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REGENERATIVE LEADERSHIP

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Course Description

Leadership transition, firm legacy and longevity are issues every firm faces.

Multigenerational leadership can shape an architecture firm into one with a successful, collaborative, entrepreneurial culture.





Learning Objectives

At the end of this course, participants will be able to:

- 1. Understand relationship between **Multi-generational** leadership and firm culture
- 2. Learn how a radical investment in **young designers**—with a focus on equity, diversity and inclusion—secures a firm's healthy evolution.
- 3. Learn how to operate as a highly collaborative practice
- 4. Identify key strategies in successful leadership plans

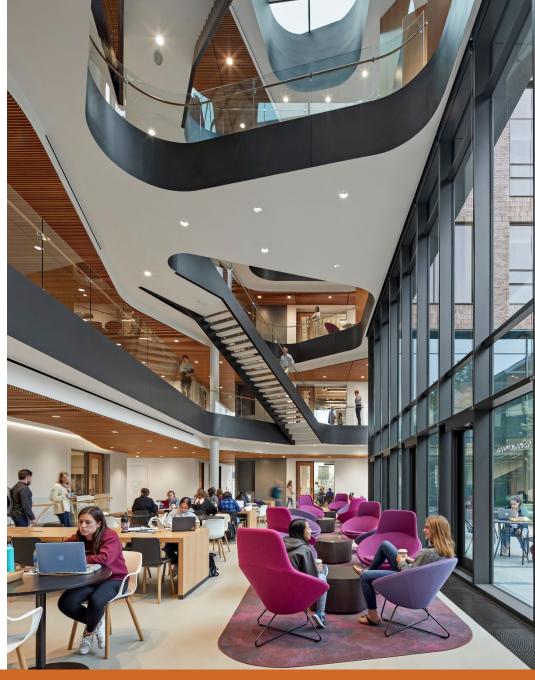




FIRM FACTS

Single Office in Boston
170 Person Studio
Science & Healthcare Focus
Leading-Edge in Sustainability

200+ Design Awards



2019 AIA Firm Award Winner

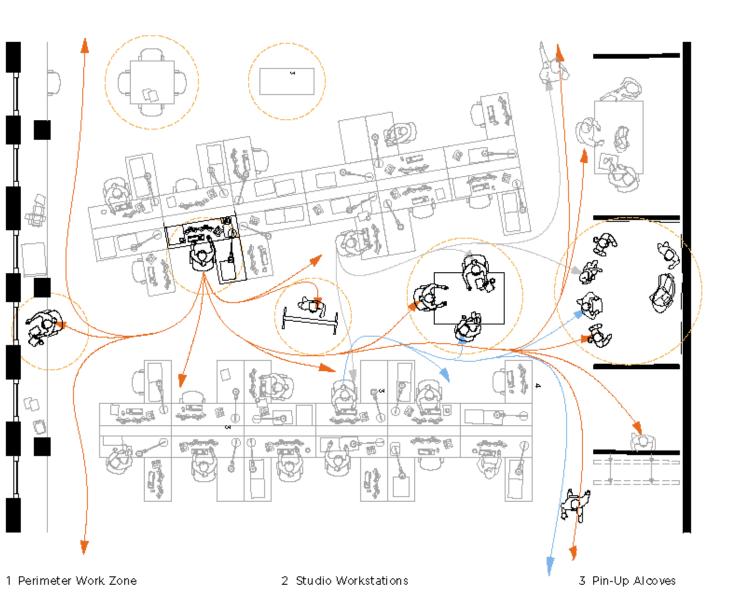
FUSION OF DESIGN + PERFORMANCE

We are a collective of designers driven to create boldly original buildings for science and healthcare that are as profoundly humane in their accommodation of needs as they are pioneering in their pursuit of environmental performance.





SINGLE OFFICE STUDIO: FLUID WORKFLOW

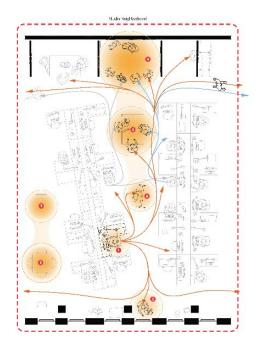








FIRM HISTORY







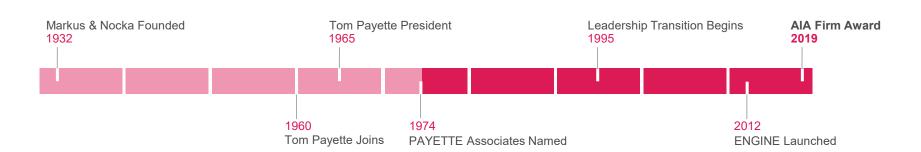












VALUES

We believe architecture is about people

Our work is grounded in a deep reading of program as an essential subtext of architecture, the key to the project's unique story.

CULTURE

We strive for openness in firm culture and how we practice.

We reject the notion of singular authorship and view collaboration as the path to innovation.

We believe that diversity spurs creativity and innovation.

Our strength is the talent and continuity of our teams.

