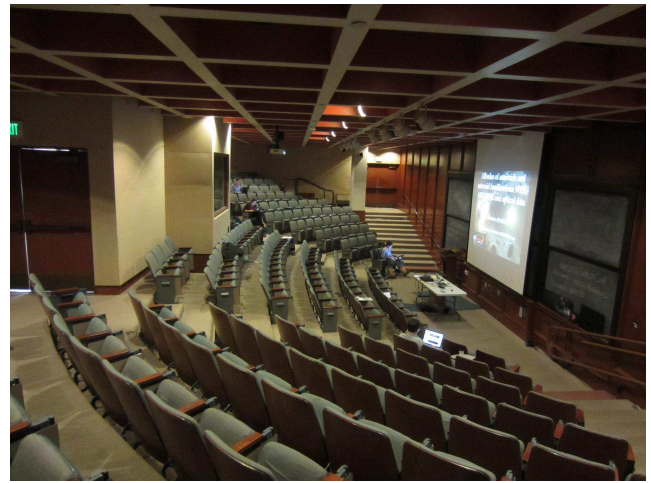


F. Saga Motor Inn, good rates, a long-time standard, independent, not a chain.

Also marked on the map are the meeting location and the closest metro stop, Del Mar Station, formerly the Southern Pacific train station (somewhat preserved) on the line that used to go from L.A. to Flagstaff and points East.

If you choose to take public transport, perfectly possible from LAX to Pasadena, take the FlyAway bus from LAX to Union Station, <http://www.lawa.org/FlyAway/content.aspx?id=10152> , \$7 pay when you arrive at Union Station. From the bus plaza enter the tunnel to the train station (goes under the tracks). At the far end on the right, before entering the terminal, is the Gold Line Metro (not Red Line, which is on the left at the other end of the tunnel where you first enter). Buy a ticket from the machine, which may involve paying \$1 for a TAP farecard plus the \$1.75 fare (but the card will work for the return, and forevermore if you come to L.A. again), board the train toward Pasadena (Sierra Madre Villa terminus), get off at Del Mar Station in Pasadena, and you are within a short walk of the Sheraton, a longer walk to the other hotels. Metro schedule and map is here: http://media.metro.net/riding_metro/bus_overview/images/804.pdf .

A few pictures of the venue:



Upper left: Exterior of Beckman Institute from Wilson Ave.

Lower left: Looking up Wilson Ave. from same location, showing parking structure across the street, and free parking along the street (if you can get it).

Upper right: Interior of the meeting room. It is very wide but not very deep, so come early and get a center seat if you want a good view of the screen.