ANALYSIS & FINDINGS 1.22.19

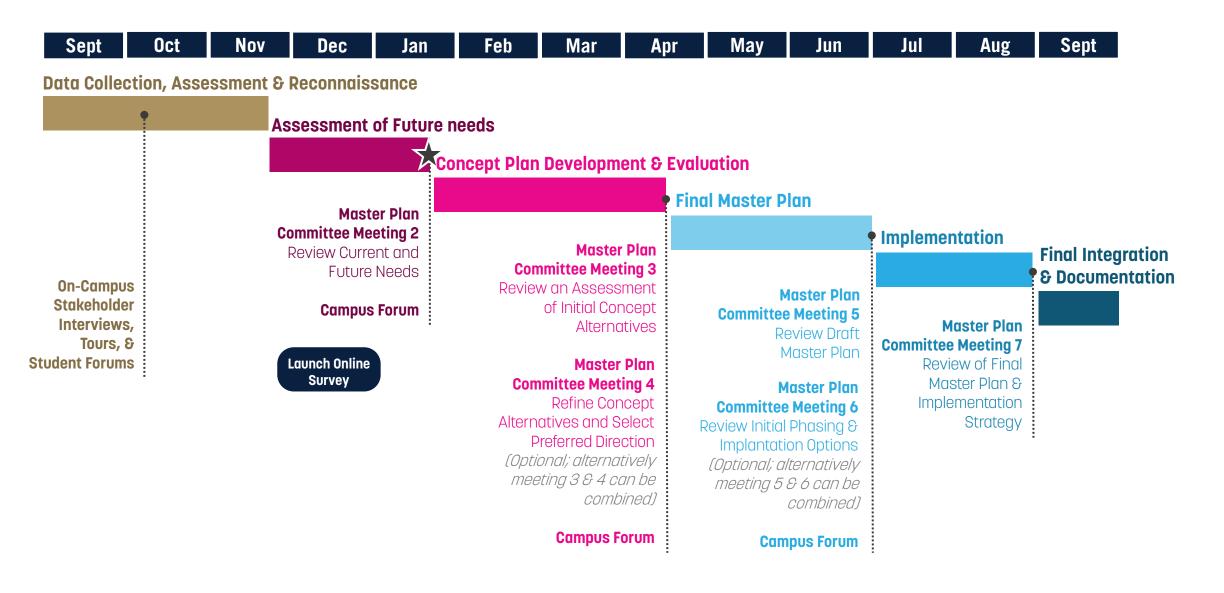
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GEORGIA SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY

MASTERPLAN



PROJECT SCHEDULE & ENGAGEMENTS



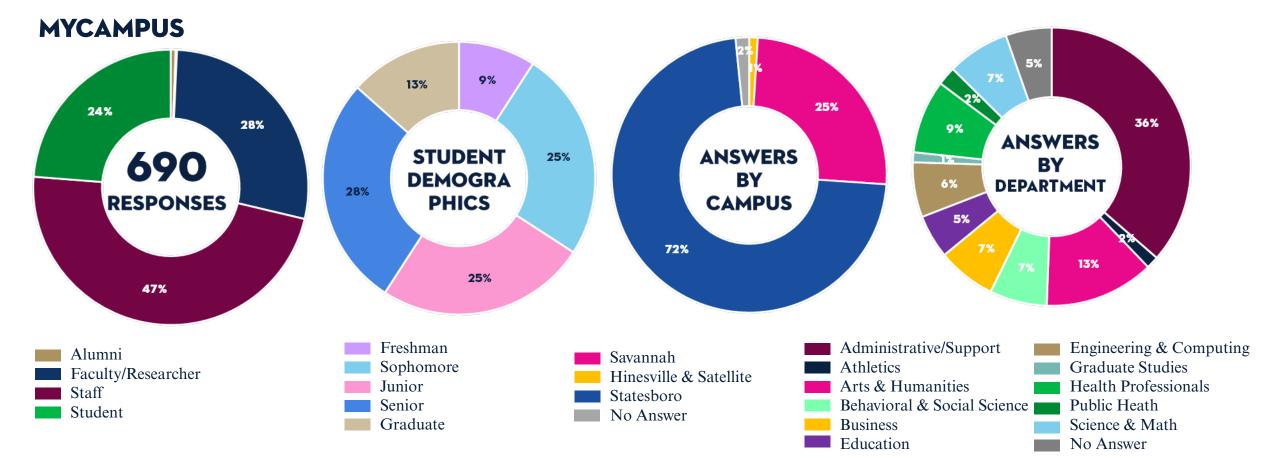
ENGAGEMENTS TO DATE

INTERVIEWS

- Leadership
- Finance & Business
- Enrollment Management •
- Facilities & Operations
- Student Life (Statesboro & Savannah)
- Academic Life
- Student Services

WEBSITE

- Process & Objectives
- Schedule of upcoming events
- Comment section

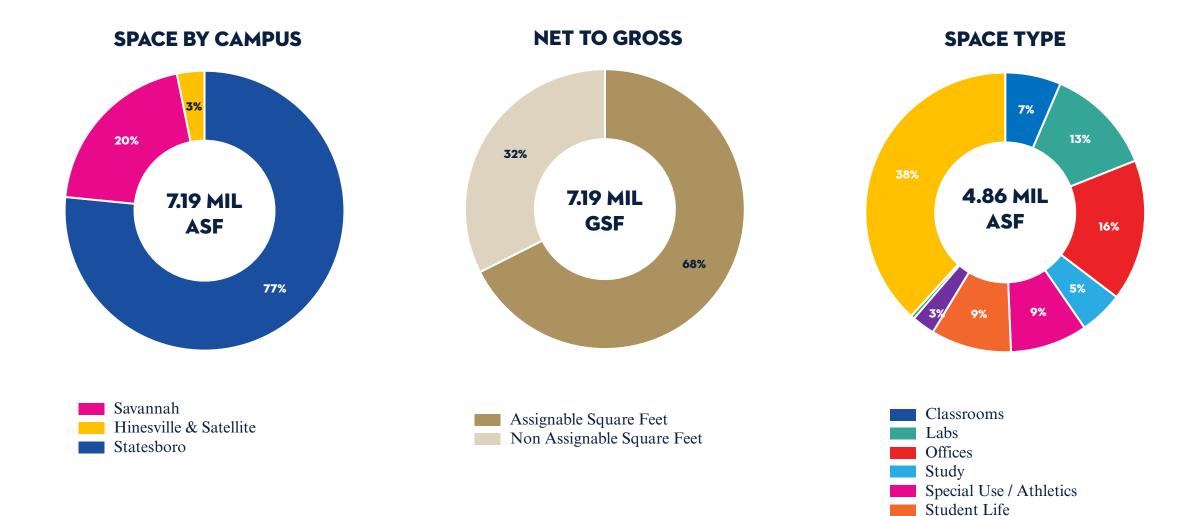




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SPACE USE - ALL CAMPUSES

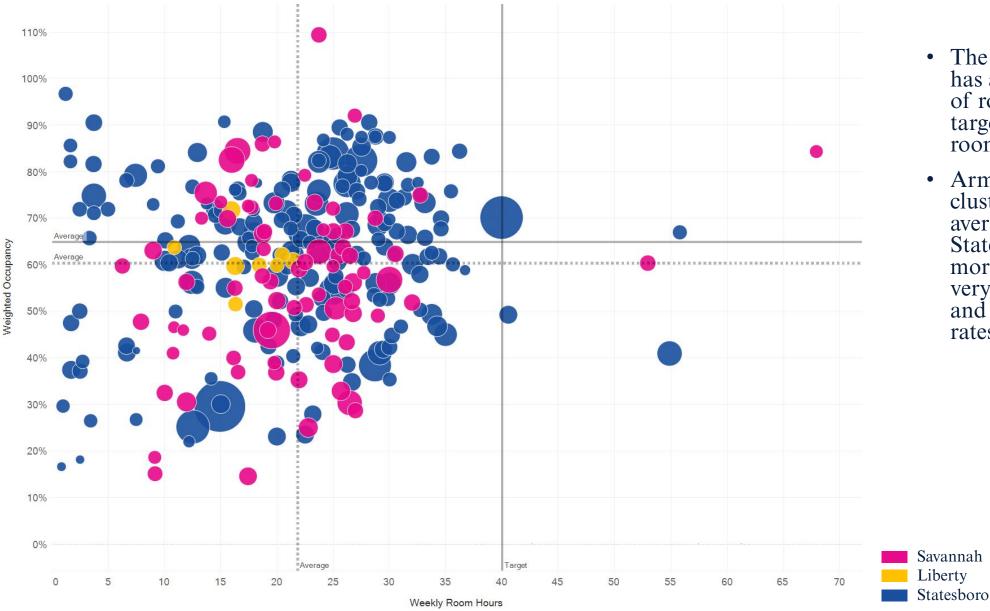


Support / Storage Health Care Residential

SPACE ANALYSIS ASSUMPTIONS & METHODOLOGY

- Classroom utilization target is 40-hours per week per room
- Weekly Room Hours include all scheduled activity
- Target seat fill for classrooms 65-80%
- Lab utilization target is 18-25 hours per week
- Target seat fill for labs is 80%

CLASSROOM OCCUPANCY + ROOM HOURS



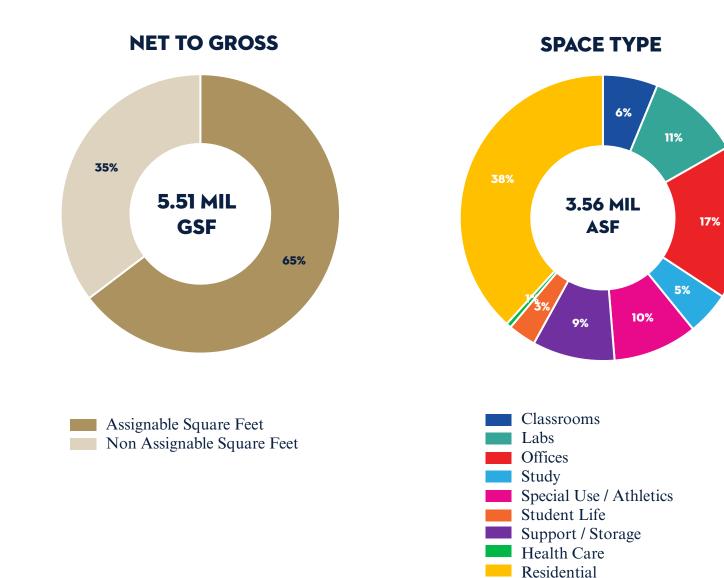
- The Statesboro campus has a significant amount of rooms within the target seat fill and weekly room hours.
- Armstrong rooms tend to cluster around the average whereas Statesboro rooms are more dispersed - both very high room use rates and very low room use rates

