

2016 Medical English Seminar
Paul Zech Media Centre
Faculté de Médecine Lyon Est
8 avenue Rockefeller – 69008 Lyon
14-18 March 2016

→ **Getting to Lyon**

By train: Two train stations are located in Lyon’s town centre: [Part-Dieu](#) and [Perrache](#). There is also a TGV station at Lyon Saint-Exupéry Airport. The Part-Dieu and Saint-Exupéry stations have direct connections to Paris.

- The Part-Dieu train station ([see 3D map](#)) is served by metro line B, two tram lines (T1 and T3) and many buses. To reach the seminar directly from Part-Dieu, take the C13 bus (see page 3).
- The Perrache train station ([see 3D map](#)) is also served by metro line A, two tram lines (T1 and T2) and many buses. The T2 line (direction “Porte des Alpes”) will take you from Perrache directly to the location of the seminar (see page 2).

By plane: [Lyon Saint-Exupéry airport](#) is located 25 km from the centre of Lyon.

The best way into Lyon from the airport is to take the Rhônexpress tram to the Part-Dieu train station. From there, you can catch a metro, tram or bus to your destination in town. Click [here](#) for information on schedules and fares. For information on getting to the Paul Zech Media Centre directly from the Part-Dieu train station, turn to page 3 of this guide.

If you prefer to take a taxi, a one-way taxi ride into Lyon from Saint-Exupéry airport will cost around €50.

→ **Getting around Lyon (see the Lyon Map PDF for more information)**

Public transport: Lyon has an extensive public transport system (known as TCL) consisting of four metro lines, two funiculars, five tram lines and many bus lines. TCL tickets are valid for travel on all TCL lines (metro, tram, funicular, trolleybus). They may be purchased from automatic machines (inside metro stations and at tram stops) or at TCL agencies.

Typical fares:

- Single ticket (valid for one hour's unlimited travel): €1.80 (€2 if bought aboard a bus – please have exact fare ready).
- Book of 10 tickets: €16.20.
- Day-long ticket (*Liberté 1 jour*, unlimited travel): €5.50.
- Evening-long ticket (*Liberté soirée*, unlimited travel from 19.00 to the end of service): €3.00.

As fares may change at any time, we advise you to visit the [TCL website](#) beforehand.

Important tip: tickets must be validated each time you pass through a gate or get on a bus. Keep your tickets on your person until your journey is over as there may be ticket inspectors at exit points. For more information, see the Lyon Map PDF or visit the [TCL website](#).

→ **Getting to the *Faculté de Médecine Rockefeller***

The seminar will be held at the Paul Zech media centre (*médiathèque Paul Zech*, pictured) in Lyon's 8th district. The media centre is located at 10 rue Volney and is easily accessible by bus, tram and metro (see page 4).



T2 tram ([see map here](#) and page 4): Get off at the Ambroise Paré stop. Head down Avenue Rockefeller and take the first street on your left (Rue Volney – a tall yellow building is on its corner). Continue straight down for about 190 m then turn on the first street your right (Rue Longefer). Follow the small path that is immediately on your right. The media centre is on your right at the end of the path.

- **Alternative route:** If the small gate at 6 Rue Volney (concrete building on your right, halfway down the street) is open, go down the stairs then turn left. The media centre is a few metres straight ahead on your left.

Metro line D ([see map here](#) and page 4): Get off at the Grange Blanche stop and take exit 6 “Avenue Rockefeller–Ecole d’Infirmières”. At street level, walk eastward past the tram station and continue up Avenue Rockefeller for about 240 m. Turn right on Rue Volney (a tall yellow building is on its corner) and continue straight down for about 190 m. Turn on the first street your right (Rue Longefer) and take the small path that is immediately on your right. The media centre is on your right at the end of the path.

- **Alternative route:** If the small gate at 6 Rue Volney (concrete building on your right, halfway down the street) is open, go down the stairs then turn left. The media centre is a few metres straight ahead on your left.

C13 bus from the Part-Dieu train station ([3D map here](#)): Exit the Vivier-Merle side of the train station and head towards the Part-Dieu shopping centre. Take the C13 bus all the way to it terminus (“Grange Blanche” – average trip time of 15-20 minutes). Exit the bus and head toward the tram station in front of the Ecole Rockefeller. To reach the media centre, follow the directions given above (starting from “... walk eastward past the tram station and continue up Avenue Rockefeller for about 240 m”).

