

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT ARRIVAL

Please make reservations for your international flight to arrive at the Minneapolis/St. Paul International Airport on Wednesday August 19, 2009 as indicated on the attached form. Try to arrive during the day between the hours of 0800--20:00. As a rule of thumb try to book a flight that arrives mid-day if possible.

If you wish to take a commuter flight to St. Cloud, MN from the International Airport (MSP) you may do this. The regional airport in St. Cloud is served by Mesaba Airlines, a partner of Northwest Airlines (now Delta). You will have to change planes at the Minneapolis St. Paul Airport (MSP) and take a short 25 minute flight to St. Cloud. One advantage of this option is that you can check your luggage, once in the U.S., directly to St. Cloud, MN. We will also pick-up students at the St. Cloud Airport (18 miles from the campuses). You can also take a local taxi to the campuses (about \$20 dollars) if you wish. **The commuter flight to St. Cloud is recommended** and your travel agent can reserve this for you. If you take the Mesaba flight to St. Cloud, it's cheaper if you fly to Minnesota on Northwest (now Delta), KLM, Continental or Delta. If you use a Northwest (now Delta) airline partner the St. Cloud flight portion is less expensive.

Another method of ground transportation from the Minneapolis/St.Paul Airport (MSP) to St. Cloud and CSB/SJU is a Limo (van) service to and from the airport. There are several trips scheduled throughout the day (\$39 dollars one way). If you book the Executive Express they will take you directly to the campuses for an additional charge of \$10 dollars. Your travel agent will be able to reserve space for you on the Executive Express: www.executiveexpress.biz Telephone number: 320-253-2226. EE is a ground transportation company. Note that they give a discount to CSB/SJU students; be sure to ask about the discount. It is a 1.5 hour drive to CSB/SJU from the International Airport (MSP). Executive Express has a desk at the International Airport in the lower level near baggage claim (ask for directions to the EE desk at one of the information counters). There is another option, which will save you \$10 dollars, and that is to take the EE to the St. Cloud Holiday Inn where we will pick you up. The Holiday Inn is 5 miles from the CSB campus; 9 from SJU.

I hope this is not too confusing. If you have questions, be sure to let me know.

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