways/USAirways Express



American Airlines jet at Lambert-St. Louis International Airport

The Following Cities Have Non-Stop Service to/from St. Louis:

Alabama: Birmingham
Arkansas: Little Rock
Arizona: Phoenix
California: Los Angeles, San Diego, San Francisco
Canada: Toronto
Colorado: Denver
Connecticut: Hartford
District of Columbia: Washington-Reagan, Washington-Dulles, BWI
Dominican Republic: Punta Cana
Florida: Fort Lauderdale, Fort Meyers, Miami, Orlando, Tampa
Georgia: Atlanta
Illinois: Chicago O'Hare, Chicago Midway, Decatur, Marion, Quincy
Iowa: Burlington
Kansas: Wichita
Kentucky: Louisville
Louisiana: New Orleans
Maryland: Baltimore
Massachusetts: Boston
Mexico: Cancun, Puerta Vallarta
Michigan: Detroit
Minnesota: Minneapolis/St. Paul
Missouri: Cape Girardeau, Fort Leonard Wood, Kansas City, Kirksville
Nebraska: Omaha
Nevada: Las Vegas
New Mexico: Albuquerque
New Jersey: Newark
New York: New York LaGuardia, J.F.K.
North Carolina: Charlotte, Raleigh/Durham
Oklahoma: Oklahoma City, Tulsa
Ohio: Cleveland, Cincinnati, Columbus
Pennsylvania: Philadelphia, Pittsburgh
Tennessee: Memphis, Nashville
Texas: Dallas/Fort Worth, Dallas/Love Field, Houston Hobby, Houston International
Virginia: Norfolk, Richmond
Washington: Seattle
Wisconsin: Milwaukee

MetroLink

St. Louis' light rail system, MetroLink, has been called one of the best mass transit systems in the country. The clean, efficient trains are a big hit with visitors and locals alike who want to see many of St. Louis' attractions without a car. The system – which begins at Lambert-St. Louis International Airport and covers 48 miles – ends in suburban Belleville, Illinois at Scott Air Force Base/Shiloh and stops at 37 Missouri and Illinois stations in between.

MetroLink's trains pull into stations near many of St. Louis' visitor attractions. These stations, listed in bold, are near the following attractions: **Clayton** – Shaw Park, dining, hotels, shopping; **Skinker** – Washington University, Edison Theatre, Mildred Lane Kemper Museum of Art; **UM St. Louis North** – University of Missouri St. Louis, Blanche M. Touhill Performing Arts Center, Mercantile Library; **Delmar/Loop** – St. Louis Walk of Fame, The Loop neighborhood; **Forest Park** – Zoo, Art Museum, History Museum, Science Center; **Central West End** – Central West End neighborhood, restaurants, Cathedral Basilica of Saint Louis; **Grand** – Saint Louis University, Cupples House, Museum of Contemporary Religious Art, Grand Center entertainment district theaters, Pulitzer Foundation for the Arts, Contemporary Art Museum; **Union Station** – Union Station festival marketplace, restaurants, entertainment, hotels; **Civic Center** – Scottrade Center arena, City Hall, hotels; **Stadium** – Busch Stadium, hotels; **8th & Pine** – Central downtown, restaurants, Kiener Plaza, Old Courthouse, hotels; **Convention Center** – America's Center® convention complex, Edward Jones Dome, hotels; **Arch/Laclede's Landing** – Lumière Place, historic district, entertainment, President Casino, restaurants, Gateway Arch, riverboat cruises, hotels.

A one-way ride on MetroLink costs \$2.25. Tickets may be purchased and validated at each station. Tickets from the airport station to downtown St. Louis cost \$3.75. Day Passes for MetroLink and MetroBus are \$7.50. Trains run every seven minutes during rush hours, every 10 minutes during non-rush hours and every 15 minutes in the evening during the week. For schedule information, dial (314) 231-2345. TTY: (314) 982-1555

Downtown Trolley

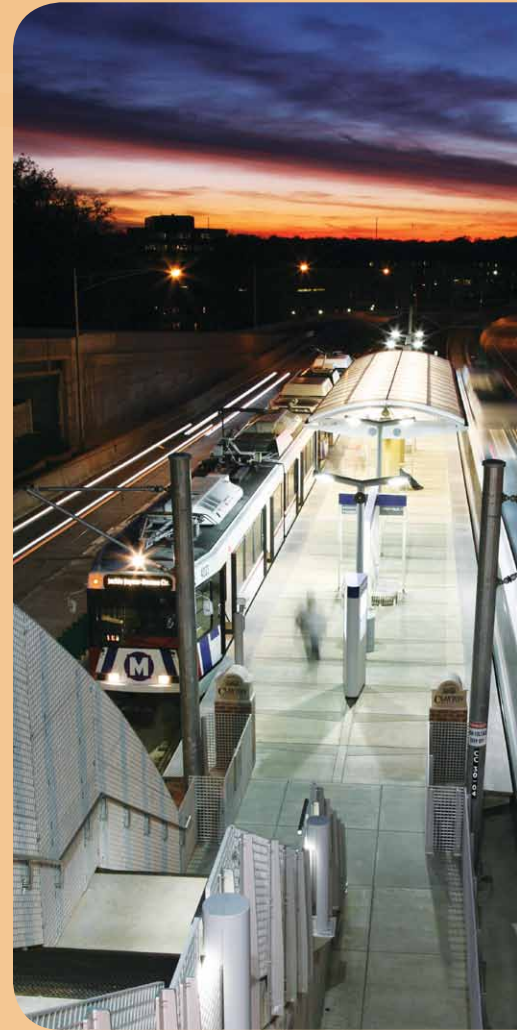
There is a new, more economical way to get around downtown St. Louis these days, thanks to the new Downtown Trolley. Colorful Metro buses that have been painted to look like trolleys now travel a circuit that links riders to many of downtown's most popular destinations, including St. Louis Union Station, Busch Stadium, the America's Center convention complex, City Museum, and dozens of restaurants and hotels. An all day pass is only \$2 and can be purchased in the MetroRide Store located at Seventh Street and Washington Avenue. Visit www.metrostlouis.org for details.

