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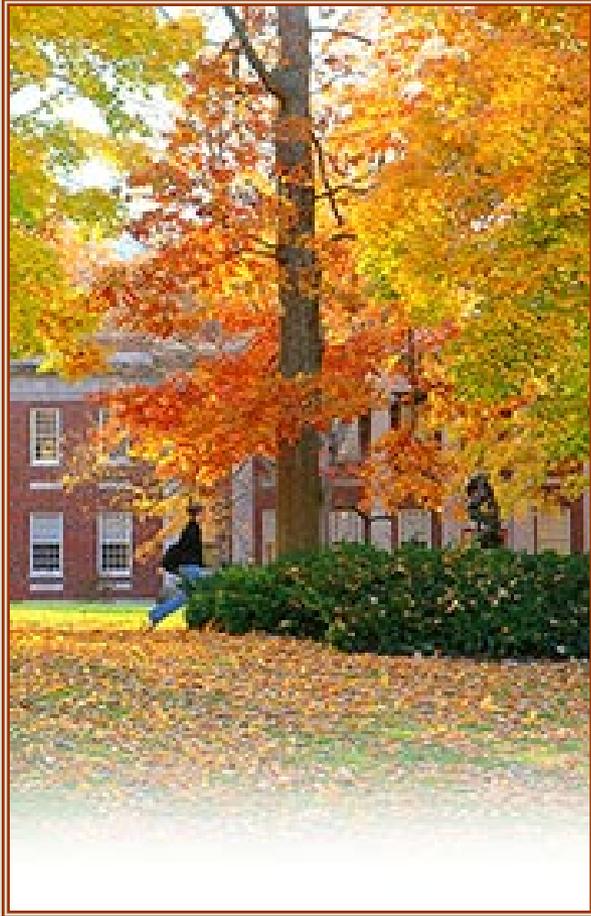


# ABOUT VANDERBILT

- ◇ Commodore Cornelius Vanderbilt had a vision of a place that would "contribute to strengthening the ties that should exist between all sections of our common country" when he gave a million dollars to create a university in 1873. Today, that vision has been realized in Vanderbilt, an internationally recognized research university in Nashville, Tennessee, with strong partnerships among its 10 schools, neighboring institutions and the community.
- ◇ Vanderbilt offers undergraduate programs in the liberal arts and sciences, engineering, music, education and human development, as well as a full range of graduate and professional degrees. The combination of cutting edge research, liberal arts and a distinguished medical center creates an invigorating atmosphere where students tailor their education to meet their goals and researchers collaborate to solve complex problems affecting our health, culture and society.
- ◇ Vanderbilt provides a gateway to greatness, drawing the best and brightest students from across the nation and around the world. Vanderbilt alumni can be found in Congress, on the judicial bench, heading corporations, conducting innovative medical research, writing for and appearing on the stage and screen, and playing in the NFL and NBA.
- ◇ An independent, privately supported university, Vanderbilt is the largest private employer in Middle Tennessee and the second largest private employer based in the state.



# ABOUT VANDERBILT



**Quick Fact:** Vanderbilt's 323-acre campus is also a national arboretum, complete with paths that wind among magnificent oak trees.

# ABOUT NASHVILLE

Vanderbilt's hometown of Nashville is a vibrant, engaging city known proudly as "Music City, U.S.A." Located a little more than a mile from downtown, the university's students, faculty, staff and visitors frequently cite Nashville as one of the perks of Vanderbilt. From serving as home to the nation's largest Kurdish population to being named America's friendliest city for three years in a row, Nashville is a metropolitan place that proudly exudes all of the charm and hospitality one expects from a Southern capital.



# NASHVILLE HISTORY & STATISTICS

## *History & Statistics*

- \* Nashville was settled in 1779
- \* Became state capitol from 1812-1815, permanently in 1843
- \* Elevation-550 ft. (168 m.) at the lowest point; 1100 ft. (336 m.) at the highest point of the rim around the Nashville basin
- \* Area: 533 square miles
- \* Time: Central Standard, November-March; Central Daylight, April-October
- \* Population: Nashville, Davidson County = 595,805 MSA = 1.54 million



The Nashville Tennessee Parthenon in Centennial Park for the State Centennial Celebration Circa: 1900-1910  
Photo Courtesy Metro Nashville Tennessee Park Board

## *Cost of Living*

- \* Nashville consistently ranks among the lowest for cost-of-living in comparable cities across the nation.
- \* Overall cost of living is only 94.7% of the national average (100%).
- \* All components (groceries, housing, utilities, etc.) of cost of living are typically below the national average.



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<http://nashville.about.com/cs/nashvillephotos/blboldpics1.htm>

# NASHVILLE HISTORY & STATISTICS

## *Nashville Temperatures*

- \* **Spring** is very pleasant in the rolling hills of Middle Tennessee. March tends to be cool at the beginning of the month, warming to the mid-to-upper 60s by the end of the month. Evenings may still be a bit brisk.
- \* **Summer** is warm and humid. Light, easy clothing makes sightseeing more comfortable. For fair skin, sunscreen is advisable for a day outdoors.
- \* **Fall** is a celebrated time throughout Tennessee. Visitors come from all over to see the annual changing of the leaves in mid-October. Days are warm and pleasant. Evenings require a sweater or light jacket. Since the weather is changeable, layered clothing is a good idea to accommodate sunny days and cooler nights.
- \* Fall and **Winter** are great times to visit the city's many attractions decked out in their holiday finery. Nashville really shines throughout the winter. Although the climate is mild, winter temperatures range from cool to cold. If a snowfall occurs, it is usually in January or February, and is seldom heavy.

