

URTA AUDITIONS & INTERVIEWS (IN-PERSON): PHILADELPHIA

VENUE INFORMATION:

The URTA Auditions and Interviews in Philadelphia will take place at the **Sonesta Philadelphia Rittenhouse Square (1800 Market Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103)**.

To reserve a room in the discounted URTA room block, [CLICK HERE](#)

Note: the room block closes December 17, 2025 (by 5 pm EST), or when full. Candidates are NOT required to stay on-site at the URTA hotel, but may find it the most convenient option.

Acting Candidates - URTA & Guest registration will take place in the Wyeth Gallery Foyer (on Floor 2 of the hotel). After entering the Sonesta, please go to the 2nd floor (via the lobby escalator/stairs or elevator) for URTA event check-in.

All candidates should refer to the scheduling messages they received in Accepted for their assigned audition dates/times, as well as information on their mandatory candidate check-in and orientation. Acting candidates who registered for both the URTA and Guest auditions will receive two separate scheduling messages in Accepted (one for their URTA date, and one for the Guest date).

TRAVEL INFORMATION:

Flying: Philadelphia is served by Philadelphia International Airport (PHL). The next closest international airport is Newark Liberty International Airport (EWR), which is approximately 1.5 hours away by train (Amtrak).

Getting into Philadelphia from PHL: Cabs are available but may be expensive. Septa Regional Rail serves the Philadelphia airport on the "Airport Line". The closest regional rail station to the hotel is Suburban Station, which is a 3-block walk from the hotel. See <https://www.septa.org/> for full routes and fares

Train: Amtrak arrives at 30th Street Station (William H. Gray III 30th Street Station). It is slightly less than 1 mile from the hotel. Septa Regional Rail connects 30th Street Station to Suburban Station, and your Amtrak ticket provides a free transfer from 30th Street to Suburban Station (ask Septa station employees for assistance if needed).

Bus: Many bus companies serve the Philadelphia area. Check service providers for details.

Driving: Valet parking is available at the hotel starting at \$53/day and up. Refer to the Sonesta hotel [website](#) for parking options and pricing.

For candidates traveling to/from NYC for other auditions: Philadelphia and New York City are in close proximity, with many quick and affordable travel options. Philadelphia and NYC are approximately 1.5 hours apart by train (Amtrak), or approximately 2 hours apart by car or bus (there are many bus companies that provide service between these cities). Please keep in mind that the URTA and Guest auditions are both full-day commitments, and your evenings may run late depending on how many callbacks you received.