# **Welcome to the Auraria Campus!**

Located in the heart of downtown and less than an hour from the Rocky Mountains, the Auraria Campus, home of MSU Denver, is a launchpad for all that Colorado has to offer. Take a day trip to ski, hike and enjoy the outdoors, or walk to the Elitch Gardens theme park, live music, restaurants, sporting events and more.

Please use this guide to explore campus and learn about where you will receive a top-notch education, have access to resources and thrive in the heart of Denver.

On campus you will find facilities where you can access classes and resources. Below, you can see more locations across campus that are important to our University and may be of interest to you.

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- (B) Tivoli Quad
- (c) Emmanuel Gallery -Modern art gallery and
- **E** Lynx Crossing
- Institute for Teaching and Advocacy (GITA)

- oldest church building in Denver
- Golda Meir House
- (F) Boulder Creek Gender

# **Places of Interest Near Campus**

- Ball Arena
- Meow Wolf
- Empower Fieldhouse
- Elitch Gardens
- Union Station
- Center for Visual Arts (CVA) and Santa Fe Arts District
- Larimer Square
- Colorado Convention Center
- Denver Center for Performing Arts
- Trails: Cherry Creek and Platte Creek Trails





#### **Jordan Student Success Building**

is a one-stop shop for everything. Students start here even before Day One with the Admissions Office, through graduation. It was recently renovated, adding study areas, nap cubes and a lounge. The President's Office can be found on the 4th floor.



#### **Tivoli Student Union**

is the center for cultural and social activities. You will find a food court and multiple student offices: the Center for Multicultural Engagement and Inclusion, the Student Advocacy Council, the LGBTQ Resource Center and more. Also check out the brewing labs and Tivoli Brewing Company!

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## **Hospitality Learning Center**

hosts classes in unique spaces like a sensory-analysis lab and a cellar-management classroom. Attached to the HLC are the Marriott SpringHill Suites and Degree—a fully functioning hotel and restaurant, respectively, where students work and learn.



# **Science Building**

is home to Nath, Chemistry, Physics and Anatomy classes. It also houses a cadaver lab and a full greenhouse where students will have plenty of research opportunities. Inside is also "Psyche," a giant butterfly sculpture made of hundreds of test tubes filled with resin.



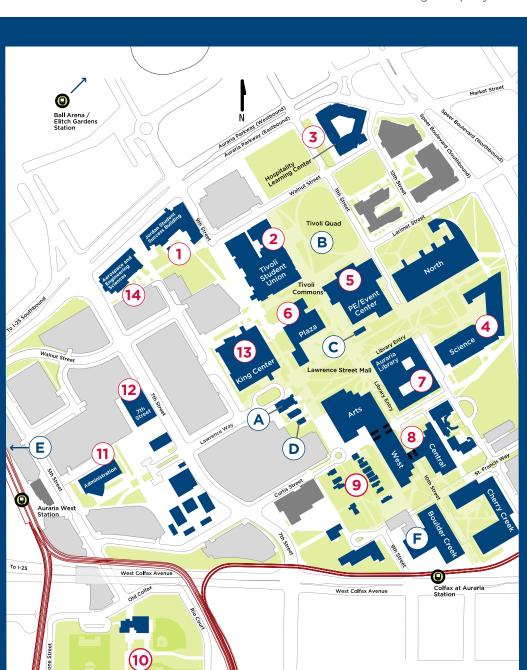
#### The PE/Event Center

is where to watch many of the MSU Denver NCAA Division II athletic teams. Inside, you'll find a full basketball court, the Fitness Loft and an outdoor-pursuits program. Students can participate in intramural and club sports programs that are available to all as well as work out in the Campus Fitness Center!



## **Plaza Building**

is the host for several classrooms as well as the Auraria Campus Health Center. The tri-institutional Health Center provides telehealth services, immunizations and outreach MSU Denver students.





### **Auraria Library**

is the only tri-institutional academic library in the country. In addition to books, students can check out laptops, calculators and even anatomical skeletons. There are a 3D Printing Lab on the main floor and a number of TV studios on the lower level.

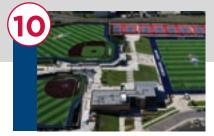


#### **West and Central Classroom Buildings**

are home to a number of programs. In the Central Building are Communication, Social Work, Philosophy and more. The West Building hosts Nursing, Education and Criminology and Criminal Justice.



#### 9th Street Park. Denver's oldest block of restored houses, was initially settled by immigrants as a part of the original Auraria neighborhood, Today, these houses are occupied by offices and resources for students, faculty and staff.



### Cohen Center at the **Assembly Athletic Complex** is home to many of MSU Denver's 16 NCAA Division II athletic teams. The complex includes the baseball, softball and soccer fields, as well as tennis courts. Roadrunner home games are free to attend for MSU Denver students!



# **Administration Building**

is the place to find the Auraria Campus Police Department a dedicated, full-service police department, operating 24 hours a day, seven days a week, 365 days a year. The Classroom to Career Hub, the Study Abroad Office and the College of Business also call this building home.



### 7th Street Classroom **Building** is home to the

Aviation and Aerospace Science Department (AVS). AVS has reimagined possibilities by evolving into one of the largest and most sophisticated programs in the country while remaining the most affordable program of its kind.



#### King Center is the host of concerts, musicals and plays. Students can audition, volunteer or attend productions for free! There are three black-box theatres including the Rawls Theatre modeled after the Globe Theatre in London, England. Students can also get free assistance from the Writing Center here.



#### Aerospace and **Engineering Sciences Building** is Downtown

Denver Partnership's award winner for impact on the city! This facility includes a large-scale 3D printer and a 50% scale model of NASA's Orion spacecraft. There are many public-private partnerships providing students internships and jobs.