PROPORTION OF CLASS OFFERINGS AT EACH CAMPUS, SORTED

ENGINEERING	BUSINESS/MANAGEMENT /MARKETING/RELATED SUPPORT SERVICES	PHILOSOPHY & 28.21% RELIGIOUS STUDIES	BASIC SKILLS & DEVELOPMENTAL/ REMEDIAL EDUCATION
FAMILY & CONSUMER SCIENCES/HUMAN SCIENCES	LEISURE & REC ACTIVITIES	VISUAL & BREFORMING ARTS	HOMELAND SECURITY/LAW ENFORCEMENT/ FIREFIGHTING/RELATED SERVICES
PERSONAL AWARENESS & SELF-IMPROVEMENT	INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES 7.14%	PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION & SOCIAL SERVICE PROFESSIONS	HEALTH PROFESSIONS/ RELATED SERVICES
ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGIES & RELATED FIELDS	PHYSICAL SCIENCES	SOCIAL SCIENCES	EDUCATION 19.01%
HEALTH-RELATED KNOWLEDGE & SKILLS	BIOLOGICAL & BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES 68.3%	PSYCHOLOGY 24.54% 58.33%	INTERPERSONAL & O
PARKS/REC/LEISURE/ FITNESS STUDIES	FOREIGN LANGUAGES/ LITERATURES/ LINGUISTICS	MILITARY SCIENCE/ LEADERSHIP/ OPERATIONAL ART	Savannah Hinesville & Satellite Statesboro
LIBERAL ARTS & SCIENCES/GENERAL STUDIES & HUMANITIES	ENGLISH LANGUAGES & LITERATURE/ LETTERS	COMPUTER & INFORMATION SCIENCES & SUPPORT SERVICES	GA OnMyLine Online Off Campus

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SPACE USE - STATESBORO



PREDOMINANT USE

- Office is the predominant use in most buildings, including academic
- Buildings with predominant lab use are spread throughout campus
- Residential use is consolidated to the south of campus, and is fairly segregated from academics
- Classrooms
 Laboratories
 Open Laboratories
 Research Laboratories
 Offices
 Study Facilities
 Athletics
 General Use Facilities
 Support Facilities
 Health Care Facilities
 Residential



PREDOMINANT DEPARTMENTS

- Arts and Humanities are consolidated to the core with a few exceptions
- Older physical and life science facilities are consolidated to the west of campus while newer sciences are in the east

Arts
Humanities
Business
Health Science
Applied & Physical Science
Behavioral& Social Science
Life Science
Computing
Engineering
Education
Graduate Studies & Research





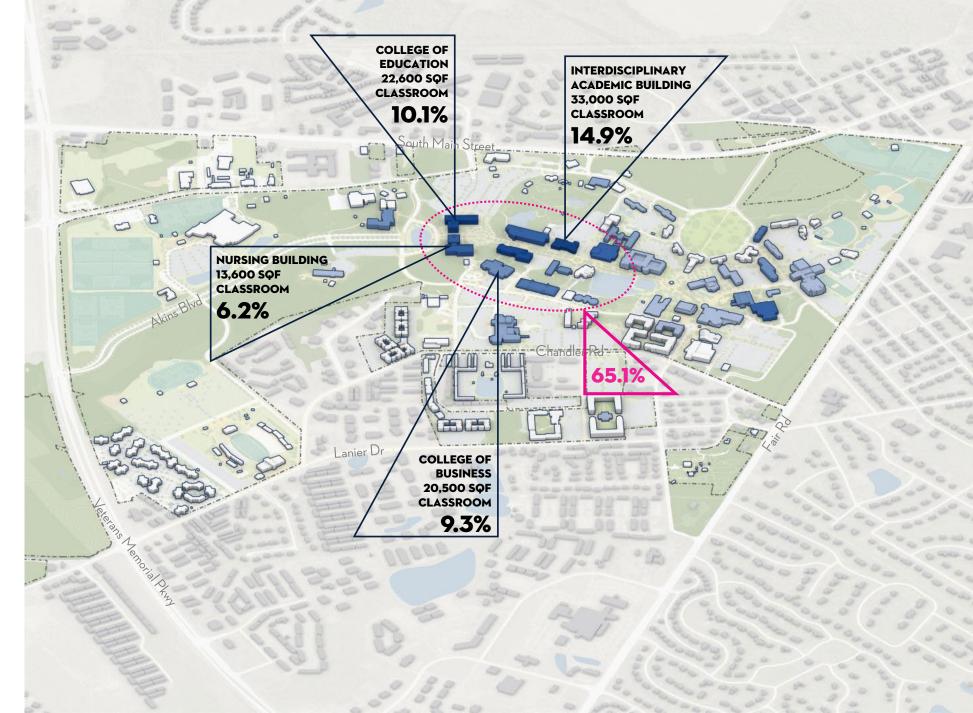
CLASSROOMS

- The majority of classrooms are located along the mall, west of the Library
- The additional of the Interdisciplinary Academic Buildings has increased classrooms in this location

33,000 sf

16,500

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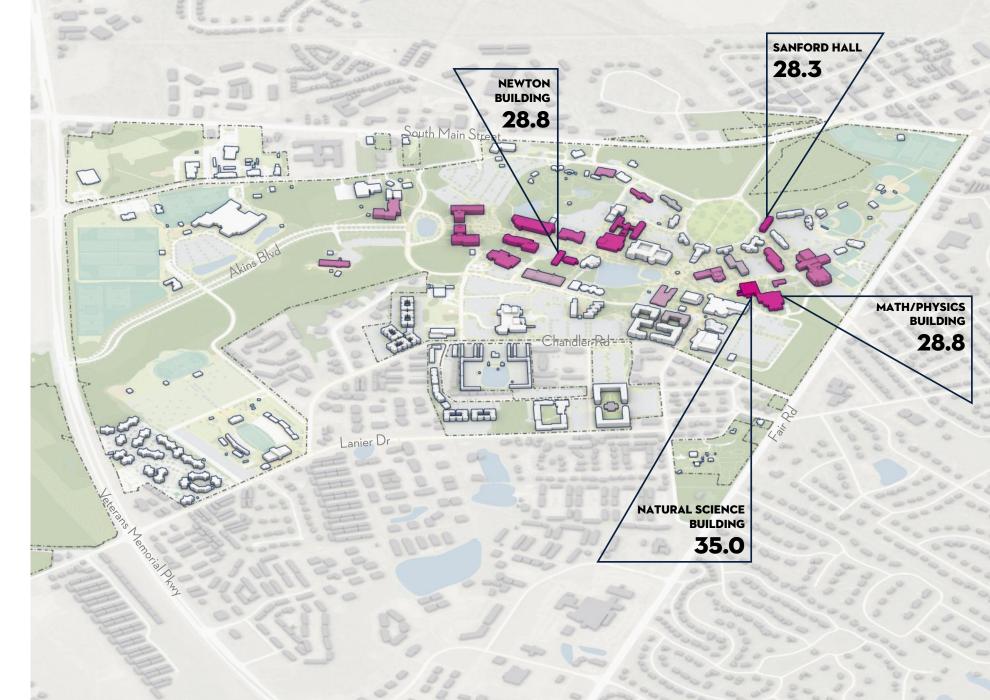
UTILIZATION

 The buildings with the highest weekly room hours are the Natural Science Building, Newton Building, Math/Physics Building, and Sanford Hall. These have also been noted as buildings with deferred maintenance issues.

35.0 WRH

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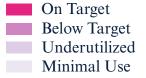
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CLASSROOM UTILIZATION BY HOUR & DAY

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Sunday			0%			1%	1%	50%	50%					
Monday	23%	58%	66%	58%	63%	52%	67%	61%	40%	37%	14%	8%	6%	0%
Tuesday	25%	69%	69%	71%	73%	63%	64%	66%	46%	24%	26%	11%	4%	4%
Wednesday	23%	58%	67%	57%	63%	53%	67%	61%	42%	42%	18%	10%	4%	2%
Thursday	23%	70%	68%	71%	74%	63%	63%	64%	45%	17%	17%	7%	2%	2%
Friday	15%	43%	49%	40%	49%	39%	28%	1%						
Saturday		1%	1%	1%		1%	1%	1%						

- The highest utilization is on Tuesdays and Thursdays between 9am and 4pm
- And on Mondays Thursdays at 10am, 12am, and between 2 - 4pm