Temperatures (Fahrenheit)	Average	High	Low
March-May	58.9	70.0	47.7
<b>June-August</b>	<b>78.0</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>67</b>
September-November	60.3	71.5	49.1
December-February	39.4	49.1	29.7

### *Summary:*

*Nashville typically enjoys a mild and pleasant climate with only a few days of the year having either very hot or very cold conditions. Most of the city's rain is confined to the spring months, but a shower throughout the year is not unusual. Fall is a celebrated time throughout Tennessee. Visitors come from all over to see the annual changing of the leaves in mid-October. Nashville really shines throughout the winter. Although the climate is mild, winter temperatures do range from cool to cold. If a snowfall occurs, it is usually in January or February, and is seldom heavy.*

# ABOUT NASHVILLE

Major industries include tourism, printing and publishing, technology manufacturing, music production, higher education, finance, insurance, automobile production and health care management. Nashville has been named one of the 15 best U.S. cities for work and family by Fortune magazine, was ranked as the number one most popular U.S. city for corporate relocations by Expansion Management magazine, and was named by Forbes magazine as one of the 25 cities most likely to have the country's highest job growth over the coming five years.

*The Iroquois Steeplechase is an annual equestrian event that has been celebrated in Nashville since 1941. The Iroquois is held in early May, at Percy Warner Park (public) and attracts an annual crowd of around 25,000. The 3-mile-long track was inspired by Marcellus Frost and designed by William DuPont. The most well-known part of this course is Heartbreak Hill, this final and steep upgrade is located on the last turn of the track leading up to the finish line.*



# ABOUT NASHVILLE



**Quick Fact:** The Frist Center for the Visual Arts features 24,000 square feet of gallery space, presenting the finest visual art from local, state and regional artists, as well as major U.S. and international exhibitions.

## **Frist Center for the Visual Arts**

The Frist Center opened in April 2001, and since that time has hosted a spectacular array of art from the region, the country and around the world as well as become a magnet for Nashville's rapidly expanding visual arts scene. With an exhibitions schedule that has new art flowing through the magnificent Art Deco building every six to eight weeks, no matter how often you visit, there is always something new and exciting to see in the spacious galleries.

# ATTRACTIONS

*From live music to the city's best cultural destinations to fun for families, Nashville is a wonderful place to explore.*

## **Schermerhorn Symphony Center**

The recently opened Schermerhorn Symphony Center is home to the critically acclaimed Nashville Symphony and is located on a full city block in downtown Nashville.



## **Country Music Hall of Fame**

The Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum has been the home of America's music since 1967. In keeping with the cultural significance of the music and the heroic achievements of those who form its membership, the museum opened in a \$37 million landmark new building in May 2001. Located on the west bank of the Cumberland River, the Hall of Fame is just a few steps from the historic Ryman Auditorium, the Schermerhorn Symphony Center and the honky-tonks of Lower Broadway.

## **Tennessee State Capitol**

The majestic Tennessee State Capitol, completed in 1859, is located on a high hill in downtown Nashville near the Bicentennial Mall and the Farmers' Market. The distinctive tower is designed after the monument of Lysicrates in Athens, Greece. The Capitol, still in use by state government, features numerous works of art, historical murals and frescos, portraits, massive chandeliers, the House and Senate chambers and library, and the Governor's Office. The grounds also include the tomb of President and Mrs. James K. Polk.

# ATTRACTIONS

## **The Parthenon**

Located just a few blocks from the heart of Vanderbilt University, the Parthenon stands proudly as the centerpiece of Centennial Park, Nashville's premier urban park. The re-creation of the 42-foot statue Athena is the focus of the Parthenon just as the original was in ancient Greece. The building and the Athena statue are both full-scale replicas of the Athenian originals. Built for Tennessee's 1897 Centennial Exposition, this replica of the original Parthenon in Athens serves as a monument to what is considered the pinnacle of classical architecture. The Parthenon also serves as the city of Nashville's art museum.



## **The Grand Ole Opry**

The six-foot circle of dark, oak wood in the Opry House stage is shiny but clearly well worn. Cut from the stage of the Opry's famous former home, the Ryman Auditorium, this circle gives newcomers and veterans alike the opportunity to sing on the same spot that once supported Uncle Dave Macon, Ernest Tubb, Patsy Cline, and others. As that wooden circle is the heart of the stage, the Opry's heart is its music and its members – a broad scope of styles by a wide range of artists.



# ATTRACTIONS

## Cheekwood Botanical Garden and Museum of Art

Within its 55 acres, Cheekwood features a botanical garden and a museum of art, which is recognized as a center for contemporary art in the Southeast. The Cheekwood mansion, with the original boxwood gardens, has been named to the National Register of Historic Places.



## *Louise Dahl-Wolfe: Beauty through the Lens* March 24 – June 17, 2012

Museum of Art Galleries :Permanent collection exhibition featuring numerous works by the renowned fashion photographer Louise Dahl-Wolfe. From 1936-1958, she was the head fashion photographer at Harpers Bazaar. Her work has been honored by art institutions such as MoMA and International Center for Photography. She lived many of her later years in Nashville, Tennessee and personally donated numerous photographs to the Cheekwood collection. Cheekwood owns one of the most extensive and interesting collections of her photographs in the world.

