

2023 Consortium Conference: Local Dining Tips

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In the Fenway area, near the hotel:

This area has grown by leaps and bounds. There's a big Target, Star Market, Wahlburgers, and lots more!

[TimeOut Market](#): 15 unique food concepts from Boston's top chefs under one roof. Can accommodate large groups; the go-to choice for BU Number Theory seminar dinners.

[Yard House](#): Features a large selection of beers on tap with a California-inspired menu.

In Kenmore Square:

Kenmore Square is in the midst of a transition. Some established restaurants have closed and new ones have popped up. Here are a few suggestions:

[Cornwall's](#): A British-style pub known for its bar and better-than pubfare.

[India Quality](#): "Best Indian food in Boston." A favorite of the grad student crowd. Can usually accommodate a group of 10-12 without a reservation.

On Commonwealth Ave, near the CDS Building, East Campus:

Within a block or two of the meeting location, there is a Starbucks, City Convenience (store with Dunkin Donuts and Subway inside), Insomnia Cookies, and more.

[Saxby's](#): Coffee & grilled cheese sandwiches on the first floor of CDS. Opens at 10 am on weekends.

[Crispy Crepes](#): As its name states...crepes, wraps, salads, etc. Its website isn't working, so take Yelp with a grain of salt.

[Beijing Cafe](#): Chinese restaurant with clay pots and dumplings.

[Pavement Coffeehouse](#): Temporarily closed (but may be open by the conference?). Alternative to Starbucks.

[Nud Pob](#): Temporarily closed (but may be open by the conference?). Unfancy, rather fast Thai cuisine. Another favorite of the math department.

Further down Commonwealth Ave on West Campus:

BU's west campus (about a 10-15 minute walk from CDS) has expanded to include a Target, CVS, Chipotle, BU Bookstore, Starbucks, etc.

[Otto's](#): Quality pizza with interesting combinations and gluten-free/vegan options.

[Life Alive](#): "Organic plant-forward meals, smoothies and juices that renew your energy and connection to life."

On Beacon Street, a short walk between the hotel and the Park Drive/St. Mary's Street bridge to BU's campus:

Beacon Street leads to a neighborhood in Brookline with a few stores, including a new H Mart!

[Cafe Landwer](#): A small Israeli chain restaurant with great coffee and middle eastern fare.

[Futago Udon](#): Small restaurant, but tasty noodles. (Note: link is to Yelp, and may not be up-to-date.)

[Tatte](#): Brookline location of this "American-Mediterranean gourmet fast-casual bakery and café."

[Taberna de Haro](#): Spanish food & wine that goes beyond tapas.