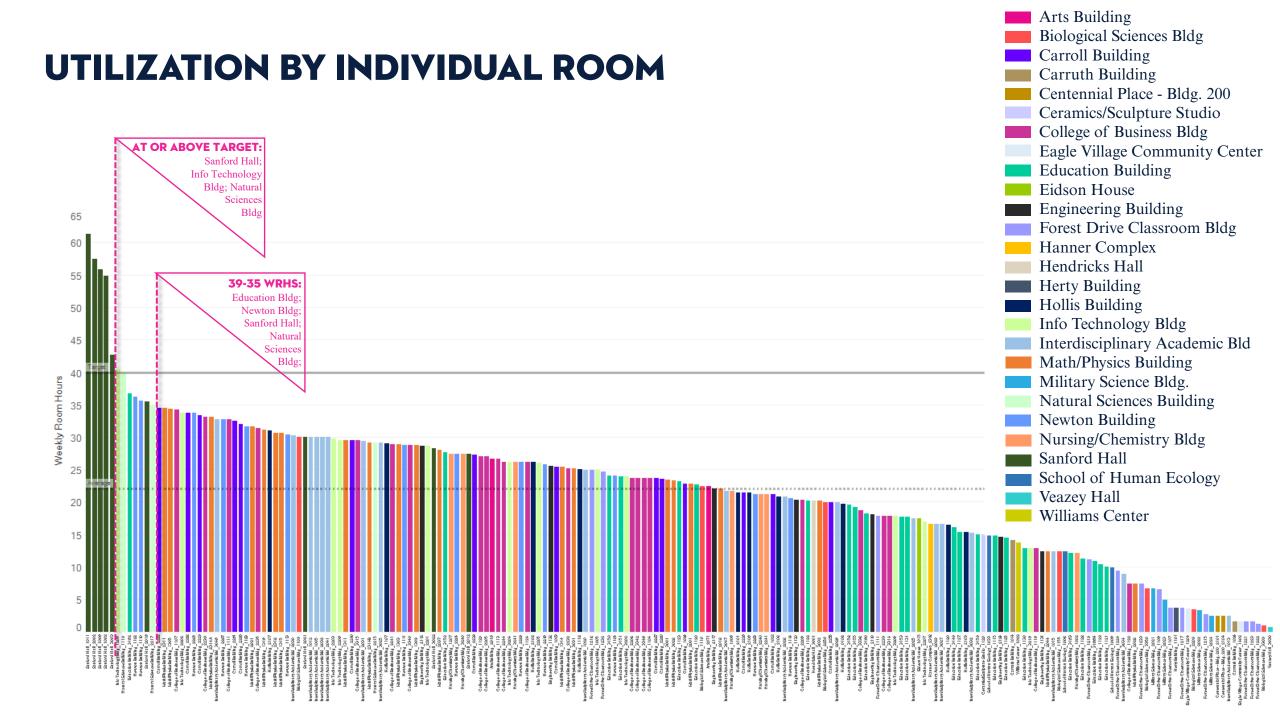


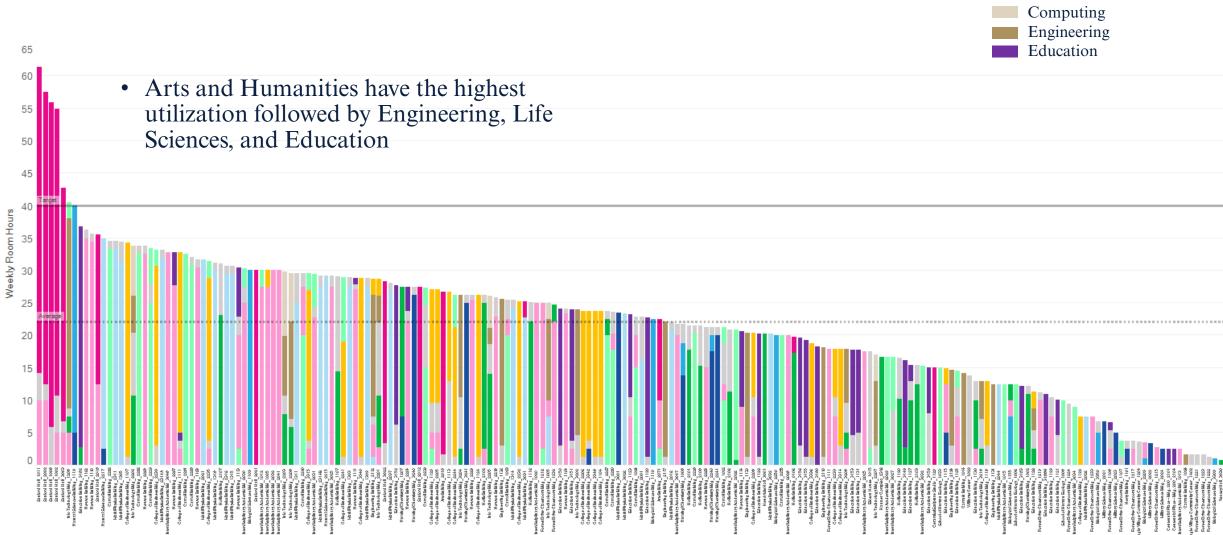
PEAK CLASSROOM SCHEDULING

Depts with high % of hours 10a-2p

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JAPN	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
FILM	23.3%	76.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
GSU	16.9%	76.4%	6.7%	0.0%	0.0%
CSCI	10.9%	68.6%	10.0%	11.4%	0.0%
THEA	10.0%		10.0%	11.4%	0.0%
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MSCI	26.7%	64.8%	8.6%	0.0%	0.0%
COMS	4.7%	64.0%	26.0%	5.3%	0.0%
SMGT	14.7%	<u>6</u> 4.0%	21.3%	0.0%	0.0%
LSTD	14.5%	<u>6</u> 3.4%	11.2%	0.0%	10.9%
GRMN	16.3%	<mark>6</mark> 2.2%	15.6%	5.9%	0.0%
GEOL	21.0%	<mark>6</mark> 1.9%	17.1%	0.0%	0.0%
FMAD	8.7%	<mark>6</mark> 1.1%	28.9%	1.3%	0.0%
ENGR	28.6%	<mark>5</mark> 9.9%	5.6%	5.9%	0.0%
NURS	18.3%	<mark>5</mark> 8.8%	22.9%	0.0%	0.0%
LOGT	10.4%	57.0%	22.2%	10.4%	0.0%
FREN	11.7%	56.1%	32.2%	0.0%	0.0%
ARAB	20.0%	56.0%	24.0%	0.0%	0.0%
ARTH	25.3%	5 6.0%	18.7%	0.0%	0.0%
PRCA	14.5%	55.5%	19.0%	11.0%	0.0%
CRJU	16.3%	54.4%	24.1%	5.2%	0.0%
CHIN	14.3%	54.3%	23.8%	7.6%	0.0%
ELEM	39.7%	54.1%	6.2%	0.0%	0.0%

- A significant amount of departments schedule more than 50% of their courses during peak hours
- This concentrates all classroom use at the same time, limits course accessibility, and puts demands on parking

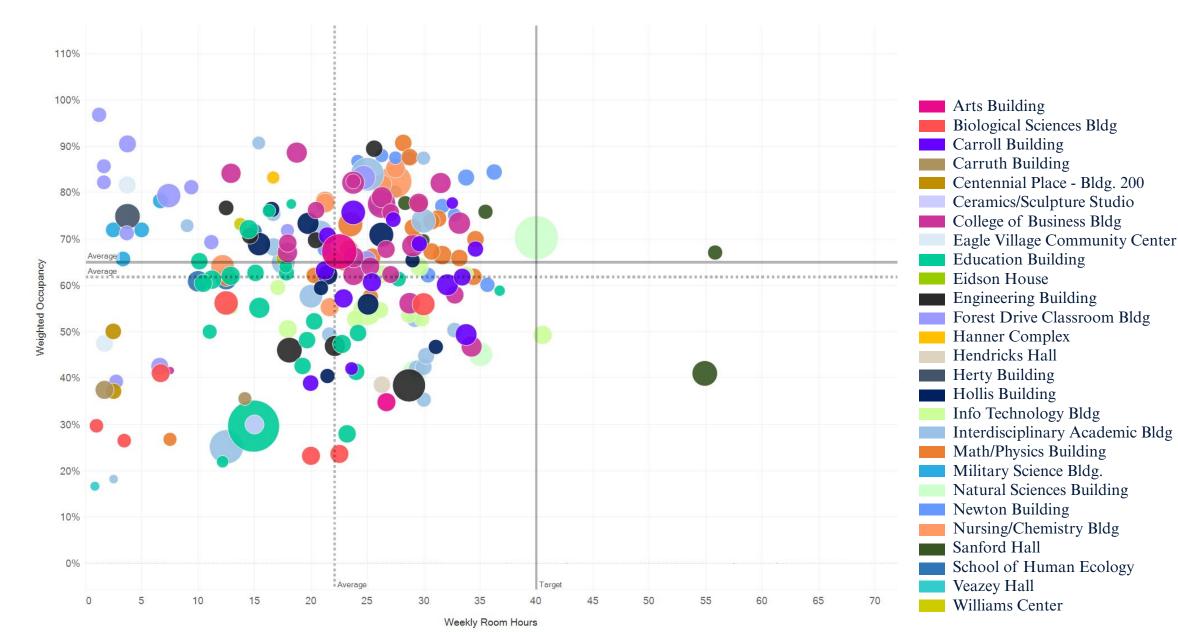




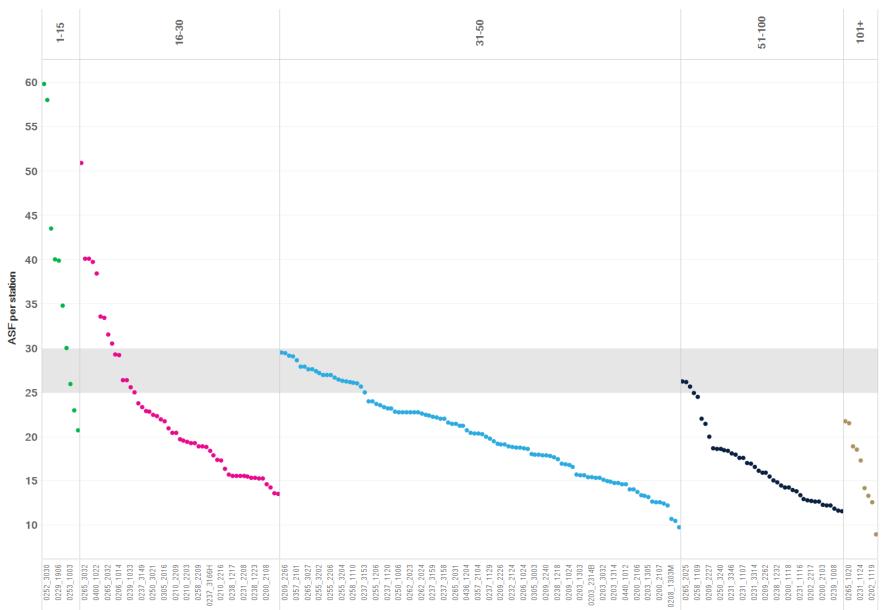
UTILIZATION BY DEPARTMENT



CLASSROOM OCCUPANCY + ROOM HOURS



AVERAGE STATION SIZE PER STUDENT



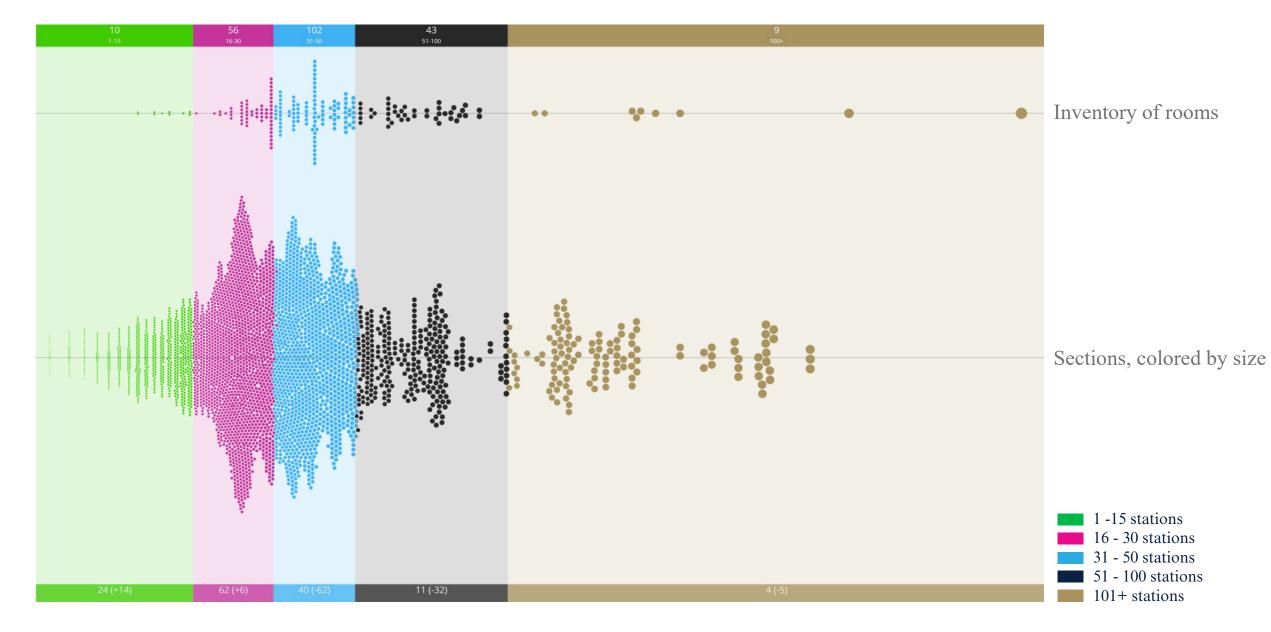
- Optimal station size for flexible classrooms is 25-30 asf
- Many of the classrooms fall well below 25 asf per student