LEADERSHIP IN A HIGHLY COLLABORATIVE PRACTICE



15 Design Partners Share Equal Roles

ELEVATING / MENTORING YOUNG DESIGNERS

















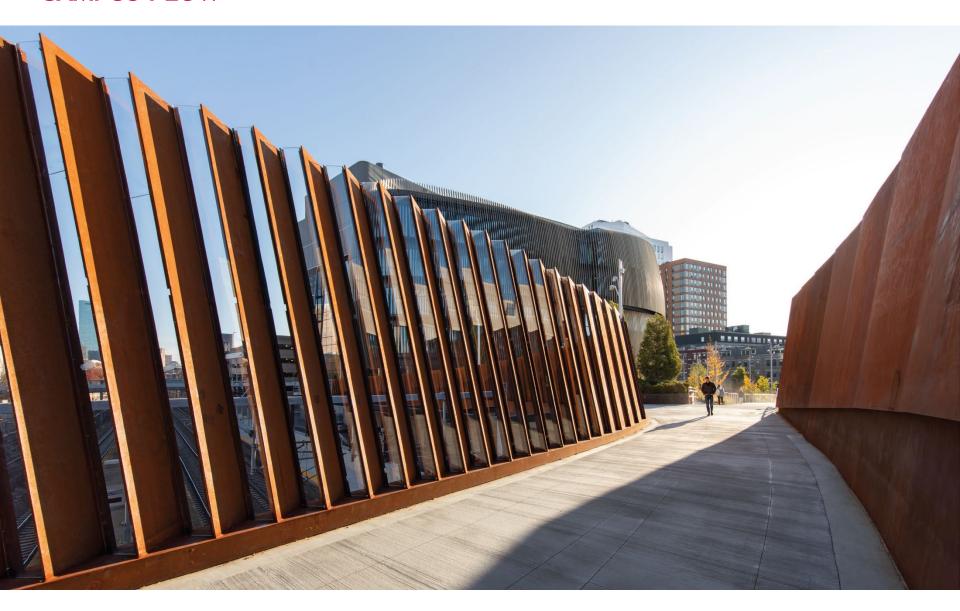


Northeastern University ISEC

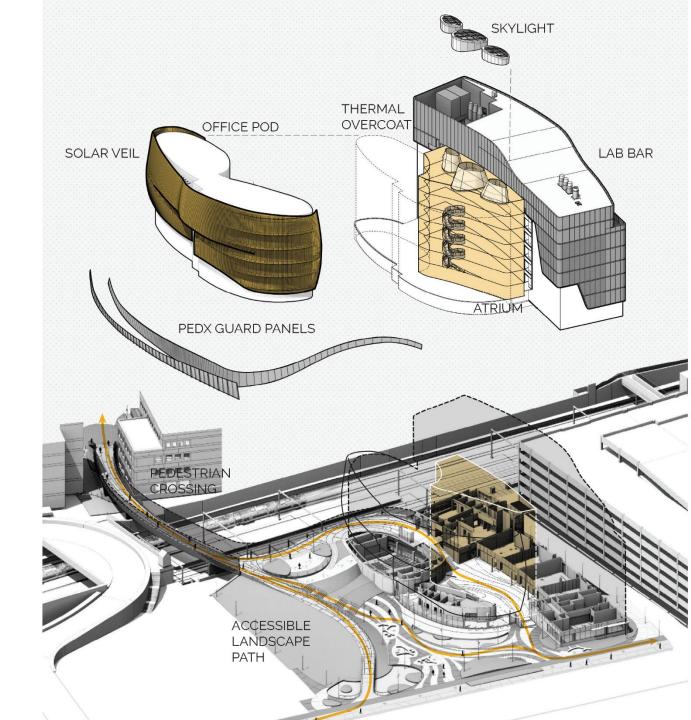




CAMPUS FLOW



FORM LANGUAGE







93 Walker's Paradise



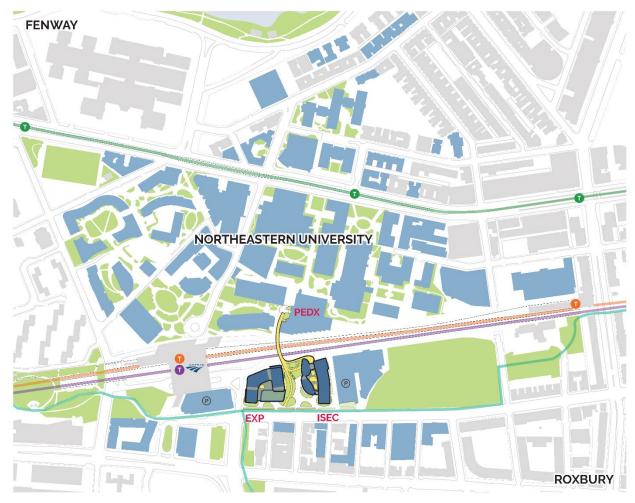
99 Rider's Paradise



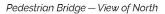
91 Biker's Paradise



Restored Southwest Corridor Park and Bike Path

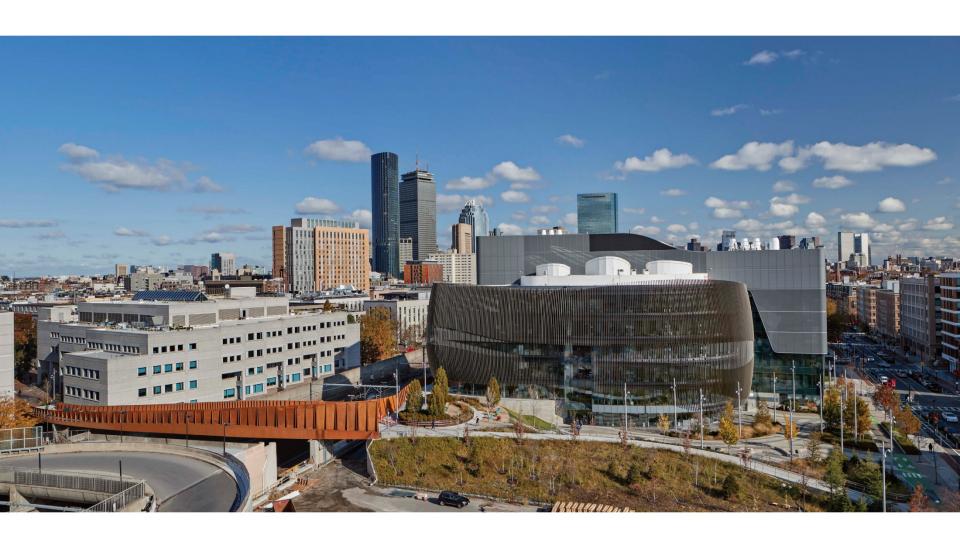




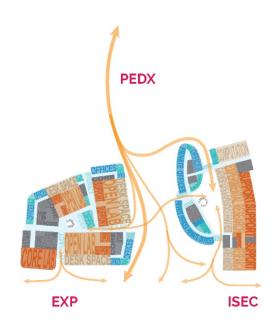




Pedestrian Bridge — View of North Landing



