

DC3 Operations Center

Additional Considerations
Aircraft and Forecasting Teams
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<http://www.eol.ucar.edu/projects/dc3/>

<http://www.airnav.com/airport/KSLN>

Operations base; People: aircraft + forecasting folks

- Poll aircraft instrument PIs about their needs at the ops base
 - Initially handled through the questionnaires
 - Follow-up with needs ASAP that you may have not discussed before
- Determine needs for the ops base meeting rooms
 - Daily meeting, forecast briefs, special discussions, mission planning
- Determine needs for hotel, rental cars & prepare for those needs
 - Information available on EOL DC3 web site. Blocks of rooms were reserved (follow web instructions), EOL can assist with car reservations, but not payment
 - NSF to support travel of regional nowcasters to Salina
- Provide any special needs furniture/fixtures in your shipment
- Are there any requirements for wired connections in the OC?

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- Conduct preliminary discussions with vendors to facilitate interactions during field phase
 - Contact has been made with Air Gas, main supplier in Salina and they are prepared of all chemistry that we know about from the questionnaires—please update as soon as possible
 - Are there other supplies you need?
- Participant emergency contact numbers
 - We will prepare an emergency contact list as well as a separate shared project list (including name, email, hotel, cell number)
- Identify recreational opportunities, restaurants, and other necessities
 - Information on the DC3 web site, please add to it
- Do the forecasters recommend special displays beyond normal projection system?