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We look forward to welcoming you to Austin! In advance of the PSS meetings, we put together some restaurant and bar options. Note that Austin has an extraordinary food scene and there are many other wonderful places we haven’t included. In what follows, we list options by lunch/dinner/drinks both South and North of the river (note the conference hotel sits on the south bank of the river). At the end of this document, we also included links to a variety of professional guides for specific neighborhoods. Finally, note that many of the restaurants take reservations and often fill up ahead of time, so we encourage you to think ahead and possibly make reservations.

1 Lunch

1.1 South of the river

**Hopdoddy Burger Bar** [click here for map]

- Hamburger restaurant, $$
- 1400 S Congress Ave, Austin, TX 78704 (0.8 miles from Hyatt Regency)
- Note: Busy during lunch hours

**Home Slice** [click here for map]

- Pizza, $$
- 1415 S Congress Ave, Austin, TX 78704 (0.8 miles from Hyatt Regency)
- Note: New York-style pizza. Both restaurant and take-out

1.2 North of the river

**MAD Greens** [click here for map]

- Salad shop, $$
- 419 W 2nd St, Austin, TX 78701 (0.5 miles from Hyatt Regency)
- Note: Healthy options

**Flower Child** [click here for map]

- Cafe
- 500 W 2nd st #133, Austin, TX 78701 (0.6 miles from Hyatt Regency)
- Note: Healthy options, including vegetarian and vegan

**Fareground** [click here for map]

- Food hall, $$
• 111 Congress Ave, Austin, TX 78701 (0.5 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: Features food from some of the best restaurants in Austin

**Cooper's Old Time Pit Bar-B-Que** [click here for map]

• Barbecue, $$
• 217 Congress Ave, Austin, TX 78701 (0.6 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: New posting of a Llano classic

**CookBook Cafe** [click here for map]

• Cafe
• Austin Central Library, Austin, TX 78701 (0.7 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: Part of the brand new Austin Public Library

**Gus's World Famous Fried Chicken** [click here for map]

• Comfort food, $
• 117 San Jacinto Boulevard, Austin, TX 78701 (0.7 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: I mean, it’s really good fried chicken

**La Barbecue** [click here for map]

• Barbecue, $$
• 2027 E Cesar Chavez St, Austin, TX 78702 (1.9 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: Arguably the second best barbecue in Austin, without the ridiculous wait at Franklin’s. But on the weekends, get there at least an hour before opening

## 2 Dinner

### 2.1 South of the river

**Lenoir** [click here for map]

• New American, $$$
• 1907 S 1st St, Austin, TX 78704 (1.2 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: One of the best restaurants in Austin, but you need to make a reservation ahead of time

**Lucy’s Fried Chicken** [click here for map]
• Fried chicken, $$

• 2218 College Ave, Austin, TX 78704 (1.5 miles from Hyatt Regency)

• Note: Local chain with excellent fried chicken

Ramen Tatsu-ya [click here for map]

• Japanese, $$

• 1234 S Lamar Blvd, Austin, TX 78704 (1.4 miles from Hyatt Regency)

• Note: Best ramen in town. Several restaurants in Austin

2.2 North of the river

La Condesa [click here for map]

• Mexican, $$$

• 400 W 2nd St, Austin, TX 78701 (0.5 miles from Hyatt Regency)

• Note: Fancy, contemporary Mexican

Second Bar + Kitchen [click here for map]

• American, $$

• 200 Congress Ave, Austin, TX 78701 (0.6 miles from Hyatt Regency)

• Note: Very popular downtown restaurant

Polvo's Mexican [click here for map]

• Mexican, $$

• 360 Nueces St, Austin, TX 78701 (0.7 miles from Hyatt Regency)

• Note: Popular local mini-chain

Wu Chow [click here for map]

• Chinese, $$

• 500 W 5th St #168, Austin, TX 78701 (0.7 miles from Hyatt Regency)

• Note: Sichuan cuisine and weekend dim sum brunch

G'Raj Mahal [click here for map]

• Indian, $$

• 73 Rainey St, Austin, TX 78701 (1.1 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: Excellent, popular Indian place on one of the biggest bar streets in Austin. Make a reservation!

Blue Dahlia [click here for map]

• French, $$
• 1115 E 11th St, Austin, TX 78702 (2.0 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: Cozy and affordable French bistro

Tamale House East [click here for map]

• Mexican, $
• 1707 E 6th St, Austin, TX 78702 (2.0 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: An Austin institution. Right by lots of bars and breweries on East 6th

Suerte [click here for map]

• Interior Mexican, $$$
• 1800 E 6th St, Austin, TX 78702 (2.0 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: Named one of the best new restaurants in the country. Make a reservation!