PRECINCT AS GATEWAY

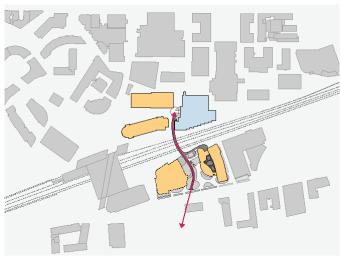






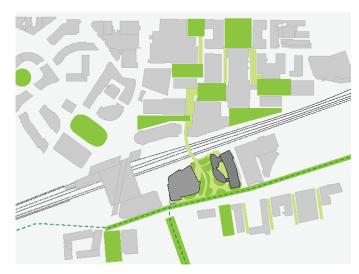
ACTIVATING ACADEMIC & CIVIC LIFE





ENERGY

VILLAGE-LIKE CLUSTER

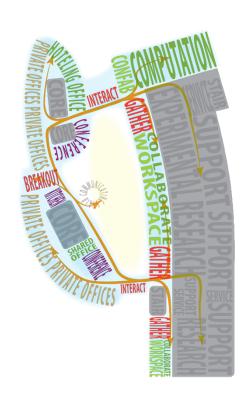


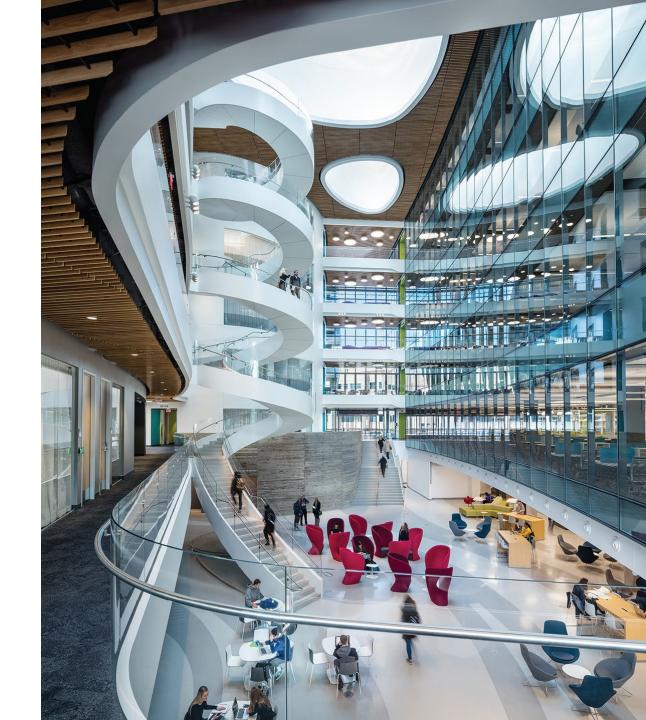
GREEN SPACE NETWORK

NEUTRAL NETWORK



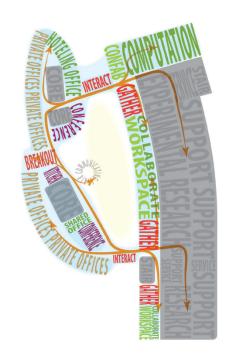
LIVING ROOM FOR CITY & CAMPUS

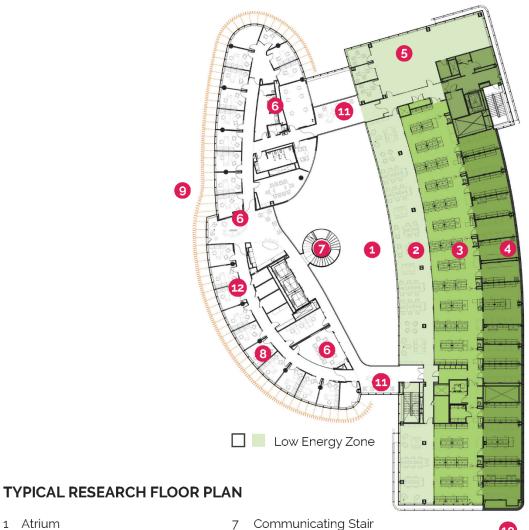






LAYERED TRANSPARENCY

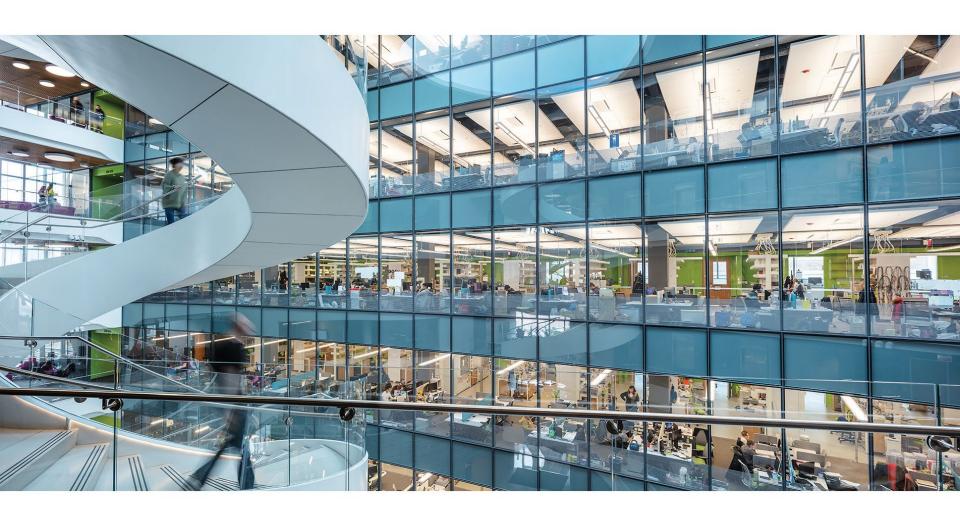




- 1 Atrium
- 2 Lab Write-up Zone
- Open Research Lab
- 4 Lab Support / Equipment
- Computational Research
- 6 Conference Room