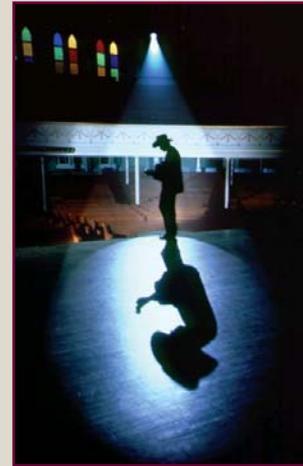
# ATTRACTIONS

## Ryman Auditorium

If the hallowed walls of the Ryman Auditorium could talk, the remarkable story they would tell is unmatched in entertainment history. Its construction is a tale of divine inspiration. In the 1880s, when prominent businessman and steamboat captain Thomas G. Ryman found salvation in the words of fiery evangelist Reverend Sam Jones, he vowed to build a great tabernacle that would project Rev. Jones's voice clearly and powerfully for all to hear. Designed by architect Hugh Cathcart Thompson in the Late Victorian Gothic Revival style popular at the time, Tom Ryman's vision became a reality with the completion of the Union Gospel Tabernacle in 1892. After his death in 1904, the Union Gospel Tabernacle would henceforth be known as the Ryman Auditorium in honor of the man who built the Nashville landmark.



*The Ryman Auditorium is a National Historic Landmark and must see for anyone visiting Nashville. Most famous as the home of the Grand Ole Opry from 1943 - 1974, its history as Nashville's premiere theater and central gathering place started even before construction was complete in 1892. It is truly the cultural epicenter of Music City. Self-guided and Backstage tours available year round.*



Visit the Ryman's recording studio and cut your own CD! Choose from a selection of classic songs or bring an original composition of your own and let our sound engineer record your rendition right in the Ryman Auditorium. Your Ryman Records CD — labeled with your name and song — will make a great souvenir or special gift.

# EVENTS



## **The 2012 CMA Music Festival will be Thursday – Sunday, June 7-10.**

*If you are a fan of Country Music this is your party. In four days you can enjoy more than 40 hours of concerts, experience the artists in unique settings such as friendly sports competitions or answering fans' questions, meet the stars of tomorrow and collect a treasure trove of star autographs and photos. And each year, CMA will continue to add new elements and artists keeping CMA Music Festival fresh and exciting for years to come.*

*One of the best parts about the CMA Music Festival Exhibit Hall is the opportunity to get that long anticipated autograph from your favorite artist. While not every artist is able to appear in the exhibit hall, many do. CMA Music Festival does encourage exhibitors to use a general system for autograph lines in order to keep lines running smoothly and efficiently for you, the fan! Hopefully this system will allow for the greatest number of autographs to be signed within a reasonable time frame.*

*The exhibitors hand out a certain amount of pre-printed tickets from their booth. Timing of when these are distributed varies for each exhibitor. For those not able to get a ticket, always have your camera ready to take a picture, as you never know what star could show up next! The artist has a limited time to sign autographs, so please keep in mind that not everyone attending the CMA Music Festival is guaranteed to get an autograph.*

*The tickets give fans the opportunity to do/see other things instead of waiting in line all day.*

# EVENTS

**bonnaroo** **JUNE 7-10 2012**  
**MUSIC & ARTS FESTIVAL • CELEBRATING 10 YEARS OF MAGIC** **MANCHESTER, TN**

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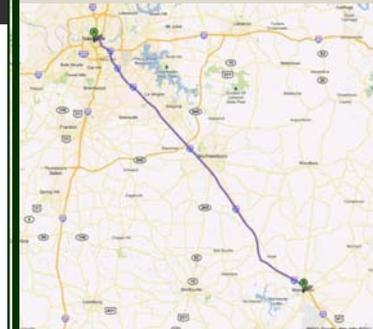
The Bonnaroo Music and Arts Festival is a four-day, multi-stage camping festival held on a beautiful 700-acre farm in Manchester, Tennessee every June. Bonnaroo brings together some of the best performers in rock and roll, along with dozens of artists in complementary styles such as jazz, Americana, hip-hop, electronica, and just about any contemporary music you can think of. In addition to dozens of epic performances, the festival's 100-acre entertainment village buzzes around the clock with attractions and activities including a classic arcade, on-site cinema, silent disco, comedy club, theater performers, a beer festival, and a music technology village. For its peaceful vibe, near-flawless logistics, and unrivaled entertainment options, Rolling Stone magazine named this revolutionary entertainment experience one of the 50 moments that changed the history of rock and roll.

For companies looking for information on renting the property for events, festivals, competitions, etc. Also please visit [www.greatstagepark.com](http://www.greatstagepark.com) for a virtual tour and area information. [greatstagepark@bonnaroo.com](mailto:greatstagepark@bonnaroo.com)

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**64.5 miles,  
1 hr 10 min  
from Nashville**

# Nashville Hotels

## Availability for useR! 2012

**Average nightly room commitment:  
660 rooms between 5 VUMC contracted hotels  
Average nightly room price: \$118.67**

Hotel Name	Monday June 11	Tuesday June 12	Wednesday June 13	Thursday June 14	Friday June 15	RATE per NIGHT	TOTAL ROOMS per NIGHT
Embassy Suites at Vanderbilt	Block 60 \$139.00	\$139.00	60				
Extended Stay America	On \$84.00 Dbl \$94.00						
Hampton Inn (Elleston Place)	Block 15 King \$129.00 Block 15 Dbl \$129.00	Block 20 King \$129.00 Block 28 Dbl \$129.00	Block 20 King \$129.00 Block 28 Dbl \$129.00	Block 20 King \$129.00 Block 28 Dbl \$129.00	Block 5 King \$129.00 Block 5 Dbl \$129.00		
Hampton Inn (West End)	Block 15 King \$129.00 Block 15 Dbl \$129.00	Block 30 King \$129.00 Block 20 Dbl \$129.00	Block 30 King \$129.00 Block 20 Dbl \$129.00	Block 30 King \$129.00 Block 20 Dbl \$129.00	Block 5 King \$129.00 Block 5 Dbl \$129.00		
Hermitage Inn (Historic)	Block 25-30 \$259.00						
Hilton Downtown	Block 250 \$179.00						
Hilton Garden Inn	Block 75-100 \$129.00	\$129.00	75-100				
Holiday Inn Express	Block 200 Single or Dbl \$129.00						
Holiday Inn Select at Vanderbilt	Block 200 King or Dbl \$124.00	\$119.00	200				
Hutton Hotel (opened Feb 2009, "green" hotel)	Block 70 Dlx King \$182.00 Block 5 Studio King Ste \$182.00						
Loews Vanderbilt	Block 200 \$169.00	\$169.00	200				
Marriott at Vanderbilt	Block 100 \$156.00	\$156.00	100				
Union Station (Historic)	Block 60 \$179.00						
						<b>AVG Rate/Night</b>	<b>TOTAL ROOMS</b>
						\$118.67	660