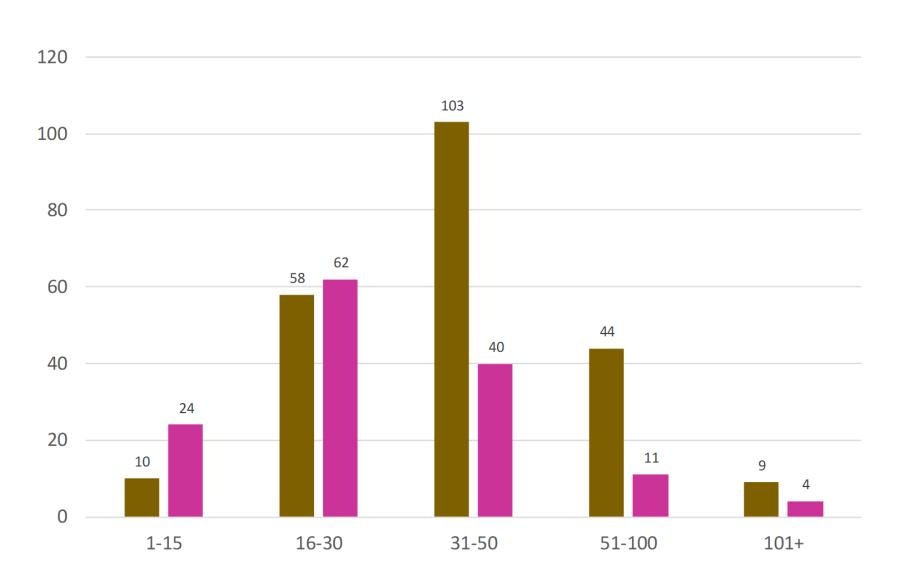
SEAT MIGRATION - EXISTING



SEAT MIGRATION - OPTIMIZED



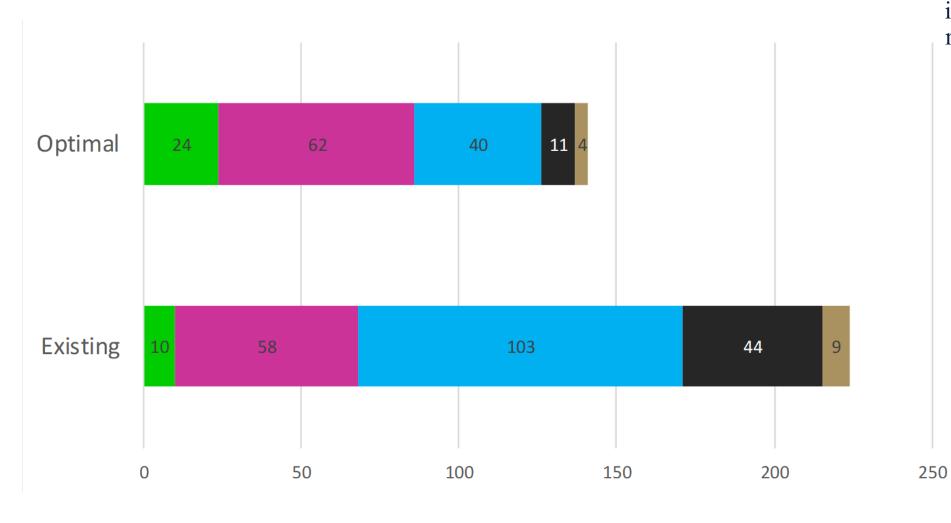
OPTIMIZED CLASSROOMS



- There is a surplus of existing larger rooms (31-100+)
- There is a need for smaller rooms (1-30)
- Perceived constraints may be due to demand for similar types of classrooms during the peak 10-2pm timeframe



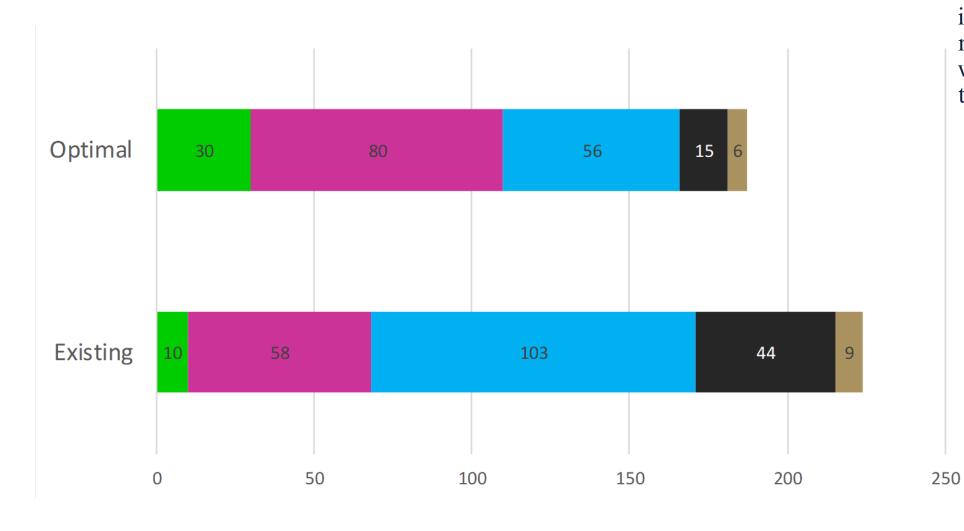
OPTIMIZED CLASSROOMS-40-HOUR TARGET



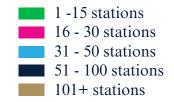
• When optimized, there is a surplus of existing room supply



OPTIMIZED CLASSROOMS-30-HOUR TARGET



• When optimized, there is a surplus of existing room supply, even when using a lower target.





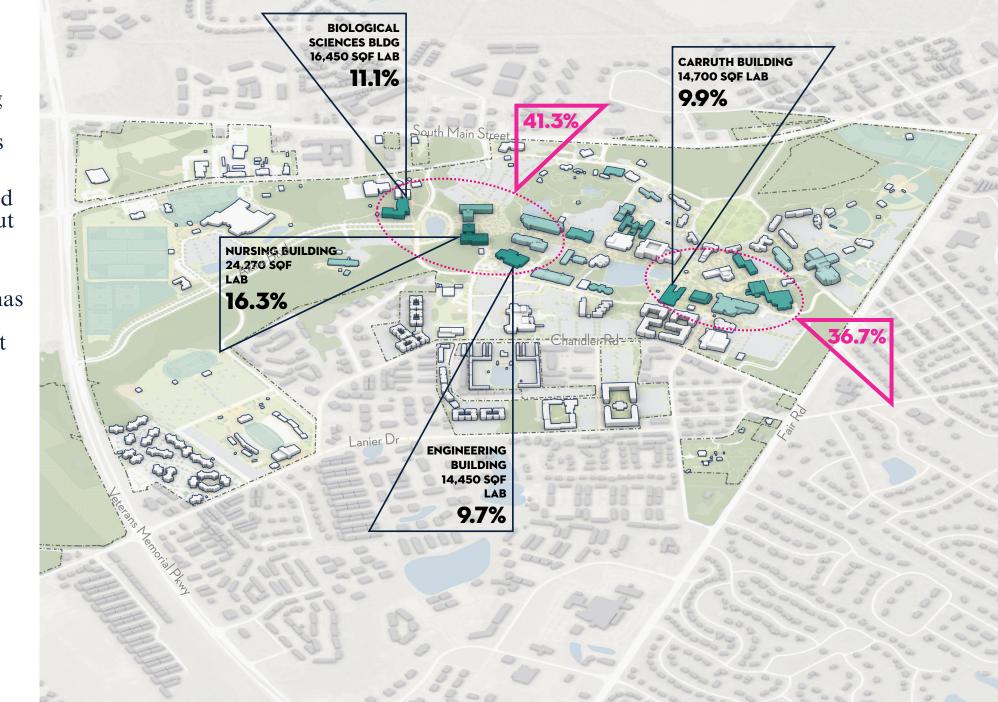
CLASS LABS

- The Nursing Building has the highest concentration of class labs
- Class labs are scattered around the campus but with two major concentrations
- The west of campus has greater amount of campus, while the east labs are more highly utilized

24,000 sf

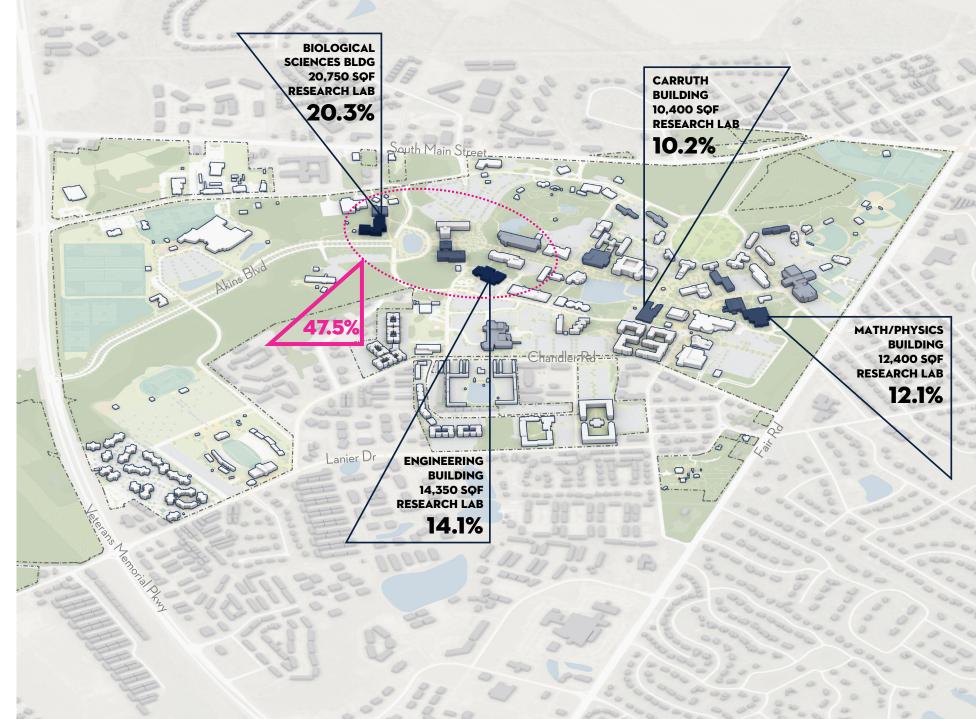
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RESEARCH LABORATORIES

- The Biological Science Building has the most amount of research labs
- A significant amount of the research labs are concentrated west of the Library

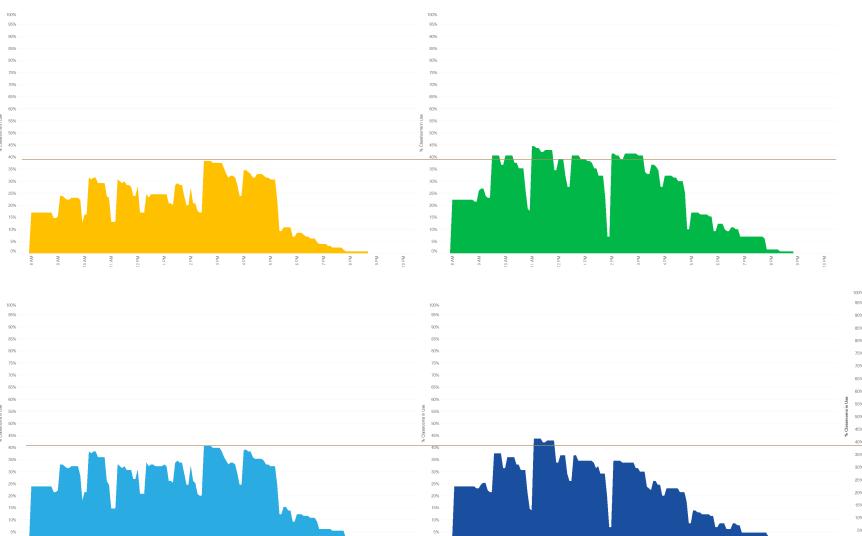


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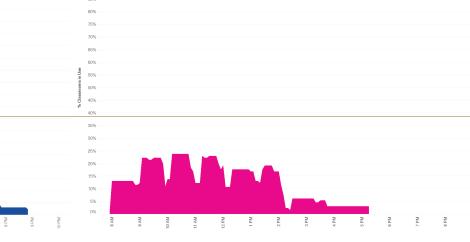
21,000 asf

LAB HISTOGRAMS

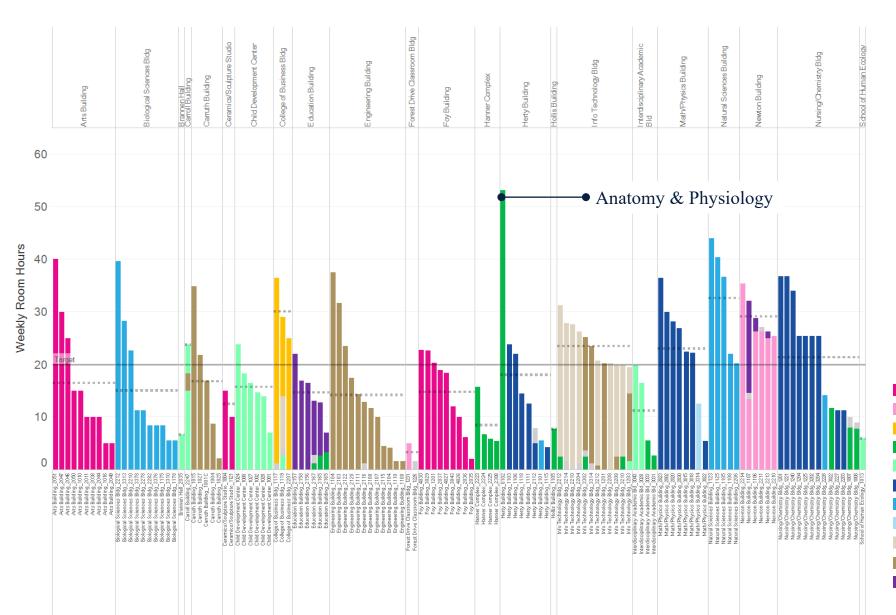




- Tuesday and Thursday mornings are the busiest part of the week
- Monday and Wednesday afternoons are busier than mornings.



