Info for SAC Attendees

(Updated July 22: Both SAC and S3 Welcome Reception times changed to be 5:30-7:00.)

Location
All S3/SAC talks will take place on the Memorial University campus in the Science Building lecture theatre, room SN210. Lunches for S3 and SAC will be held in Hatcher House (East Room). Coffee/nutrition breaks will be held in the lobby outside of the lecture theatre.

S3 Welcome Reception
The SAC Summer School will have a welcome reception in Hatcher House (West Room) on Sunday, August 7, from 5:30-7:00 (UPDATED).

SAC Welcome Reception
A welcome reception will be held in “The Narrows” room of the Sheraton Hotel on Tuesday, August 9, from 5:30-7:00 (UPDATED). The reception will include hors d’oeuvres.

Banquet
On Thursday, August 11, the conference banquet will be held at The Rooms, which is a museum, art gallery, and archives located at 9 Bonaventure Avenue. There will be a pre-dinner reception at 6:30, followed by the dinner at 7:30.

Directions

To/From Memorial University:
The conference is not providing any transportation between hotels and the university. Hence, it is recommended that SAC attendees take a taxi between their hotel and the university. For those looking for exercise, it is about a 40 minute walk from the Sheraton Hotel and the Quality Hotel to the university campus. Of course, attendees staying in the university residence are only a very short walk from the site of the SAC talks.
To/From The Rooms:
It is about 15-20 minute walk from the Sheraton Hotel and the Quality Hotel to The Rooms (the site of the banquet). Of course, it is also possible to take a taxi.

From the university residence, it takes about 25-30 minutes to walk to the Rooms. Alternatively, a taxi may be used.

Weather
Summer weather in Newfoundland can be wonderful – sunny with pleasant temperatures in the low to mid 20s. However, the weather can be really variable and is often cool (low teens) with rain, drizzle, and fog and sometimes quite windy. So please come prepared for a variety of weather conditions.