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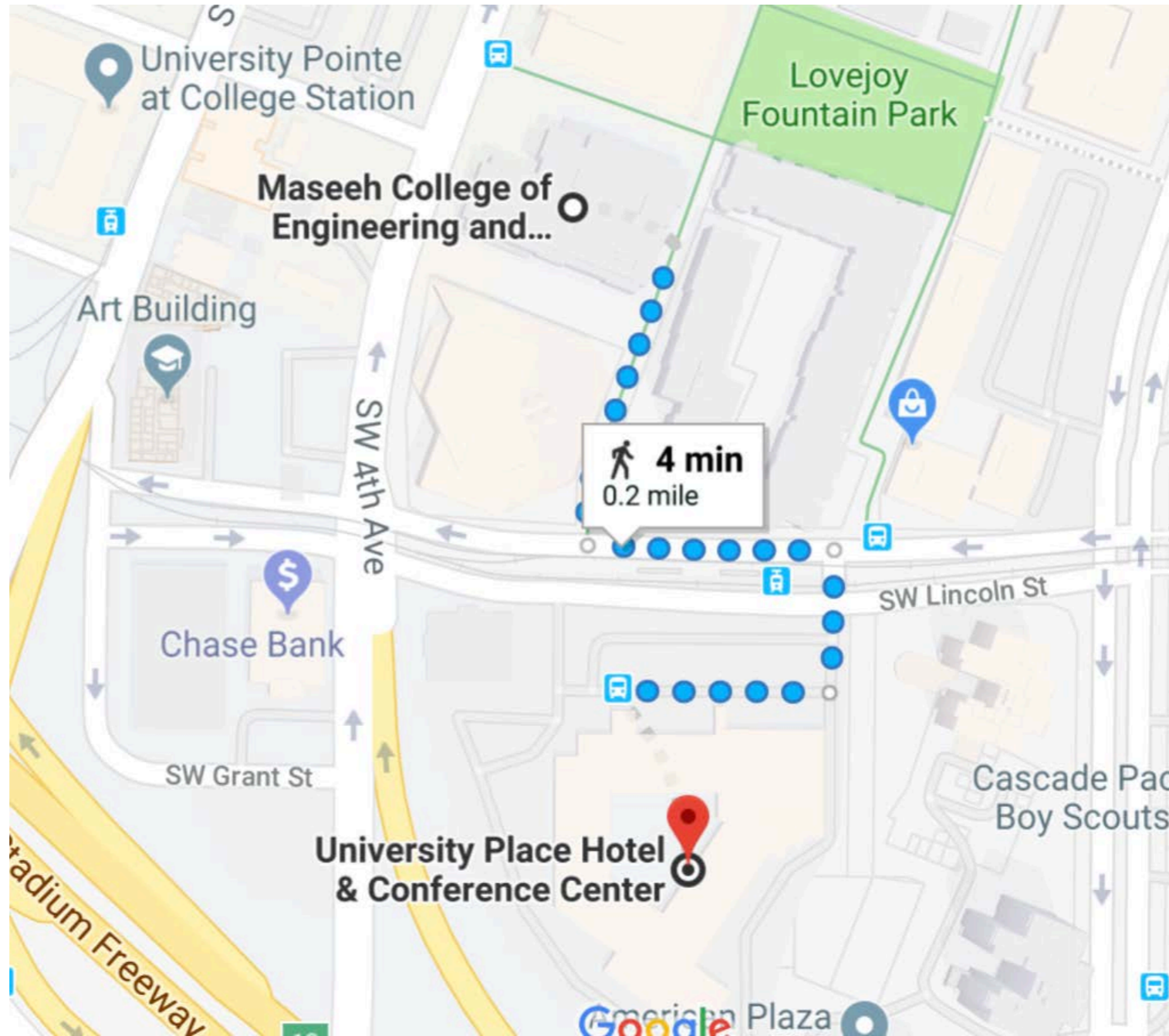
PORTLAND, OREGON

June 18-21, 2019

Conference at the University Place Conference Center

Workshops at PSU's Maseeh College of Engineering and Computer Science





Rooms at the conference center: \$89/night

Close to food carts

15 minutes walk to Downtown

Getting There (to PDX)

- 9 miles from city center
- Direct flights to 112 cities worldwide
- Over 494 flights daily
- Competitive airfares
- Town cars, limousines and shuttles
- Average taxi fare to downtown: \$35
- Max Light Rail: \$2.5



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Th In 2013, a [Travel + Leisure](#) magazine readers' poll named PDX as the best US airport, based on its on-time record, dining, shopping, and mass transportation into the main parts of the city.^[5] In 2015, 10 new restaurants were opened at PDX, making it a "foodie haven" according to travelers. PDX also got significant recognition for its unique carpet pattern, which was replaced throughout the entire airport with newer carpet that contains a similar design.