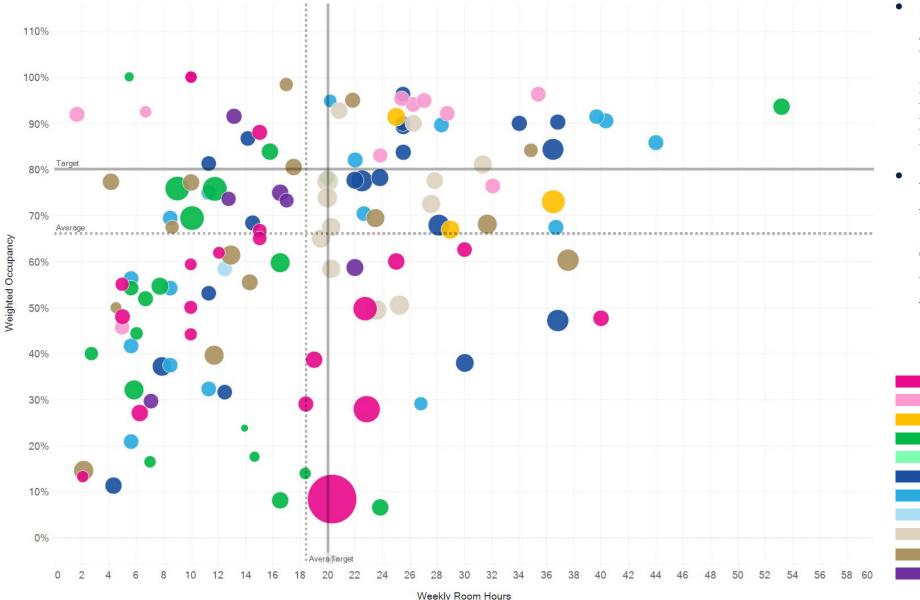
LAB UTILIZATION BY DEPARTMENT



- Applied & Physical, and Life Sciences have many class labs with the greatest weekly room hours.
- Natural Sciences, Newton, Business, and Math and Physics are among the buildings with the highest WRH use

Arts
Humanities
Business
Health Science
Behavioral & Social Science
Applied & Physical Science
Life Science
Mathematics
Computing
Engineering
Education

LAB WEEKLY ROOM HOURS - BY DEPARTMENT



- Most of Health Science and Education classes are below the target weekly room use, this is most likely due to specialized labs.
- A significant amount of Applied & Physical Science, Humanities, and Computing labs are above the target seat fill and weekly room use.

Arts

Humanities

Life Science Mathematics Computing

Engineering Education

Health Science

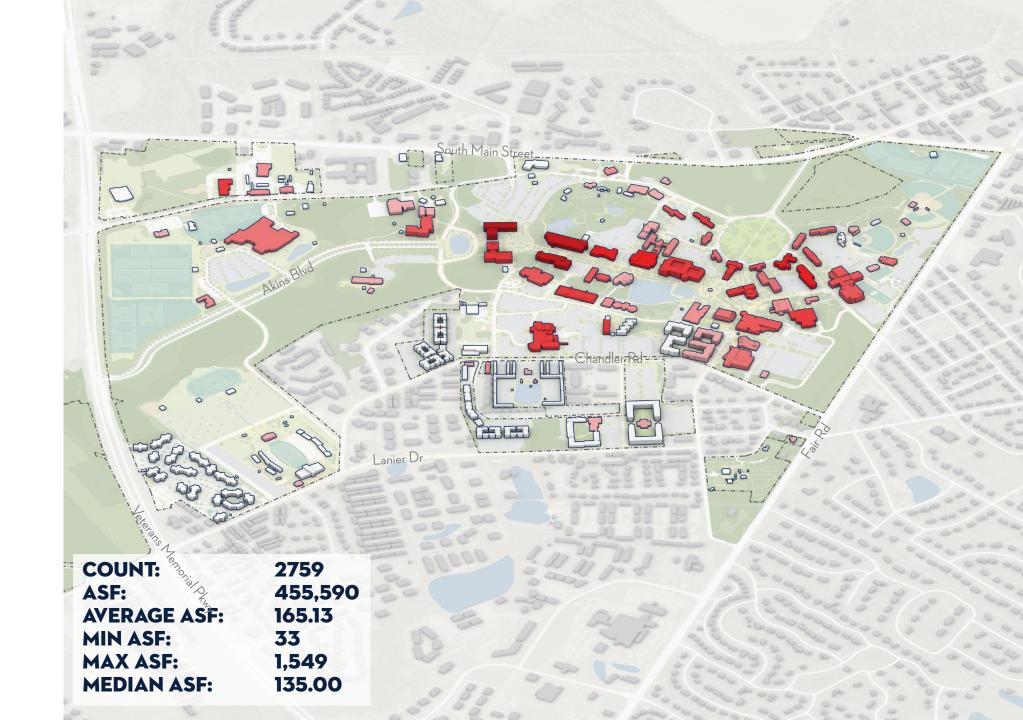
Behavioral & Social Science Applied & Physical Science

Business



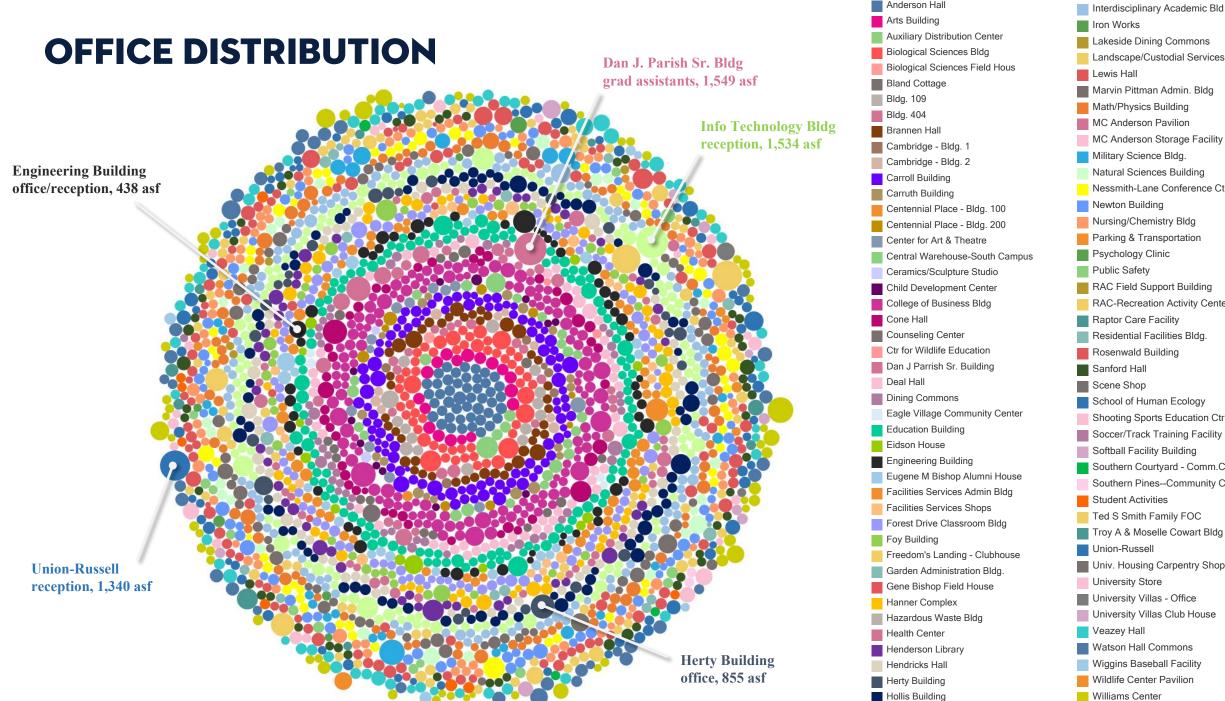
OFFICES

• Offices occupy 28.3% of the total building areas, except residential.



28,000 sf

14,000

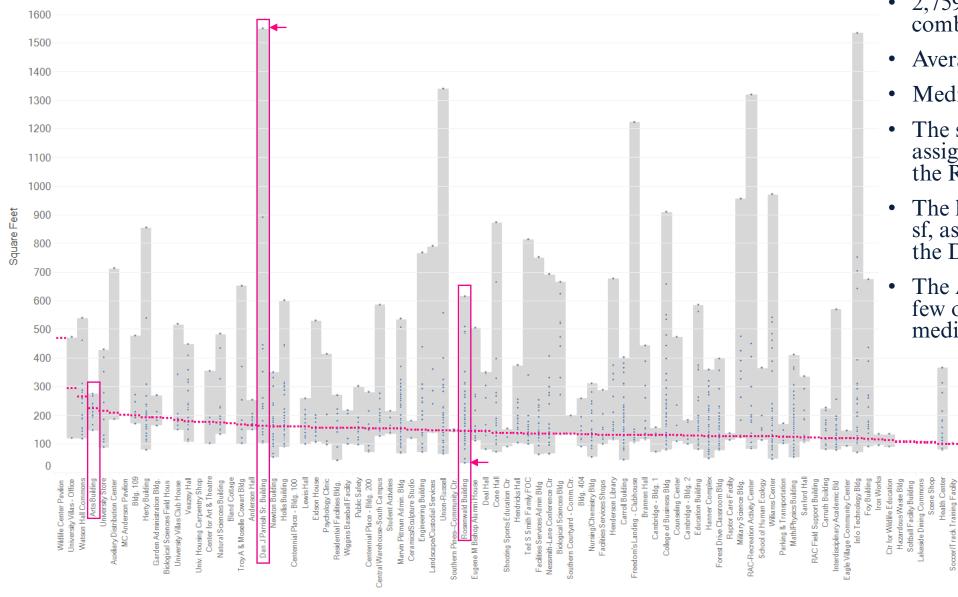


Iron Works Lakeside Dining Commons Landscape/Custodial Services Lewis Hall Marvin Pittman Admin. Bldg Math/Physics Building MC Anderson Pavilion MC Anderson Storage Facility Military Science Bldg. Natural Sciences Building Nessmith-Lane Conference Ctr Newton Building Nursing/Chemistry Bldg Parking & Transportation Psychology Clinic Public Safety RAC Field Support Building **RAC-Recreation Activity Center** Raptor Care Facility Residential Facilities Bldg. Rosenwald Building Sanford Hall Scene Shop School of Human Ecology Shooting Sports Education Ctr Soccer/Track Training Facility Softball Facility Building Southern Courtyard - Comm.Ctr. Southern Pines--Community Ctr. Student Activities Ted S Smith Family FOC Troy A & Moselle Cowart Bldg Union-Russell Univ. Housing Carpentry Shop University Store University Villas - Office University Villas Club House Veazey Hall Watson Hall Commons Wiggins Baseball Facility Wildlife Center Pavilion Williams Center

