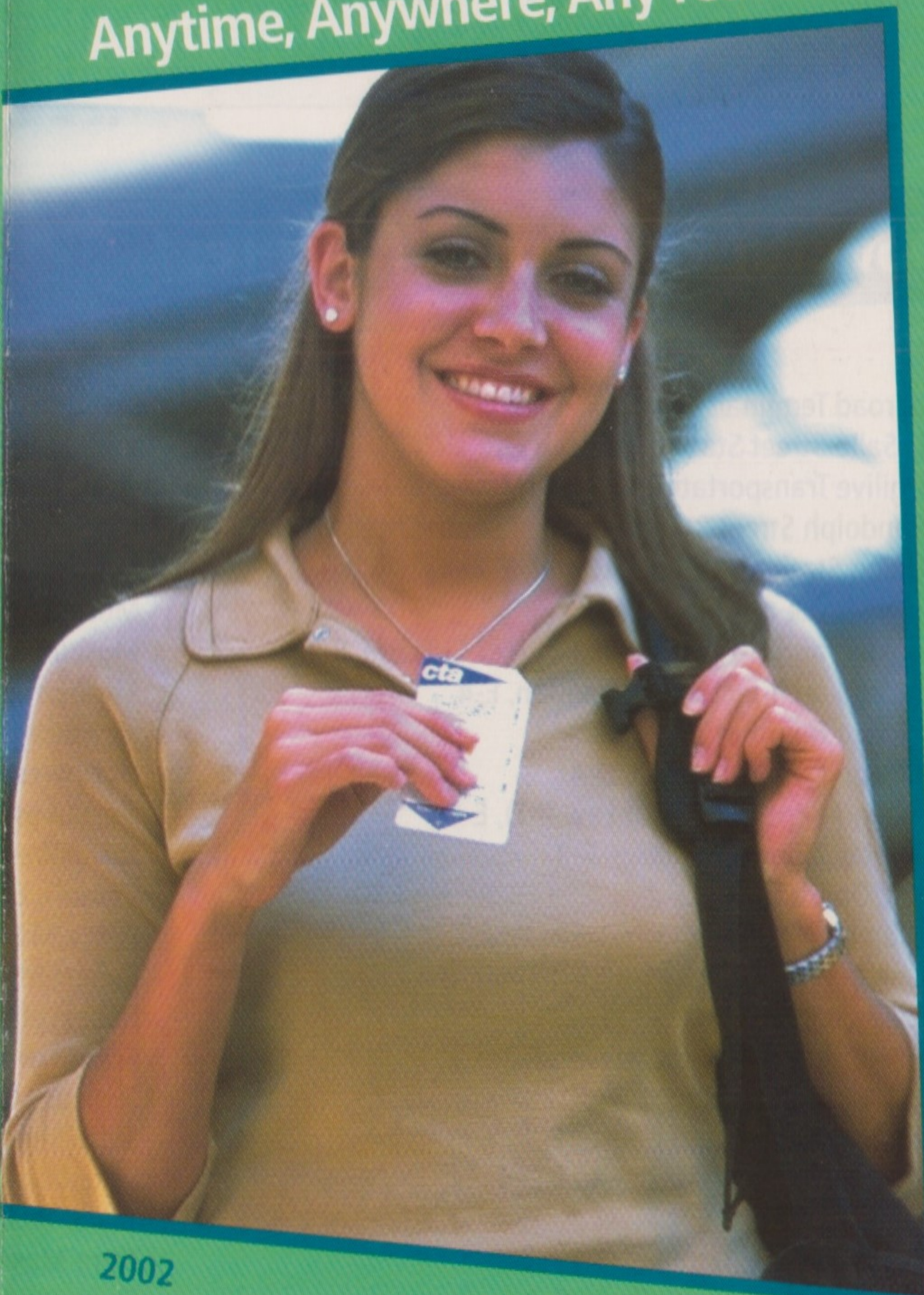


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Anytime, Anywhere, Any reason