From the airport to the conference center

The screenshot shows a Google Maps interface with a transit route highlighted in red. The route starts at Portland International Airport and ends at University Place Hotel & Conference Center. The route includes a walk to the Airport Station, a train ride on the MAX Red Line to the Airport Station, a transfer to the MAX Green Line, and a final walk to the destination. The map shows the Columbia River, various neighborhoods like University Park and Maywood Park, and major roads like I-205 and I-84.

Transit Schedule:

- 12:28 PM – 1:12 PM (44 min):** Downtown Express
- 12:24 PM – 1:20 PM (56 min):** MAX Red Line > MAX Green Line > Walk
- 12:24 PM – 1:19 PM (55 min):** MAX Red Line > 8 > Walk
12:27 PM from Portland Int'l Airport Station
\$2.50 9 min every 15 min

Map Callouts:

- 55 min every 15 min:** Between Airport Station and downtown.
- 44 min every 30 min:** Between downtown and University Place Hotel & Conference Center.

Map Labels: Portland International Airport, Portland Int'l Airport Station, University Place Hotel & Conference Center, University Park, Maywood Park, Mt. Tabor Park, Columbia River, I-205, I-84, I-5, I-26, I-30, I-99E, I-30B, I-213, I-26, I-10.

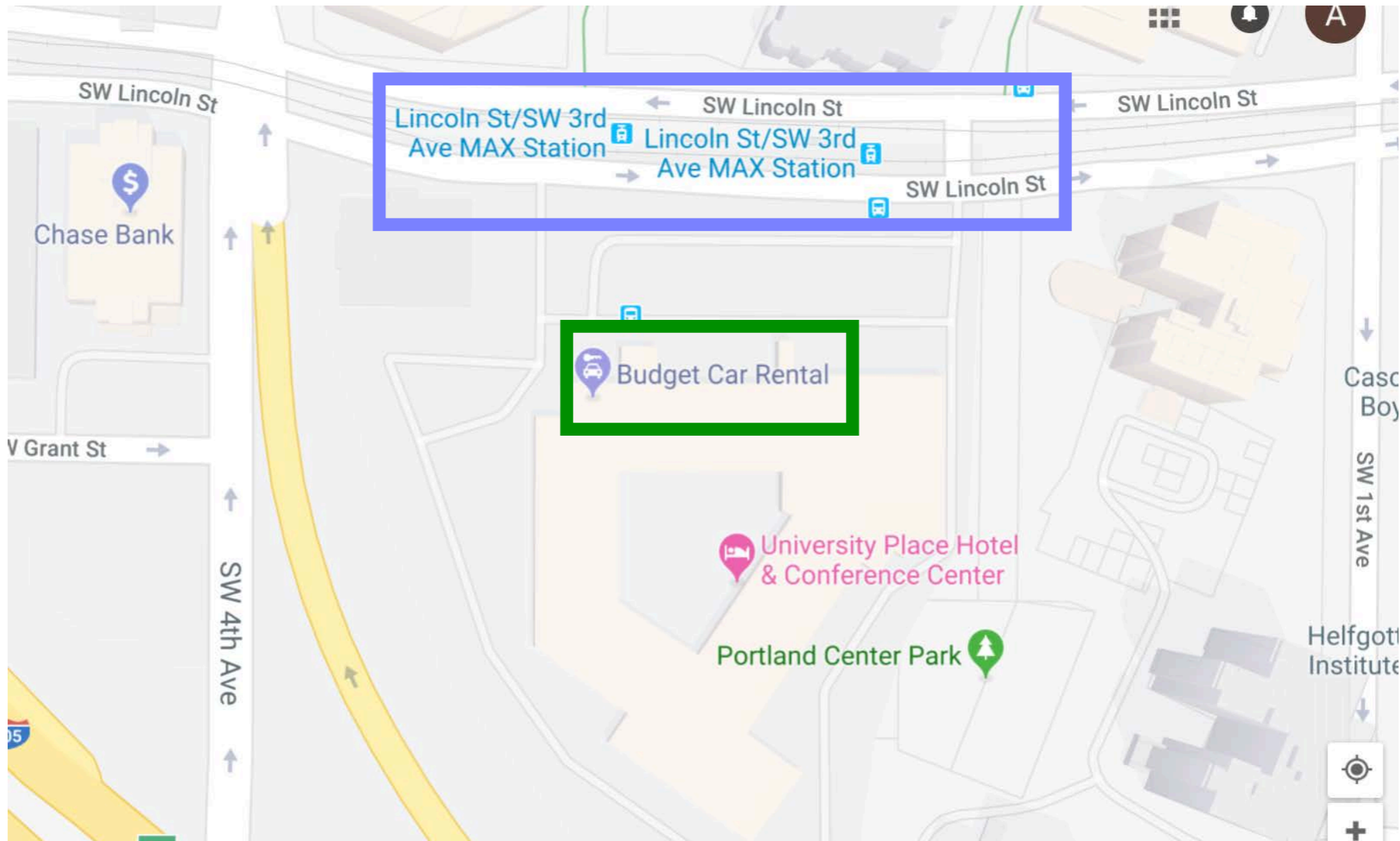
Map Controls: Satellite view, Google logo, Map data ©2018 Google, United States, Terms, Send feedback, 1 mi scale.