- Office
- Solar Veil
- 10 Thermal Overcoat
- Study Space
- 12 Kitchenette





ADAPTABILITY







INTEGRATED DESIGN

33%

Energy Cost Savings over Code

78%

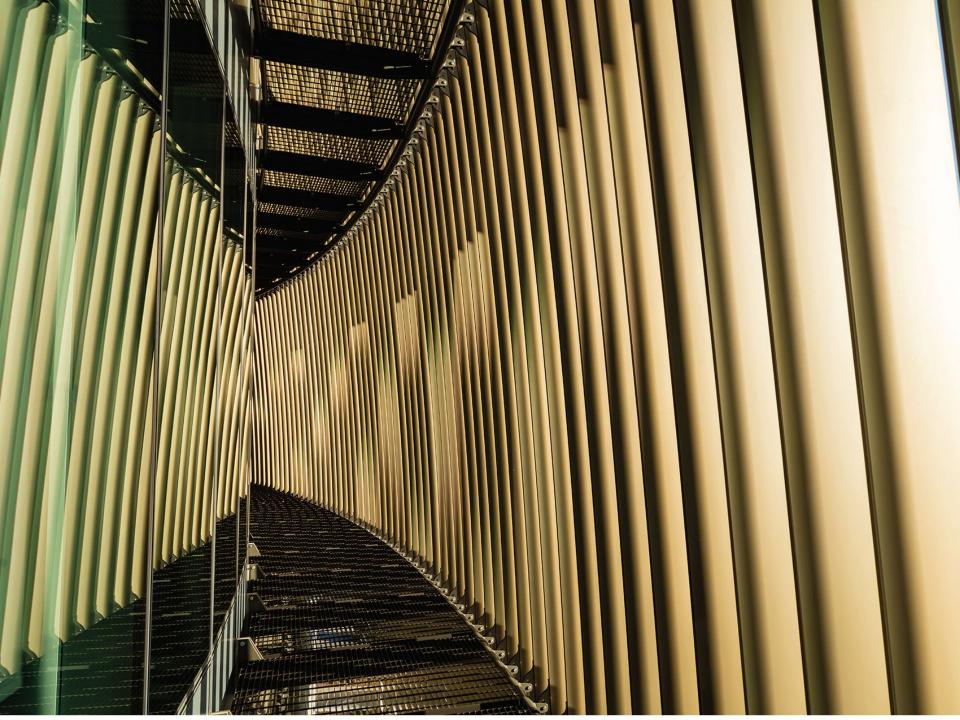
Peak Solar Heat Gain Reduction

62%

Cumulative Solar Radiation Reduction from Shading

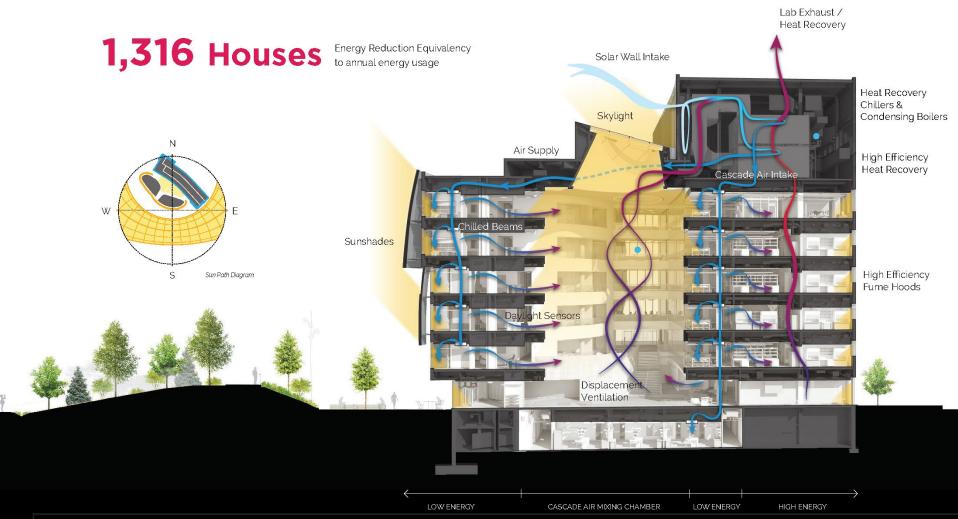


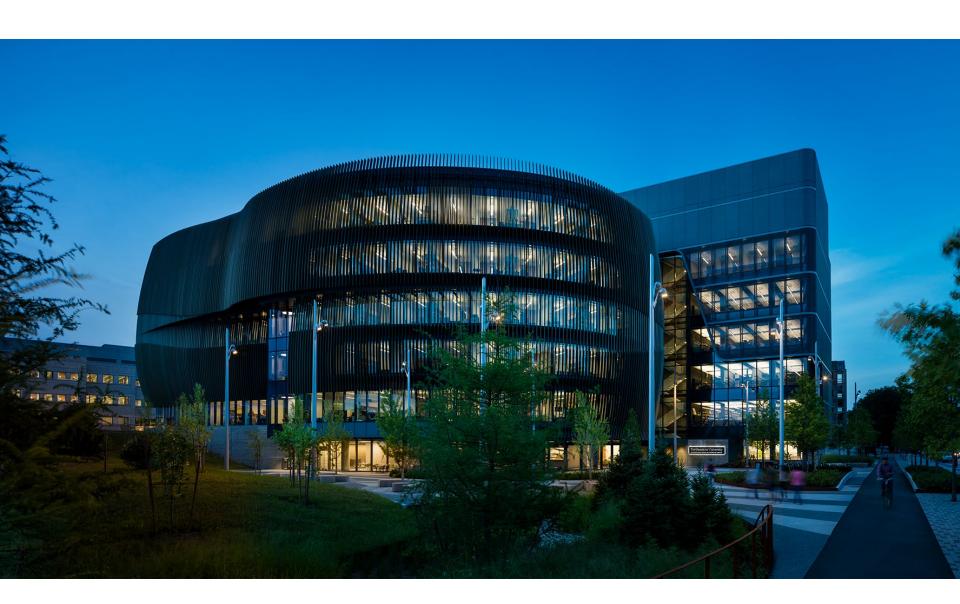




91 kBtu/SF

57% Reduction in potable water use for flush and flow fixtures

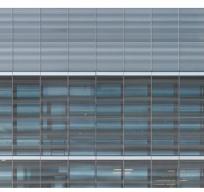














SOLAR VEIL

Minimizes heat gain to reduce peak loads and equipment sizing

2 THERMAL OVERCOAT

Insulated panels and triple glazing minimize external loads on sensitive research space

3 RIBBED PANELS

Become solar shading at key areas filtering natural light into research space while minimizing heat gain

4 BOARD FORMED CONCRETE

Site cast sandwich panels utilize fiberglass rebar to create a simply constructed highly insulating fully thermally broken envelope





30–55% Reduction in Lighting Power Density Achieved with High Efficiency LED Lights

83%

Daylight Autonomy in Atrium

100%

Occupants have Lighting and Daylight Control









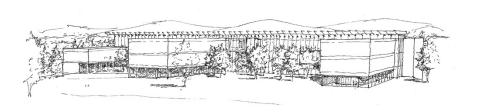


Amherst College New Science Center



JOHNSON CHAPEL MAIN QUADRANGLE MEADE ART MUSEUM ORCHARD HILL NEW GREENWAY NEW SCIENCE CENTER





"This is the biggest transformation of the campus since its founding. It says that we care deeply about *science*, and it says the same thing about *community*, about our *commitment to sustainability*, about our commitment to *beauty*."

BIDDY MARTIN, PRESIDENT OF AMHERST COLLEGE



"One of the defining features of this building is *transparency*. It really *demystifies the sciences*."

CHIEF OF CAMPUS OPERATIONS

HIVE OF ACTIVITY

"It truly is where the students are *all the time*. I think it's really changed *the culture of the place* beyond what my own expectations are."