\*\* Gray areas indicate hotels where we can obtain additional space, if needed.  
(gray block and price quotes are from 2009)



# Nashville Hotels

## ✧ Embassy Suites

- ★ \$139.00 per night
- ★ Block 60 rooms/night
- ★ Complimentary cooked to order breakfast
- ★ Steakhouse on site
- ★ Manager hosted afternoon reception (wine, beer or well drinks)
- ★ Shuttle to VUMC or downtown locations



# Nashville Hotels

## ❖ Hilton Garden Inn

★ \$129.00 per night

★ Block 100 rooms



# Nashville Hotels

## ❖ **Holiday Inn Select - Vanderbilt**

★ \$124.00 per night

★ Block 200 rooms



# Nashville Hotels

## ❖ Loews Vanderbilt

★ \$169.00 per night

★ Block 200 rooms



# Nashville Hotels

## ✧ **Marriott Nashville at Vanderbilt**

★ \$156.00 per night

★ Block 100 rooms



# Residence Hall Housing

Vanderbilt University offers a variety of Residential accommodations including traditional rooms (singles and doubles)

All accommodations are furnished, air conditioned, and equipped with Ethernet data ports and cable television ports. Many spaces are fully accessible. Amenities unique to each residence hall include lounges, kitchens, ATM machines, laundry facilities, music practice rooms and markets. Several residence halls have small seminar rooms available at no cost. Room rates are available with linen or without linen. In addition, groups can choose to pay a nominal fee for more deluxe housekeeping services including towel exchanges, beds made and trash removal.



# RESTAURANTS

## *About Nashville Restaurants*

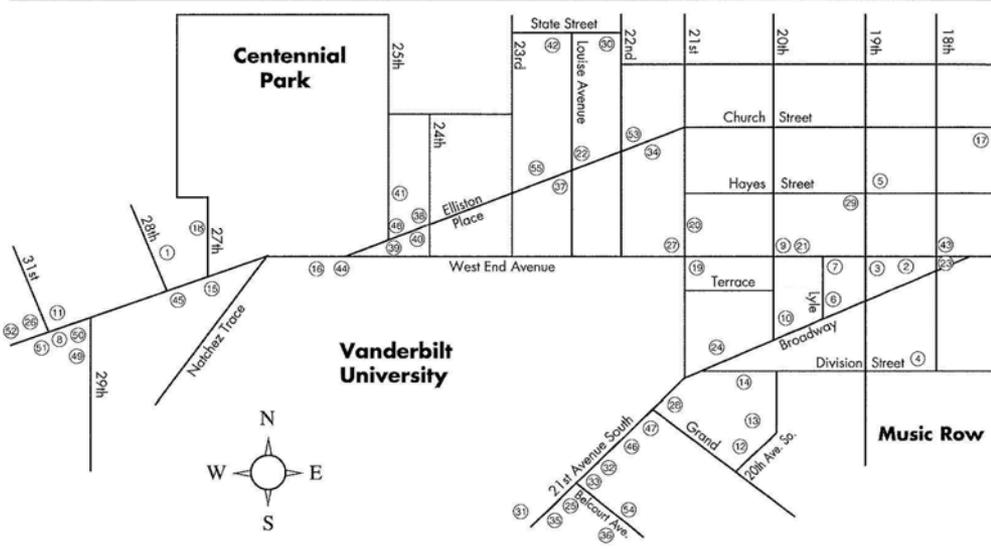
Whether it's down-home Southern cookin' or sophisticated Continental fare that you're looking for, you're in luck here. Nashville caters to all tastes with a restaurant scene that parallels the diversity found in its music styles. Ru San's sushi and Japanese food, Sitar's Indian dishes and Restaurant Zola's contemporary cuisine are just some examples of this variety. The staples of the city, however, are the meat-and-threes. Famous among these is the Loveless Café, which serves Southern classics such as fried chicken, meatloaf and chicken and dumplings, reminding you why it's called "comfort food." Loveless Café also offers a breakfast that is celebrated around the country, featuring biscuits and country ham and eggs with red-eye gravy as the main attractions. Another prominent breakfast spot is the Pancake Pantry. These pancakes, which can come with unique flavors and toppings, draw so many people that it's not unusual for the line to be around the corner and down the block. Nashville is also home to many successful restaurants that became regional or national chains; check out Cheeseburger Charley's and Whitt's Barbecue to see why they became such hits!

