Re-Imagine Midwestern State
Charting Midwestern State’s Future
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SUPPORT AN OUTSTANDING LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

CREATE A VIBRANT WORKPLACE FOR FACULTY AND STAFF

THINK GRADS:

GROWTH, RETENTION, ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE AND DIPLOMAS
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ATTRACT A BROAD ARRAY OF MSU SUPPORTERS

CREATE A COMPPELLING MESSAGE FOR TODAY'S MIDWESTERN STATE!
**Project Goals** (per Dr. Johnston)

- Health Science “Labs on Display” to attract potential students and the public to experience the HSHSC
- **Transparency** between departments to promote Interprofessional understanding and collaborative learning
- Provide **activated teaming environments** for students
- Create collaborative lounge spaces that encourage **cross pollination** between disciplines
Site Parameters

- HSHSC Building will be one of the largest academic building on campus warranting an appropriate stature
- Houses the largest College on campus
- Respond to surrounding STEM precinct and encourage collaborative learning
- Preserve green space around the HSHSC through verticality (allow the building to breathe)
- Outdoor “Placemaking” to create a “destination place” for students
Site Parameters

• Provides “campus edge” along Louis J. Rodriguez Blvd.
• Future Quad to the east with connectivity to Dillard, Bridwell (future One Stop Shop) and McCoy
• “Gateway Building” for commuters once new parking lots to the north and west are completed
• Parking for Dental Hygiene patients
• “Front Door” on the non-campus side
• Covered walkways provide cover, protection and human scale at the ground floor of the building
Departmental Zoning

- **First Floor (highest volume of users)**
  - Lobby Atriums
  - Student Collaboration & Lounge Space
  - Vertical Circulation
  - Dental Hygiene
  - Learning Stair
  - “See and Be Seen Area” (peer to peer space)
  - Food Kiosk
  - (1) 80 Person & (2) 18 Person Classrooms
  - Outdoor Classroom
  - Multi-purpose Events Space (opens up to Atrium)
  - Catering Kitchen
  - Public Restrooms
Departmental Zoning

- **Second Floor (intermediate volume of users)**
  - Nursing Simulation
  - Radiologic Sciences Labs
  - Respiratory Care Labs
  - Interprofessional (Collaborative) Operating Simulation Room
  - Classroom

- **Third Floor (intermediate volume of users)**
  - Nursing Skills Labs
  - Classrooms
  - Student Collaboration/Lounge Space
  - Social Work Dept.
Departmental Zoning

- Fourth Floor (lowest volume of users)
  - Dean’s Suite
  - Faculty Offices (Radiologic Sciences, Respiratory Care & Nursing)
  - Student Collaboration/Lounge Space
**Vertical vs Horizontal Design**

- Four story building results in a smaller building footprint
- Preserves green space for students
- Allows the building to breathe amongst neighboring buildings
- Provides a prominent building stature for the largest College on campus
- Premium views for faculty offices will aid in the recruitment of hard to find health sciences faculty
- Consider future vertical expansion to preserve precious land on campus while providing best views of the campus and the city of Wichita Falls
“The Big Idea”

- **Laboratory Theatre** concept creates excitement and encourages interprofessional cross-pollination of health professions students
- Atrium floor functions as unifying collaboration lounge & lobby space
- Glass enclosed elevators and grand staircase allow students, faculty and visitors moving through the building to experience health sciences
- Exterior glazing markets the College of Health Sciences to students passing through the quad

Respect the Past
Look to the Future!
Who We are Designing For?

- Millennials
- Centennials/Gen Z (currently in high school)
- Faculty & staff

Vision Statement
What MSU’s Competitors are Building

Texas A&M Commerce Nursing & Health Science TRB Building
What MSU’s Competitors are Building

Stephen F. Austin State University
STEM TRB Building
What MSU’s Competitors are Building

The University of Texas at Dallas STEM TRB Building
What MSU’s Competitors are Building

The University of Houston
Legacy Buildings
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Recent Buildings on Campus
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