Metro Shuttle Directions:

The closest Metro stop to American University is Tenleytown/AU on the red line. AU provides a free shuttle from the Tenleytown/AU Metro stop to campus.

At the Metro station, take the escalator and exit to the east, which is on your left (look for the sign directing you to AU Shuttle stop). Once at street level, the shuttle stop is just a few yards ahead at the intersection of 40th Street and Albermarle Street.

The shuttle runs on a continuous loop, departing approximately every ten minutes. You need no special pass to ride. The shuttle will then be about a 5-minute ride to campus. Get off the shuttle at the last/final stop on the south side of campus behind the Anderson and Letts Residence Halls. After exiting the shuttle, head to the left, towards the parking lot that is next to the playground. Follow the sidewalk on the right. The Watkins building will be on your right.