

Creating Communities through Language



April 5, 2025
Clark Memorial Library

Information

While food and drink are not allowed in the library itself, there will be a complementary coffee/tea service, and lunch will be provided on the grounds.

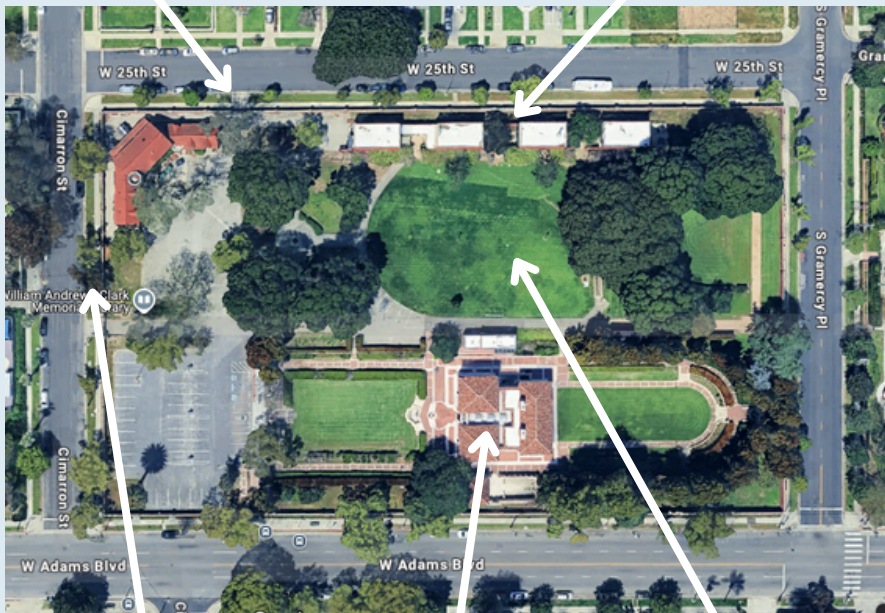
Parking is free. Because the library is normally closed on weekends, the entrance gate to the grounds will be closed after 10 am. If you need to arrive later, please reply to this email, and we can make arrangements. You may leave the facility at any time.

Map and Directions

2520 Cimarron Street
Los Angeles, CA 90018
Directions

The Clark Library is easily accessible from the 10 freeway, Arlington Ave exit. There are two entrances- on W 25th and Cimarron Street.

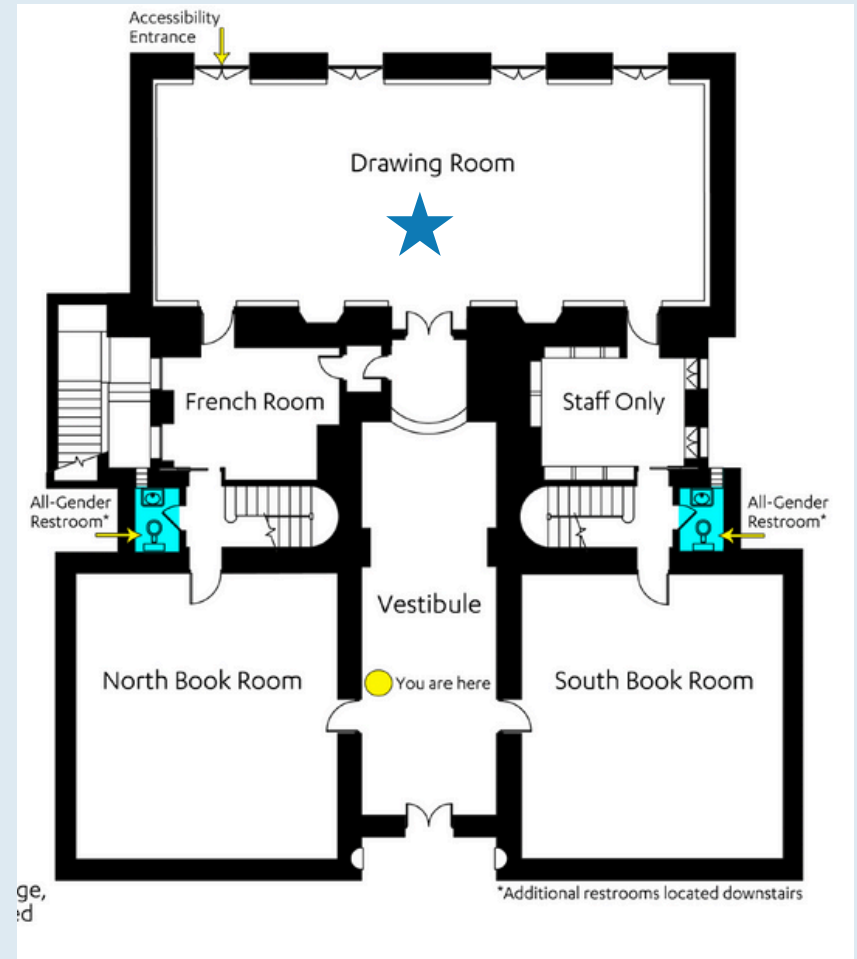
Entrance on W 25th Coffee Break & Poster Session



Entrance on Cimarron

Main Library

Library Gardens



All presentations will be held in the
"Drawing Room"

AGENDA

Drawing Room

8:30 AM - Check in

9:00 AM - Welcoming Remarks, Juliet Falce-Robinson

9:15 AM - Maggie Nance, Pacific Palisades HS - *Creating Community and the High School Student*

9:45 AM - Nora Zepeda, Chair, Global Languages and Cultures, ELAC - *Creating Community and the Community College Student*

Conference Room

10:15 AM - Coffee Break (Sponsored by Vista Higher Learning) & Poster Session

Library Gardens

10:45 AM - Breakout Session - *Creating pathways of success between schools*

Drawing Room

11:30 AM - Thu Ba Nguyen Hoai, UCLA - *Authentic Cultural and Real-World Engagement in UCLA Language Classrooms*

12:00 PM - Nenita Domingo, UCLA - *Intergenerational Language Learning*

Library Gardens

12:30 PM - Lunch (Sponsored by UCLA's Teaching and Learning Center)

Drawing Room

1:30 PM - Mina Soroosh, USC - *Building Bridges: Organizing a Language and Career Week to Connect Students with Multilingual Professionals*

2:00 PM - Nina Bjekovic, UCLA - *Beyond Proficiency: Language as a Catalyst for Diversified Competence*

Library Gardens

2:45 PM - Breakout Session- *Connecting culture, community, and the classroom*

Poster Session

10:15-10:45 AM

Conference Room

Carolina Coronado- *You Can Sit with Us Even if You Don't Wear Pink*

Susan Kresin- *Strengthening Community School - College Connections through National Open Houses*

José Luiz Passos & Antonio B. Passos - *The Last Indigenous Language of NE Brazil*

Galiia Sadykova- *Harnessing Social Media for Enhanced Learner Autonomy and Engagement*

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