Getting Around

- MAX light rail
 - safe, clean, ADA compliant
- Streetcars
- Bikes
- No need to get out of car to pump gas!



Local transportation options

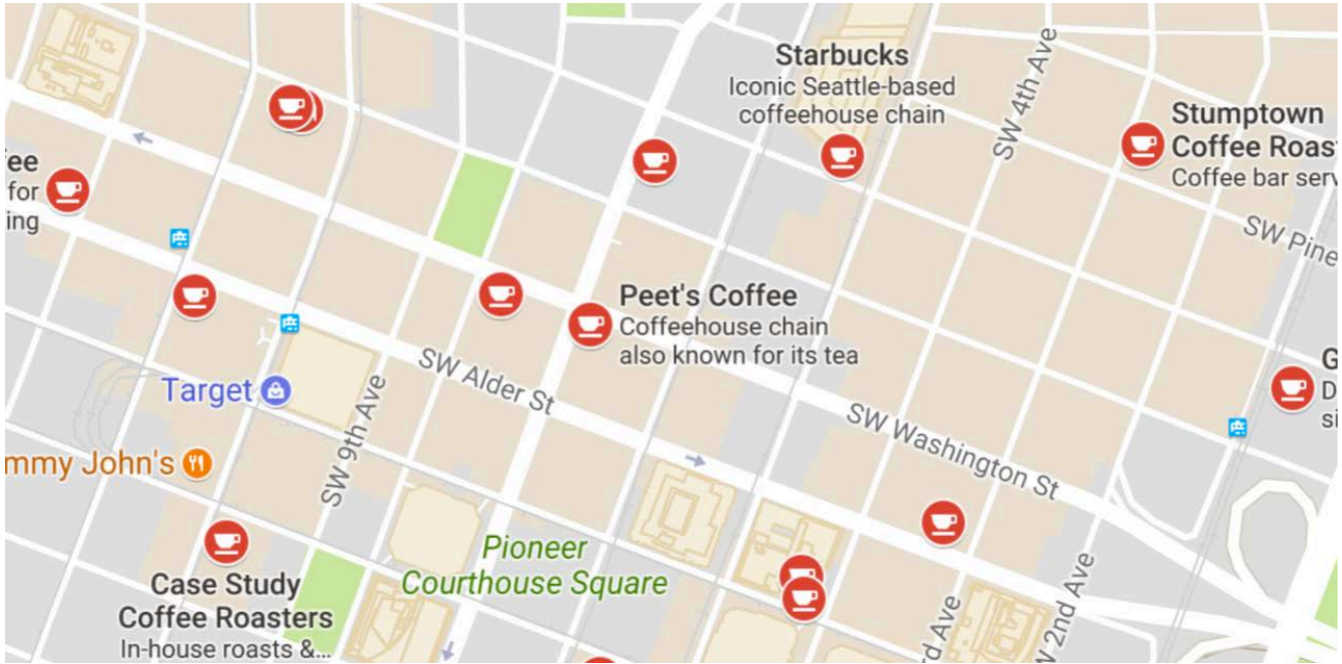


MAX Station (light rail)