CATHERINE SANDERSON, PSYCHOLOGY PROFESSOR

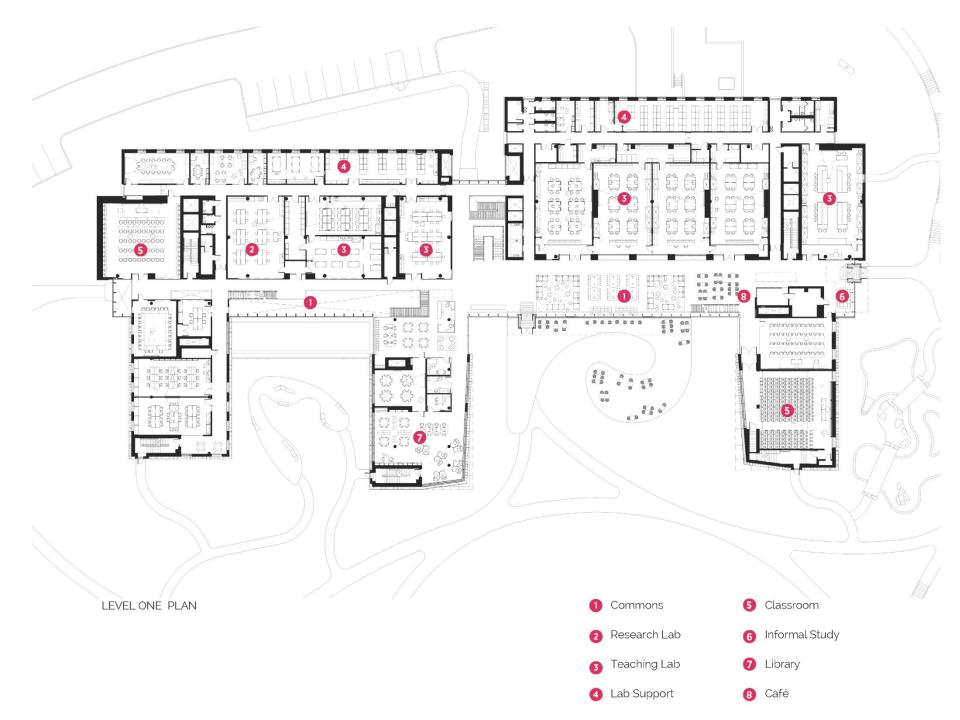




SCIENCE ON DISPLAY







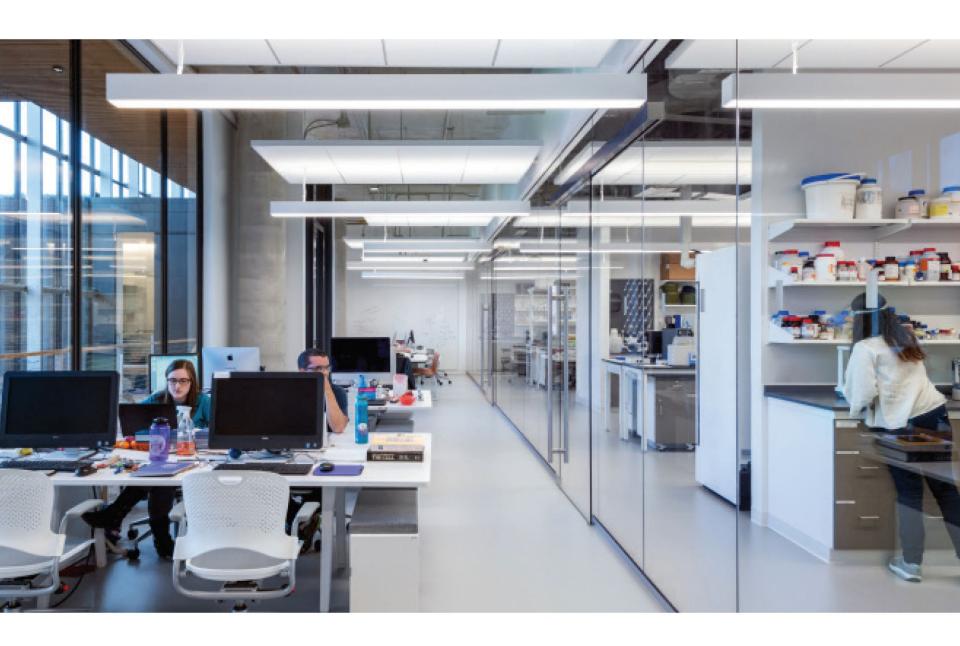
















INTEGRATED LANDSCAPE







- AMPHITHEATER
 accommodates up to 1600 people,
 constructed utilizing excavation
- spoils

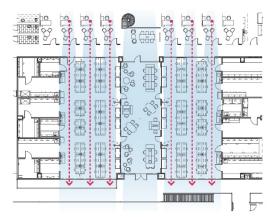
 2 ORCHARD
- 3 RAIN GARDEN &

- 6 NATIVE PLANTINGS native and adaptive plantings
- POROUS PAVEMENT new, accessible paths throughout Greenway
- GREENWAY STORMWATER

DESIGNED FOR COLLABORATION

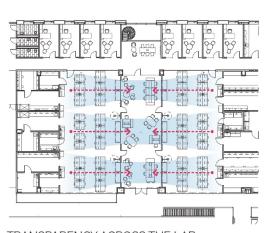






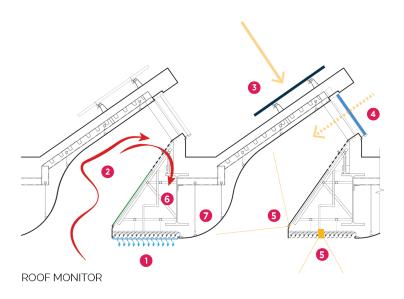
TRANSPARENCY THROUGH THE LAB





TRANSPARENCY ACROSS THE LAB





- Radiant convective cooling
- 2 Acoustic sound absorption
- 3 Photo voltaic panels
- 4 North-facing daylight
- 5 Artificial LED lighting
- 6 Concealed structure
- 7 Concealed fire protection



DESIGNING FOR ENERGY

91 kBtu/SF

76% ENERGY REDUCTION compared to 2030 baseline

ROOF OVERHANG AND CANOPY SHADING

integrated into the commons roof monitors

and tilted to optimize energy production

- provides external shading
- **AUTOMATIC INTERIOR SHADES** capture heat between shading and glazing
- **NATURAL VENTILATION**

SOLAR PV ARRAY

- RADIANT SLAB FOR HEATING AND COOLING radiant floor tubing embedded in the commons floor and walkways provides heating and cooling
- **SMOKE EXHAUST** doubles as assisted natural ventilation
- FAN COIL AND DISPLACEMENT DIFFUSERS ventilation air provided via displacement diffusers



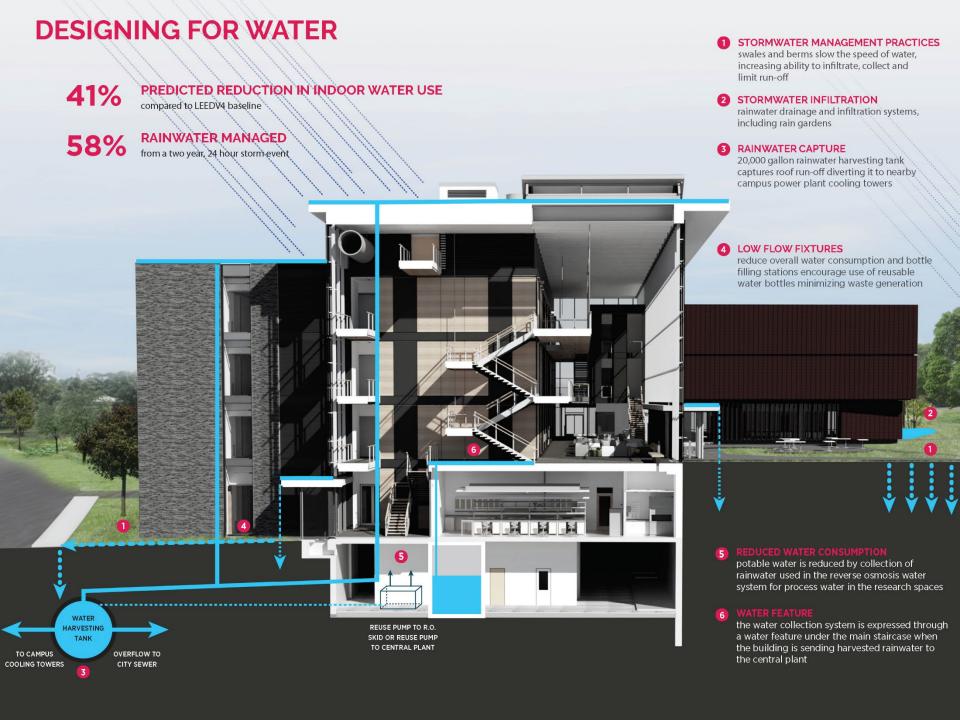
- **HIGH-PERFORMANCE FUME HOODS** low-flow, with auto-closing sashes, designed to provide containment at 60 feet per minute
- HIGH EFFICIENCY LAB EQUIPMENT minimizes energy consumption
- **HEAT RECOVERY**
- **DEMAND CONTROL VENTILATION**