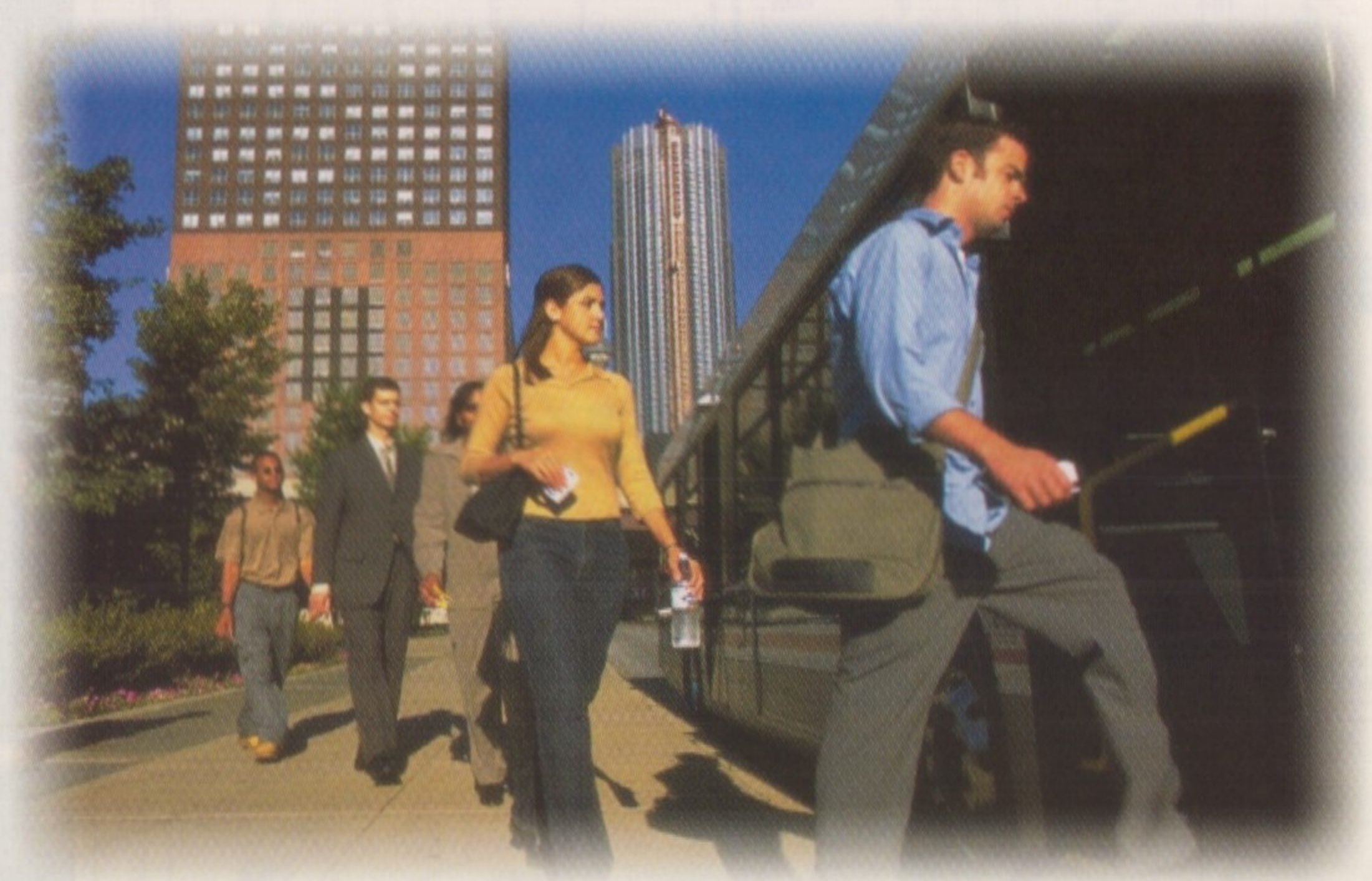
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All Aboard!

