

## **Downtown – (Peachtree Center MARTA RED & GOLD Line)**

You can walk to all of these from the hotel.

### **Hyatt Regency Hotel – MCN HQ**

#### **Art, Culture, Sports and Nature:**

- Rialto Center for the Performing Arts at Georgia State
- Philips Arena is home to the NBA Atlanta Hawks, and the WNBA Atlanta Dream, as well as world-class concerts and events.
- Centennial Olympic Park
- Atlanta Falcons kick off the official season each September. The Georgia Dome has hosted numerous events including: the 1996 Summer Olympics, two Super Bowls, the annual Chick-fil-A Bowl and the 2007 NCAA Men's Final Four.
- Tabernacle
- Georgia Aquarium
- Imagine It! The Children's Museum of Atlanta
- Inside CNN Studio Tour
- Martin Luther King Jr. National Historic Site & Sweet Auburn District
- World of Coca-Cola

#### **Food & Drink:**

- Trader Vics – Yes, the cocktails are served in kitschy glasses with fruit and umbrellas. And they have Tonga Hiti (<http://www.tongohiti.com/Aloha.html>)
- Sun Dial Restaurant Bar & View – Was this the group that started the Spinning Bar Blog/WIKI?
- Hard Rock Cafe
- STATS
- Pitty Pat's Porch
- Ray's In The City

## **Downtown/Midtown – (North Avenue MARTA RED & GOLD Line)**

You can walk to all of these from the station.

**Coca Cola Archive Tour** – It's a .75 mile walk from station to Coca Cola Archives/HQ

#### **Art, Culture, Sports and Nature:**

- The Fox Theatre
- The Robert Ferst Center at Georgia Tech

#### **Food:**

- The Varsity – World's Largest Drive In.
- MF Sushibar
- Mary Mac's Tea Room

## **Midtown – (Midtown MARTA RED & GOLD Line)**

You can walk to all of these from the station.

**Welcoming Reception** (Wednesday Night) – The Margaret Mitchell House is less than two blocks from the station.

### **Art, Culture, Sports and Nature:**

- Margaret Mitchell House
- Piedmont Park

**Food & Drink** (highly recommend Midtown for best options for dining & drinking):

- Ecco – small plates, share plates, great cured meats and cheeses, reasonable wine list
- Vortex Midtown Location - Check out the Elvis Burger
- Empire State South
- Cypress Street Pint & Plate

## **Midtown – (Arts Center MARTA RED & GOLD Line)**

You can walk to all of these from the station.

**Conference Reception** (Thursday night) – The High Museum of Art is less than one block from the station.

### **Art, Culture, Sports and Nature:**

- High Museum of Art
- Alliance Theatre
- Atlanta Symphony Orchestra
- Center for Puppetry Arts
- William Breman Jewish Heritage Museum
- Atlantic Station - Great boutiques, sidewalk cafes and hip restaurants reign. Free shuttles are available from the Arts Center MARTA Station.

**Food & Drink** (highly recommend Midtown for best options for dining & drinking):

- Front Page News
- Tin Lizzy's
- South City Kitchen
- TAP

## **Further Afield**

Intrepid traveler can get to most of these places by:

- walking further
- using MARTA Rail & Buses. Some MARTA Bus routes only run hourly during off peak hours and end much earlier than rail service.
- cabbing it.

### **Art, Culture, Sports and Neighborhoods:**

- Atlanta Botanical Garden – Walk further from MARTA Midtown or Arts Center stations.
- Atlanta History Center – Buckhead MARTA (Red Line) or Lenox Square MARTA (Gold Line) #110 Bus
- Fernbank Museum of Natural History – North Avenue MARTA (Red & Gold Line) #2 Bus. Enjoy a classy mix of culture and cocktails with Martinis & IMAX® every Friday night.
- Jimmy Carter Presidential Library and Museum – #16 Bus
- Lenox Square and Phipps Plaza, Lenox Square MARTA (Gold Line)
- Zoo Atlanta - Walk to corner of Marietta & Spring #32 Bus
- Little Five Points - Inman Park MARTA (Green & Blue Line) #6 Bus or Walk (1.0 mile)
- Virginia-Highland - Midtown MARTA (Red & Gold Line) #36 Bus

### **Food & Drink:**

- Georgia Grill – Arts Center MARTA (Red or Gold) #110 Bus Northbound
- Holeman & Finch - Arts Center MARTA (Red or Gold) #110 Bus Northbound
- Dante's Down the Hatch – Buck head MARTA (Red Line) Walk
- Taqueria del Sol – (West side location) #1 Bus or Midtown MARTA (Red & Gold Line) to #12 Bus
- Abattoir - #1 Bus or Midtown MARTA (Red & Gold Line) to #12 Bus
- JCT Kitchen & Bar - #1 Bus or Midtown MARTA (Red & Gold Line) to #12 Bus
- Alfredos - Midtown MARTA (Red & Gold Line) to #27 Bus
- Colonnade - Midtown MARTA (Red & Gold Line) to #27 Bus
- FLIP Burger – West Midtown location Midtown MARTA (Red & Gold Line) to #12 Bus