DIRECTIONS:

- To Parking Garage
- To Drop Off, Pick-Up & Handicap Parking
Directions To:
James L. Allen Center
2169 Campus Drive
Evanston, IL 60208
Front Desk: 847-864-9270

Note: Campus parking is limited. We strongly encourage you to use a taxi or private ground transportation to and from the Allen Center for your event. All vehicles in the garage and University lots must display a parking permit.

To Park in the Garage:
Take Sheridan Road to Lincoln Street. Turn east on Lincoln Street and continue to the entrance of the parking garage. All vehicles in the garage must display a parking permit. (Refer to Parking and Permits, below.)

If the garage is full, additional permit parking is shown on the attached campus map.

Parking and Permits:
Parking permits are required in all visitor lots from 8:00am to 4:00pm Monday – Friday. All permits must be displayed in your vehicle.
Permits are available at the following locations:

• Obtain a permit at the Allen Center reception desk (open 24 hours), if directed to do so for your event.
• SAME DAY parking permits are available for purchase by credit card from a kiosk located across from the parking garage (next to US Bank ATM).
• The Northwestern University Evanston Campus Parking Office is located at 1819 Hinman Ave, Evanston, IL. Parking permits can be purchased Monday thru Friday, 8am – 4pm.

Walking from the Garage to the Allen Center:
Proceed to the elevator nearest stairwell B (southwest corner of the garage) to the ground level.
Exit the garage and cross Campus Drive; take the sidewalk to the left (east) of the Searle Building. Continue south, following the signs to the Allen Center. The Allen Center is a four (4) story building located to your left (east). See map inset.

Drop off or Pick-Up/Handicap Parking at the Allen Center:
Take Sheridan Road to the traffic signal at Northwestern Place.
Turn east on Northwestern Place and drive up over the gentle curb and proceed slowly down the incline.
At the stop sign, veer left to the oval driveway to the front of the Allen Center. Handicap parking spaces are available on the east side of the oval.