Via 313 [click here for map]

• Pizza, $
• 1802 E 6th St, Austin, TX 78702 (2.1 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: Very popular local chain, Detroit-style pizza

Thai Kun [click here for map]

• Thai, $
• 1816 E 6th St, Austin, TX 78702 (2.1 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: Food truck at cocktail bar Whisler's. Excellent but extremely spicy

Launderette [click here for map]

• New American, $$$
• 2115 Holly St, Austin, TX 78702 (2.1 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: One of the best restaurants in the city. Make a reservation!

Kemuri Tatsu-ya [click here for map]

• Japanese, $$$
• 2713 E 2nd St, Austin, TX 78702 (2.6 miles from Hyatt Regency)

• Note: Japanese-Texan smokehouse, one of the best restaurants in the city. Make a reservation!

Dai Due [click here for map]

• American, $$$

• 2406 Manor Rd, Austin, TX 78722 (3.2 miles from Hyatt Regency)

• Note: Everything’s locally sourced and seasonal, with daily supper club specials. Highly recommended!

3 Bars and Breweries

Uncle Billy’s [click here for map]

• Brewpub, $$

• 1530 Barton Springs Rd, Austin, TX 78704 (1.0 mile from Hyatt Regency)

• Note: Bar with barbecue

Craft Pride [click here for map]

• Bar, $$

• 61 Rainey St, Austin, TX 78701 (1.0 miles from Hyatt Regency)

• Note: Wide selection of Austin and Texas beers, with a VIA 313 food truck out back

Easy Tiger [click here for map]

• Beer Garden, $$

• 709 E 6th St, Austin, TX 78701 (1.3 miles from Hyatt Regency)

• Note: Great selection of beer and food from their bakery

Zilker Brewing Company and Taproom [click here for map]

• Brewery

• 1701 E 6th St, Austin, TX 78702 (2.0 miles from Hyatt Regency)

• Note: Wide range of beers right on East 6th

Lazarus Brewing Co. [click here for map]

• Brewery, $$
• 1902 E 6th St, Austin, TX 78702 (2.1 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: Beers and tacos

Blue Owl [click here for map]
• Brewery
• 2400 E Cesar Chavez St #300, Austin, TX 78702 (2.3 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: Sour beer brewery

Hops and Grain Brewing [click here for map]
• Brewery, $
• 507 Calles St #101, Austin, TX 78702 (2.7 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: Excellent microbrewery

Adelbert’s Brewery [click here for map]
• Brewery
• 2314 Rutland Dr #100, Austin, TX 78758 (9.4 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: Considered by some the best beer in town. Worth the hike

Jester King Brewery [click here for map]
• Brewery
• 13187 Fitzhugh Rd, Austin, TX 78736 (17.1 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: Ok, this is a hike. But it’s a world-class brewery located out in hill country. Known for their farmhouse ales

4 #wolfording

In order of descending preference:

Workhorse Bar [click here for map]
• Bar, $
• 100 E. North Loop #B, Austin, TX 78751 (4.9 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: Good beer list, burgers, fried pickles, Scott Wolford

Pinthouse Pizza [click here for map]
• Pizza and brewery, $$
• 4729 Burnet Rd, Austin, TX 78756 (4.5 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: Excellent pizza and even better beer

**Buzzmill** [click here for map]
• Bar, $
• 1505 Town Creek Dr, Austin, TX 78741 (1.9 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: Coffee, beer, and cider

**Thunderbird Coffee** [click here for map]
• Coffee Shop, $
• 2200 Manor Rd, Austin, TX 78722 (3.0 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: Very popular, with TacoDeli breakfast tacos available in the morning

**Austin Beerworks** [click here for map]
• Brewery
• 3001 Industrial Terrace, Austin, TX 78758 (9.1 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: Great local brewery

**The Hole in the Wall** [click here for map]
• Bar, $
• 2538 Guadalupe St, Austin, TX 78705 (2.2 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: The name says it all. An Austin institution

**The ABGB** [click here for map]
• Brewpub, $$
• 1305 W Oltorf St, Austin, TX 78704 (2.1 miles from Hyatt Regency)
• Note: Good beer and gastropub fare

5 Guides

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[Where to Eat Near Zilker Park](#)

[27 Happy Hours for Cheap Eats and Drinks in Austin, Fall 2018](#)

[Where to Eat and Drink in Downtown Austin](#)

[20 Terrific Lunch Options in Downtown Austin](#)

[Austin's Essential Cheap Eats and Restaurants](#)

[A Guide to Eating and Drinking Along South Congress](#)