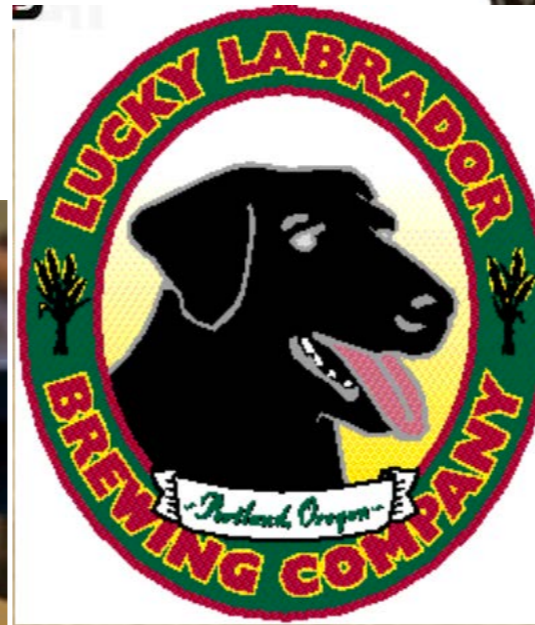
Rental Cars

Streetcar 2 blocks

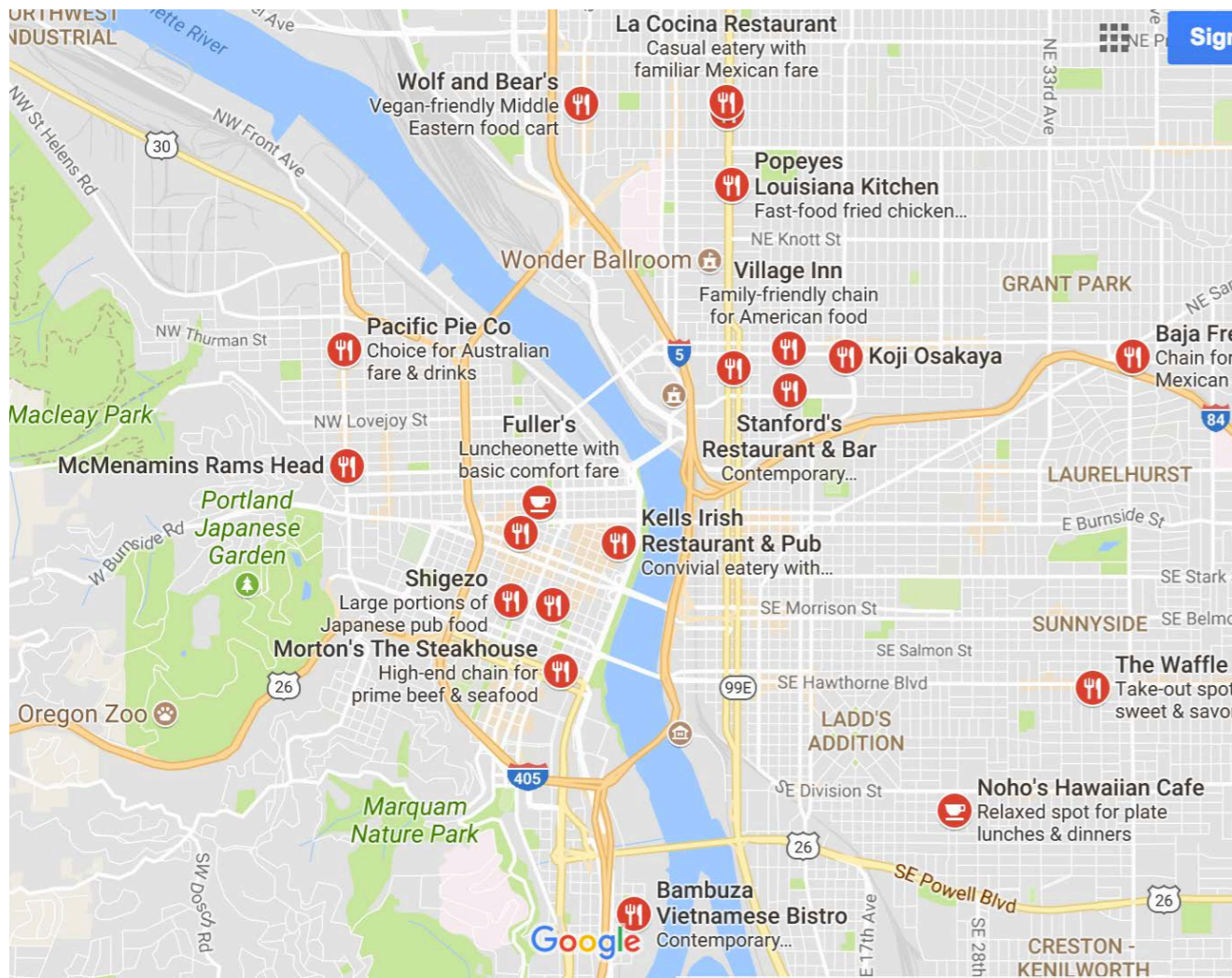
