How to Book with Fox World Travel

The number one complaint using the Univ. of Wisconsin system travel agent is price, i.e. it is not the same as what you can find using online services. This document should help.

2. When you contact the travel agent, email them with a screen shot of your preferred flights. They can book all the major airlines including Southwest.
3. Check your email often. When you receive an email from Fox, PHONE into the agency and book the ticket with your credit card.

The travel agents will search the database with the parameters you give them. Many of the inexpensive flights are early in the morning, e.g. 6 a.m. or later in the evening, e.g. 11:00 p.m. The more restrictions you give them, the more expensive you make your ticket.

If you just ask them to book your travel you might not receive the best price as they use the defaults in the system. For example:

I used Fox to request travel to the DNP using the default filters:
Then I searched Travelocity and found:

Select your departure to Washington Sat, Oct 12

Prices are roundtrip per person, include all taxes and fees, but do not include baggage fees.

Sort & Filter Clear

Sort by

Price (Lowest)

Stops From:

○ 1 Stop (8) $287
○ 2 + Stops (4) $606

Airlines included From:

□ Delta (8) $319
□ American Airlines (4) $287
□ United (4) $606

Departure time - La Crosse

□ Morning (5:00am - 11:59am)
□ Afternoon (12:00pm - 5:59pm)

Arrival time - Washington

□ Early Morning (12:00am - 4:59am)
□ Morning (5:00am - 11:59am)
□ Afternoon (3pm)

Save $750* on average when you book your Flight and Hotel together.
Shop Flight + Hotel

2:48pm - 7:45pm
American Airlines
Very Good Flight (7.0/10)
Details & baggage fees

3h 57m (1 stop)
LSE - 1h 6m in ORD - DCA
American Airlines 3850 operated by Envoy A...
1 left at $287 roundtrip includes taxes and fees

3:54pm - 11:51pm
Delta
Good Flight (7.1/10)
Details & baggage fees

6h 57m (1 stop)
LSE - 3h 27m in MSP - DCA
Delta 4294 operated by Skywest DBA Delta...
1 left at $319 roundtrip includes taxes and fees

6:24am - 11:00am
American Airlines
Very Good Flight (8/10)
Details & baggage fees

3h 36m (1 stop)
LSE - 3h 2m in ORD - DCA
American Airlines 135 operated by Skywest...
1 left at $332 roundtrip includes taxes and fees

6:24am - 11:50am
American Airlines
Very Good Flight (8/10)
Details & baggage fees

4h 26m (1 stop)
LSE - 1h 28m in ORD - DCA
American Airlines 135 operated by Skywest...
1 left at $342 roundtrip includes taxes and fees

2:48pm - 9:15pm
American Airlines
Very Good Flight (7.9/10)
Details & baggage fees

5h 27m (1 stop)
LSE - 2h 36m in ORD - DCA
1 left at $342 roundtrip includes taxes and fees

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Note - The more inexpensive flights leave later in the day. I refined my Fox search:

I could not find the first flight for $286 as it was a split flight (i.e. between two airlines) and a highly restrictive flight which my University does not like me buying. I could call Fox and ask them to book it for me directly and you will have the option of buying these restrictive classes. If you look, I can get the $319 Travelocity flight for $308. More reasonable than the $351 originally quoted.