

## Transportation from the Pierre Elliot Trudeau Airport to the Holiday Inn Montreal Midtown Hotel

The Holiday Inn Montreal Midtown hotel does not offer a direct shuttle service to and from the Pierre-Elliot Trudeau Airport. However, multiple transportation options are available from the airport:

- 1) Airport Shuttle to Downtown Hotels: A company called "La québécoise" offers a shuttle service from the airport to multiple hotels in the downtown area. Information and tickets are available at the airport. Because the shuttle goes from one hotel to the other, travel time to the Holiday Inn Montreal Midtown hotel is roughly 60 to 75 minutes. The cost per person is \$13.50 plus taxes (15%).
- 2) Taxi Service: If two people or more are travelling together, it is suggested that they make their way to the hotel by taxi. Travel time is about 30 minutes and the cost is fixed at \$35 excluding a tip of approximately 10%.
- 3) Car Rental: Many car rental companies have kiosks at the airport. The kiosks are located nearby the arrival gates. However, those interested in renting a car should note that the conference will be held over a period during which tourism is in high season. It is therefore suggested that you book your rental well in advance. [www.expedia.com](http://www.expedia.com) offers an efficient and cost effective booking service. To complete a booking, you will be asked for the airport code which is: YUL.

Detailed driving directions from the airport to the hotel:

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| 1  | Start out going NORTHEAST on RUE HERVÉ-ST-MARTIN toward BOULEVARD CÔTE-VERTU O.                      | 1.1 MI  | 1.78 KM |
| 2  | Turn LEFT onto BOULEVARD CÔTE-VERTU O.                                                               | 0.88 MI | 1.41 KM |
| 3  | Turn SLIGHT RIGHT onto BOULEVARD DE LA CÔTE-VERTU.                                                   | 0.26 MI | 0.42 KM |
| 4  | Take the ramp toward AUT-40 E/MONTRÉAL.                                                              | 0.22 MI | 0.36 KM |
| 5  | Turn SLIGHT RIGHT onto ROUTE TRANSCANADIENNE.                                                        | 0.62 MI | 1.01 KM |
| 6  | Turn SLIGHT LEFT to take the AUT-40 E ramp toward MONTRÉAL.                                          | 0.18 MI | 0.29 KM |
| 7  | Merge onto AUTOROUTE 40 E/AUTOROUTE TRANSCANADIENNE E.                                               | 1.51 MI | 2.43 KM |
| 8  | Take the AUT-15 S/AUT-10/AUT. DÉCARIE exit, EXIT 66-S, on the LEFT toward SHERBROOKE/PONT CHAMPLAIN. | 0.31 MI | 0.5 KM  |
| 9  | Merge onto AUTOROUTE 15 S.                                                                           | 3.31 MI | 5.33 KM |
| 10 | Take the AUT. VILLE-MARIE exit, EXIT 63-E, on the LEFT toward CENTRE-VILLE.                          | 0.79 MI | 1.27 KM |
| 11 | Merge onto AUTOROUTE VILLE-MARIE.                                                                    | 0.3 MI  | 0.49 KM |
| 12 | AUTOROUTE VILLE-MARIE becomes AUTOROUTE 720 E.                                                       | 0.81 MI | 1.31 KM |
| 13 | Take EXIT 3 toward MONTRÉAL/CENTRE-VILLE/RUE GUY.                                                    | 0.57 MI | 0.91 KM |
| 14 | Turn RIGHT onto BOULEVARD RENÉ-LÉVESQUE O.                                                           | 0.34 MI | 0.55 KM |
| 15 | Turn LEFT onto RUE BISHOP.                                                                           | 0.38 MI | 0.61 KM |
| 16 | Turn RIGHT onto RUE SHERBROOKE O/PROVINCIAL SECONDARY ROUTE 138.                                     | 0.72 MI | 1.16 KM |

Total Route Distance: 12.3 MI/19.8 KM

Approximate Driving Time: 0 Hours, 25 Minutes.

## Directions from the Holiday Inn Montreal Midtown hotel to the conference site (HEC Montréal):

The Holiday Inn Montreal Midtown hotel is located at 420 Sherbrooke Street West in downtown Montreal. These accommodations are ideal for taking advantage of the many nearby attractions, restaurants, shops, etc. that the city has to offer. The hotel is however not within walking distance of HEC-Montréal, the institution which is hosting the conference.