Lots of good coffee shops



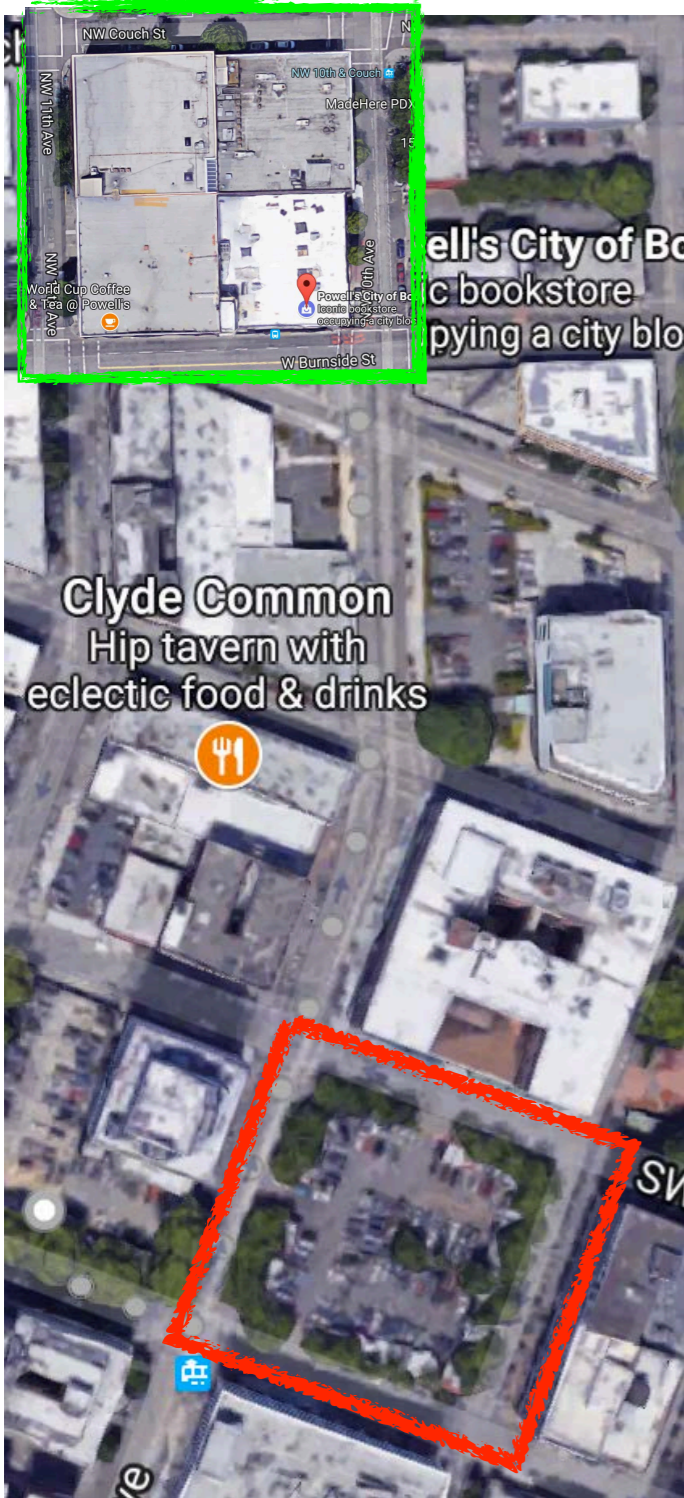