-- *Joseph K. Hall Jr., 10Best Editor*

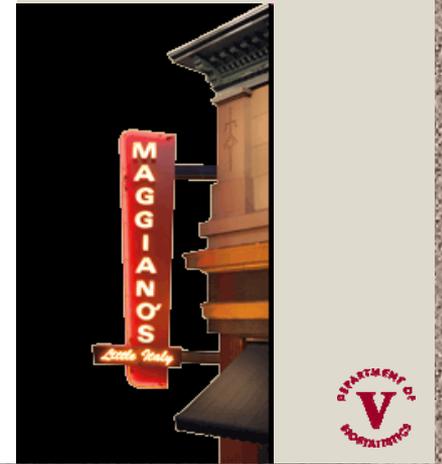




## 55 Area Restaurants



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| 1. The Acorn<br>114 28th Ave. N.<br>320-4399                     | 15. J. Alexander's<br>2609 West End Ave.<br>340-9901                    | 29. Las Palmas Mexican Restaurant<br>1905 Hayes Street<br>322-9588 | 43. Atlanta Bread Company<br>1720 West End Avenue<br>329-9100      |
| 2. Arby's<br>1809 West End Avenue<br>327-1076                    | 16. PF Chang<br>2525 West End Avenue<br>329-8901                        | 30. Calé CoCo (Open 24 Hours)<br>210 Louise Avenue<br>321-2626     | 44. Fleming's Prime Steakhouse<br>2525 West End Avenue<br>342-0131 |
| 3. Midtown Cafe<br>102 19th Avenue South<br>320-7175             | 17. Chappys<br>1721 Church St.<br>322-9932                              | 31. Bosco<br>1805 21st Ave. S.<br>385-0050                         | 45. Ted's Montana Grill<br>2817 West End Ave.<br>329-3415          |
| 4. Virago<br>1811 Division St.<br>320-5149                       | 18. Hog Heaven<br>115 27th Ave. N.<br>329-1234                          | 32. San Antonio Taco Co.<br>418 21st Avenue South<br>327-4322      | 46. Panera Bread<br>406 21st Ave. S.<br>320-1500                   |
| 5. DaVinci's Gourmet Pizza<br>1812 Hayes Street<br>329-8096      | 19. Qdoba Mexican<br>2019 West End Avenue<br>340-9039                   | 33. Pancake Pantry<br>1796 21st Avenue South<br>383-9333           | 47. Starbucks<br>402 21st Avenue South<br>340-9665                 |
| 6. Longhorn Steaks<br>110 Lyle Avenue<br>329-9195                | 20. Sitar Indian Cuisine<br>116 21st Avenue North<br>321-8889           | 34. Elliston Place Soda Shop<br>2111 Elliston Place<br>327-1080    | 48. Calypso Cafe<br>2424 Elliston Place<br>321-3878                |
| 7. Valentino's<br>1907 West End Avenue<br>327-0148               | 21. Blackstone Brewery & Restaurant<br>1918 West End Avenue<br>327-9969 | 35. Sam's Sports Bar and Grill<br>1803 21st Ave. S.<br>383-3901    | 49. Zola's<br>3001 West End Avenue<br>320-7778                     |
| 8. Stoney River<br>3015 West End Ave.<br>340-9550                | 22. Fiesta Azteca<br>2212 Elliston Place<br>340-0787                    | 36. Sunset Grill<br>2001 Belcourt Ave.<br>386-3663                 | 50. Rumba<br>3009 West End Avenue<br>321-1350                      |
| 9. Amerigo's<br>1920 West End Avenue<br>320-1740                 | 23. Goten Japanese<br>1718 West End Ave.<br>321-4537                    | 37. Samurai Japanese Sushi Bar<br>2209 Elliston Place<br>320-5438  | 51. Tin Angel<br>3001 West End Avenue<br>298-3444                  |
| 10. The Nashville Delicatessen<br>1918 Broadway<br>329-6674      | 24. Wild Boar Restaurant<br>2014 Broadway<br>329-1313                   | 38. Logan's Roadhouse<br>2400 Elliston Place<br>320-1161           | 52. Outback Steakhouse<br>3212 West End Avenue<br>385-3440         |
| 11. Brick Tops<br>3000 West End Ave.<br>298-1000                 | 25. Jackson's Bar and Bistro<br>1800 21st Ave.<br>385-9968              | 39. Rotiers<br>2413 West End Avenue<br>327-9892                    | 53. Michaelangelo's Pizza<br>205 22nd Ave. N.<br>329-2979          |
| 12. The Boundry<br>913 20th Avenue South<br>321-3043             | 26. Maggianos<br>3106 West End Ave.<br>514-0270                         | 40. Schlotzsky's Deli<br>244 West End Ave.<br>320-9777             | 54. The Trace<br>2000 Belcourt Ave.<br>385-2000                    |
| 13. South Street Restaurant<br>907 20th Avenue South<br>320-5555 | 27. Ruth's Chris Steak House<br>2100 West End Avenue<br>320-0163        | 41. Kobe Japanese<br>210 25th Avenue North<br>327-9081             | 55. OMBI<br>2214 Elliston Place<br>320-5350                        |
| 14. Mario's Ristorante<br>2005 Broadway<br>327-3232              | 28. Mellow Mushroom<br>212 21st Ave. S.<br>342-0044                     | 42. Jimmy Kelly's<br>217 Louise Avenue<br>329-4349                 |  |



