HOW TO GET TO MARINE CORPS HISTORY DIVISION

Be sure to have seatbelts buckled and do not use hand-held cellphones while driving on base!

Also be sure to have identification and car registration information (or car rental agreement)

Exit 150A off I-95 (from the North) on to VA-619 (Joplin Road) toward Route 1. Cross over Route 1 and enter main gate of Quantico. Show ID to guard, and if asked where you’re going inform them “Marine Corps University” as they often do not know where the History Division is located.

Once through main gate, continue on for three miles. You will pass the golf course and then make a sharp turn to the right and you’ve reached the main part of the base.

Go to the SECOND light and turn LEFT and pass under the railroad track. Just as you exit the tunnel, the parking garage is on your right (before the traffic circle). Just across the street is the Gray Research Center/Library of the Marine Corps, our building is BEHIND it. (map on next page)

Once parked, exit garage closest to traffic circle. Cross over Broadway Avenue and pass the service entrance of Library; atrium to Simmons History Center is just beyond. Once inside, locate portrait of General Simmons to enter spaces for:

- First Floor: Archives Reading Room, Video Historian, Free Book Shop and Presentation Room
- Second Floor: No public access
- Third Floor: Reference Research Room, Executive offices, writing historians, oral historian, Editing and Design