Local Microbrews

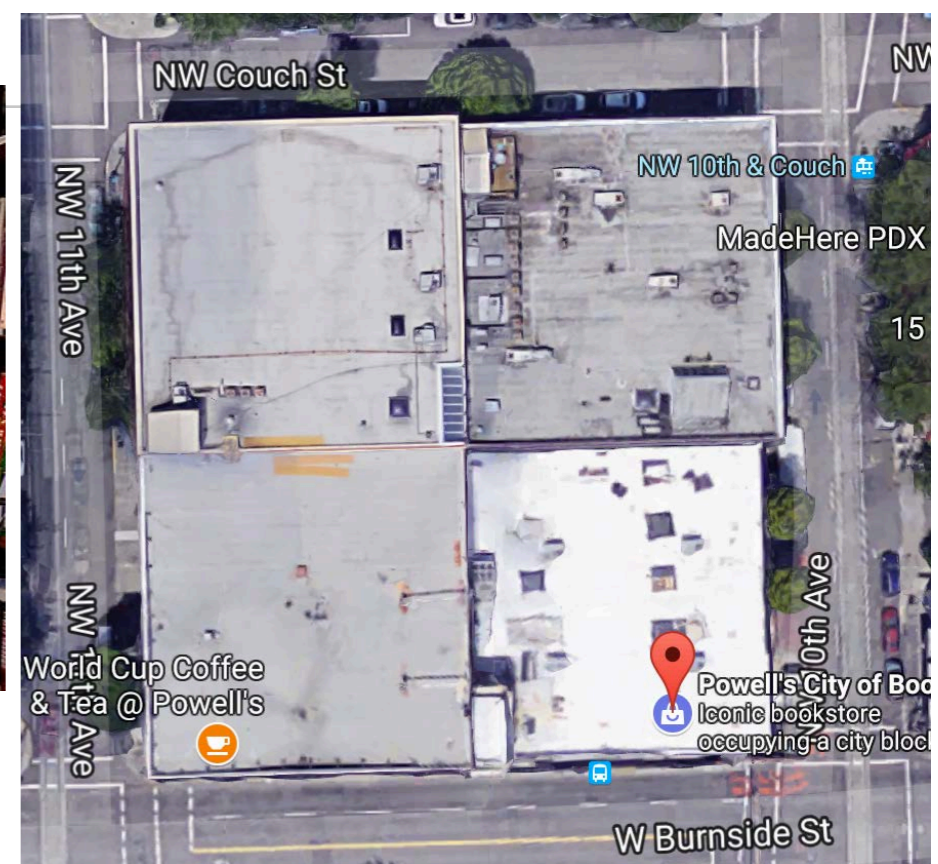
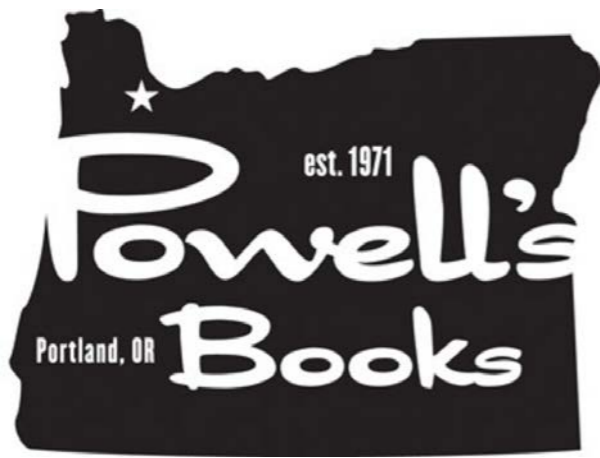