# MEETING ROOMS

## ❖ Vanderbilt Meeting Rooms

### ★ Langford Auditorium

✱ seats 1,106

### ★ Multiple meeting rooms

*(table incorporated with some of our space)*



*Langford Auditorium, VUMC*

ROOM	TYPE	BUILDING	CAPACITY
202	Lecture Hall	Light Hall	184
208	Theater	Light Hall	308
214	Lecture Hall	Light Hall	184
308A	Classroom	Light Hall	12
308B	Classroom	Light Hall	12
407A	Classroom	Light Hall	12
407B	Classroom	Light Hall	12
407C	Classroom	Light Hall	12
407D	Classroom	Light Hall	12
411A	Classroom	Light Hall	12
411B	Classroom	Light Hall	12
411C	Classroom	Light Hall	12
411D	Classroom	Light Hall	12
412	Classroom	Light Hall	24
415A	Classroom	Light Hall	12
415B	Classroom	Light Hall	12
415C	Classroom	Light Hall	12
415D	Classroom	Light Hall	12
419A	Classroom	Light Hall	12
419B	Classroom	Light Hall	12
419C	Classroom	Light Hall	12
419C	Classroom	Light Hall	12
431	Classroom	Light Hall	24
433	Classroom	Light Hall	24
437	Classroom	Light Hall	24
439	Classroom	Light Hall	24
423	Laboratory	Light Hall	12
512	Theater	Light Hall	88
200N	Lobby	Light Hall	50
200S	Lobby	Light Hall	50
8323	Classroom	MCE	20
8337	Observation	MCE	10
8349	Classroom	MCE	18
8380A	Classroom	MCE	40
8380B	Classroom	MCE	60
C2209	Amphitheater	MCN	57
1220	Lecture Hall	MRB-III	110
1230	Open	MRB-IV	40
208	Theater	PRB	80

# MEETING ROOMS

Hotel Name	Meeting Room Details	Rate (per room)
Embassy Suites at Vanderbilt	<p><b>Over 2,600 sq ft of flexible meeting space; largest single room capacity is 150 people</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Commodore A: 735 sq ft, theater 50</li> <li>* Commodore B: 735 sq ft, theater 60</li> <li>* Commodore A/B combined: 1470 sq ft, theater 150</li> </ul>	\$250.00
Hilton Downtown	<p><b>Several meeting rooms available for this function; largest seats 100</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Armstrong 1: classroom or theatre style 50</li> <li>* Armstrong 2: classroom or theatre style 50</li> <li>* Ryman 1: classroom or theatre style 50</li> <li>* Ryman 2: classroom or theatre style 50</li> </ul>	<p>\$200.00 for classroom</p> <p>\$150.00 for theater</p>
Hilton Garden Inn (open Spring 2009)	<p><b>Over 5,000 sq ft of function space; largest single room capacity is 380 rounds, 400 classroom, 550 theater including a pre-function area with a view of Nashville's skyline.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Ballroom: 4005 sq ft, rounds 360, classroom 400, theatre 550, reception 600</li> <li>* A Ballroom: 1335 sq ft, rounds 120, classroom 120, theater 180, reception 200</li> <li>* B Ballroom: 1335 sq ft, rounds 120, classroom 120, theater 180, reception 200</li> <li>* C Ballroom: 1335 sq ft, rounds 120, classroom 120, theater 180, reception 200</li> <li>* Foyer: 1340 sq ft, reception 300</li> </ul>	rate tbd
Holiday Inn Express	<p><b>Over 10,000 sq ft of functional meeting space; 5 meeting rooms that can accommodate groups of 10 to 440 people.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Arts District: seats up to 100 people, perfect for classes and presentations</li> <li>* Amphitheater, seats up to 85 people, best venue for multi-media presentations</li> <li>* Entertainment District: largest room with most seating options available, can accommodate as many as 440 people</li> </ul>	complimentary with room block
Holiday Inn Select at Vanderbilt	<b>4,700 sq ft of flexible meeting space</b>	rate tbd
Hotel Indigo	<p><b>Approximately 2,000 sq ft of meeting space</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Rhythm &amp; Blues: 722 sq ft, accommodates up to 80 people (theater style)</li> <li>* Country: 670 sq ft, accommodates up to 74 people (theater)</li> <li>* Tejano: 570 sq ft, accommodates up to 62 people (theater)</li> </ul>	\$100.00 per day/room
Hutton Hotel (opened Feb 2009, "green" hotel)	<p><b>Meeting space with State-of-the-Art fiber optic, electrical, lighting and sound system</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Four function rooms; accommodates 50 people per room</li> </ul>	\$2000 per day/reduced rate will be offered w/block
Marriott at Vanderbilt	<p><b>Hotel features 11,000 sq ft of flexible function space on 2 floors accommodating groups from 10 to 400.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Parthenon Ballroom: 4,700 sq ft, theater 350, classroom 324, reception 400, rounds 320</li> <li>* Parthenon A, B, D, E: 806 sq ft each, theater 65, classroom 42, reception 60, rounds 50 (rounds of 10 ea)</li> <li>* Parthenon C: 1,560 sq ft, theater 130, classroom 75, reception 150, rounds 110 (rounds of 10 ea)</li> <li>* Acom Ballroom: 2,520 sq ft, theatre 280, classroom 120, reception 200, rounds 180</li> <li>* Acom A, B, C: 800 sq ft each, theatre 65, classroom 42, reception 60, rounds 60</li> <li>* Crescent Room: 1000 sq ft, theater 65, classroom 45, reception 70, rounds 60</li> </ul>	rate tbd based on block
Millennium Maxwell House Hotel	<p><b>Offers a variety of meeting rooms</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Four function rooms; accommodates 50 people per room theater style</li> </ul>	\$75.00 per day/room

- ✧ Multiple off site locations available
- ★ table (L) provides some of the rooms that are available for this event.



