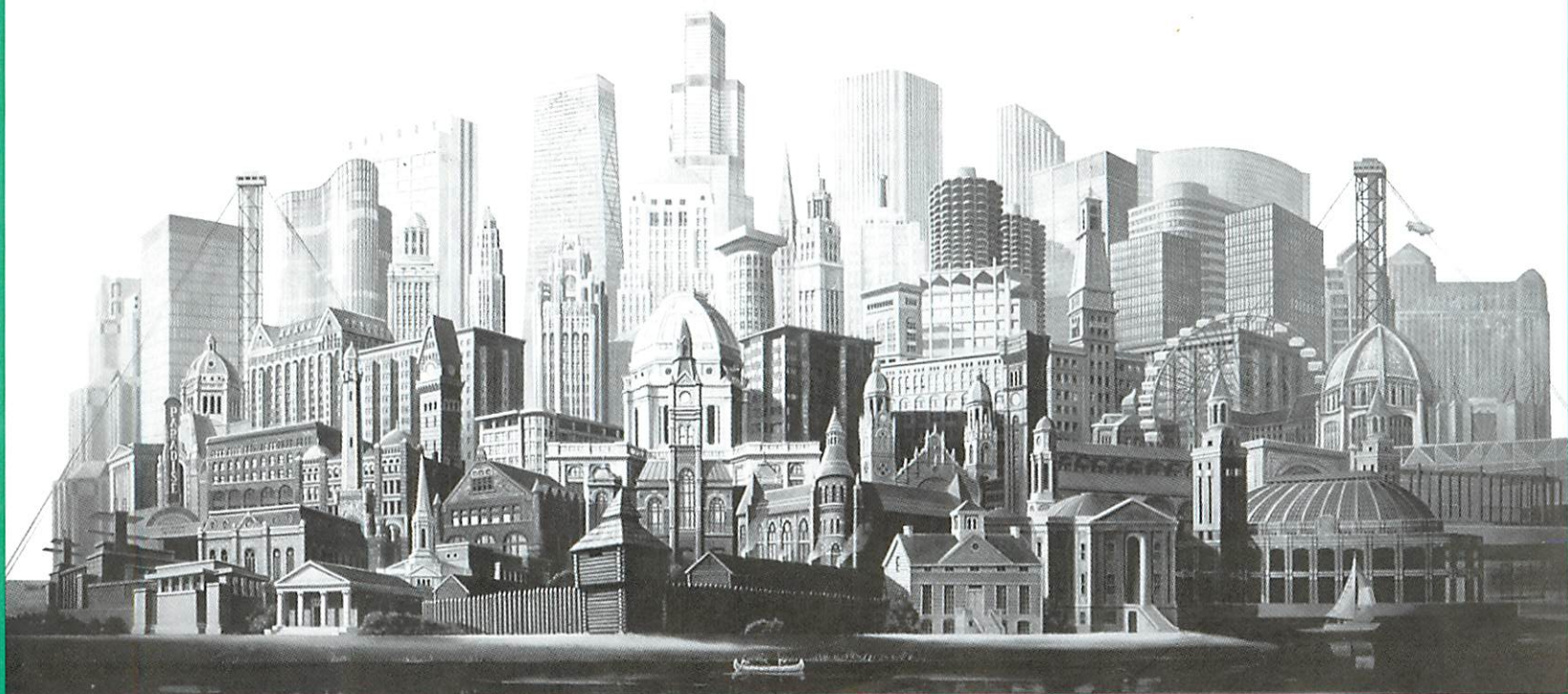


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KNOW YOUR CHICAGO

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SPECIAL FEATURES OF THE 2007 PROGRAM

Note: The symposium is on Tuesday this year. Use of the buses for the symposium is optional but encouraged; valet parking is available.

Color-coded symposium and tour tickets are valid only on the dates for which they are issued and must be presented for admission. There are no separate tickets for the buses. The office will mail driving and parking directions with the ticket orders.

