**MAPS:**

An interactive map for the entire campus can be found at  [http://www.uic.edu/uic/about/visit/interactive-map.shtml](http://www.uic.edu/uic/about/visit/interactive-map.shtml)

**U-Pass:**

The UPass can be picked up in the [ID Center](http://www.uic.edu/uic/about/visit/) located in the Student Services Building (SSB) beginning Wed, August 23rd 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
(Monday 9/4, Labor Day, is a university holiday, all UIC offices are closed)

You will need to have your university ID and be registered for at least 9 hours to pick up your UPass. If you register after July 31, please bring your printed schedule as proof of registration. **The UIC CTA U-PASS is valid for unlimited rides on CTA buses and trains from 5 days prior to classes to 5 days after the last day of final exams.** The CTA has excellent route planners: [http://www.transitchicago.com/maps/](http://www.transitchicago.com/maps/)

The student fee ($140 per semester) assessed grad students registered for at least 9 hours during the semester and 6 hours in summer provides unlimited travel on the CTA buses and trains, the "L". This also includes travel to nearby suburbs, Oak Park and Evanston, if you take classes there.

**TRANSPORTATION:**

Please note that many students will have activities on both East and West sides of campus. General info about parking, campus shuttles, paratransit, and CTA can be found here [http://www.uic.edu/uic/about/visit/parking-bus.shtml](http://www.uic.edu/uic/about/visit/parking-bus.shtml)

The Circle Interchange, immediately northeast of campus, links the Dan Ryan, Kennedy, and Eisenhower expressways – and gave us our original name University of Illinois at Chicago Circle. There is a major overhaul of the interchange and of nearby streets so buses may be rerouted occasionally.

**CAMPUS SHUTTLE:**  Live campus shuttle tracker [http://uic.doublemap.com/map/](http://uic.doublemap.com/map/)

UIC runs free shuttle buses between East and West campuses and in the campus neighborhood. You must have your campus ID, Icard, to ride.

**PARATRANSIT & RED CAR SERVICE**

On-campus Paratransit Service is available seven days a week for students, faculty and staff with disabilities. In addition, all [Intercampus and Commuter Bus](http://fmweb.fm.uic.edu/Trans/paratransit.aspx) routes are accessible. Between 11 pm and 7 am, 7 days a week, students may use the ‘Red Car’, for transportation between university buildings and from university buildings to public transportation or private residences in the campus neighborhood, between Halsted St/E and Western Ave/W and Eisenhower Expressway/N and Roosevelt Rd/S **Please note that you have to call at least 1 hour before you want to be picked up.**

**THE METRA - SUBURBAN (w SOME CITY STOPS) TRAIN SERVICE:**

Service and schedules for METRA, the commuter rail system can be found at [www.metrarail.com](http://www.metrarail.com). There are several bus lines and one train line on the CTA (free with your U-PASS) that provide transportation between the two main commuter stations, Ogilvie Transportation Center (very-old-timers call this Northwestern station) and Union Station and UIC. Traveling to and from Ogilvie is either on foot or via CTA bus.