HEC Montréal is in fact located at 3000 Chemin de la Côte Sainte Catherine. This is many miles north of the hotel and in an uphill direction. In the event you need to contact the school for assistance, the local telephone number is 340-6000. The operator will answer from 9:00 AM to about 4:30 PM. Additional information can be found on the school's Web site: [www.hec.ca](http://www.hec.ca)

Although a collective mode of transportation for participants will be arranged from the hotel to the conference site, instructions on how to get from the hotel to the conference site via multiple modes of transportation are provided below.

**A) Getting to HEC Montréal by city bus:**

Montreal bus routes and schedules are available online: <http://www.stcum.qc.ca/English/bus/a-index.htm>

- 1- Exit the hotel onto Sherbrooke Street and cross to the other side of the street. With your back towards the hotel, turn left. You will now be walking along Sherbrooke St. going west and will soon reach a bus stop. Take bus #24 going west for about 7 blocks until you approach the cross street Chemin de la Côte des Neiges and KEEP YOUR TRANSFER TICKET HANDY. Traffic permitting, this bus ride should last no more than a few minutes. Disembark and walk a short distance to the corner of Chemin de la Côte des Neiges, and turn right (north) on foot onto Chemin de la Côte des Neiges but do not cross this street.
- 2- Next, keep walking until you reach the bus stop. You are to take bus #165 going north on Chemin de la Côte des Neiges in the direction of Chemin de la Côte Sainte Catherine. This bus ride should last approximately 20 minutes. Disembark from the bus on the corner of Chemin de la Côte des Neiges and Chemin de la Côte Sainte Catherine.
- 3- You will now be within walking distance (about 5 to 7 minutes) of HEC Montréal which is located on Chemin de la Côte Sainte Catherine (and east of Chemin de la Côte des Neiges). You can also take bus #129 going east along Chemin de la Côte Sainte Catherine but it's usually not worth the wait. This bus stops right in front of the school.

**B) Getting to HEC Montréal by subway (metro):**

The subway in Montreal is called "the metro". A map of the entire Montreal metro system is available online: <http://www.stcum.qc.ca/English/metro/a-mapmet.htm>

There are no metro stations on Sherbrooke Street per se. Rather, they are located on Boulevard de Maisonneuve which is parallel to and just south of Sherbrooke. In fact, the McGill metro station is located a few minutes by foot from the hotel.

- 1- Enter the McGill metro station on Boulevard de Maisonneuve, take the green line to Lionel Groulx metro station (4 stops), KEEP YOUR TRANSFER TICKET HANDY, and disembark.
- 2- From the Lionel Groulx metro station, 2 alternative routes are possible:
  - Route 1: At the Lionel Groulx metro station, transfer onto the orange line and disembark at the Snowdon metro station (4 stops), transfer onto the blue line, and disembark at the Université de Montréal metro station (2 stops). At this point, you will be within a very short walking distance of HEC-Montréal (about 2 minutes).
  - Route 2: At the Lionel Groulx metro station, transfer onto the orange line and disembark at the Côte Sainte Catherine metro station (5 stops); and then exit onto the street (Chemin de la Côte Sainte Catherine). Next, take bus #129 on Chemin de la Côte Sainte Catherine going east to HEC Montréal. After 10 minutes or so, the school will appear on the right hand side of the street. This bus stops right in front of the school.

**C) Getting to HEC Montréal by taxicab:**

Taxis are readily available in the downtown area and the hotel concierge can phone a number of companies to request a cab at anytime. Simply indicate to the taxi driver that you want to get to HEC-Montréal at the following address: 3000 Chemin de la Côte Sainte Catherine. Depending on traffic, this cab ride should take about 15 to 20 minutes and should not cost more than \$15 or so.

**D) Getting to HEC Montréal by car:**

- 1- Exit the hotel property and turn left (west) onto Sherbrooke Street. Drive for 7 blocks or so to the cross street Chemin de la Côte des Neiges.
- 2- Turn right (north) onto Chemin de la Côte des Neiges and keep driving for about 12 to 15 minutes until you reach the cross street Chemin de la Côte Sainte Catherine.
- 3- Turn right (east) onto Chemin de la Côte Sainte Catherine and the school will soon appear on the right hand side of the street.
- 4- Turn right onto the school's property and the entrances to the interior parking garage will be immediately to your right. It is strongly suggested you make use of the interior car park because parking in the streets surrounding the school is often restricted to residential permit holders. By parking in restricted zones without a permit, you risk a hefty fine and even getting towed. Parking in the interior garage of the school costs approx. \$12 per day.