# DISTANCE from Hotels to VUMC

Hotel Name	Distance (miles)
Embassy Suites at Vanderbilt	0.6
Hilton Garden Inn	0.7
Holiday Inn Select at Vanderbilt	1.2
Loews Vanderbilt	0.7
Marriott at Vanderbilt	0.8
Back -Up Hotel Name	Distance (miles)
Extended Stay America	1.7
Hampton Inn (Elliston Place)	0.9
Hampton Inn (West End)	0.7
Hermitage Inn (Historic)	2.0
Hilton Downtown	2.1
Hotel Indigo	1.1
Hutton Hotel (opened Feb 2009, "green" hotel)	0.8
Milennium Maxwell House Hotel	3.6
Union Station (Historic)	1.4

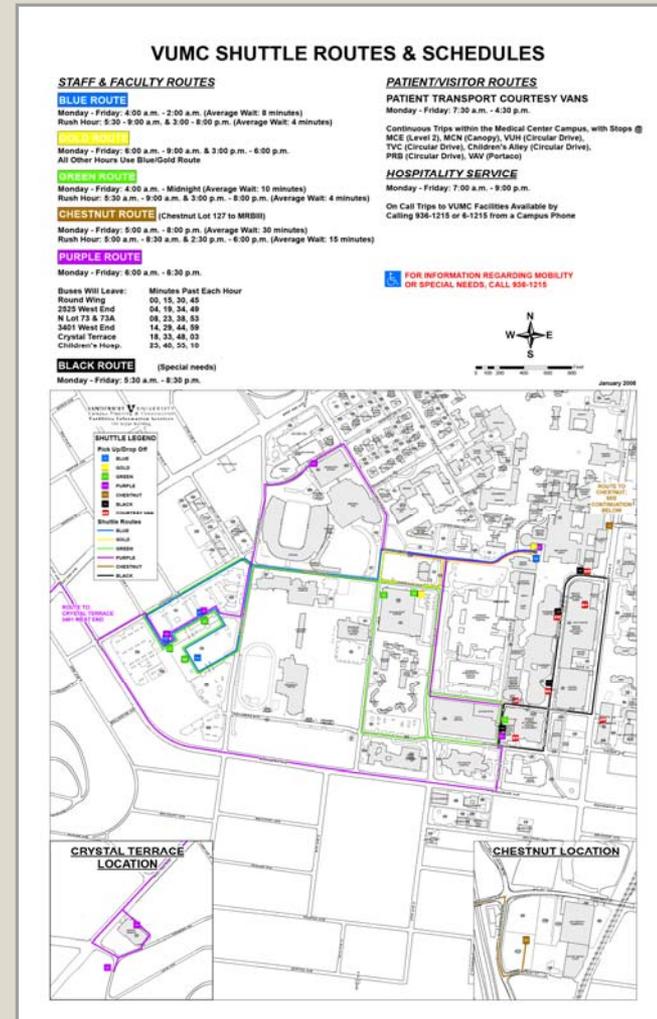
# TRANSPORTATION

- ❖ **Airport to Hotel Shuttle Services**
  - ★ Grayline Airport Shuttle Service  
\$16.00 one way, \$25.00 round trip (7/14/11)
  - ★ Multiple taxi vendors outside Nashville  
Int'l Airport baggage claim and all hotels

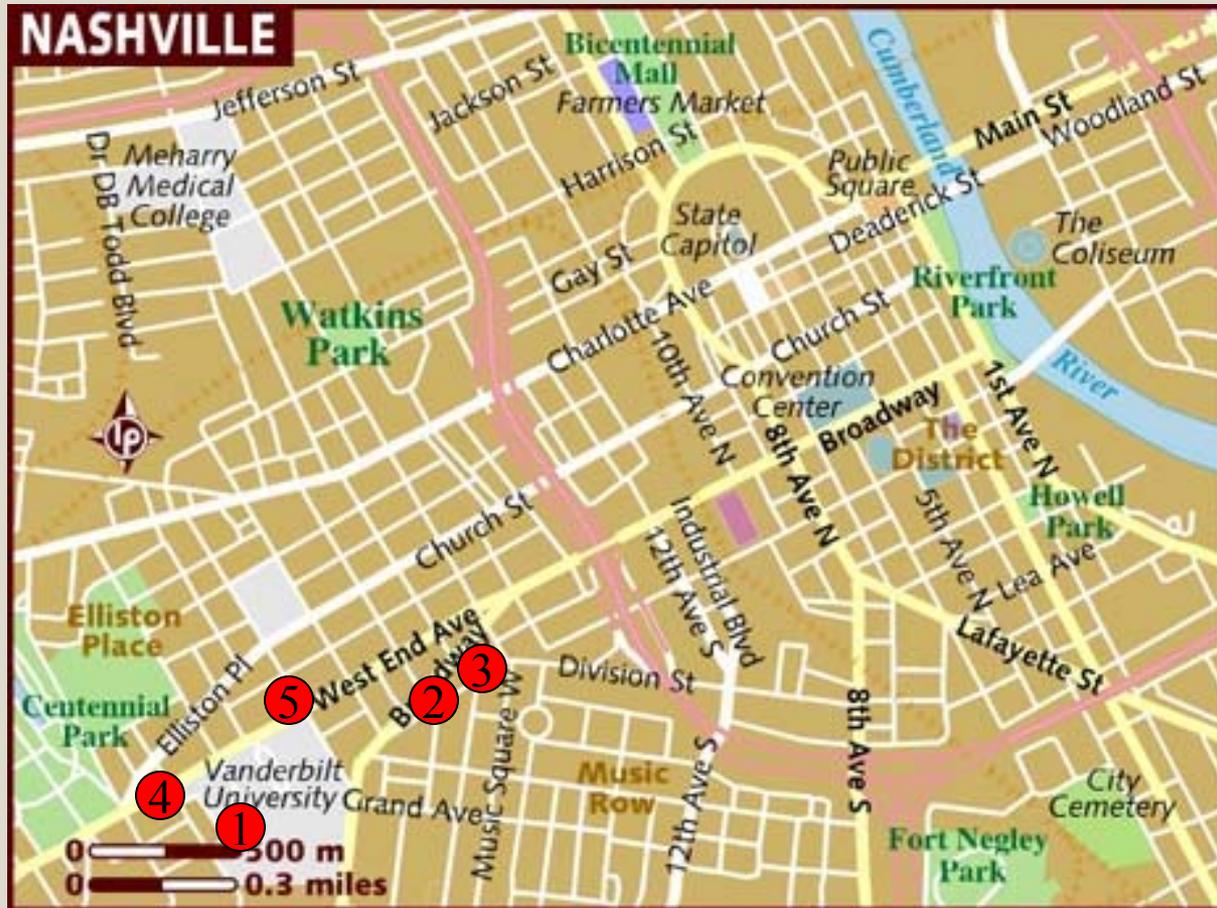
- ❖ **Special Event Transportation**
  - ★ AM: Vanderbilt University shuttle buses can pick up guests at hotel locations and deliver to meeting site(s) if needed.
  - ★ Most hotels offer no charge shuttle service to VUMC and downtown locations (some 24 hr, some early AM-midnight or later).
  - ★ PM: Vanderbilt University shuttle buses can pick up guests at meeting site(s) and return to various hotels.



