

TOUCH OF PRESENCE AND DYNAMIC STILLNESS WITH GIORGIA MILNE

Welcome to the San Francisco Bay Area, and more specifically, Berkeley! This document provides lists of local airports, public transportation, ride-share options, accommodations, and eateries in proximity to the class location.

Giorgia offers courses at two locations, four blocks apart, on the western side of Berkeley. Her Dynamic Stillness BCT client practice space is also at Rudramandir in suite #111. Rudramandir, 830 Bancroft Way

Ashtanga Yoga Berkeley (AYB), 933 Parker Street

Nearby is Berkeley's Fourth Street, with wonderful shopping and eating options. The entire eastbay area, comprising Berkeley, Albany, El Cerrito, Emeryville, and Oakland, offers an exciting array of cultural, historical, artistic, political, and culinary adventures. We will gladly assist you with additional information. Email <info_at_touchofpresence.com> if you have further questions.

FLYING HERE

Oakland International Airport 510-563-3300 www.oaklandairport.com

San Francisco International Airport 800-435-9736 650-821-8211 www.flysfo.com

AIRPORT SHUTTLES - DOOR-TO-DOOR SERVICE

BayPorter Express 877-467-1800 510-864-4000 www.bayporter.com

SuperShuttle

800-258-3826 (reservations can be made by phone, online, or with the mobile app) www.supershuttle.com

RIDE SHARES

Lyft and **Uber** each offer transportation that is generally more timely, convenient, and less expensive than many local private services. You can choose to be the only rider in the vehicle – arriving at your destination faster and paying a bit more – or to share the vehicle with other riders – taking longer to arrive at your destination and paying less. These free smartphone apps are available for both Android and iPhone. Available from your online app store.

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LOCAL PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

A.C. Transit – Alameda County Transit

510-891-4777

www.actransit.org

B.A.R.T. – Bay Area Rapid Transit

Serves both airports and goes to numerous locations throughout the Bay area. Check the website for the station map, QuickPlanner, and fares. The Richmond-bound line is ultimately the train that will get you into Berkeley. From either airport you *may need* to first take a different train line and then transfer at the MacArthur station to the Richmond-bound line.

510-464-7134 www.bart.gov

CAR RENTAL RESERVATIONS

AVIS Rent A Car 800-352-7900

Budget Rent A Car 800-218-7992

Enterprise Rent A Car 855-266-9289

Hertz Car Rental 800-654-3131

Rent-A-Relic 444 Telegraph Ave, Oakland 510-601-6560

ACCOMMODATIONS ∼ PLEASE VERIFY DISTANCES FROM THE COURSE VENUE AND CHOOSE THE LODGING THAT OFFERS YOU THE BEST COMFORT AND EASE ♥

1. La Quinta (closest location to course venues)

920 University Avenue, Berkeley *510-849-1121*

http://www.laquintaberkeley.com/

2. Holiday Inn Express Hotel and Suites

1175 University Avenue, Berkeley 866-548-1700

www.hiexberkeley.com

3. Berkeley Inn

1720 San Pablo Ave, Berkeley 510-524-8778 www.berkeleyinn.com

4. Golden Bear Inn

1620 San Pablo Ave 510-525-6770 www.goldenbearinn.com

5. Doubletree Hotel

200 Marina Blvd, Berkeley 510-548-7920 DoubleTree Berkeley Marina

6. Berkeley City Club (Historic hotel, restaurant, social club designed by Julia Morgan)

2315 Durant Avenue, Berkeley

510-848-7800

http://berkeleycityclub.com/

7. Rose Garden Inn (Historic boutique hotel)

2740 Telegraph Ave Berkeley 510-549-2145 www.rosegardeninn.com

8. Claremont Resort and Spa (Iconic luxury hotel)

41 Tunnel Rd, Berkeley 510-888-560-4455 http://www.fairmont.com/claremont-berkeley/

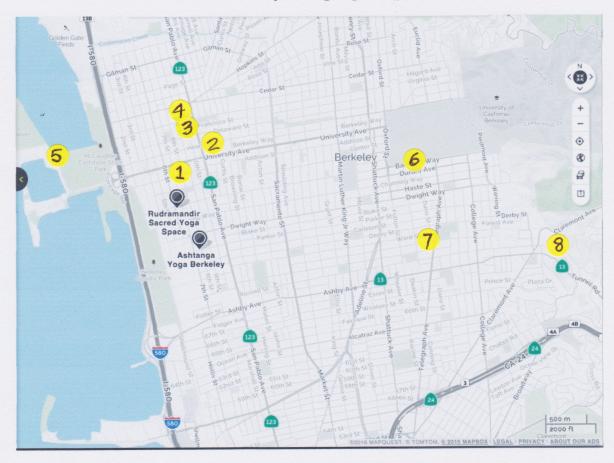
VRBO (Vacation Rentals by Owner,) Berkeley

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Hostels, Inns, Hotels, B&Bs, Rooms ~ search the web on your own, or use AirB&B, TripAdvisor, Travelocity, Expedia, Kayak, Priceline, etc.

