



Schedule of Events

The *Groundwater High-Resolution Site Characterization* training course will be held Tuesday, January 23 through Thursday, January 25, 2024, at the EPA Region 10 office in Seattle, Washington. The training begins at 9:00 a.m. local time on Tuesday and ends at 3:00 p.m. local time on Thursday. Please plan your travel accordingly.

The EPA Region 10 office is located at: 1200 Sixth Avenue Seattle, Washington 98101

Please note: The training will be held at the EPA Region 10 office in Seattle, Washington on the 21st floor. A sleeping room block has been established at Crowne Plaza Seattle Downtown, which is located approximately 500 feet from the EPA Region 10 building, an approximately two-minute walk. For those driving to the training, paid parking is available in the EPA Region 10 building (Park Place building) with preferred stalls available for alternative fuel vehicles.

Crowne Plaza Seattle Downtown

Crowne Plaza Seattle Downtown 1113 Sixth Avenue Seattle, Washington 98101 Phone: (206) 464-1980



A block of rooms has been reserved at the Crowne Plaza Seattle Downtown in Seattle, Washington. The lodging rate is \$122 per night plus tax which is less than the prevailing government rate.

Reservations must be made by January 9, 2024. When making a reservation, you can call the reservation line at 1-800-227-6963 and ask for the **EPA Groundwater HRSC Group Room Block.** You can also book online at

https://www.ihg.com/crowneplaza/hotels/us/en/find-hotels/select-

roomrate?fromRedirect=true&qSrt=sBR&qIta=99801505&icdv=99801505&qSIH=seadt&qCiD=22&qCiMy=002024&qCoD=26&qCo My=002024&qGrpCd=MBG&qAAR=6CBARC&qRtP=6CBARC&setPMCookies=true&qSHBrC=CP&qDest=1113%206th%20Avenu e,%20Seattle,%20WA,%20US&srb_u=1&qChAge=&qRmFltr=n.

You are responsible for cancelling your hotel reservation if you cannot attend. The hotel requires cancellation 48 hours prior to the day of your scheduled arrival. If you fail to provide notice, one night's lodging/tax will be charged to your credit card.

Hotel check-in begins after 4:00 p.m., and check-out time is at 12:00 p.m.

What to Pack for the Seattle Area

Average temperatures in September in Seattle range from 36°F at night to 47°F during the day. Please be advised that the temperatures in the training room do not reflect temperatures outside. Be sure to pack a jacket or sweater to wear while you attend the training.

Dining and Other Amenities

The hotel includes the following amenities:

- One on-site restaurant, the Regatta Bar and Grille, currently open for breakfast and dinner daily.
- Grab & Go marketplace.
- Complimentary in-room Wi-Fi.
- Fitness center.

Travel Information

The Seattle area is served by Sea-Tac International Airport (SEA). SEA is located approximately 15 miles from downtown Seattle, Washington and approximately 13 miles from the hotel. Additional information for SEA is available at http://www.portseattle.org/Sea-Tac/Pages/default.aspx.

Seattle, Washington is in the Pacific Time Zone.

Ground Transportation

Public Transportation: The Seattle Central Link light rail provides access to downtown Seattle from SEA airport. Trains leave SEA every 15 minutes, and the ride is approximately 36 minutes each way. Fares are \$3.50 one-way. The hotel is located near the University Street Station.

Additional information about the Seattle Central Link is available at https://www.soundtransit.org/.

Directions from SEA to the hotel using the Central Link:

- At SEA follow signs for Light Rail to Seattle.
- Exit at the University Street stop (this stop is approximately a 6-minute walk to the hotel).
- From the University Street station, head northeast on University Street towards 4th Avenue.
- Turn right on 4th Avenue and head towards Seneca Street.
- Turn left on Seneca Street. The hotel is at the intersection of Seneca Street and 6th Avenue.

Taxi: The airport offers both flat rate taxis and metered taxis. Metered taxis charge per mile/time and can be identified with a threedigit vehicle number. They are painted a single color. Flat rate taxis offer a flat rate based off zip code and use a four-digit vehicle number. They are painted in two colors.

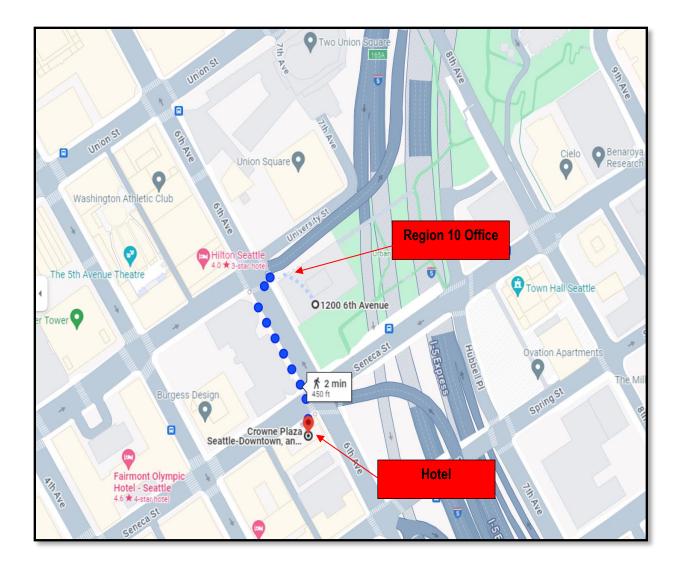
Parking: Parking is available at the hotel for \$63 per night plus tax for valet parking. This includes in and out privileges. Self-service parking is not available. Parking spaces and oversize vehicle parking spaces are limited.

Shared Ride Service: Shared ride services such as Uber and Lyft are available from SEA to the hotel. The fare is around \$60 one-way, depending on the time of day and not including gratuity. For Lyft, UberPool and UberX, meet your ride on the third floor of the parking garage. For Uber Black, meet your ride at the passenger-selected door outside of baggage claim.

Shuttle Service: No shuttle service is currently operated by the hotel. However, there is a private shuttle service that operates an airport shuttle. Details can be found at <u>https://premierairportshuttle.com/shared-ride/</u>.

Walking Directions to EPA Region 10 office from the Crowne Plaza Seattle Downtown Approximately 500 feet, 2 minutes

- Head northeast on Seneca Street toward 6th Avenue.
- Turn left on 6th Avenue and follow to the intersection of 6th Avenue and University Street.
- EPA Region 10 will be located on the right at 1200 Sixth Avenue (Park Place Building).



Link Light Rail Line Green Line (Northgate) – Use the University Street Station for the hotel