Info Technology Bldg

Bldg Name

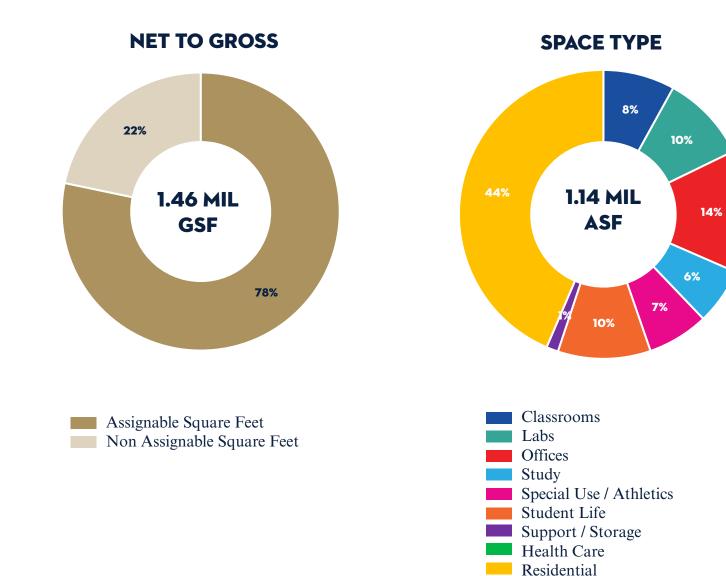
MEDIAN OFFICE SIZE BY BUILDING



- 2,759 total offices net a combined area of 455,590 sf.
- Average office size: 165 sf
- Median office size: 135 sf
- The smallest space is 33 sf, assigned to a student assistant in the Rosenwald Building
- The largest office area is 1,549 sf, assigned to grad assistants in the Dan J. Parrish Sr. Building
- The Arts Building has relatively few offices but one of the higher median office sizes of 224 sf

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SPACE USE - SAVANNAH



PREDOMINANT USE

- Residential use is consolidated to the south and east of campus
- Office and general support (student life) occupy the majority of the buildings
- The core of campus has a mix of uses

Classrooms
Laboratories
Open Laboratories
Research Laboratories
Offices
Study Facilities
Athletics
General Use Facilities
Support Facilities
Health Care Facilities
Residential



PREDOMINANT DEPARTMENTS

• Departments located on this campus include: Arts, Humanities, Health Science, Life Science, Engineering, and Education





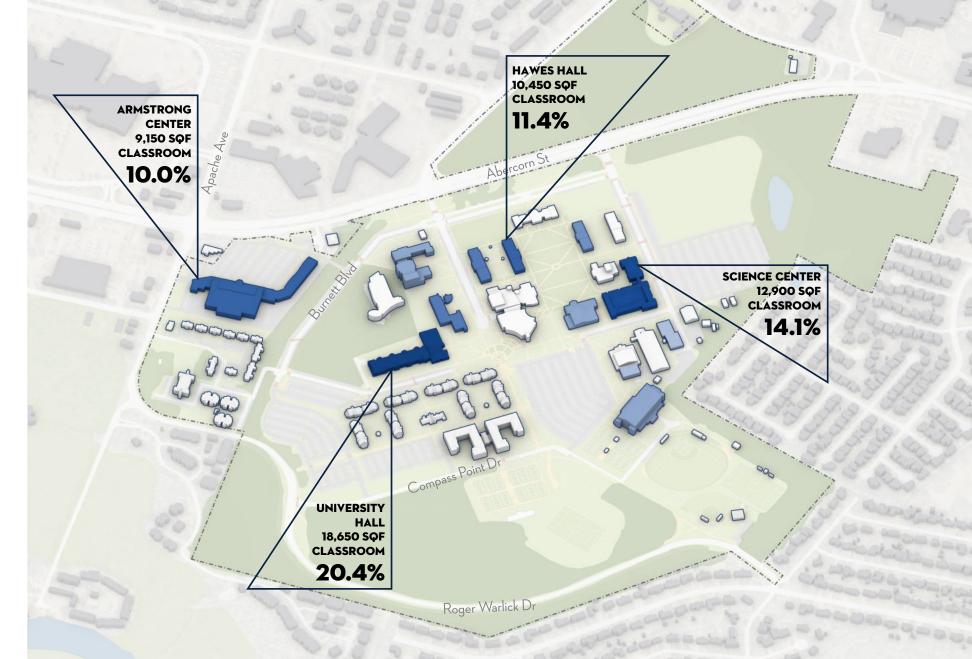


CLASSROOMS

- University Hall has the most amount of the classrooms.
- Classrooms are scattered around the campus
- Classrooms in Armstrong Center were used as swing space while Nursing Building was being constructed, will have less now that Nursing Building is open.

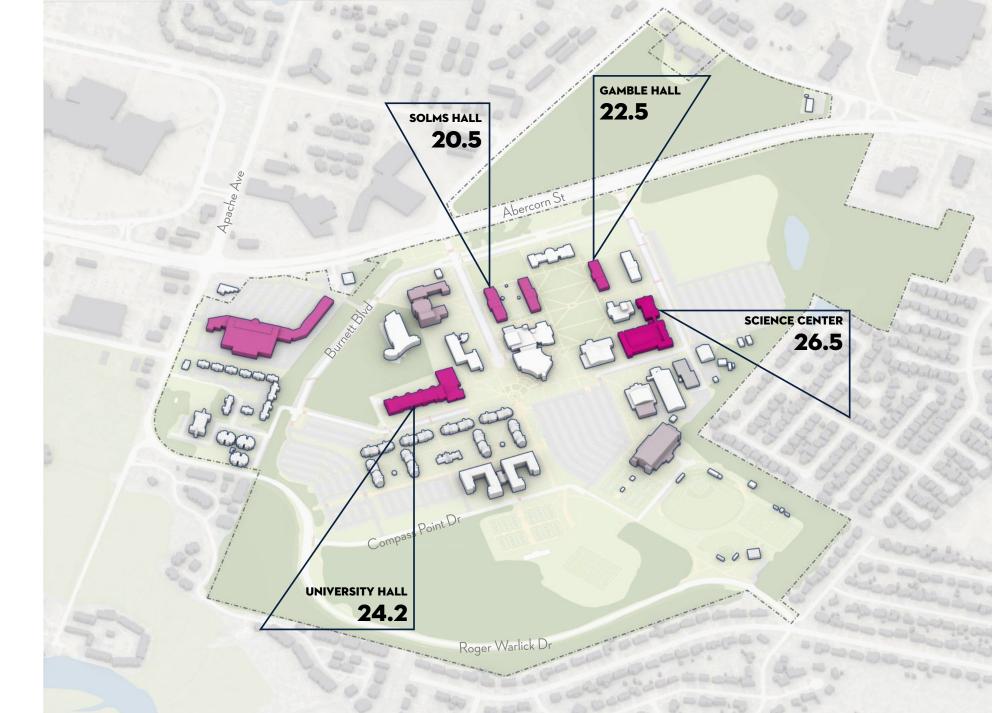
19,000 sf

9,500



UTILIZATION

• The buildings with the highest weekly room hours are the Science Center, the University Hall, Gamble Hall, and Solms Hall.



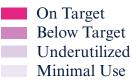
26.5 WRH

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CLASSROOM UTILIZATION BY HOUR & DAY

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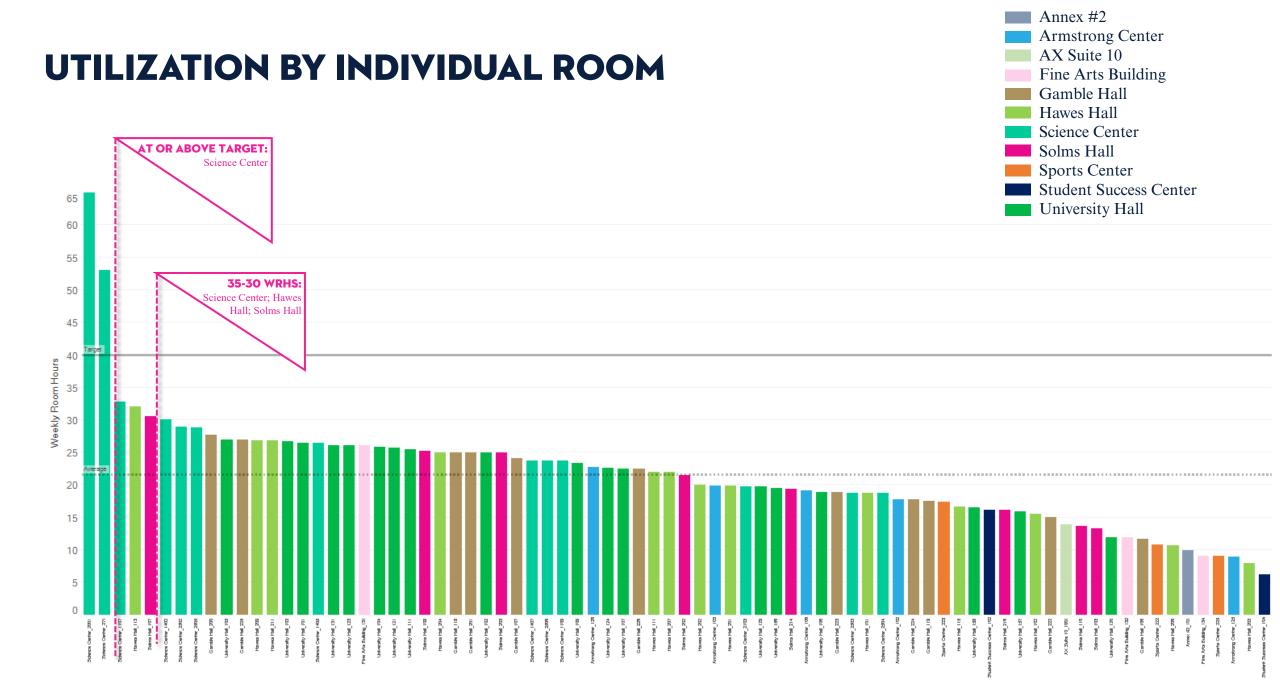


