East Side Restaurants & Coffee Shops

** V indicates good vegan/vegetarian options | 🏌 indicates walking distance from conference venue

<u>Coffee</u>

UWM Library Grind 🕏

The Grind, located in the first floor of UWM's Golda Meir Library, serves coffee and snacks until 3pm Friday (but is closed Saturday).

Stone Creek Coffee 🏌

2650 N. Downer Ave., (414) 210-3686

https://www.stonecreekcoffee.com/downer-avenue-cafe

Stone Creek is a local Milwaukee roasting company and coffee shop. Their Downer Ave. location features a lot of indoor and outdoor seating as well as a small food menu just a few blocks south of campus.

Roast Coffee Company (V) **†** 2132 E. Locust St., (414) 828-2030

roastcoffeecompany.com

With an artisanal brew bar, specialty coffee drinks, and teas in addition to a selection of sandwiches and baked goods, Roast is a great space to work just a block south of UWM's campus.

Colectivo

2211 N. Prospect Ave., (414) 273-3753

colectivocoffee.com/cafes/prospect-avenue

Serving strong coffee, all-day breakfast, and signature sandwiches, Colectivo offers ample room to work including some indoor/outdoor space and patio seating.

Food and Drinks

Beans and Barley (V)

1901 E. North Ave., (414) 278-7878

beansandbarley.com

Beans and Barley has been an East Side favorite for years, with its specialty deli, market and restaurant beloved for healthy, eclectic and vegetarian options.

Bel Air Cantina (V)

2625 N. Downer Ave., (414) 964-1190

belaircantina.com

A Mexican restaurant with some California flair, Bel Air is known for tacos and tequila, as well as burritos and brunch.

Cafe Hollander 🏌

2608 N. Downer Ave., (414) 963-6366

cafehollander.com

One of the city's best beer bars, Cafe Hollander does high-end, savory European-style pub food well, with extensive brunch, lunch and dinner menus.

Comet Cafe (V)

1947 N. Farwell Ave., (414) 273-7677

thecometcafe.com

Comet is a cozy restaurant and bar serving comfort food (including bacon-infused and vegetarian entrees), plus craft brews and wine, as well as its ever-popular brunch.

Izzy Hops

2311 N. Murray Ave., (414) 249-4489

izzyhops.com

Izzy Hops drink menu has over 30 craft beers on tap and 30 quality bourbons, while the food menu includes sandwiches, burgers, wings and pizzas from next door at Divino.

Good City Brewing

2108 N. Farwell Ave., (414) 539-4343

goodcitybrewing.com

This local craft brewery and tap room also serves a food menu with snacks, salads, burgers and sandwiches, meat and veggie plates, cheese boards and desserts.

Kawa Ramen & Sushi

2321 N. Murray Ave., (414) 249-5750

kawamke.com

Kawa is a newer contemporary Japanese bistro with a full sushi bar, as well as four authentic ramen options, seafood noodle bowls, teriyaki and a variety of other appetizer options.



2597 N. Downer Ave., (414) 272-1745

pizzamanmke.com

A high-end pizza restaurant that's been treasured by Milwaukeeans for decades, Pizza Man offers creative specialty pizzas as well as other entrees and an extensive wine list.



2613 E. Hampshire St., (414) 964-2611

salaitalianrestaurant.com

A tasteful neighborhood Italian restaurant just off the UWM campus, Sala does modern Sicilian dining, notably pizzas and pastas, in an art-rich space.

Simple Cafe (V)

2124 N. Farwell Ave., (414) 271-2124

simplecafemilwaukee

Simple is a bright, contemporary spot specializing in creative, locally sourced meals for breakfast and lunch.

Von Trier

2235 N. Farwell Ave., (414) 272-1775

vontriers.com

Von Trier is known for its German beers and bar popcorn, but it also serves a full menu of wursts, pretzels with obatza and other Bavarian-inspired items with their brews.