MetroBus

The Bi-State system serves most areas of St. Louis and St. Louis County. Call the Transit Information Center (314) 231-2345, Monday through Friday, or visit the MetroRide store in the Visitor Information Center at Seventh Street and Washington Avenue in downtown St. Louis from 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Buses generally run from 4 a.m. until 2 a.m. The fare is \$2.00. Greyhound Bus Lines, (314) 231-4485 or (800) 231-2222, operates service to and from the Gateway Transportation Center located on South 15th Street.

St. Louis by Car

An easy-to-use network of interstate highways runs through St. Louis making it a short drive to attractions. From the east, I-70, I-64 and I-55 head west across the Poplar Street Bridge and into downtown St. Louis. I-70 runs through downtown, past the airport and west through Missouri. I-55 turns south past the Anheuser-Busch brewery and continues through southeastern Missouri. I-64, which the locals call Highway 40, continues west through St. Louis, past Forest Park and to the Missouri River. I-44 begins in St. Louis and runs southwest along the former path of Route 66 to Springfield, Missouri.



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Interstate 70 near the Edward Jones Dome



Gateway Transportation Center

Vans, Taxis & Limousines

Go Best Express, (314) 222-5300 or (877) 785-4682, provides van service from Lambert-St. Louis International Airport to downtown hotels for \$21 one-way and \$37 round-trip. Other area hotels are also served.

Taxi companies maintain stands at the America's Center convention complex, at the airport and major hotels throughout St. Louis. Taxi drivers are uniformed and their vehicles must meet strict standards enforced by the St. Louis Metropolitan Taxicab Commission. Eleven limo services, offering everything from town cars to super-stretch vehicles, also operate in St. Louis.

Trains

Amtrak provides daily rail service to St. Louis. Stations are located in the St. Louis suburb of Kirkwood and downtown at the new Gateway Transportation Center located on South 15th Street.



St. Louis Metropolitan Area

St. Louis: America's Center for Meetings

St. Louis is located near the geographic and population centers of the United States. Four interstate highways converge in St. Louis, making the region easily accessible by car.





Clark Bridge



Washington Ave.

Mileage Chart

Albuquerque, NM.....1,061	Miami, FL.....1,326
Atlanta, GA 575	Milwaukee, WI..... 387
Baltimore, MD 824	Nashville, TN..... 318
Birmingham, AL..... 524	New Orleans, LA 700
Boston, MA1,212	New York, NY 976
Branson, MO 251	Newark, NJ 962
Charleston, SC..... 888	Niagara Falls, NY 792
Charlotte, NC..... 725	Oklahoma City, OK 511
Chicago, IL 287	Omaha, NE..... 487
Cincinnati, OH 351	Orlando, FL.....1,030
Cleveland, OH 568	Philadelphia, PA 890
Columbia, MO..... 124	Phoenix, AZ.....1,570
Dallas, TX 661	Pittsburgh, PA..... 604
Denver, CO 874	Portland, ME1,389
Des Moines, IA 356	Providence, RI.....1,336
Detroit, MI 568	Richmond, VA..... 865
El Paso, TX.....1,192	Reno, NV.....1,939
Evansville, IN..... 172	Salt Lake City, UT.....1,409
Hartford, CT1,238	San Antonio, TX 936
Houston, TX..... 817	San Diego, CA.....1,870
Indianapolis, IN 244	San Francisco, CA.....2,159
Jackson, MS..... 503	Seattle, WA2,234
Jacksonville, FL..... 932	Sikeston, MO 155
Jefferson City, MO 126	Sioux Falls, SD..... 664
Kansas City, MO..... 255	Springfield, IL 96
Key West, FL.....1,415	Springfield, MO 217
Kirkville, MO 215	St. Paul, MN 547
Las Vegas, NV.....1,650	St. Petersburg, FL1,065
Little Rock, AR..... 361	Topeka, KS 315
Los Angeles, CA1,904	Tulsa, OK 404
Louisville, KY 275	Washington, DC..... 821
Memphis, TN..... 296	Wichita, KS..... 456

Downtown Parking

Downtown St. Louis streets are laid out on a grid pattern with alternating one-way north and southbound streets. Abundant parking – 46,000 spaces – is available in high-rise garages and on surface lots throughout downtown. Additionally, 2,700 metered curbside parking spaces are available on the streets.

