Directions to the Museum of Contemporary Religious Art (MOCRA)

3700 West Pine Mall Blvd on the campus of Saint Louis University in midtown St. Louis, Missouri 63108
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Parking options for the opening reception of
Painting Prayers
The Calligraphic Art of Salma Arastu
Sunday, September 13, 2015  1:30 – 3:30 P.M.

Arriving at MOCRA
MOCRA is located on the campus of Saint Louis University at the intersection of West Pine Blvd and Spring Ave (the streets are closed off to vehicular traffic and form a pedestrian mall on the campus). There is a clock tower at this intersection. MOCRA is part of Fusz Memorial Hall on the southwest corner of the intersection. It has its own entrance — look for the steeple on the corner of the building.

Parking for the reception
Guests can park for free in the Canisius lot (enter from Lindell Blvd). From the parking lot, cross Lindell Blvd at Spring Ave and walk one block to MOCRA. Free street parking is available on the streets bordering the campus. Guests also can park in SLU’s Laclede garage (enter from Laclede Ave) for free — just let the attendant know you are attending the MOCRA opening.

Due to construction, access to MOCRA from Laclede Ave and Spring Ave is impeded. The easiest options (indicated on the map in green) are:
A) Walk up the short flight of steps just to the east of the construction zone, then follow the fenced-in detour route back to the Spring Ave mall. Continue to the clock tower and MOCRA, or
B) Walk up the driveway just west of the Beracha Hall classroom building (3721 Laclede Ave), cross the parking lot, and look for signage directing you to MOCRA.

Two spaces for handicapped parking are located in a smaller lot closer to MOCRA. To access this handicapped parking, enter the driveway adjacent to Diablitos Restaurant (3761 Laclede Ave). Look for the blue and white “MOCRA” signs on nearby lampposts. Proceed to the alley at the driveway’s end. Turn right, then left. Pass from the larger parking area into the small lot behind MOCRA’s building, and park in one of the designated spaces. From here, head into campus, then turn right and follow the length of the building to MOCRA’s entrance.

Please note that the Rockhurst (Beracha Hall) parking lot is no longer available for visitor parking.

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Suggested routes for getting to the Saint Louis University campus

Metro Transit

Find schedules and fares, an easy-to-use TRIPfinder, and a link to Google Transit at www.metrostlouis.org

MOCRA is . . .
• a 2-block walk from the #70 Grand MetroBus (stops along Grand Blvd. by the SLU campus)
• a 2-block walk from the #42 Sarah MetroBus (stops along Vandeventer Ave. by the SLU campus)
• a 1-block walk from the #10 Gravois Lindell MetroBus (stops at Lindell Blvd. and Spring Ave. by the SLU campus)
• a 15-minute walk from the newly renovated Grand Blvd. Metrolink station (see map on page 1).

If you’re on two wheels

You’ll find bike racks right alongside the Fusz Memorial building where MOCRA is located.

I-64/US40 coming from west of Grand Blvd: Exit at Vandeventer Ave. and turn left. Go under the railroad trestle, then cross Forest Park Pkwy. At the next light, turn right (east) onto Laclede Ave.  See Arriving at MOCRA on page 1

I-64/US40 coming from east of Grand Blvd: Exit at Forest Park Pkwy/Grand Blvd. Keep to the left-hand lanes; go under the Grand overpass—this will put you westbound on Forest Park. At the first light, turn right (north) onto Spring Ave and proceed one block to Laclede Ave.  See Arriving at MOCRA on page 1

I-44 coming from east of Grand Blvd: Exit at Grand Blvd/Louisiana St. Turn left (west) from the exit onto Lafayette, then right (north) at the traffic light onto Grand. Go about a mile to the traffic light at Laclede Ave. Turn left (west) onto Laclede.  See Arriving at MOCRA on page 1

I-44 coming from west of Grand Blvd: Exit at Grand Blvd. Turn left (north) onto Grand. Proceed about a mile (passing I-64/US40) to the traffic light at Laclede Ave. Turn left (west) onto Laclede.  See Arriving at MOCRA on page 1

Alternatively, exit at Vandeventer Ave. Turn left (north) onto Vandeventer. Proceed about a mile-and-a-half to the traffic light at Laclede Ave. Turn right (west) onto Laclede.  See Arriving at MOCRA on page 1

I-170 Take I-170 south and exit to I-64/US40 east. Please see the directions for “I-64/US40, coming from west of Grand Blvd.”

I-70 coming from west of I-170, or between I-170 and Grand Blvd.: Take I-170 south. Follow the directions for “I-64/US40, coming from west of I-170.”

Alternatively, continue east on I-70 and exit at Grand Blvd. Turn right (south) on Grand and proceed to Lindell Ave. or Laclede Ave.  See Arriving at MOCRA on page 1

I-70 coming from east of Grand Blvd.: Exit at Grand Blvd. Turn left (south) on Grand and proceed to Lindell Ave. or Laclede Ave.  See Arriving at MOCRA on page 1

I-55/I-70/I-64 coming from east of downtown St. Louis: Cross the Mississippi River and follow signs to I-64/US40 west. Follow the directions for “I-64/US40, coming from east of Grand Blvd.”

I-55 coming from the south near downtown St. Louis: Exit to I-44 west. Follow the directions for “I-44, coming from east of Grand Blvd.”

I-270/I-255/I-55 From this area one can go north on I-55. Follow the directions for “I-55, coming from the south near downtown St. Louis.” Alternatively, go west on I-270 and exit to I-44 west. Follow the directions for “I-44, coming from west of Grand Blvd.”

I-270 Follow I-270 (a beltway interstate) to any of the intersecting interstates, then follow the appropriate directions given above.