Welcome! The CTA **University Pass (U-PASS)** is your ticket to UNLIMITED riding aboard CTA buses and trains. Use your **U-PASS** on the CTA bus and rail system anytime, anywhere, for any reason. It's your connection to school, shopping, sports events, social activities, art and entertainment centers, and all the things Chicago has to offer. **CTA is everywhere you need to be!**



Handy Phone Numbers

If you have questions or comments concerning your **U-PASS**, call the **U-PASS Hotline** at **312-664-7200, ext. 3051**. Voice mail will be answered within one business day.

Need travel directions? Get travel information and directions by calling the RTA Travel Center at 836-7000 from any local area code (TTY: 312-836-4949). Operators are available daily from 5:00 a.m.—1:00 a.m. They also can send you a CTA System Map, Downtown Sightseeing Guide or schedules. These are available at CTA stations and on our website at www.transitchicago.com

Downtown Chicago

How to Use the U-PASS

At CTA Train Stations

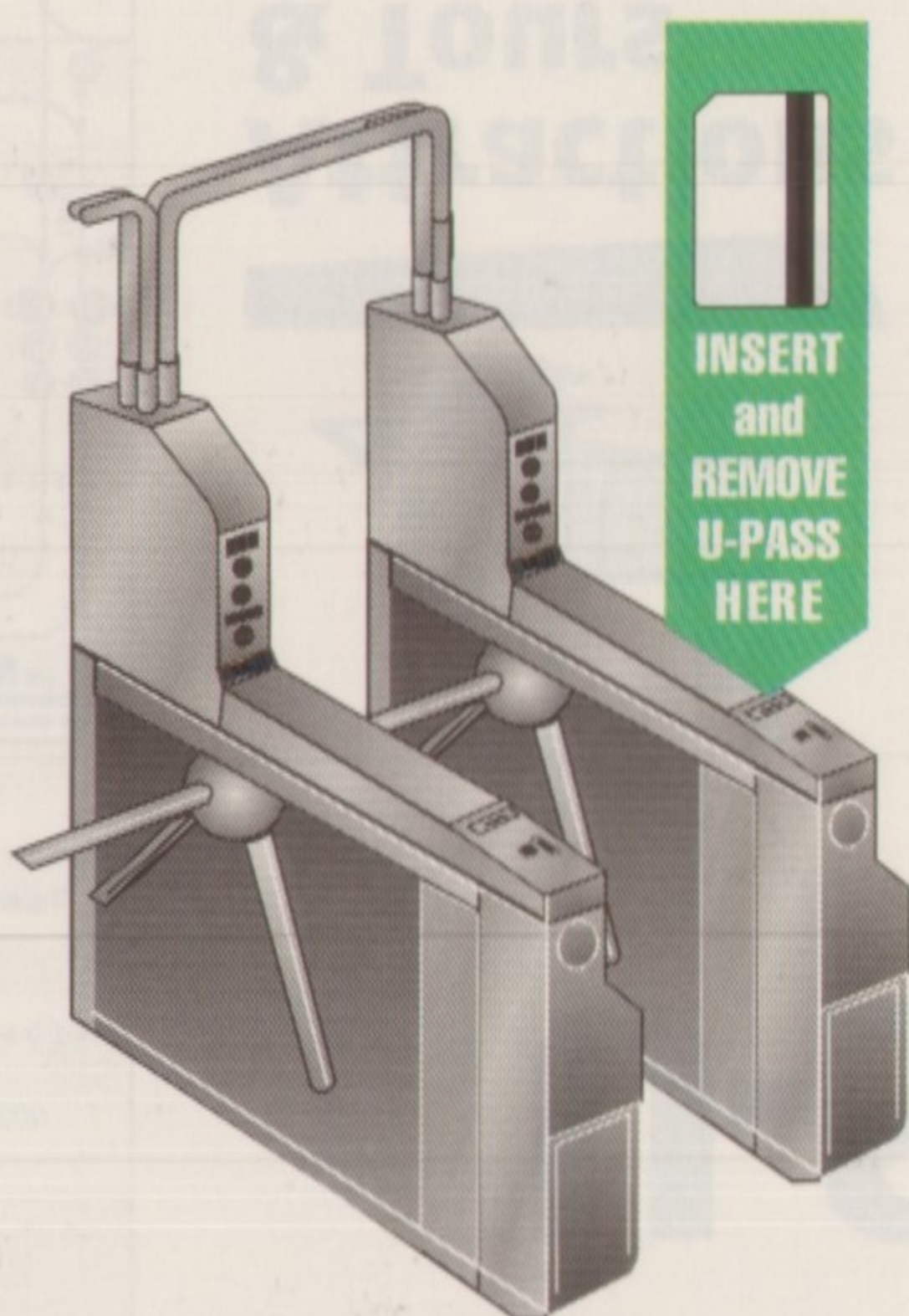
Insert your **U-PASS** into the turnstile card slot with the magnetic stripe facing you and the blue arrow pointing down. When the green "enter" light appears, remove your **U-PASS** and go through the turnstile.

