

Housing Options for 2019 Deer Park Summer Courses

July 8 - 12: [The Concise Treatise on the Stages of the Path](#)

July 15 - 19: [Suhrikleha, Letter to a Friend](#)

July 22 - 26: [Middle Stages of Meditation](#)

The information below is subject to change. Please contact the person or establishment yourself to make arrangements. Please verify rates, etc., with any of the places you contact. Let us know if the rates you are quoted are significantly higher than stated here. Day care links are at the bottom of this document.

Note that locations in Madison are about 10 to 15 miles from Deer Park. Carpooling can be arranged from most locations. Car rental is usually less expensive if rented away from the airport.

If you are interested in contacting other attendees about possibly sharing accommodations, send us your email (and perhaps phone number) and we will help to connect you with others also interested in this.

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Note: Please let us know if you find particularly good and inexpensive accommodations not listed here where other course attendees may want to stay.

Bed and Breakfast Rooms in Private Homes: <https://www.airbnb.com/s/Madison--WI> Be sure to check the weekly and monthly rates for discounts. Also try the nearby villages/cities of Fitchburg, Oregon, Verona, McFarland and Stoughton.

Search for Sublets and other Housing in the Madison Area:

1. **Short-term Rentals:** google {"short-term rentals" madison wi}.
 2. **Craig's List** - <http://madison.craigslist.org/> - select "sublets/temporary" under Housing.
 3. **University of Wisconsin** – Madison Campus Assistance Center: 608-263-2400:
Email: campusareahousing@uwmad.wisc.edu
Website: <https://campusareahousing.wisc.edu/> Select "Search for Housing". The website provides a questionnaire online to determine what summer apartment sublets are available that meet a person's needs.
 4. A general listing of hotels and motels in the Madison area can be found at <http://www.visitmadison.com/visitors/stay/>
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Hawthorne Suites (formerly Candlewood) – **Discounted Daily Rate of \$75 for Summer Course Participants. This rate is only available July 1 to 28.****

5421 Cassis Bend, Fitchburg, WI 53711

Phone: 1-608-271-3400

Located just outside downtown Madison, Hawthorne Suites hotel offers an airport shuttle and free breakfast.

Website: [Hawthorne Suites - Fitchburg, WI](#)

**Note: Please mention or use discount password: "Deer Park Summer Course".

Madison Property Management 608-251-8777

Short-term rentals: Do a Find on "**3080 Highway MM**" under short-term rentals listed at this link: [Madison Property Mgmt Springswood Lodge – 3080 Highway MM](#) (just outside Madison 5.5 miles from Deer Park) **If this property is not listed on the website, there are no currently available rooms, but rooms may become available as we get closer to June.**

"The Springswood Lodge overlooks the Capitol City Bike Trail and is a quiet getaway in a setting for those that love the country. Today these large studio units are available to rent on a short-term lease basis. Rent includes FREE parking, ALL utilities, A/C and cable TV. Units are furnished with bed, table, chairs, lamps and a color TV." Rate: \$825 a month and up. *You may also want to consider other of the short-term rentals listed on that page but note that some of the listings are outside the nearby Madison area.*

HI-Madison (member of Hostels International)

141 S. Butler St.
Madison WI 53703

608-441-0144

Office Hours: 8 AM to 9PM

Email: madison@hiusa.org

Website: <http://hiusa.org/madison>

Close to State Street, walking distance to campus; shared kitchen with a stove, microwave, refrigerator, and cooking and eating utensils; common room with a library, television, VCR, and internet kiosk; Laundry facilities; Free linens and towels
This is a good alternative for those young and young-at-heart staying one or two weeks.

Housing Co-ops that are part of the Madison Community Co-op association may offer short-term summer housing. Also for young and young-at-heart. For details about MCC and specific co-ops, please visit: <http://www.madisoncommunity.coop/>
For possible openings and rates please contact the House Membership Coordinator at these co-ops:

Ambrosia: 608-513-9590

Audrey Lorde: 608-259-1976

Friends: 608-251-0156

International Co-op House: 608-283-6333

Camping (Sorry but camping is not available at Deer Park):

1. Lake Kegonsa State Park

2405 Door Creek Rd
Stoughton WI 53589

608-873-9695

<https://dnr.wi.gov/topic/parks/name/lakekegonsa/>

You can also reserve a state park campsite by calling 888-WI-PARKS (888-947-2757)

2. Capital Springs State Park and Recreation Area – connected with Lake Farm County Park

<https://parks-lwr.danecountyofdane.com/park/LakeFarm>

For camping reservations, contact Dane County Parks: (608) 246-3896

Lake Farm Park
4330 Libby Road
Madison WI 53711

Day Care:

Various options available in the Madison area can be found at:

<http://www.switchboard.com/business?utf8=%E2%9C%93&key=child+daycare&where=53575>