For reference: Shuttle pickup to the INSCC Auditorium is outside the University Guest House.
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Fort Douglas Military Museum

Free Admission
Tuesday-Saturday 12pm-5pm
http://www.fortdouglas.org

Located 900 feet from the University Guest House, Fort Douglas was built following the civil war to keep watch over the Salt Lake area to ensure that the early pioneers did not secede from the United States. The majority of the original structures are still intact and preserved by the University of Utah, the US Army Reserve, and the Fort Douglas Museum.

Trail head into Rocky Mountains

Located in the University of Utah’s backyard. A trail head leading into the Rocky Mountains is only a five to ten minute walk away. These trails lead to the Red Butte reservoir. There are clear views of the entire Salt Lake area, which are especially beautiful in the spring and fall.

Natural History Museum of Utah

$11 Admission
10am-5pm Everyday
10am-9pm Wednesday
http://nhmu.utah.edu/

Located down the road from the University Guest House. This newly built museum featured in the New York Times exhibits: the physical and life sciences, Utah’s fossil record, mineralogy, and prehistoric peoples.

Red Butte Garden

$8 Admission
9am-5pm
http://www.redbuttegarden.org/

Located down the road from the University Guest House. With over 100 acres, it is the largest botanical garden in the intermountain west. It features natural gardens, walking paths, and hiking trails. Outdoor concerns are often scheduled in this area as well.

Train to Down Town

$5.75 Day Pass ($4.70 Round Trip)
5am-11pm (15 min intervals)