On CTA Buses

Insert your **U-PASS** into the bus farecard machine on the right side of the farebox. The magnetic stripe should face you with the blue arrow pointing down. **(NOTE: Please do NOT insert your U-PASS into the dollar bill slot on the left side of the farebox or it will be captured.)**



Bus Farebox



**Train Station
Turnstile**



U-PASS Enrollment

The CTA U-PASS is a full-time student's passport to unlimited riding aboard all CTA buses and trains during an institution's academic term. Because the U-PASS replaces cash for all CTA fares, it does not require a transfer or surcharge. The U-PASS can be used on the CTA bus and rail system anytime, anywhere.

The U-PASS encourages the use of public transportation, providing students with simple low-cost transit that will save on the cost of gas and parking expenses.

During the 2001-2002 school year, over 54,000 students from 25 colleges and universities participated in the U-PASS program. Accredited, post-secondary, degree granting institutions in the CTA service area are eligible to participate. For more information, please contact the CTA U-PASS hotline at 312-664-7200 ext. 3051. Visit our website at www.transitchicago.com/maps/upass.html.

**CTA Headquarters
Merchandise Mart, 7th Floor
350 N. Wells, Chicago, IL 60654
8:00 a.m.–4:30 p.m., Monday-Friday
312-664-7200 ext. 3051**

Important Facts

U-PASS offers full-time students **unlimited** rides on any CTA bus or train during an academic term.

U-PASS replaces cash for all CTA fares—no cash is needed.

U-PASS does not require a transfer or surcharge.

U-PASS is **NOT** valid for travel on PACE suburban buses or Metra commuter trains.

U-PASS is for full-time students only. The cards of students who drop to part-time status will be deactivated.

U-PASS is also valid for CTA Paratransit Special Services (for those qualified through the RTA) until the printed expiration date.

Rules & Conditions

The school name, student name, photo, and expiration date **MUST** appear on your **U-PASS**.

CTA reserves the right to require the student to show a valid school identification card upon request.

U-PASS is limited to exclusive use by the full-time student whose name and photo appear on the card. Any **U-PASS** presented by a person other than the student whose name and photo appears on the card will be confiscated and the person may be subject to arrest.

U-PASS may **NOT** be shared.

Use of the **U-PASS** is subject to applicable tariffs, terms, conditions, rules, regulations, policies, and procedures CTA may, in its discretion, adopt from time to time.

U-PASS can be confiscated if the bearer violates any law or CTA ordinance while on CTA property.

If any of these conditions are violated, the pass will be confiscated for the duration of the valid dates without reimbursement, and the person may be subject to arrest and prosecution.

