



SIGMA XI CENTER

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Sigma Xi Center

The Sigma Xi Center houses the administrative offices of Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Society as well as conference facilities. It is located in the heart of Research Triangle Park, North Carolina, near Interstate 40 between Chapel Hill and Raleigh (Davis Drive Exit 280). The Center is about 10 minutes from the Raleigh-Durham Airport and less than one mile west of the Radisson Research Triangle Park (previously Radisson Governors Inn) on N.C. Highway 54. Of modern glass and steel design, on a 12-acre wooded site, the facility is technologically advanced and architecturally striking. A dramatic spiral staircase in the lobby is among its signature features.

The Center conference facilities can accommodate up to 225 people in its multiuse auditorium, which can be divided into three meeting spaces. Additional rooms are available for smaller meetings. The front and rear plazas of the building make convenient gathering places for meeting breaks and social events. The Sigma Xi Center conference facilities are available to any organization whose mission is consistent with that of Sigma Xi. Nominal fees have been established to cover costs associated with use of the building.

Meeting Rooms

All meeting rooms are equipped with state-of-the-art audiovisual equipment including:

- a podium microphone
- one lavalier/lapel wireless microphone
- two handheld wireless microphones
- LCD projector and screen
- VHS, DVD and Digital Satellite System

Rental includes setup and use of:

- tables and/or chairs
- podium
- sound system
- existing audiovisual equipment

Rental does not include special event labor. Sigma Xi reserves the right to require that the group pay for an audio-technician if deemed necessary by staff.

All catering services must be approved by Sigma Xi. A list of approved caterers will be provided upon request. The catering kitchen is equipped with commercial size refrigerator and freezer, ice machine and dishwasher.

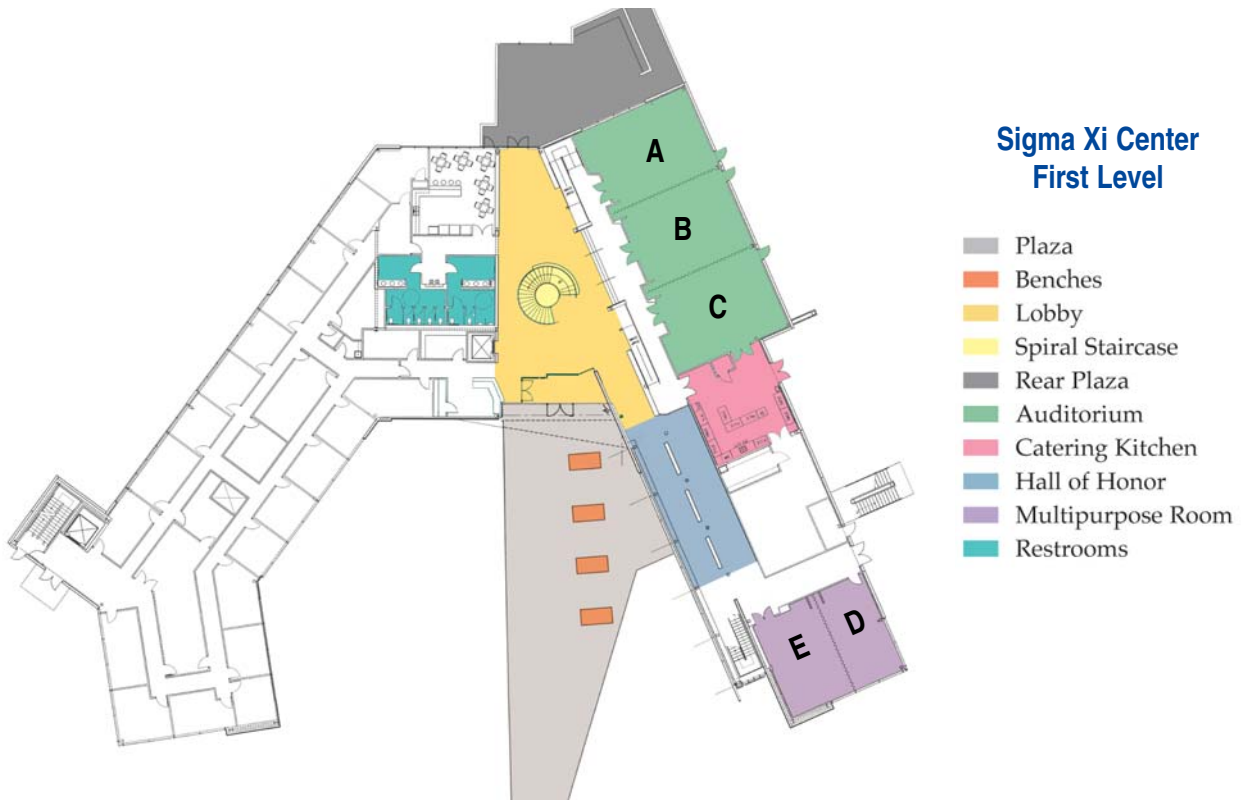
The Sigma Xi Center is a smoke-free facility. Smoking is permitted outside on the front and rear plazas.

Lobby and Hall of Honor

The lobby of the Sigma Xi Center can accommodate a variety of public functions. A two-story corridor off the lobby is devoted to commemorating the more than 200 Sigma Xi members who have won the Nobel Prize. Their names are inscribed on polished granite panels in the Hall of Honor.

Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Society

Founded in 1886, Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Society is an international non-profit honor society of nearly 65,000 scientists and engineers who were elected to membership because of their research achievements or potential. There are more than 500 Sigma Xi chapters at colleges and universities, government laboratories and industry research centers in North America and around the world. In addition to publishing *American Scientist* magazine, Sigma Xi awards grants annually to promising young researchers and sponsors a variety of programs supporting research ethics, science and engineering education, the public understanding of science, international research cooperation and the health of the research enterprise. For more information, visit www.sigmaxi.org



Room	Size Sq. Ft.	Theater Seating	Classroom Seating	Banquet Seating	Hollow Square	Rental (Monday-Friday)
Research Triangle Foundation & TUCASI Auditorium	2,752	225	105	120	—	\$1,200.00
Auditorium A	917	70	35	40	24	\$400.00
Auditorium B	917	70	35	40	24	\$400.00
Auditorium C	917	70	35	40	24	\$400.00
Multi-purpose Room D&E	1,140	78	56	64	36	\$800.00
Room D	490	30	24	24	20	\$400.00
Room E	650	48	32	40	24	\$400.00

Getting to the Center from Raleigh-Durham Airport

Follow directions from the airport to Interstate 40 West. Travel westbound on Interstate 40 for approximately four miles to the Davis Drive exit (Exit 280). Turn left on Davis Drive. At the second intersection, turn right on N.C. Highway 54 (west). Proceed approximately seven-tenths of a mile. The Sigma Xi Center is located on the left at 3106 East NC Highway 54.

If driving eastbound on Interstate 40

Take Davis Drive exit (Exit 280) and turn left on Davis Drive. At the next intersection, turn right on N.C. Highway 54 (west). Proceed approximately seven-tenths of a mile. The Center is on the left at 3106 East N.C. Highway 54.