Great food and dessert

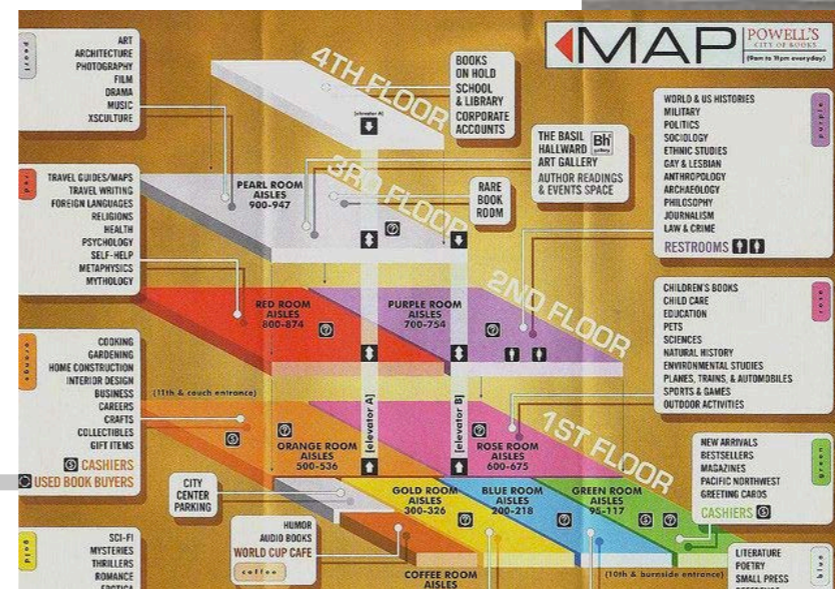
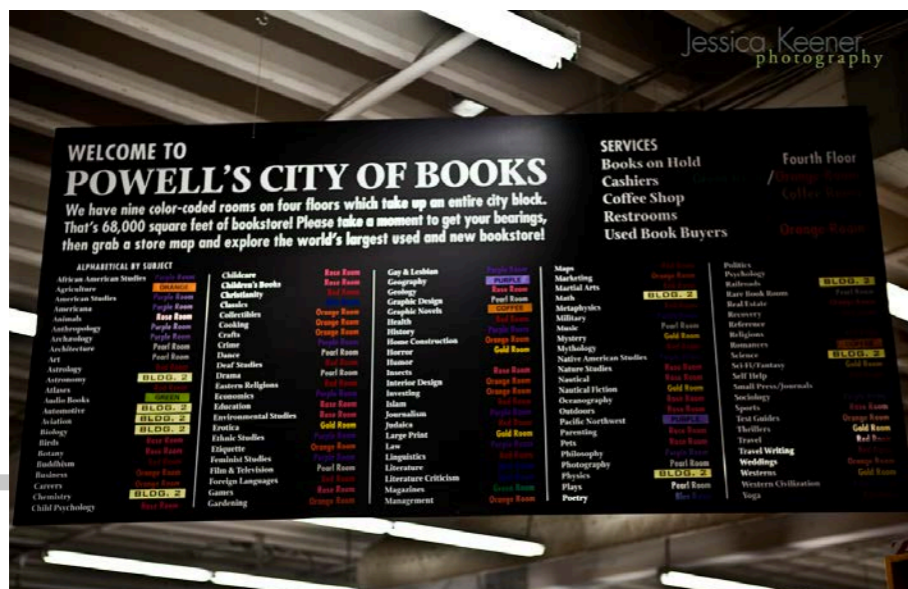