How to Replace U-PASS

If Captured in Fare Equipment

At the Rail Station...locate Customer Assistant (CA) and inform him/her of your problem. The CA will ask you to complete a Fare Discrepancy Report and issue you a transit card valued at \$3.60. You must bring a copy of the report, along with your valid student ID, to CTA headquarters. A replacement **U-PASS** will be issued within 5-7 business days. **If you fail to get your report, it can take up to 2 weeks to replace your U-PASS.**

On the Bus...the Bus Operator will ask you to complete a Customer Service card and allow you to ride free. If needed, a transfer will be provided. A replacement **U-PASS** will be issued within 5-7 business days. You must bring your Customer Service card, along with your valid student ID, to CTA headquarters. **If you fail to get the Customer Service card, it can take up to 2 weeks to replace your U-PASS.**

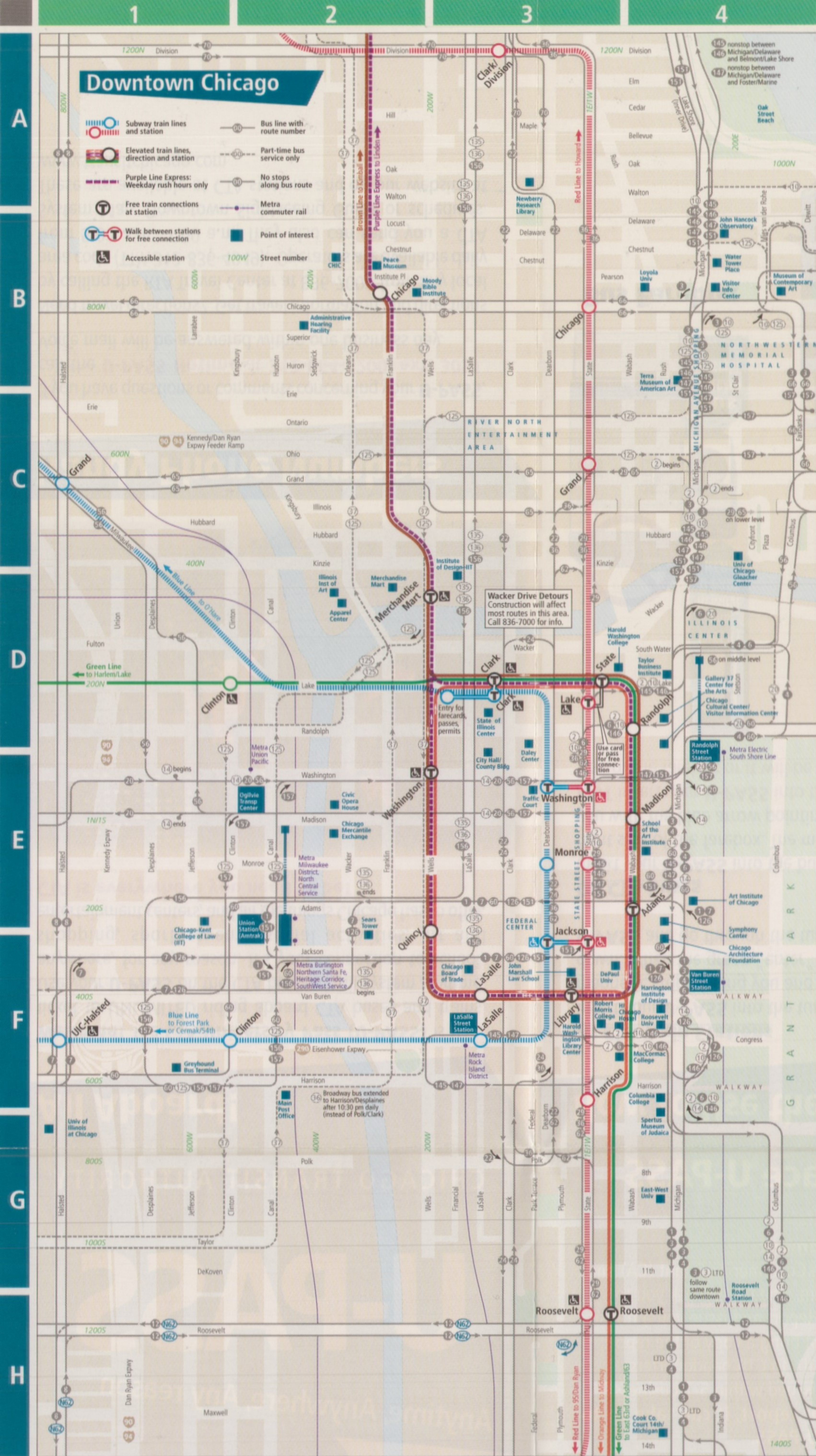
If Lost or Stolen

Bring your valid school ID and a non-refundable \$35 fee (cash, credit card or money order only) to CTA headquarters. A replacement **U-PASS** will be issued within 5-7 business days and your original **U-PASS** will be deactivated. **CTA will replace lost or stolen U-PASS cards only once per academic year.**