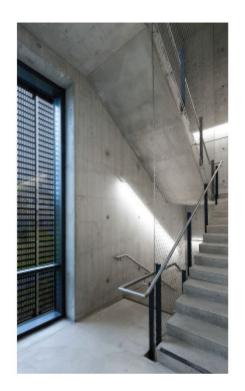
LOW ENERGY PAVILIONS

COMMONS

HIGH ENERGY LABORATORIES



NATURAL, HIGH PERFORMING MATERIALS









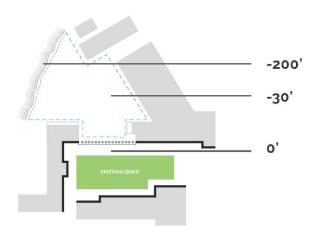




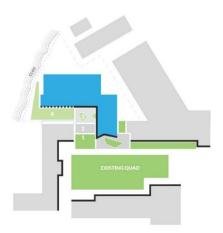


Lafayette College Rockwell Integrated Sciences Center

THE MISSING TOOTH



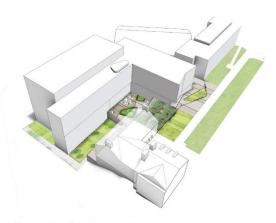
Existing: "Missing Tooth" Site



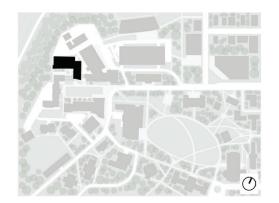
Solution: Completing the Outdoor Room





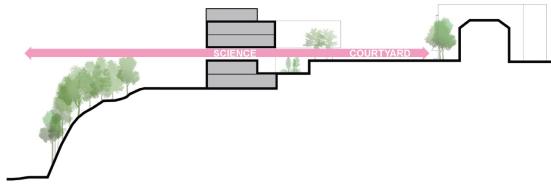


Cascading Landscape Rooms

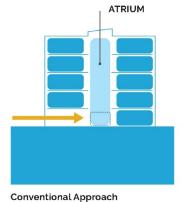


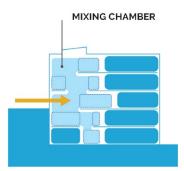




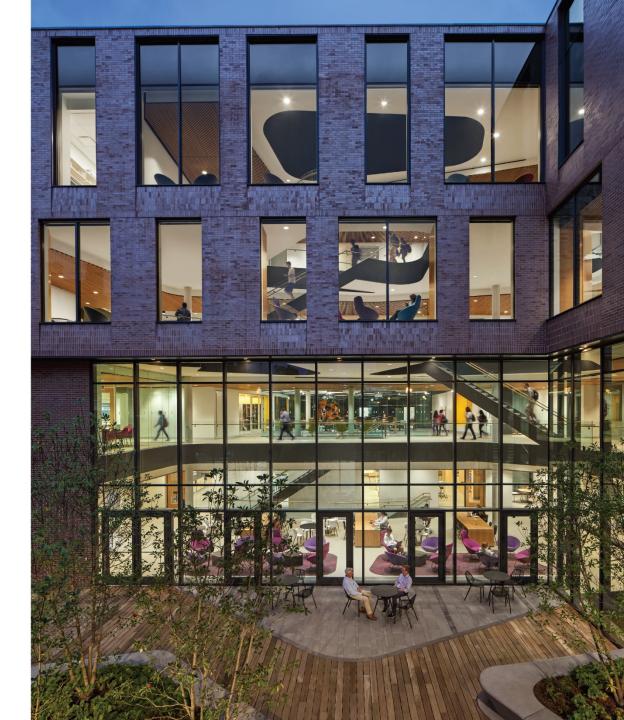


USING THE HILL

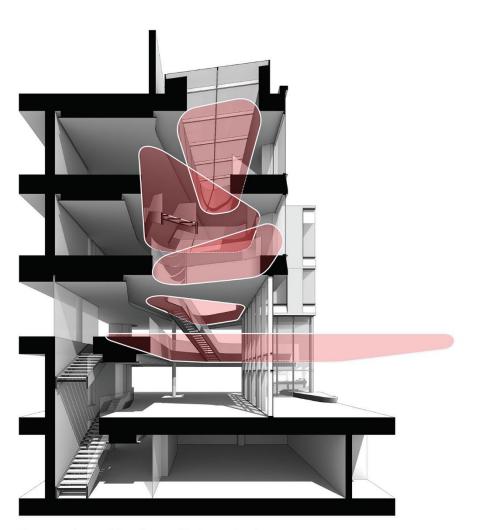




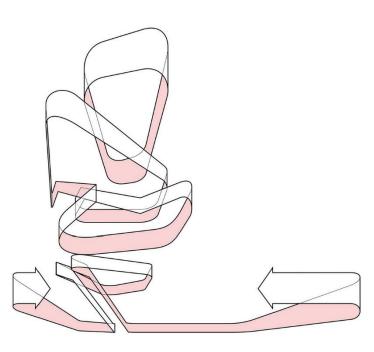
Design Solution



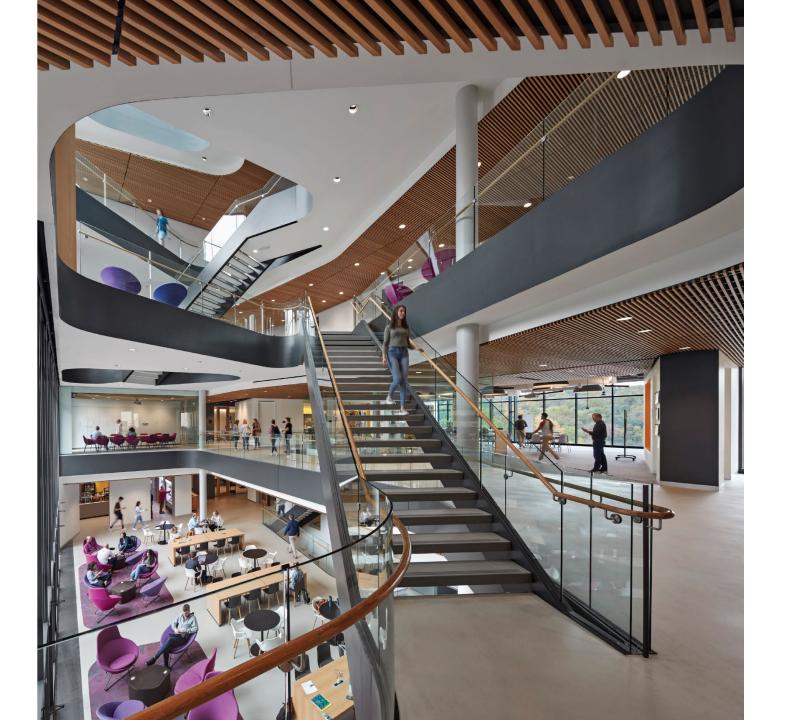
VERTICAL COMMONS



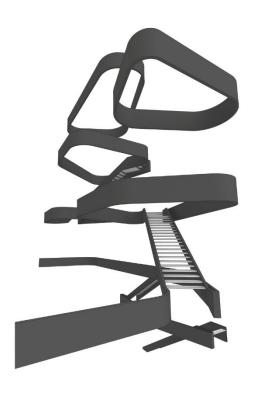
Floor openings shift and spread between levels

