

## **Driving Directions and Parking Information**

### **Center for Applied Research and Educational Improvement (CAREI)**

360 Education Sciences Building  
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### **From the south and the west, heading north or east to the University of Minnesota**

1. From 35W northbound or Interstate 94 eastbound, take exit 17C from the I94/35W commons. This exit is marked by orange signs that indicate the freeway will be ending shortly.
2. You will see a sign that says “Washington Ave” and then you will see an exit sign that says “U of M East Bank” to the right.
3. Take the “East Bank” exit, and you will then be on the Washington Avenue Bridge.
4. At the end of the bridge, take the first exit which says “East River Parkway” and “Weisman Art Museum”.
5. Stay to the right as you take the curving exit road to the stop sign on East River Parkway.
6. Go right onto East River Parkway and your first right will be the garage parking for the Weisman Art Museum.
7. Take a parking ticket as you enter the Weisman Art Museum and park.
8. To get to our building, walk north (up) East River Parkway/Road for two long blocks, and you will see the red brick building of the Education Sciences Building on your left hand side.
9. Enter the first door on your left, and go up the stairs to the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor. CAREI’s main office is in Suite 360 to your right. Additional offices are in Suite 375.

Handicap access is available at the far north end of the building.

The CAREI Assembly meets in Room 325, the McEvoy Seminar Room, past the elevator at the far north end of the building.

### **From the north, heading south to the University of Minnesota**

1. Take 35W southbound as far as you can go to the 4th Street/University Avenue exit.
2. Proceed to University Avenue and take a left turn to head east.
3. Stay on University Avenue until you get to the stoplight at 17th Street, where you will turn left.
4. Proceed one block and you will see the 4th Street ramp ahead of you on your left.

5. Enter the ramp from 17th Street and take a parking ticket.
6. To get to our building, walk west (go right as you walk out of the ramp) on 4th Street. You will walk past McDonald's and into Dinkytown.
7. Take a left at the corner of 14th Street and 4th Street and cross University Avenue
8. You will then be on East River Parkway/Road. Stay to the right as you pass by Peik Hall and Pattee Hall.
9. As you round the curve to the right around the children's playground, you will see the red brick Education Sciences Building ahead of you.
10. The main entrance is at the north end of the building where the road curves to the left. CAREI's main office is on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor in Suite 360, toward the south end of the building. Additional offices are in Suite 375.

The CAREI Assembly meets in Room 325, the McEvoy Seminar Room, one floor up from the main entrance at the north end of the building and located to your left as you exit the elevator.

### **From the east, heading west to the University of Minnesota**

1. Take Interstate 94 westbound to the Huron Boulevard exit.
2. Stay on Huron Boulevard until you come to 4th Street (one block after crossing University Avenue where you will see the construction for the new football stadium).
3. Veer left onto 4th Street and go to 17th Street, where you will turn right to enter the 4th Street parking ramp.
4. Enter the ramp and take a parking ticket.
5. To get to our building, walk west (go right as you walk out of the ramp) on 4th Street. You will walk past McDonald's and into Dinkytown.
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