Please note: Tour Three participants may either drive to the mosque located in a northern suburb or take the bus from downtown. Driving and parking directions will be included with the tour tickets. Participants are asked to wear covering for their heads to enter the Prayer Room at the mosque. Tour Four requires some stair climbing.

Tours operate on closely coordinated schedules, and the departure of buses cannot be delayed for latecomers. Scheduled events are subject to change. Every effort will be made to get participants back at the announced time; occasionally there may be unforeseeable delays. Tours may involve a considerable amount of walking, standing, and/or stairs. Comfortable shoes are recommended. Smoking and the use of cell phones are not permitted on the buses.

Tour chairmen or their representatives may require participants whose physical limitations will expose them to danger or will delay the progress of a tour to return to the bus or to withdraw from the tour. Know Your Chicago considers participants without regard to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, age, national or ethnic origin, or other factors irrelevant to participation. Persons with a disability who believe they may need assistance, please call Sylvia Fergus before ordering tickets for the symposium or tours at 773/702-1727.

TICKET EXCHANGE AND WAIT LISTS

While there are no refunds on ticket orders, the office maintains a list of persons seeking to exchange tickets but does not handle financial transactions between the ticket holder and buyer. The office also maintains wait lists for sold out tours. All ticket exchanges must be reported to the office so that accurate records of attendees can be maintained.

HOW TO ORDER TICKETS

Tickets are filled by lottery. The number of tour tickets available varies from year to year depending upon the nature of the tours. Participants may be limited in the number of tickets they receive to ensure the most equitable and broad distribution of tickets possible. A complete order form must be filled out by each participant; copies of the order form are acceptable. The only form of payment accepted is VISA, MasterCard, or Discover. The transaction will be displayed on your credit card statement with the following caption: "UChicago Graham School." Payments made by check will be returned with the order unfilled. To participate in the lottery, envelopes must be post-marked by August 6 and received by August 10.

The Know Your Chicago program approaches each of the season's tour topics from both an overview or global perspective at the symposium and a local Chicago perspective on the tours. *Therefore, participants who wish to participate in the lottery are required to purchase a symposium ticket in addition to any tour tickets.* After the September 11th symposium, remaining tour tickets (if any) will be sold separately and can be ordered by mail or by calling the office.

Group orders: If two or more people wish to attend tours together, their orders must be mailed in the same envelope. Each person must complete a separate form. Each person in the group may order a different total number of tours, but the order of preference must be the same as others in the group. One person may pay for multiple orders.

Please mark the form carefully since tickets are nonrefundable. Please call the office if you are uncertain as to how to fill it out. The Know Your Chicago phone number is 773/702-1727.

Mail subscription forms to:

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The University of Chicago Graham School of General Studies
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2007 SYMPOSIUM

A DAYLONG PROGRAM FEATURING EXPERTS DISCUSSING THE ISSUES UNDERLYING EACH OF THE YEAR'S TOURS

Tuesday, September 11
9:30 A.M.

The University of Chicago
Ida Noyes Hall
1212 East 59th Street

Luncheon in Historic Ida Noyes
Hall

Depart from Clinton Street, just
south of Madison, diagonal to
Ogilvie Transportation Center
at 8:30 A.M.

Option: Participants may drive to
Hyde Park. Please indicate your
plans on the registration form.

Return to same location
by 3:15 P.M.

\$70

Welcome

Jean Meltzer, Chairman, Know Your Chicago
Valerie Jarrett, Vice Chairman, Board of Trustees,
The University of Chicago; President and CEO of the
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Are We What We Map?

Matt Williams, Chairman, New School Media LLC

Downtown as a Campus

Terri Haymaker, Deputy Commissioner for Planning,
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Chicago

The Story of Islam...The Story of America

Eboo Patel, Executive Director, Interfaith Youth Core

The Forefront of Healthcare: Urban Academic Health Centers

Joe G.N. Garcia, Lowell T. Coggeshall Professor and
Chairman, Department of Medicine, The University
of Chicago

Beyond Green

Gordon Gill, Partner, Adrian Smith + Gordon Gill
Architecture, LLP

Mapping the Future

Tour One

Tuesday, September 25 or
Wednesday, September 26

Depart from Clinton Street, just south of Madison, diagonal to Ogilvie Transportation Center at 8:30 A.M.