If Damaged

At the Rail Station...if our fare equipment will not read your **U-PASS**, the Customer Assistant will let you complete your ride at no charge. However, you must bring your defective/damaged **U-PASS**, along with your valid student ID, to CTA headquarters. **CTA will issue a temporary Transit Card valued at \$10 and a replacement U-PASS will be issued within 5-7 business days.**

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Downtown Points of Interest

- Railroad Terminals:
- LaSalle Street Station (Metra), F-3
 - Ogilvie Transportation Center (Metra), E-2
 - Randolph Street Station (Metra, South Shore Line), D-4
 - Union Station (Amtrak, Metra), E-2
- Art Institute of Chicago, E-4
- Cooking and Hospitality Institute of Chicago, B-2
- Chicago Architecture Foundation, E-4
- Chicago Board of Trade, F-2
- Chicago Cultural Center, D-4
- Chicago-Kent College of Law (IIT), E-1
- City Hall/County Building, E-3
- Civic Opera House, E-2
- Columbia College, F-3
- Cook County Court (14th/Michigan), H-3
- Daley Center, E-3
- DePaul University, downtown, F-3
- East-West University, G-3
- Federal Building and Courts, E-3
- Gallery 37 Center for the Arts, D-4
- Grant Park, E-4
- Greyhound Bus Terminal, F-1
- Harold Washington College, D-3
- Harold Washington Library, F-3
- Harrington Institute of Interior Design, F-3
- HI Chicago Hostel, F-3
- Illinois Center Area, D-4
- Illinois Institute of Art, D-2
- Institute of Design - IIT, C-2
- John Marshall Law School, F-3
- Loyola University, Water Tower, B-4
- MacCormac College, F-3
- Merchandise Mart, D-2
- Museum of Broadcast Communications, D-3
- Museum of Contemporary Art, B-4
- Museum of Contemporary Photography, F-3
- Newberry Research Library, A-3
- Northwestern Memorial Hospital, B-4
- Northwestern University, downtown, B-4
- North Western Station (Ogilvie Transportation Center), E-2
- Peace Museum, B-2
- Robert Morris College, F-3
- Roosevelt University, F-3
- School of the Art Institute, E-3
- Spertus Museum of Judaica, G-3
- State Street Shopping, E-3
- Symphony Center, E-4
- Taylor Business Institute, D-4
- Terra Museum of American Art, B-4
- Thompson Center, D-3
- Traffic Court, D-3
- University of Chicago, Gleacher Center, C-4
- Visitor Information Centers, B-4, D-4
- Water Tower Place, B-4

U-PASS, U-SAVE



Attractions & Tours

INcard Program
www.incard.com
(847) 673-3703

U-PASS students receive a **FREE** INcard membership, which provides discounts of 10%-50% at more than 750 merchants throughout the Chicago area. Your valid U-PASS may be shown in lieu of the INcard at participating locations to obtain the discount. You will save on everything from movies to music to travel. Go to www.incard.com for a list of participants.

The Hancock Observatory
875 N. Michigan, 94th Floor
Chicago 60611
(312) 751-3680
Free admission with one paid admission of equal or greater value.

Chicago Historical Society
Clark St. at North Ave.
Chicago 60614
(312) 642-4600
2 for 1 admission and 10% discount in the museum store.

Oak Park Visitors Bureau
158 N. Forest Ave.
Oak Park 60301
(708) 524-7800
\$7 discount for the "Diverse Architecture" audio walking tour combination which includes admission to Unity Temple, Earnest Hemingway birthplace and museum.

