

Directions to the
Howard Gotlieb Archival Research Center
(formerly Special Collections)
at Boston University

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From South or West: Take the Massachusetts Turnpike (1-90) East to Exit 18, Allston/Cambridge. Exit left. Follow signs to Cambridge to the second set of lights. Turn right at the lights; this is Soldiers Field Road/ Storrow Drive. Exit Storrow Drive at the Kenmore exit. Follow *Local Directions* below.

From Southeast: Take I-93/Route 3 (Southeast Expressway) North to Boston. Exit onto Storrow Drive (Exit 26). Continue on Storrow Drive to the Kenmore exit. Follow *Local Directions* below.

From North: Take 1-93 or Route I South to Boston. Exit onto Storrow Drive (Exit 26). Continue on Storrow Drive to the Kenmore exit. Follow *Local Directions* below.

From the North Shore: Take Route I -A through the Sumner Tunnel. Follow signs onto the Expressway North. Take the Back Bay/Storrow Drive exit, and follow signs onto Storrow Drive. Continue on Storrow Drive to the Kenmore exit. Follow *Local Directions* below.

***** **Local Directions** *****

From Kenmore Square/Commonwealth Avenue exit of Storrow Drive. At the first set of traffic lights, turn right onto Beacon Street. Immediately at this point, the road forks (to the right and left of the bright red "Myles Standish Hall" sign); the right fork is Bay State Road. The left fork will take you into Kenmore Square. Stay to the left of the fork, in the right-hand lane. Once in the Square, bear right onto Commonwealth Avenue. Landmarks to look for (on the right) are the Barnes and Noble at Boston University, the Burger King, and further down, Marsh Plaza (with statue of flying doves). The Gotlieb Center is located at 771 Commonwealth Avenue, on the fifth floor of the Mugar Memorial Library building (connected to the George Sherman Student Union), set back a bit from Commonwealth Avenue.

Parking: Park anywhere you can along Commonwealth Avenue (or Bay State Road) at any available meter. There is a pay lot (the Kenmore Lot) just after the Barnes and Noble at Boston University building (#42 on the campus map) in Kenmore Square for about \$12

a day, and another lot just past the Burger King on Commonwealth Avenue (the Granby Lot, next to Sargent College, #26 on the main campus map) for about \$6 a day. The parking lot on the other (opposite) side of Commonwealth Avenue from the library, next to the Guitar Center (750 Commonwealth Avenue), which used to be open to the public, has become a closed University Lot during the construction.

By Public Transportation: Boston University is located along the MBTA Green Line. From any downtown Green Line subway station, take the "B" train heading toward Kenmore Square (outbound if you are anywhere downtown). After the Kenmore station, the train will emerge from underground and become an aboveground trolley. The second and third stops above ground are at the center of the Charles River Campus. Get off on the "BU Central" stop. The Gotlieb Center is located about a half a block outbound from this stop, set back a bit from Commonwealth Avenue (in the Mugar Library, #12 on the campus map).

The Howard Gotlieb Archival Research Center (formerly Special Collections) is located in the Mugar Memorial Library at 771 Commonwealth Avenue (#12 on the campus map), situated next to the George Sherman Student Union (at 775 Commonwealth Avenue, #11 on the campus map). As you stand and look at the Union, you will see a Fleet Bank branch. To the right of that bank is an information center, and further over to the right is the entrance to the Mugar Library. The Gotlieb Center is located on the fifth floor of Mugar. Please take a moment to view our exhibitions of material on the first floor to the right and left after you enter past the Security Desk. Our central telephone number is 617-353-3696.

Campus Map: <http://www.bu.edu/visit/maps/>