Note: All participants must ride the bus

Return to same location by 3:15 P.M.

\$70

For centuries cartography was the art of translating the three dimensional world of landmasses and oceans onto flat planes. Fueled by today's supercomputers, satellite technology, and advanced mathematics, cartography has expanded from flat page representations to complex, multi-dimensional constructs. Our tour will explore the technology which enables the mapping of underground sites, movement on water surfaces in real-time, and mapping of the deep heavens. At the Oriental Institute we will learn about The Center for Ancient Middle Eastern Landscapes (CAMEL) which is guiding archaeologists to promising underground sites. Since 1998 this project has combined aerial photographs and maps with satellite imagery and software systems to pinpoint the extent of ruins below ground before diggers begin the expensive work of excavation. Next meet astronomers and astrophysicists who are looking to the heavens to produce grand-scale, hyper-dimensional atlases of the universe. Noted University of Chicago professors will tell us of the personalities behind the discoveries, the elegant telescopes, and exotic locations involved in mapping the cosmos. It is appropriate that on the eve of the 100th anniversary of the Mackinaw Race, we will visit the Chicago Yacht Club to learn about a technology which allows race officials, captains, and a worldwide audience to accurately track sailboat positions in real-time on the water. To round out our day, we will visit the new home of Encyclopedia Britannica to learn how it is crafting maps to be relevant tools for today's students and adults. Join us for the cutting edge story of mapping as an evolving technology.

Urban Academic Medicine—Visions & Visionaries

Tour Two

Tuesday, October 2 or
Wednesday, October 3

Depart from Clinton Street, just south of Madison, diagonal to Ogilvie Transportation Center at 8:30 A.M.

Note: All participants must ride the bus

Return to same location by 3:15 P.M.

\$70

Join us for a rare opportunity to explore the multifaceted role the University of Chicago Medical Center plays as it addresses the challenges unique to urban academic medical centers. How does such a center, which focuses on treating the most complex medical problems, take responsibility for the basic health care needs of the surrounding impoverished community? How is clinical medicine benefiting from the collaboration of basic scientists? What are the ethical issues that new medical treatments present? We will learn about the University of Chicago's ground-breaking Urban Health Initiative, a new model of health care with the potential for profound change in the way medical care is organized and delivered in underserved communities both locally and nationally. Take a behind-the-scenes tour of the recently opened Gordon Center for Integrative Sciences (CIS) building, designed to bring together biologists, chemists, and even physicists to interact and collaborate on clinical research. Along the way, meet with award-winning scientists pursuing innovative research as diverse as new cancer drugs, seed and genetic engineering, human brain evolution, and stem cell development. Ethicists from the world-renowned MacLean Center for Clinical Medical Ethics will lead us in interactive discussions of specific case studies that deal with currently important moral issues in medical care. Lunch will be served at the Grand Ballroom (formerly The Granada), recently beautifully restored and now contributing to the revitalization of the Woodlawn neighborhood.

Muslims in Chicago: Perceptions & Misperceptions

Tour Three

Tuesday, October 23 or
Wednesday, October 24

Depart from Clinton Street, just south of Madison, diagonal to Ogilvie Transportation Center at 8:30 A.M.

Option: Participants may drive to the mosque, which is in a northern suburb. Please indicate your plans on the registration form. Directions to follow.

Return to same location by 3:15 P.M.

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Have you ever wondered how misperceptions develop? They can arise from a lack of personal experience, unreliable sources, or from biased or politicized information. We will try to remove the 'mis' from your perceptions when you join us for "A Day at the Mosque." During the day, we will enter the Prayer Room, listen to the Imam's call to prayer, and learn its meaning. A visit to the Muslim school will follow, including an opportunity to hear about its curriculum. A distinguished group of scholars, business people, and persons of faith from diverse cultures and varied communities will help us explore Chicago's Muslim world, sharing their experiences of Muslim life, work, education, and worship. We will hear about challenges being faced and the interfaith initiatives being carried out in Chicago and around the world. Participate in a discussion of topics of interest and concern including how world events influence and shape perceptions. While dining on a delicious Middle Eastern lunch we will meet and talk, one-on-one, with interesting and knowledgeable people from the community. The tour will also include a small sampling of art, music, traditional dress, and fashion. By the end of the day, we believe you will have a better understanding of Muslims in Chicago, their faith, and those shared values that make peaceful and productive interactions possible.