Windy City Field House
2367 W. Logan Blvd.
Oak Park 60301
(773) 486-7300
10% off graduation parties and full-day sports passes.



Theatres

Auditorium Theatre
50 E. Congress Pkwy.
Chicago 60605
(312) 922-2110
\$10 student tickets on selected shows. Day shows only.

Festival Theatre
Austin Gardens
Oak Park 60302
(708) 524-2050
2 for 1 tickets except for previews and family performances.

Broadway in Chicago Theatres
22 W. Monroe
Chicago 60603
(312) 977-1700
\$20 student tickets at any Broadway in Chicago Theatre, which includes: Cadillac Palace, Schubert, Ford Center for the Performing Arts and the Oriental Theatre. Available two hours prior to performances at box office only.

Performing Arts Chicago
410 S. Michigan Ave.
Chicago 60605
(312) 663-1628
Buy one regular ticket and get the second free (excluding Saturdays). Subject to availability.

Steppenwolf Theatre
1650 N. Halsted
Chicago 60660
(312) 335-1650
Half-price main stage tickets available one hour prior to show time.

Victory Gardens Theatre
2257 N. Lincoln Ave.
Chicago 60614
(773) 871-3000
Two for one single tickets subject to availability. Not valid with any other offer.



Nightlife

Hedwig Dances
Chicago Cultural Center
77 E. Randolph
Chicago 60602
(773) 871-0872
20-30% off all dance classes! African, yoga, hip-hop and more. Call 773-871-0872 or hedwig@enteract.com.

Music of the Baroque
100 N. LaSalle, Suite 1610
Chicago 60602
(312) 551-1414
2 for 1 admission.

Chicago Symphony Orchestra
220 S. Michigan Ave.
Chicago 60604
(312) 294-3000
Specially priced student tickets available. Call for more information.



Restaurants

INcard Program — Over 70 Restaurants
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New Orleans Barbeque Grill
222 Merchandise Mart
Food Court #8
Chicago 60654
(312) 644-9697
10% off any food item.

Bordo's Eatery & Sauce
2476-78 N. Lincoln
Chicago 60614
(773) 529-6900
15% discount on all lunches. 10% off all dinners.



Museums

Chicago Artists' Coalition
11 E. Hubbard, 7th Floor
Chicago 60611
(312) 670-2060
Offers discount membership to college and university students.

Museum of Broadcast Communications
78 E. Washington St.
Chicago 60602
(312) 629-6000
\$1 discount when using the archives.

The Museum of Contemporary Art
220 E. Chicago Ave.
Chicago 60611
(312) 280-2660
2 for 1 Admission.

Glessner House Museum
1800 S. Prairie Ave.
Chicago 60616
(312) 326-1480
\$3 off any tour and \$4 off any program.

Terra Museum of American Art
666 N. Michigan Ave.
Chicago 60611
(312) 664-3939
Students admitted for free.

Spertus Institute of Jewish Studies
618 S. Michigan Ave.
Chicago 60605
(312) 322-1747
Half-price admission with U-PASS.



Shopping

Illinois Artisans Shop
James Thompson Center
100 W. Randolph St.
Chicago 60601
(312) 814-5321
10% discount on all items.

Fullerton Cleaners
826 W. Fullerton Ave.
Chicago 60626
(773) 929-3986
10% off all dry cleaning.

Loyola University Bookstores
6435 N. Sheridan Rd.
Chicago 60626
(773) 508-7350
10% off clothing and housewares with valid U-PASS.

Beck's Book Store
6550 N. Sheridan Rd.
Chicago 60626
(773) 743-2281
10% off all backpacks.

50 E. Chicago Ave.
Chicago 60611
(312) 944-7685
10% off all backpacks.

4520 N. Broadway
Chicago 60640
(773) 784-7963
10% off all backpacks.

209 N. Wabash
Chicago 60601
(312) 630-9113
10% off all backpacks.

Val's Halla Records
723½ South Blvd.
Oak Park 60302
(708) 524-1004
10% off new or used LP's, cassettes and CD's.