- ❖ **VUMC Shuttle (campus service)**
  - ★ Map of existing campus routes. Langford Auditorium is accessible via either the Blue or Gold routes. (right →)



# NASHVILLE MAP



1. Vanderbilt University
2. Embassy Suites
3. Hilton Garden Inn
4. Holiday Inn Select - Vanderbilt
5. Loews Vanderbilt
6. Marriott Nashville at Vanderbilt

# Hope to see you in Music City USA June 2012



The image shows a screenshot of a website banner for the Nashville Music City Convention & Visitors Bureau. At the top left, the logo reads "Nashville MUSIC CITY CONVENTION & VISITORS BUREAU". To the right of the logo are three circular icons: a lightbulb labeled "ON" and "OFF", a dial labeled "TRACK", and another dial labeled "VOL.". Below the logo and icons is a horizontal navigation menu with the following items: VISITORS, GROUPS, MEETINGS, MEDIA, MEMBERS, MUSIC. The main content area features a photograph of a blonde woman, Ashley Monroe, sitting on the floor and playing an acoustic guitar. To the right of the photograph, the text "Music Calls Us Home®" is written in a cursive font. Below the photograph, the text "Ashley Monroe Country Recording Artist" is displayed.

<http://www.visitmusiccity.com/indexfull.php>  
<http://biostat.mc.vanderbilt.edu/twiki/bin/view>



# BACK-UP HOTELS

# Nashville Hotels

## ✧ Extended Stay America



# Nashville Hotels

## ✧ Hampton Inn Elliston Place



## ✧ Hampton Inn (West End)



# Nashville Hotels

## ❖ **The Hermitage Hotel (Downtown)**

★ \$259.00 per night

★ Block 25-30 rooms

*Located in the heart of Music City, adjacent to the state capitol, the Hermitage Hotel is the only remaining grand hotel in the city and the only commercial Beaux Arts structure in the state of Tennessee. Following the completion of a multi-million dollar restoration in 2003, this beloved hotel is once again a showplace that combines convenience with splendor. A newly-created grand foyer leads into the Hermitage's stunning lobby, called one of the most beautiful public rooms in America. With its preeminent location, the hotel is ideally situated for the enjoyment of leisure and business travelers*



# Additional Information – The Historic Hermitage Hotel

*The Hermitage Hotel (taking its name from nearby President Jackson's estate) opened its doors to guests on September 17, 1910 and was designed and built to be a world-class facility. Since then, countless famous and historical figures have stayed inside its halls. The list includes presidents, actors, actress, politicians, gangsters, musicians, and many, many more. John F. Kennedy even used the Hotel for his headquarters during his 1960 presidential campaign. It changed hands several times over the years, but was bought in 2000 by the Historic Hotels of Nashville, LLC. and renovated to capture its former glory and is now the only five-star Hotel in Nashville. It has 123 guest rooms and suites, a restaurant and bar, event and meeting rooms, fitness room, and pretty much everything you would need for a relaxing vacation.*

## **Room 912**

*And it has its ghosts too. For years, guests have reported the sounds of a baby crying all night from Room 912 (formerly 910). When someone is sent up to check on it, the crying stops immediately when the door is opened and the room turns out to be empty. Legend says that a baby died during a stay and has never left the building. At times, the ghost of a woman is reportedly seen trying to soothe the baby's cries. Despite the fact that the room is supposed to be unoccupied, the reports persist to this day. The room was initially Room 910 in the Hotel, but was reportedly changed when the walls between rooms was taken down to make for a larger suite. Today, Room 910 does not exist and some believe the Hotel is trying to escape its notorious reputation.*

## **Other Ghosts**

*A woman dressed all in white has been spotted gliding throughout the hotel, while there have various other sightings of a different woman in Victorian wardrobe on the first floor. Finally, a giant mirror in the lobby has been reported to crack at the top, then suddenly mend itself back together in front of the surprised eyes of staff and guests.*

# Nashville Hotels

## ❖ Hilton Downtown



## ❖ Holiday Inn Express (Broadway)



# Nashville Hotels

## ✧ Hotel Indigo



## ✧ Hutton Hotel (“green hotel”)



# Nashville Hotels

## ✧ Millennium Maxwell House Hotel



## ✧ Union Station



*Formerly a bustling 19<sup>th</sup> century railway station, this downtown landmark is reminiscent of an era when travel was viewed with awe and excitement. Fresh from an eleven-million-dollar restoration, Union Station continues to capture the imagination of travelers with a rare blend of old-world charm, stellar service and sleek, modern day luxury.*