Note: Women are requested to wear covering for their heads while in the Prayer Room.

A Greener Chicago through Sustainable Design

Tour Four

Tuesday, November 6 or
Wednesday, November 7

Depart from Clinton Street, just south of Madison, diagonal to Ogilvie Transportation Center at 8:30 A.M.

Note: All participants must ride the bus

Return to same location by 3:15 P.M.

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The American Institute of Architects has called on the profession to reduce the consumption of fossil fuels, aiming for carbon-neutral construction by 2030. Chicago has taken giant steps in its bid to become the greenest city in the nation. Our tour of sustainable design in Chicago begins at the Chicago Center for Green Technology, the first building in the country to win a platinum rating from Leadership in Energy and Environment Design (LEED®). The Center provides information on water conservation, energy efficiency, and innovative building materials. At the new offices of Christy Webber Landscapes we will see a building heated and cooled by geothermal systems, a green roof for insulation, and a rooftop greenhouse that helps clean and preheat incoming air. At the Merchandise Mart we will visit the LEED® gold-rated Haworth showroom for a demonstration of modular wall systems that can be taken down and reconfigured, thus reducing waste. At the recently completed Pacific Garden Mission, designed by Stanley Tigerman, we will hear about a new approach to sustainability, which addresses the physical, ethical, and intellectual needs of the client. The mission has a green roof, solar panel water heating, and greenhouses to grow produce for mission consumption and to provide a potential source of income. See how today's high performance, sustainable construction contributes to the protection of our environment. Note: *Tour requires some stair climbing.*

Academia in the South Loop: A New Look

Tour Five

Tuesday, November 13 or
Wednesday, November 14

Depart from Clinton Street, just
south of Madison, diagonal to
Ogilvie Transportation Center
at 8:30 A.M.

Note: All participants must ride
the bus

Return to same location
by 3:15 P.M.

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The South Loop is being reborn, due in part to the academic institutions that each year bring thousands of new students to study and live here. Join us for a tour of two of the institutions that have played a major role in transforming the residential, educational, and cultural assets of the area. We begin at Columbia College, which has become the nation's largest arts and media college. Hear about Columbia's film department's recent successes at the Cannes Film Festival and visit the TV broadcast studios, the photographic laboratories, and a little-known gem: The Museum of Contemporary Photography. Before leaving, we will enjoy the opportunity to see Columbia's performing arts students showcase their artistic talents. After lunch at a new South Loop hot spot, we will have a first look at the Spertus Institute of Jewish Studies in its new, environmentally friendly and architecturally innovative headquarters. We will learn about their expanded program opportunities and will see the enlarged Spertus Museum and Asher Library, which together house the world's largest collection of Judaica. The exciting new children's area designed by Redmoon Theater's artistic director, and the advanced degree programs in non-profit management and Jewish studies insure Spertus's continued place among the city's vibrant cultural and educational institutions. We hope you will come away with a new perspective on and appreciation for the significant contributions Columbia, Spertus, and other educational institutions are making to the vitality of this dynamic area of our city.

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1st Choice					
2nd Choice					
3rd Choice					
4th Choice					
5th Choice					
				Symposium	\$70
				Total Amount (Symposium and Tour Tickets)	\$

I do not wish to purchase more than _____ tours.

Symposium: I will drive I will ride the bus **Tour Three Participants:** I will drive I will ride the bus

Please Print Clearly

Salutation _____ First Given Name _____ Last Name _____

Address _____ Apt # _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone(s) (Required) _____ Email _____

VISA MasterCard Discover

Name on Credit Card (please print clearly) _____

Account Number _____ Expiration Date _____

Signature _____

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