



Colorado State University

VICE PRESIDENT FOR RESEARCH

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Visitor Packet



## About Fort Collins, Colorado

Fort Collins is an award-winning city located on the Front Range of the Rocky Mountains with the foothills and sights of 14,000-foot peaks. Easy access to hiking, skiing, rafting and other outdoor sports. Historical Old Town also offers a wide variety of restaurants and shopping.



## About Colorado State University

Our campus is located in Fort Collins, and is situated on nearly 5,000 acres of land, including the main campus, a foothills campus, an agricultural campus, and our mountain campus. We also have 4,600 acres for research centers, Cooperative Extension offices, and Colorado State Forest Service stations.

Located north of the Denver metro area, CSU is about an hour drive to Denver International Airport.



## About CSU Research

Our world-class research in infectious disease, atmospheric science, clean energy technologies, environmental science, and biomedical technology attracted more than \$300 million in research funding annually. Our professional programs in veterinary medicine, occupational therapy, journalism, and agriculture and construction management are ranked among the nation's best.

CSU is the "university of choice" for Colorado residents; 30% of all of Colorado's science, math, engineering and technology majors pursue degrees at CSU.

To date, more than 230,000 undergraduate, graduate and professional degrees have been conferred at Colorado State, including more than 6,000 in 2011-2012. Our 184,586 living alumni are active in 27 geographic alumni groups representing 17 states (4 in Colorado and 23 out of state) and 16 common interest groups.

## About Our Office

CSU is recognized as one of the premier research institutions and routinely ranks in the top of all American Universities in research expenditures. The Office of the Vice President for Research (OVPR) has overall responsibility for facilitating the research enterprise at Colorado State University. The Office works to encourage and support the development, marketing and application of Colorado State University's intellectual property and our world-renowned researchers, students and facilities.

**Vision:** The OVPR will enable the University, its faculty, staff and students to emerge as a world-class research institution complementing our learning, service and outreach missions.

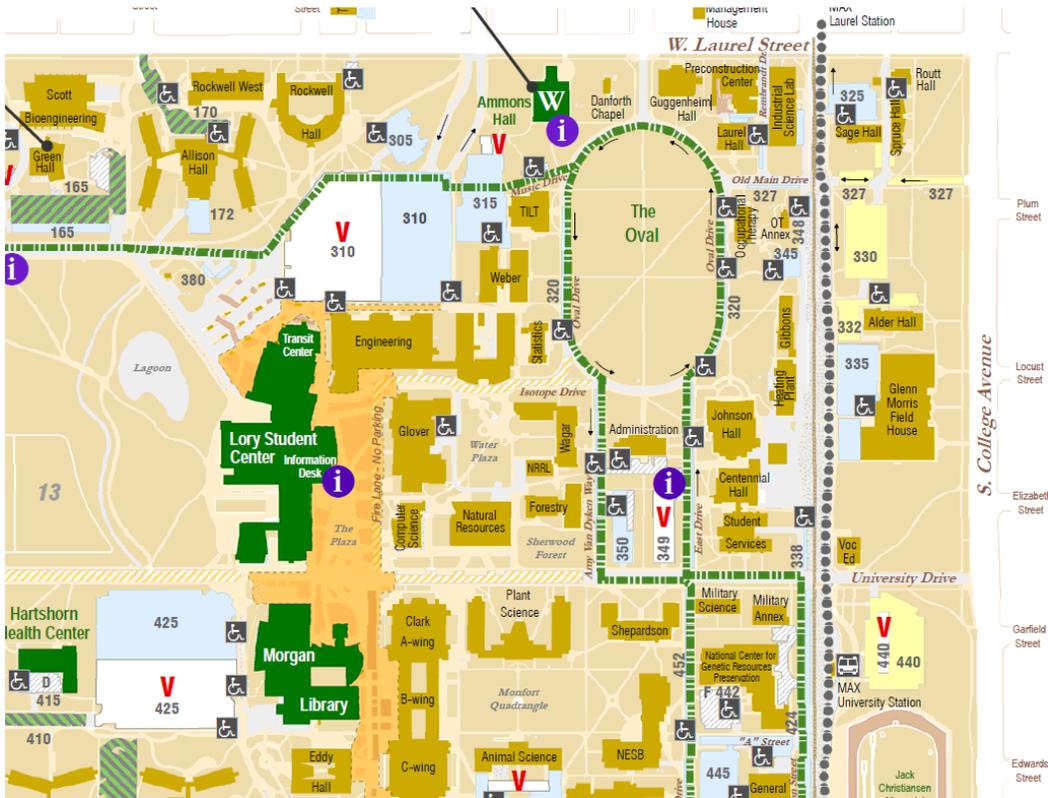
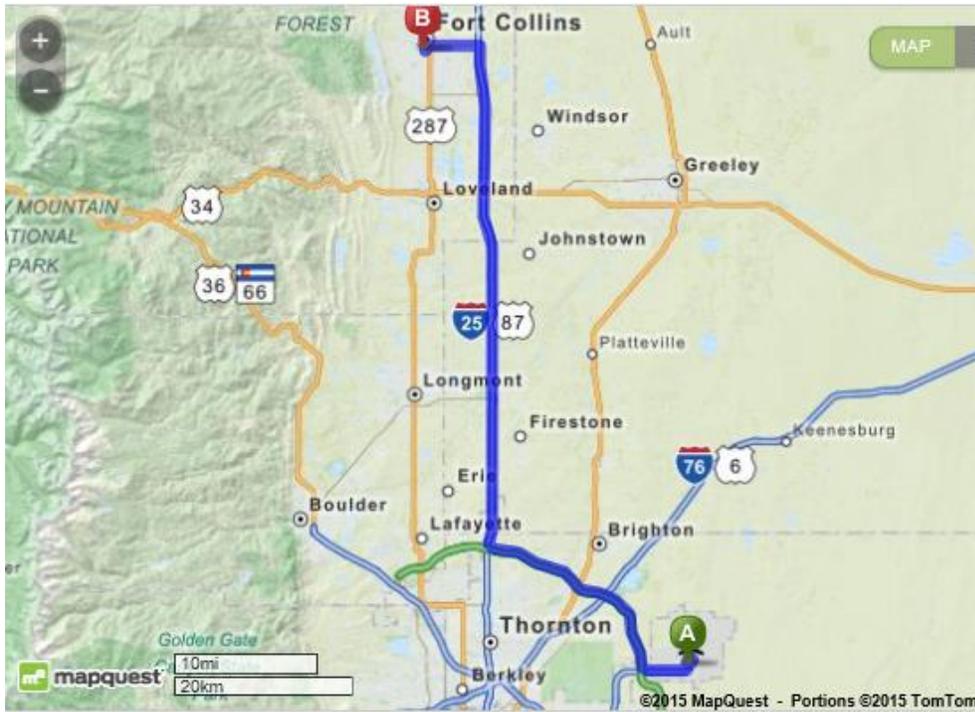
**Mission:** The OVPR will lead the 21st Century Land-Grant mission of Colorado State University by fostering and supporting the research enterprise, promoting scholarship and artistry, instilling a culture of integrity, and capitalizing on opportunities to address global challenges.