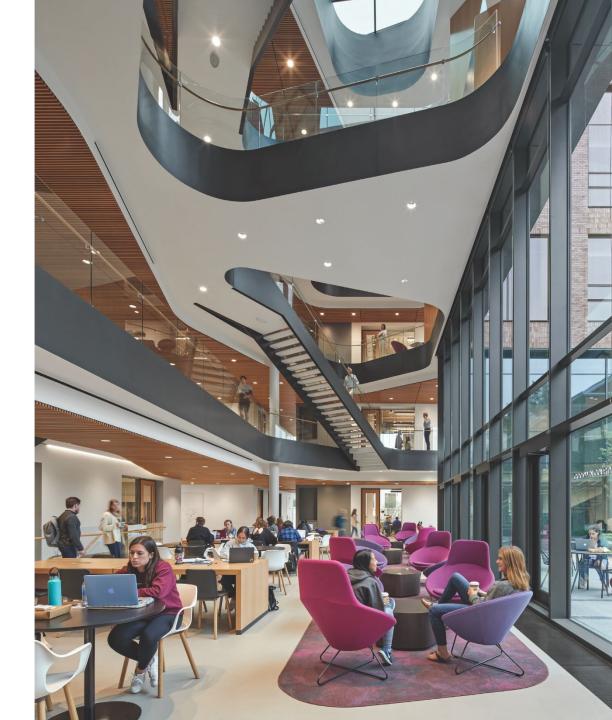


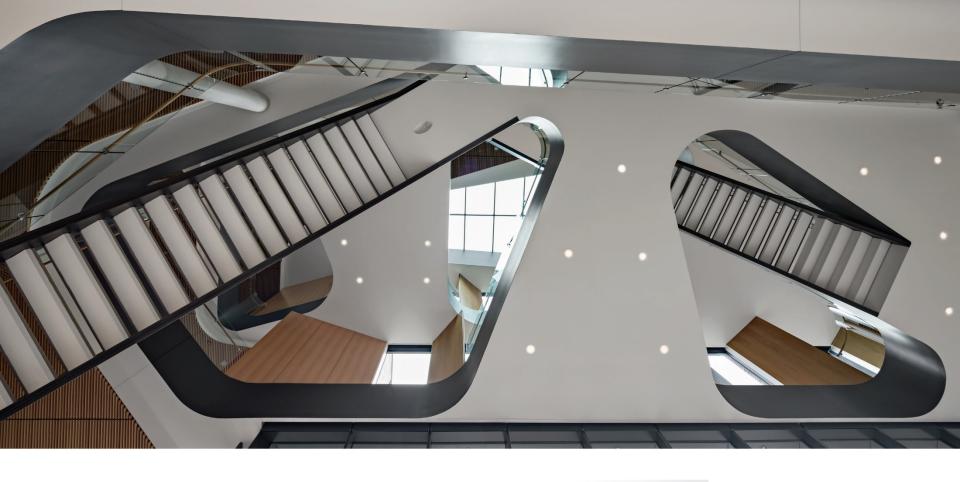
Visually unified through continuous expression



RIBBON AS CONNECTOR

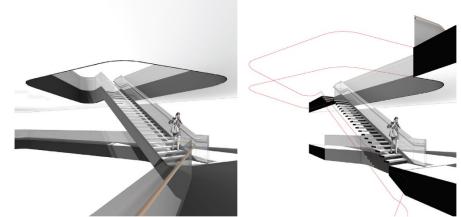






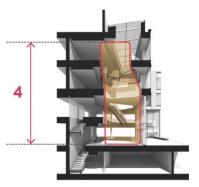
"This collaboration space, this building, attests to dreams far beyond our imagining. That will resonate with not only our current students, but those yet to arrive here. For them, thank you."

LAURIE CASLAKE BIOLOGY PROFESSOR, DEPARTMENT HEAD

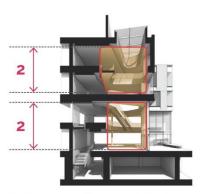


Stair landings concealed in continuous ribbon

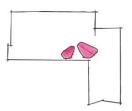
SCALES OF INTIMACY



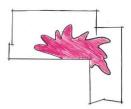
Single spatial volume connects all four floors



Study spaces on L4 and L5 distinct from main commons

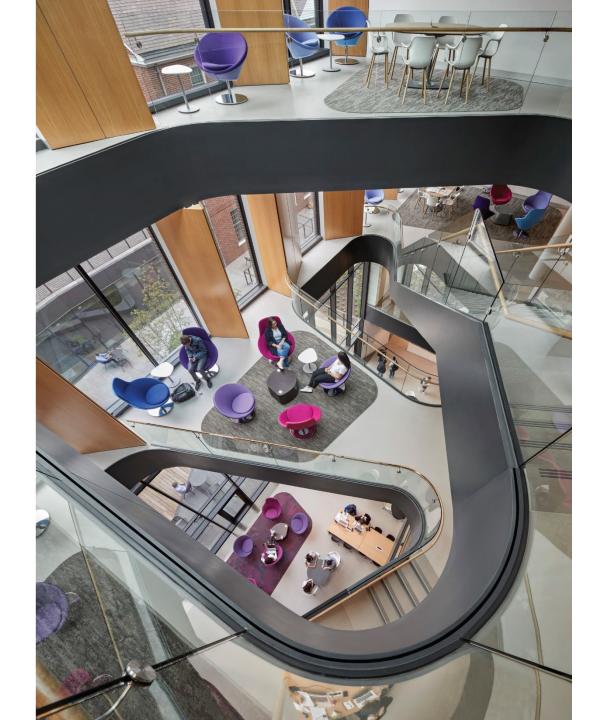


RealityModest footprint and small openings



PerceptionExpansive and connecting space







ATRIUM AND ENERGY

- 1 SKYLIT ATRIUM AND PERFORATED FLOORS
 - Balanced daylight for visual comfort and maximized productivity
- 2 HEAT RECOVERY

Enthalpy waste heat captured for preheating outside air

3 HIGH PERFORMANCE FILTERED FUME HOODS

Calibrated to research, allowing for minimized air changes and energy consumption

4 DEMAND CONTROL VENTILATION

Reduce heating and cooling energy by decoupling ventilation from process, occupant and air change loads

5 AIR QUALITY MONITORING AIRCUITY

CO2 and hazardous chemical monitoring integrated into optimized air delivery and purge safety modes

6 COMMUNICATING STAIRS

Emphasize active movement through the building over the passive vertical transportation systems

7 LIGHTING CONTROLS

Light level and occupant sensing tied to daylight monitoring

8 HEAT SHIFT CHILLER

Free energy source for concurrent heating and cooling needs across seasonal variation of primary load demand

9 HIGH EFFICIENCY LAB EQUIPMENT

Minimizes energy consumption

10 AUTOMATED INTERIOR SHADES

Deployed sequentially to maximize views and capture heat between shading and glazing

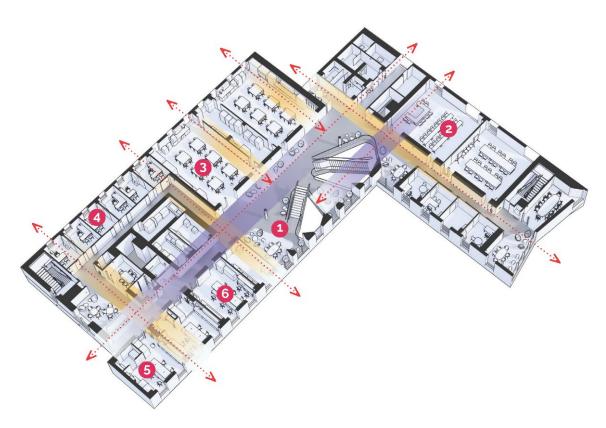


"The Rockwell Center is a game-changer for the sciences at Lafayette. The clear walls and the flow of the building put the work of research and learning on full display, and the open spaces facilitate frequent interactions and collaboration among students and faculty, outside of the classroom. The building puts students first."

