## Itinerary for the March 2017 Graduate Visiting Weekend

# — Preliminary! —

Thursday March 23<sup>rd</sup> to Saturday March 25<sup>th</sup>

#### Thursday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>

Afternoon/Evening: Arrive in Pittsburgh. Limo service from the Airport to the Hotel [Courtyard Pittsburgh Shadyside (Marriott), 5308 Liberty Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15224] **5:30-9:30 pm** Welcome with light refreshments at hotel [probably in "Oakland room"]

### Friday, March 24th

8:00am	Breakfast at hotel with physics faculty [probably in "Oakland room"]
9:20am	Walk to Carnegie Mellon campus [takes about 20 minutes; map: see next page]
10:00am	Welcome by Head of Department (Steve Garoff) and overview of Department
	and Graduate Program by Head of Graduate Program (Manfred Paulini) [DH A200]
10:45 am	Overview presentations of research program – Session 1 [DH A200]
	Nanophysics; Biological Physics;
11:30am	Individual meetings with faculty – Session 1 [faculty offices]
12:00pm	Individual meetings with faculty – Session 2 [faculty offices]
12:30pm	Joint lunch for faculty and prospective graduate students [DH A200]
1:20pm	Overview presentations of research program – Session 2 [DH A200]
	Astrophysics; High Energy Physics; Quark Interactions Physics
2:30pm	Individual meetings with faculty – Session 3 [faculty offices]
3:00pm	Individual meetings with faculty – Session 4 [faculty offices]
3:30pm	Meeting with current graduate students in CMU Physics [WeH 7423]
4:00pm	Open time (tea at Wean 8325, talk to more faculty and students, check email, rest,)
4:30pm	Tour of the Dept. and CMU campus with graduate students [start at WeH 8325]
5:15pm	Close-out [meet again at WeH 7423]
5:30pm	Walk back to hotel [start at WeH 7423]
6:15pm	Meet at hotel for dinner and social evening at (probably at "Bites & Brews")
-	[5750 Ellsworth Ave., Pittsburgh, PA 15232; map: see next page]

#### Saturday, March 25<sup>th</sup>

Choice of several tours of neighborhoods and parts of city (start/end at hotel):

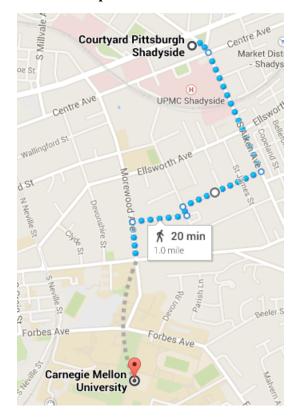
#### Morning Tours: Approximately 8(ish)-1or2pm, with breakfast

- 1) Tour the Strip District and Visit of Warhol Museum
- 2) Walking Tour of Oakland and Visit of Carnegie Museums

If there is time after lunch and before the airport limo-pickup, there is still an opportunity to explore the local Shadyside neighborhood (*e.g.* get coffee or do some shopping).



Here's a map for how to walk from the hotel to CMU. This should take about 20 minutes.





Here's a map for how to walk from the Hotel to Bites & Brews. This should take 13 minutes.

