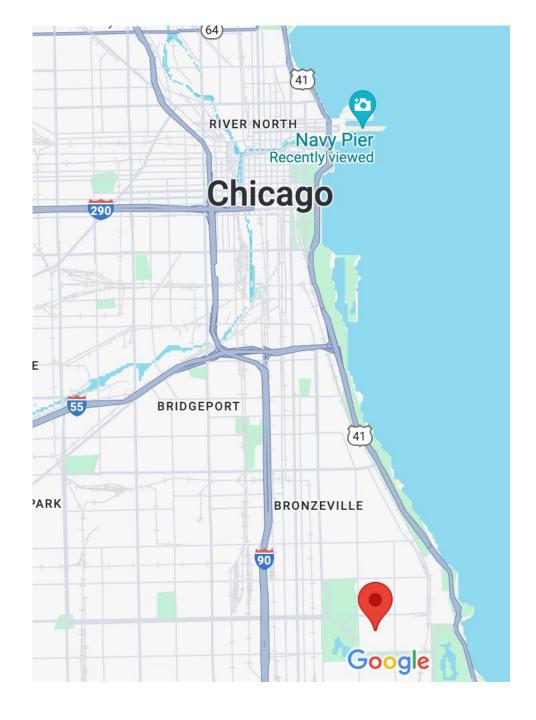
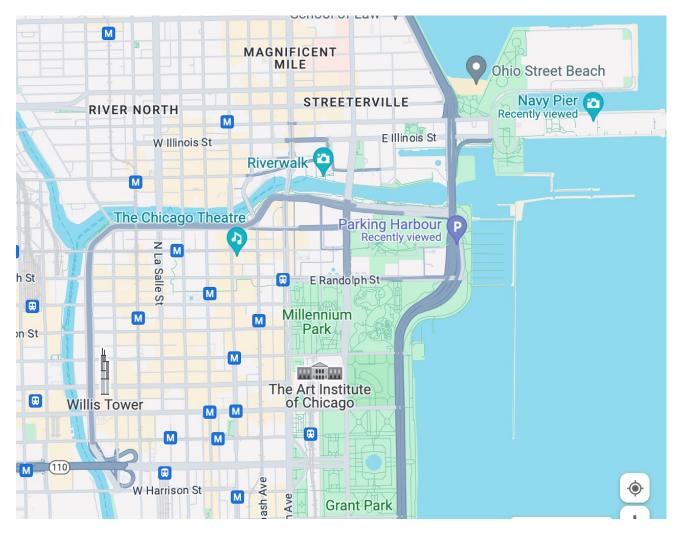


Getting to the Dinner Cruise

- The best way is uber/lyft. Parking at Navy Pier is really expensive (but there is a garage).
 - If you want to take public transit and are willing to walk, I suggest taking Metra electric (runs every 20 minutes, 15 minute walk east of here on 57th) to Millenium Station. It is a 30 minute walk from the other end to navy pier, but it is a relatively interesting walk.
 - If you want to take public transit and are not willing to walk, then I suggest 55 bus to red line to 29 bus, which goes right to navy pier. Be warned this is not nearly as fast as an uber/lyft and isn't as pleasant as the metra.
 - If you feel adventurous, the city bikeshare system is called divvy and you can get a bike 1 block from here and take it downtown along the lake (7 miles).





 Abby's pick: The art institute is open late on Thursdays. Rent a divvy bike, bike to the art institute (~7 miles). Stop for a cold swim along the way – there are some pretty nice beaches. Then take a nice stroll along the lake or along the river walk from the art institute to Navy pier for the cruise.

Other suggestions:

- Walking tour at the Chicago architecture center
- Chicago architecture boat tour (kind of expensive – but really nice and the quintessential Chicago thing to do with out of town guests – and on the river rather than the lake)
- Go to the top of the Willis (Sears) or Hancock tower.
- Museums: Field museum of Natural History, Adler planetarium, Art Institute are all downtown and world-class

