

Bicycling AT PITT

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▲ Bicycle Parking

Allen Hall	D-2	Forbes Hall	C-4	Panther Hall	B-2	Space Research	
Barco Law Building	E-3	Frick Fine Arts Building	F-4	Parran Hall	C-3	Coordination Center	D-2
Bellefield Hall	F-2	Hillman Library	E-3	Pennsylvania Hall	C-2	Sutherland Hall	B-1
Benedum Hall	D-2	Information Sciences Building	F-1	Petersen Events Center	B-2	Thackeray Hall	D-2
Bouquet Gardens	E-4	Langley Hall	E-1	Salk Hall	B-3	Trees Hall	A-2
Cathedral of Learning	F-2	Lawrence Hall	E-3	Scaife Hall	C-3	Wesley W. Posvar Hall	E-4
Chevron Science Center	D-1	Learning Research and Development Center	C-2	Schenley Quad	E-3	William Pitt Union	E-3
Clapp Hall	F-1	Litchfield Towers	D-3	Sennott Square	D-4		
Cost Sports Center	A-1	Log Cabin	F-2	Soldiers and Sailors Garage	E-2	▲ Bicycle Lockers	
Craig Hall	G-1		C-3			Wesley W. Posvar Hall	E-4
Crawford Hall	E-1	Lothrop Hall	F-4			William Pitt Union	E-3
Eberly Hall	D-1	Mervis Hall	F-1				
Forbes Craig Apartments	G-2	Music Building					

Additional bicycle racks are available at the Center for Bioengineering, Centre Avenue Apartments, and Pittsburgh Filmmakers.



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Campus Mail

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When it comes to finding efficient transportation on an urban campus, it's hard to beat the bicycle for convenience, economy, and fitness. Whether you're getting to a class at the far end of campus or exploring Schenley Park on a fall afternoon, chances are, two wheels are all you need. The Parking Services Office maintains bicycle facilities on the University of Pittsburgh campus. The following tips will help keep both you and your bike secure, and make your bicycling experience at Pitt as safe and pleasant as possible.

BICYCLE REGISTRATION

From the original purchase to routine maintenance, your bicycle represents a significant investment.

Think about it: You pay for a lock. You look for the best possible parking spot. That's why it makes sense to take one extra step and register your bicycle. It's convenient and will help protect your bike from theft. If your bike is stolen, registration will greatly enhance your chances of recovering your bicycle.

You can register your bike online at www.pts.pitt.edu/commuting/bicycling or fill out the attached registration form, tear it off, and drop it in campus mail. You don't need a stamp, and the address is already on the form. Or, for a small fee use the National Bike Registry at www.nationalbikeregistry.com.

Bicycle Lockers

If you're looking for a secure, weatherproof place to park your bike, consider renting one of our bicycle lockers. Located near the William Pitt Union and Wesley W. Posvar Hall patio, they are made of steel and totally enclose the bicycle, protecting it from rain and snow. You also can store your helmet, riding shoes, and other accessories. Lockers cost \$40 per term, plus a \$10 refundable key deposit.

Questions?

Check the new website at www.pts.pitt.edu/commuting.

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Hours of Operation

Academic Year
Monday–Thursday
8 a.m.–5:30 p.m.
Friday
8 a.m.–5 p.m.
Summer Schedule
Monday–Friday
8 a.m.–5 p.m.

SECURE BIKE, SAFER CYCLING

Your safety is our top priority. By following these tips, you can help make sure that yours is a worry-free biking experience:

- Protect yourself! Wear a bicycle helmet.
- As a cyclist, you have the same rights as the driver of a car. Follow motor vehicle regulations on the road, using particular caution at intersections. And just as an automobile driver would do, avoid the bus lane or the sidewalk.
- Don't double up! Take a passenger only if your bicycle is meant to carry one. And ride with balanced loads.
- You move faster than pedestrians, so watch out for walkers and runners, especially on bicycle paths.

BICYCLE PARKING REGULATIONS

By parking your bicycle at Pitt, you agree to abide by these parking regulations, which help keep the campus safe and bicycle-friendly for everyone:

- Bicycle parking regulations are in effect at all times, including evenings, weekends, holidays, vacations, and breaks between terms.
- A bicycle rack is the safest place for you to store your bike on campus. For your convenience, these racks are available at nearly every University building. (See the back of this brochure for locations.) In consideration of fellow cyclists, please use only one space.
- For the security of your property and out of courtesy to others, please do not park or store bicycles in residence halls or against plants, trees, parking meters, pipes, trash cans, or railings.
- When you park your bike, please make sure it is clear of any access ramps or building entrances.

Bike lockers are available. Call for details.

- If the University must move your bicycle, staff will remove locks and impound the bike at the owner/operator/permit holder's expense.
- Any impounded bicycle that remains unclaimed for six months will be considered abandoned by its owner and will be disposed of.

TIPS

- Protect your property. Lock both wheels and frame at an approved bicycle rack using a sturdy, good-quality U-type lock.
- An automobile insurance policy won't cover you when you are cycling, but a homeowner's or apartment renter's policy might. Check your policy, and consider adding coverage if you don't have any.
- Keeping medical information inside your helmet could help in case of an emergency.

GET OUT AND RIDE!

Riding a bicycle is an ideal way to explore Pittsburgh. Even if you're a lifelong resident, you'll see the city through new eyes from the seat of a bike. Cycle your way over to Heinz Field to catch a Pitt game, journey down to the South Side, or follow the path of one of the famed three rivers. The map to the left outlines some of the city's more popular biking trails.

Taking a Port Authority bus? You are good to go on Port Authority's bike-friendly vehicles. As part of Port Authority's Rack 'n Roll Program, you can take your bike aboard the light rail transit system (the T) or Monongahela Incline. Also, Port Authority bus routes have bike racks available, providing access to the University of Pittsburgh and many parks and trails in Allegheny County. To learn more about how you can Rack 'n Roll, call 412-442-2000 or log on to www.portauthority.org.

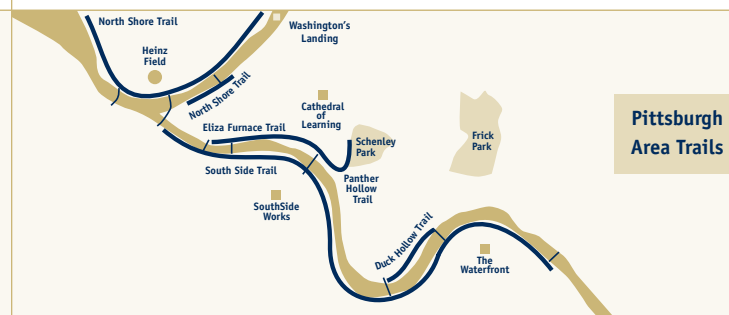
Check out other resources for cyclists at these Web sites:
Panther Cycling Club: www.pittcycling.com

Bike Pittsburgh: www.bike-pgh.org

City of Pittsburgh: www.city.pittsburgh.pa.us/cp/html/bicycling_plan.html

PennDOT: www.dot.state.pa.us

Port Authority: www.portauthority.org



BICYCLE REGISTRATION

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Your last name _____
 Your first name _____
 Panther Card ID number _____
 Student? _____ Class/year _____
 Employee? _____ Department _____
 Campus address _____
 Campus phone _____
 Permanent address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Home phone _____
 E-mail _____

BICYCLE INFORMATION

Men's _____ Women's _____
 Frame size in inches _____ Color _____
 Manufacturer _____
 Model _____
 Serial number _____
 Identifying marks _____

OFFICE USE ONLY

Today's date _____
 Registration number _____