LIVING LABORATORY



LAYERED TRANSPARENCY





- Commons 4 Faculty Offices
- 2 Classrooms 5 Wet Research Labs
- 3 Teaching Labs 6 Computational Lab







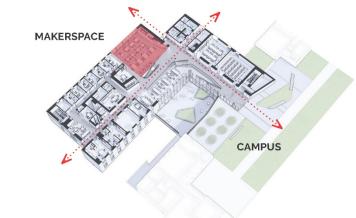


INITIMATE STUDY





MAKERSPACE & COLLABORATION

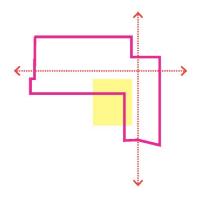








HEART AT THE CROSSROA











FLOOR PLANS

1 Offices 7 Courtyard

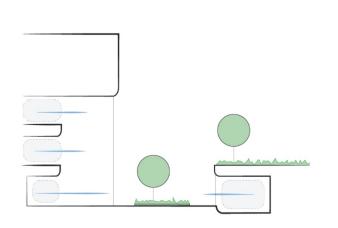
2 Teaching Labs 8 Closed Study (Conference Center)

Research LabsOpen StudyComputational LabMakerspace

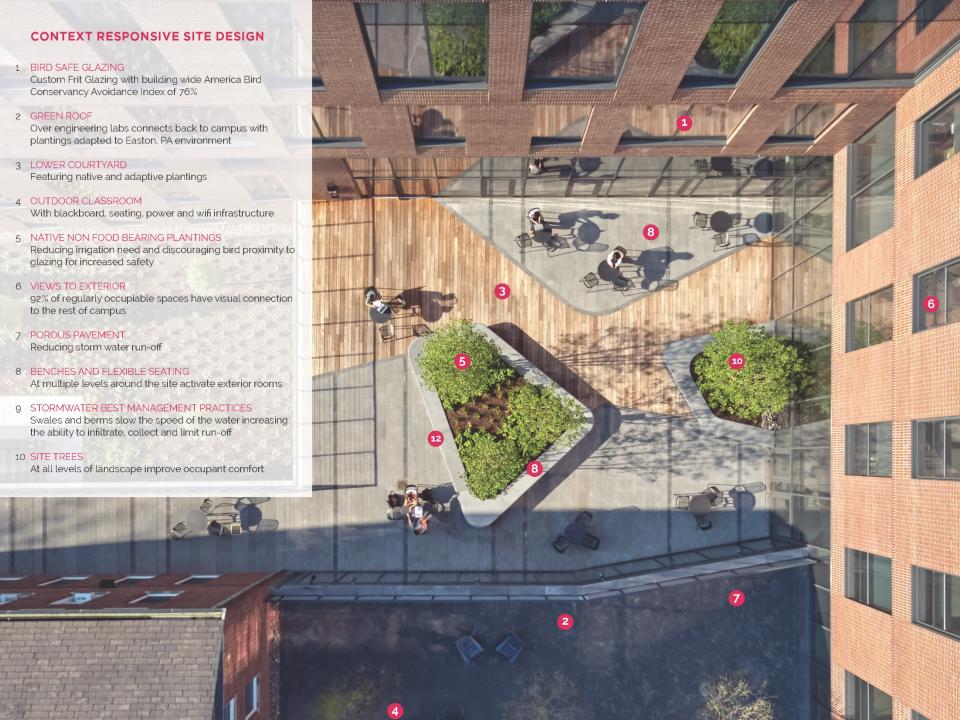
5 Classrooms 11 Future Growth Labs

6 Vertical Commons 12 Support

LANDSCAPED COURTYARDS







CONTEXT RESPONSIVE FAÇADE DESIGN











REDUCTIVE DETAILING

Intently minimal brick details include concealed window jambs, crisply folded brick sills, and dimensionally unfamiliar expression at the masonry corners and copings.

REFERENTIAL MATERIALITY

Extruded iron spot bricks reference the tonality of adjacent buildings yet embrace a contrasting crispness and reflectivity that varies with the light throughout the day.

FRITTED BIRD SAFE GLAZING

Custom ceramic frit dot pattern calibrated to provide total building Bird Safety Avoidance Index over 75% reduces solar gain, maintains visual connections from the interior and blends clear and spandrel glazing.

EMBRACING SYMMETRY

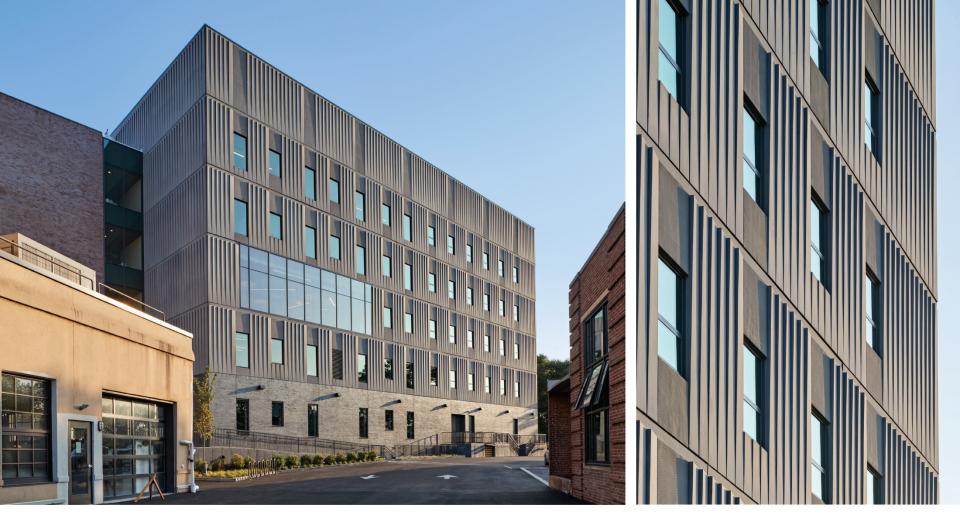
Nodding to the rigorous symmetrical order of its more classical neighbors, window heights vary from floor to floor, always embracing centered symmetrical order.

REDUCED GLAZING TO WALL RATIO

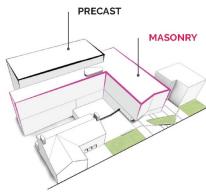
Building wide windowwall ratio of 24% for optimized envelope thermal performance and reduced bird collision threat.

OPERABLE PUNCHED WINDOWS

Operable north-facing office windows sized and located for optimized daylight autonomy (86%) and maximized thermal comfort



SCALE SHIFT





Conclusion

- 1. Create a successful, collaborative, entrepreneurial culture
- 2. Empower the next generation of leaders
- 3. Focus on a healthy dynamic between expertise and innovation
- 4. Diversity = Innovation = Excellence















Have fun. Do great architecture. Make a difference.

This concludes the presentation.

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