Click below to see more hotel and restaurant listings posted by Rudramandir: https://rudramandir.com/contact-and-directions/nearby-hotels-and-restaurants

Berkeley Lodging Map



Legend:

- 1. La Quinta Inn, 920 University Ave.
- 2. Holiday Inn Express Hotel and Suites, 1175 University Ave.
- 3. <u>Berkeley Inn</u>, 1720 San Pablo Ave.
- 4. Golden Bear Inn, 1620 San Pablo Ave.
- 5. <u>The Doubletree Hotel</u>, 200 Marina Blvd.
- 6. Berkeley City Club, 2315 Durant Ave.
- 7. Rose Garden Inn, 2740 Telegraph Ave.
- 8. <u>Claremont Resort and Spa</u>, 41 Tunnel Rd.

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BERKELEY EATERIES

The eateries listed below are close to the two venues where Giorgia Milne teaches and practices: Rudramandir, 830 Bancroft Way, Berkeley

Ashtanga Yoga Berkeley, 933 Parker Street, Berkeley

1. STANDARD FARE

2701 Eighth Street #118

510-356-2261

https://www.standardfareberkeley.com/

Homemade, healthy, "farm-to-table" food and snacks.

Breakfast through lunchtime.

2. NINA'S CAFÉ

2703 Seventh Street

510-845-8584

https://www.facebook.com/Ninas-Cafe-137111989670103/

New American and ethnic food. Patio and indoor seating.

Breakfast through early evening.

3. WESTSIDE ORGANIC CAFÉ – A TIBETAN CAFÉ

2570 Ninth Street

510-845-4852

https://www.westsideorganiccafe.com/

Cuisine with Tibetan influences.

Breakfast and lunch, Fri-Sat dinner.

4. TOMATE CAFÉ

2265 Fifth Street

510-549-9885

http://www.tomatecafe.com/

Healthy, innovative, homey California cuisine. Patio and indoor seating.

Breakfast and lunch.

5. VIK'S CHAAT

2390 Fourth Street

510-644-4412

http://vikschaat.com/

Popular venue serving Indian "street food" with food market.

Early lunch to early evening.

6. BERKELEY BOWL WEST-MARKETPLACE, DELI, AND CAFÉ

920 Heinz Avenue

510-898-9555

http://www.berkeleybowl.com/

Market: morning to early evening. https://www.berkeleybowl.com/cafe/ Café: morning through mid-afternoon.

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7. CAFÉ LEILA

1724 San Pablo Avenue

510-525-7544

http://www.cafeleila.com/

Healthy Cal-Med organic food, artisan beverages. Huge patio and indoor seating. Breakfast, lunch, some dinners.

Occasional live music

8. PICANTE COCINA MEXICANA

1328 Sixth Street

510-525-3121

http://www.picanteberkeley.com/

Upscale Mexican cuisine, family-style. Patio and indoor seating.

Early lunch and dinner.

9. LA MARCHA TAPAS

2026 San Pablo Avenue

510-647-9525

http://www.lamarchaberkeley.com

Offering the vibrant culinary culture of Spain.

Happy hour and early dinner.

10. BETTE'S OCEANVIEW DINER

1807 Fourth Street Berkeley, Ca. 94710

510-644-3230

http://bettesdiner.com/

Great for breakfast and lunch. Quick deli takeout.

11. <u>POULET</u>

1685 Shattuck Avenue Berkeley

510-845-5932

www.pouletdeli.com

Early lunch and early dinner. Take-out.

12. TACUBAYA

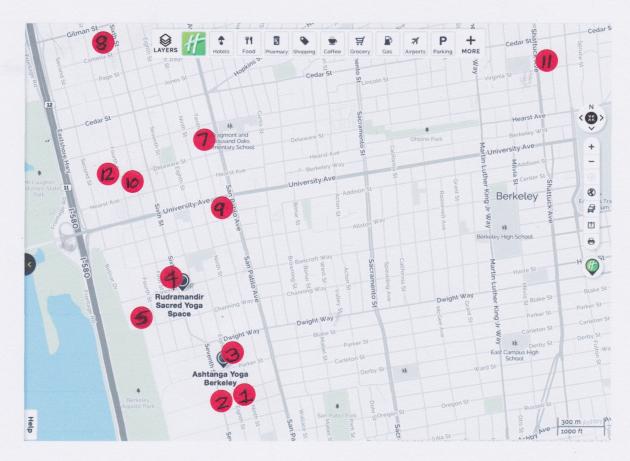
1782 Fourth Street Berkeley

510-525-5160

www.tacubaya.net

Inspired Mexican food. Breakfast, lunch, and dinner.

Berkeley Eateries Map





Legend:

- I. Standard Fare, 2701 Eighth Street #118
- 2. Nina's Café, 2703 Seventh Street
- 3. Westside Bakery Café, 2570 Ninth Street
- 4. Tomate Café, 2265 Fifth Street
- 5. Vik's Chaat, 2390 Fourth Street
- 6. Berkeley Bowl Marketplace and Café, 920 Heinz Street
- 7. <u>Café Leila</u>, 1724 San Pablo Avenue
- 8. <u>Picante Cocina Mexicana</u>, 1328 Sixth Street
- 9. <u>La Marcha Tapas</u>, 2026 San Pablo Avenue
- 10. <u>Bette's Oceanview Diner</u>, 1807 Fourth Street
- II. Poulet, 1685 Shattuck Avenue
- 12. Tacubaya, 1788 Fourth Street