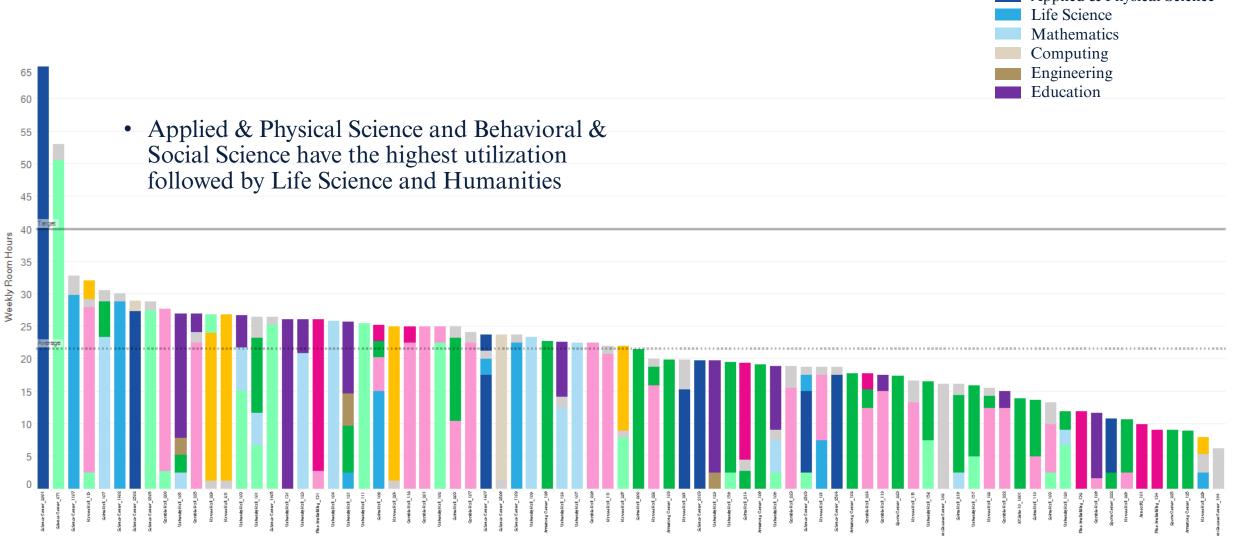
PEAK CLASSROOM SCHEDULING

Depts with high % of hours 10a-2p

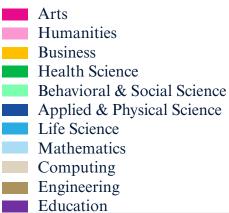
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THEA	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
MUSA	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
HLPR	4.8%	95.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
SOCI	5.6%	<mark>82.4</mark> %	12.0%	0.0%	0.0%
SPAN	6.2%	74.2%	19.6%	0.0%	0.0%
STAT	27.6%	<u>69</u> .5%	2.9%	0.0%	0.0%
KINS	5.1%	<u>68</u> .7%	16.0%	10.2%	0.0%
PHTH	24.1%	<u>66</u> .7%	9.3%	0.0%	0.0%
HSCF	17.9%	<u>66</u> .7%	0.0%	0.0%	15.4%
GEOG	0.0%	<u>6</u> 6.3%	33.7%	0.0%	0.0%
ANTH	5.2%	<mark>6</mark> 0.0%	28.9%	5.9%	0.0%
ART	7.8%	<mark>5</mark> 8.9%	0.0%	7.8%	25.6%
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POLS	10.4%	5 7.0%	32.6%	0.0%	0.0%
PHSC	46.7%	53.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
MEDT	32.6%	52.8%	14.6%	0.0%	0.0%
RHAB	9.0%	52.6%	38.5%	0.0%	0.0%
CVIS	15.5%	51.8%	32.7%	0.0%	0.0%

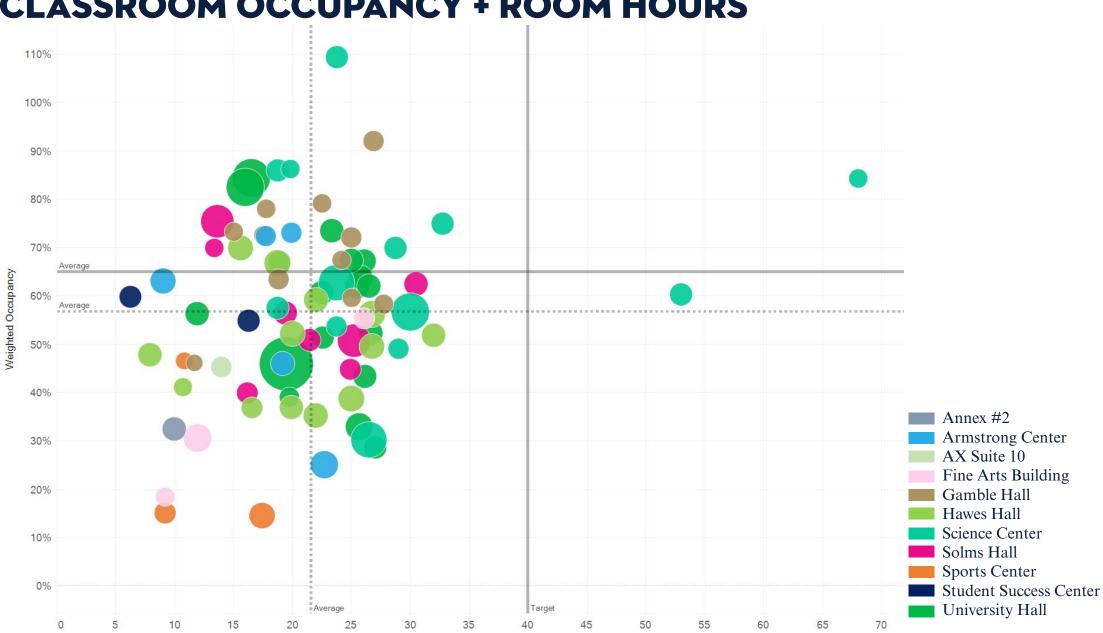
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UTILIZATION BY DEPARTMENT

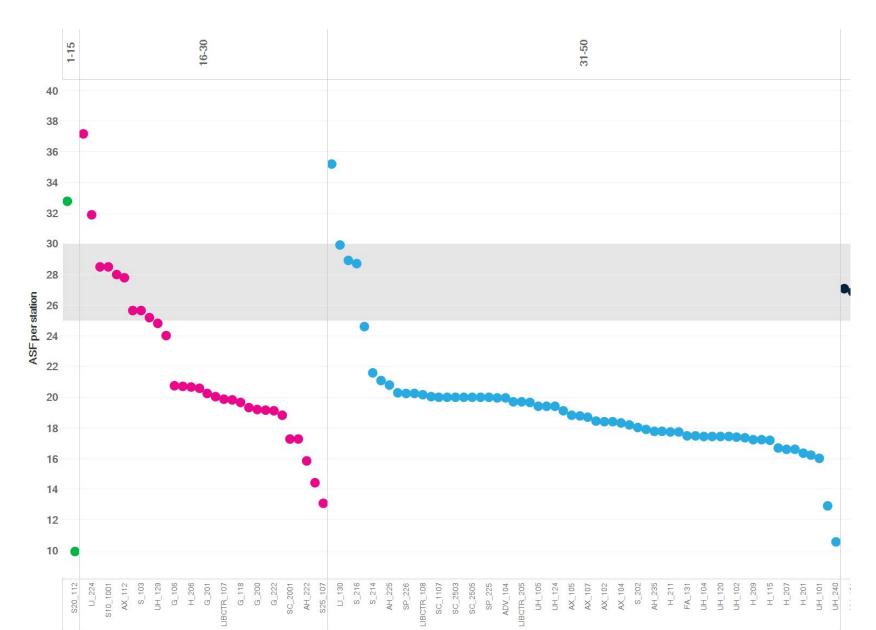




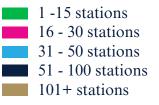
CLASSROOM OCCUPANCY + ROOM HOURS

Weekly Room Hours

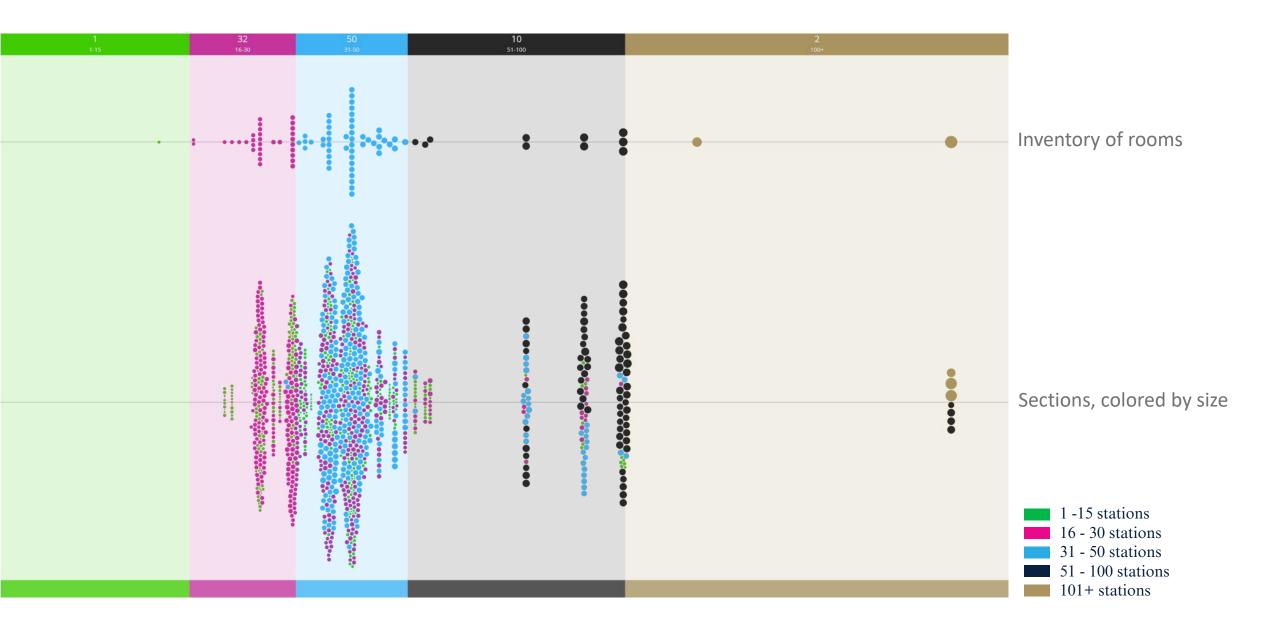
AVERAGE STATION SIZE PER STUDENT



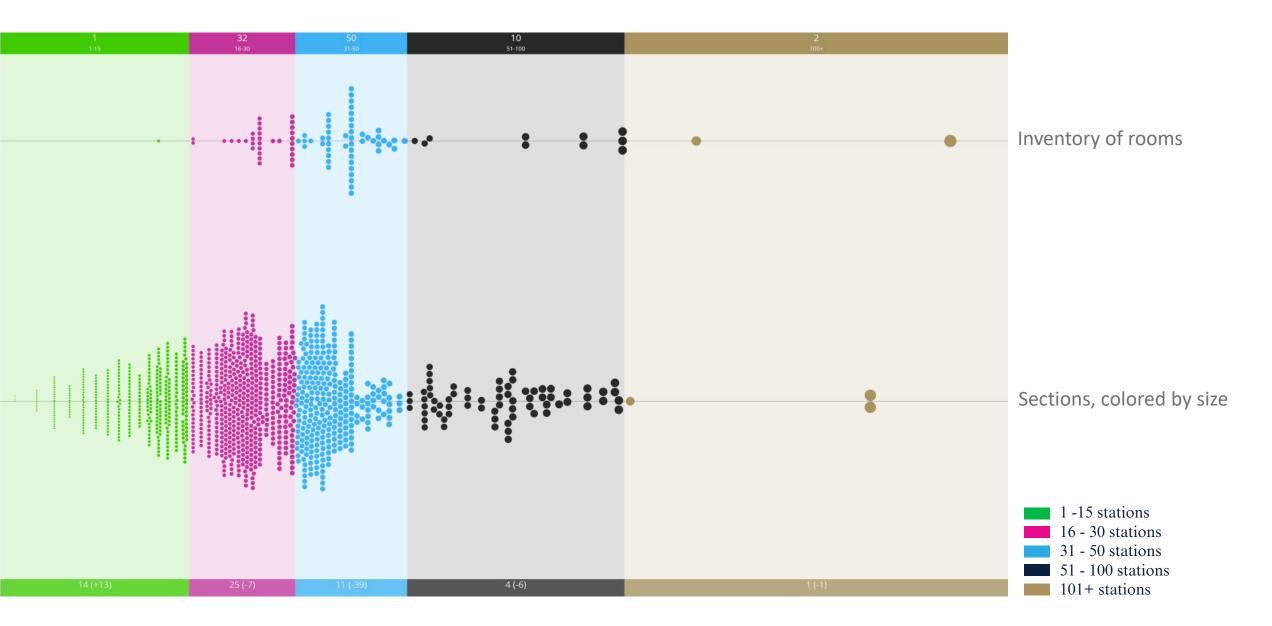
- Optimal station size for flexible classrooms is 25-30 asf
- Many of the classrooms fall below 20 asf per student
- Excludes Outlier of 222 asf / station in 1-15 range