## Driving Directions from DIA to CSU:

<b>A Denver International Airport, CO</b>		<b>A-B: 69.0 mi</b> 1 hr 2 min
	1. Depart from <b>Denver International Airport, CO</b>	0.8 mi
	2. Keep <b>straight</b> onto <b>Pena Blvd</b>	3.5 mi
	3. At exit <b>6B</b> , take ramp <b>right</b> for <b>E-470 TOLLWAY North</b> toward <b>Boulder / Ft. Collins</b> Toll road Stop for toll booth	<b>18.4 mi</b> 13 min
	4. At exit <b>47</b> , take ramp <b>right</b> for <b>I-25 North</b> toward <b>Ft Collins</b>	<b>40.8 mi</b> 30 min
	5. At exit <b>268</b> , take ramp <b>right</b> and follow signs for <b>Prospect Road</b>	0.2 mi
	6. Turn <b>left</b> onto <b>E Prospect Rd / CR-44</b> <i>Pass 7-Eleven/7-Eleven on the left in 3.0 mi</i>	4.0 mi
	7. Turn <b>right</b> onto <b>US-287 N / S College Ave</b> <i>Shell on the corner</i>	0.8 mi
	8. Turn <b>left</b> onto <b>W Laurel St</b>	0.2 mi
	9. Turn <b>left</b> onto <b>S Howes St</b> , and then immediately turn <b>right</b> onto <b>Oval Dr</b> Private Road	0.2 mi

The administration building is located on the south side of the Oval.



A full map of parking available on campus can be found [here](#).



## Shuttles from DIA

**Green Ride:** offers private shuttle service between northern Colorado and DIA. Green Ride. Prices range from \$32 to \$38 dollars depending on the drop off/pick up area, and adding \$20 for every passenger after.

**SuperShuttle:** offers three different services; a shared van, a private sedan, and a private SUV. The shared van costs \$34, the private sedan is \$150, and the SUV is \$200. SuperShuttle offers services to a large number of hotels in Fort Collins, including the Fort Collins Hilton.

**Limousines:** a full list of limousine services offered can be found at the [DIA website](#).

## Hotels in Fort Collins

**Hilton Fort Collins:** is the closest hotel to Colorado State University campus and is located across the street from on Prospect Rd.

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