

Driving and Parking – West Garage

The official address of UMass Boston is 100 Morrissey Boulevard. The campus shares Columbia Point with the JFK Library, Edward M. Kennedy Institute, and the State Archives.

For those driving, we recommend parking in the West Garage (building #9, circled in red). It is about an 8-12 min walk from the garage to McCormack Hall. The West Garage is located on University Drive West. If you are entering the campus from Morrissey Blvd, you will want to take the second exit once you enter the rotary. After exiting the rotary, the West Garage will be on your left. Continue to the first set of lights, and turn left to enter the parking garage.

If you are coming to campus on Mt. Vernon Street, you will want to turn right at the set of lights by the Keith Motley Residence Hall Complex. There is a large UMass Boston sign in front of the residence halls at this stop light intersection. After turning right onto University Drive West, you will proceed to the first set of lights and turn right in order to enter the West Garage.

Please make sure to take and keep the parking ticket that lets you into the garage. You'll want to keep this ticket with you and not in your vehicle as you are encouraged to pay for parking before returning to their cars.

Finding McCormack Hall

During the school year, the university provides a small shuttle that will take folks from the West Garage to the Campus Center (building #1, circled in **black**). Some folks find this is an easier way to access McCormack Hall where most of OLLI's courses are held as well as where the office is located.



However, most members do not mind the walk (with some stairs) through the Quinn Administration building, onto the campus plaza, and then over to McCormack Hall (building #3, circled in **yellow**). Elevators are available as well to take folks up to the main (campus plaza) level.

The building directly across from the West Garage is the Quinn Administration building. You'll want to make your way over to the entrance marked by a large Beacon mural painted on the side of the building. Until construction of the campus green/quad is completed, this door serves as the main entry to most campus buildings from the West Garage.

After going up a short set of stairs, you can either continue up four more flights to reach the plaza/main level of the campus, or following signs for the elevators.

By going up the stairwell to the very top, you'll exit onto a small courtyard. Walk forward to the sliding doors (entrance into Quinn) and continue straight through another set of sliding doors. You'll find yourself on the main campus plaza. Follow signs to McCormack Hall.

Instead of the flight of stairs, you can follow the signs for "Quinn Administration Building Elevators." This route will take you pass the offices for Receiving, Mail Services, and Quinn Graphics. Once you reach the elevators, go to the 1st Floor and then turn right after exiting the elevators. From this point, please follow signs for McCormack Hall.

McCormack Hall will be the building after you pass by/under Healey Library. After entering McCormack, continue forward pass the stairs and the elevators will be to your left. The OLLI Office is located on the 3rd Floor of McCormack, Room 003. Upon exiting the elevators, go to your right and take your first right through the closed, green double-doors.