World-famous food carts



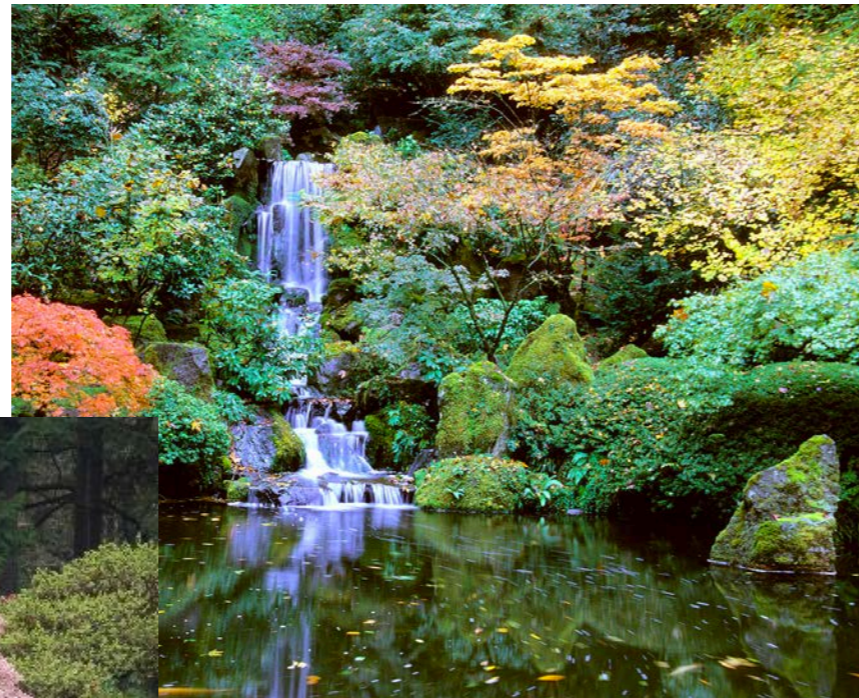


- Possibly the Best bookstore in the world
- The largest used and new bookstore in the world
 - One city block
- Stocks > 10⁶ books
 - 9 color coded rooms
 - >3500 sections

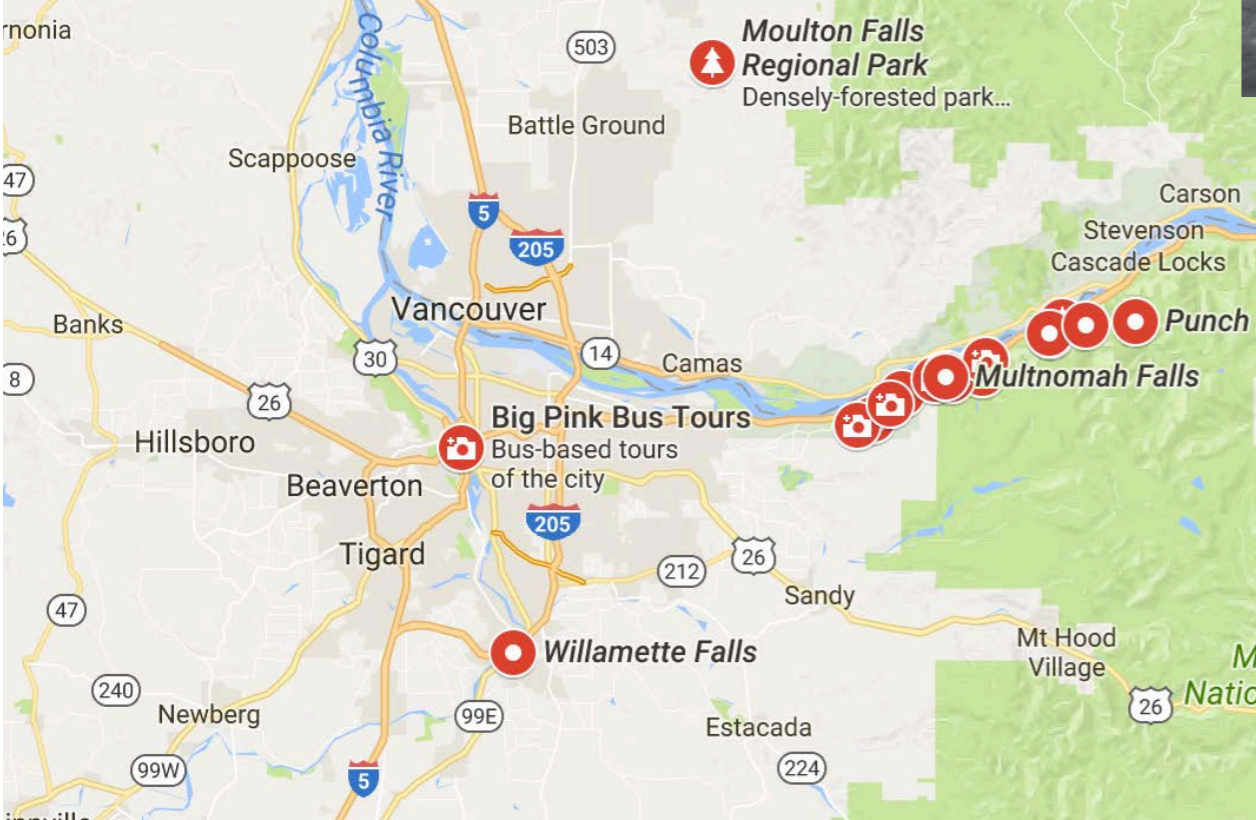


Gardens:

- Rose Garden
- Japanese Garden
- Chinese Garden
- Crystal Springs Rhododendron Garden
- ...and more



Waterfalls:



Nature in Oregon