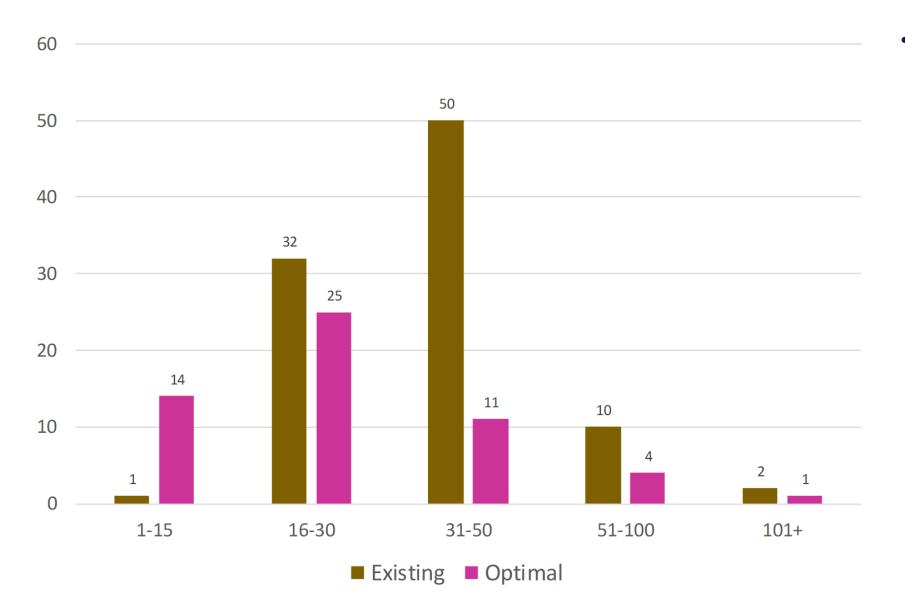
SEAT MIGRATION - EXISTING



SEAT MIGRATION - OPTIMAL

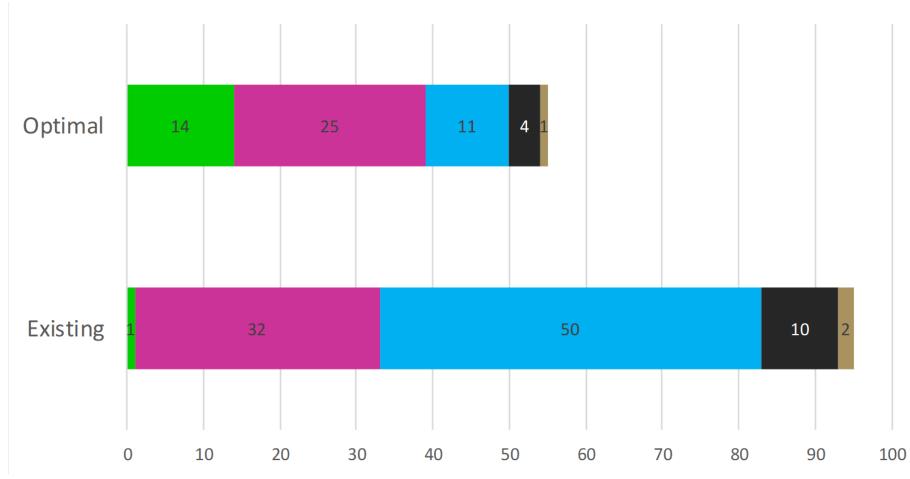


OPTIMIZED CLASSROOMS

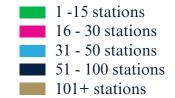


• 1-30 range have 33 need 39, in a deficit for rooms under 30 seats

OPTIMIZED CLASSROOMS



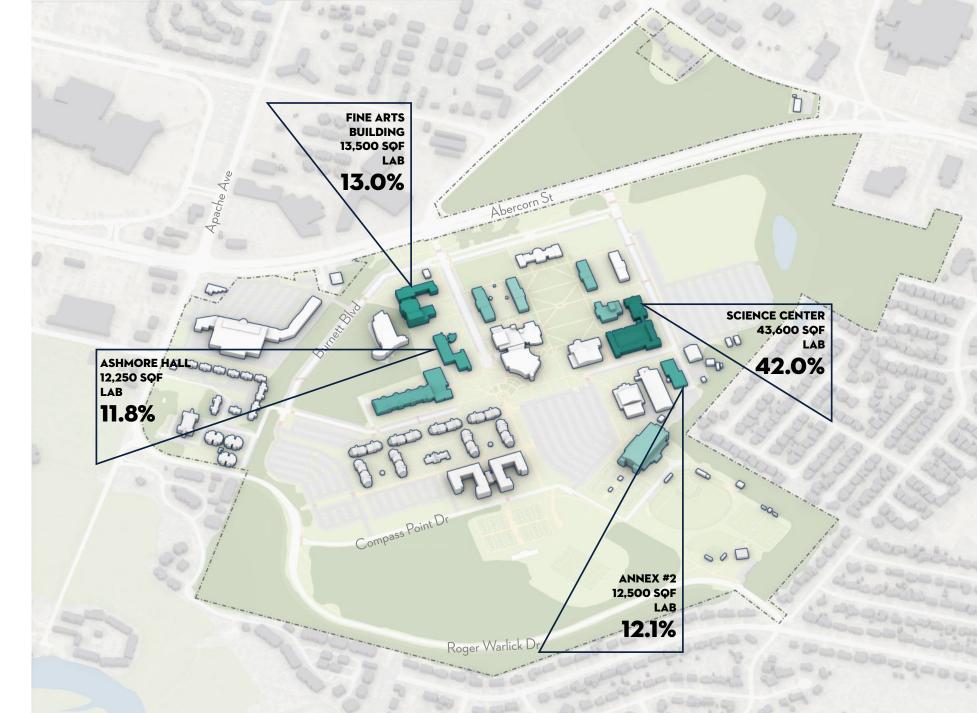
• When optimized, there is a surplus of existing room supply





CLASS LABS

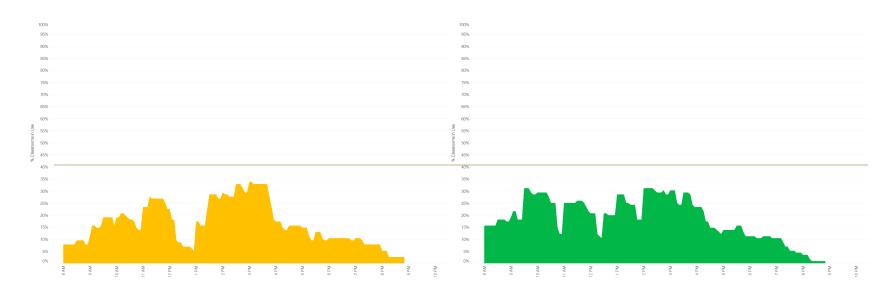
• The Science Center has the most amount of class labs.



43,600 sf

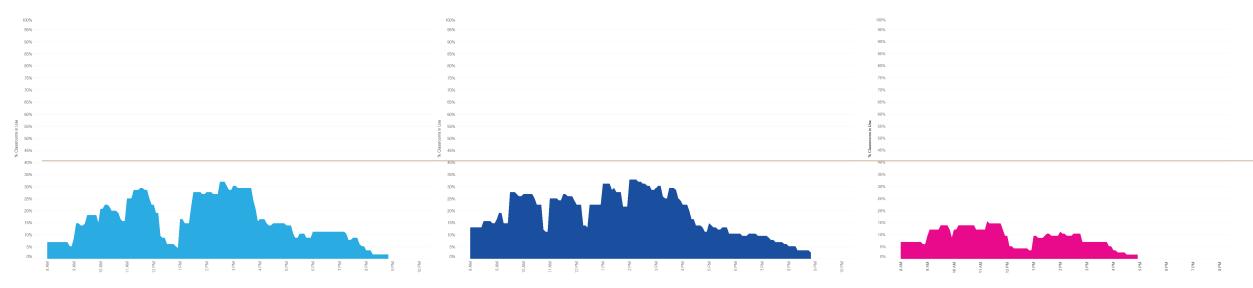
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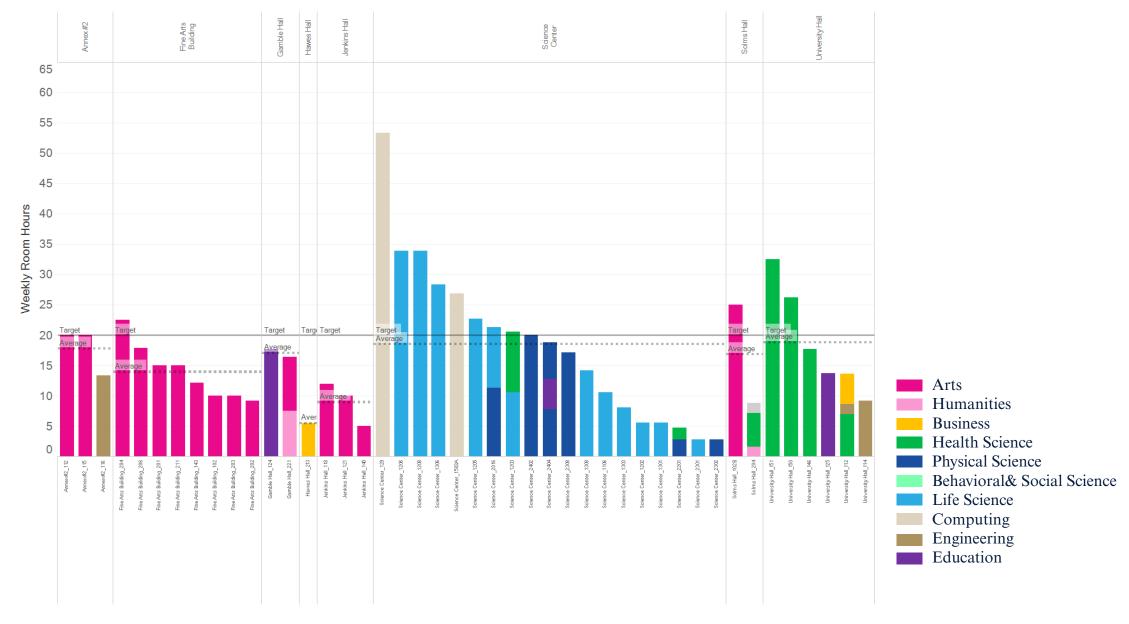


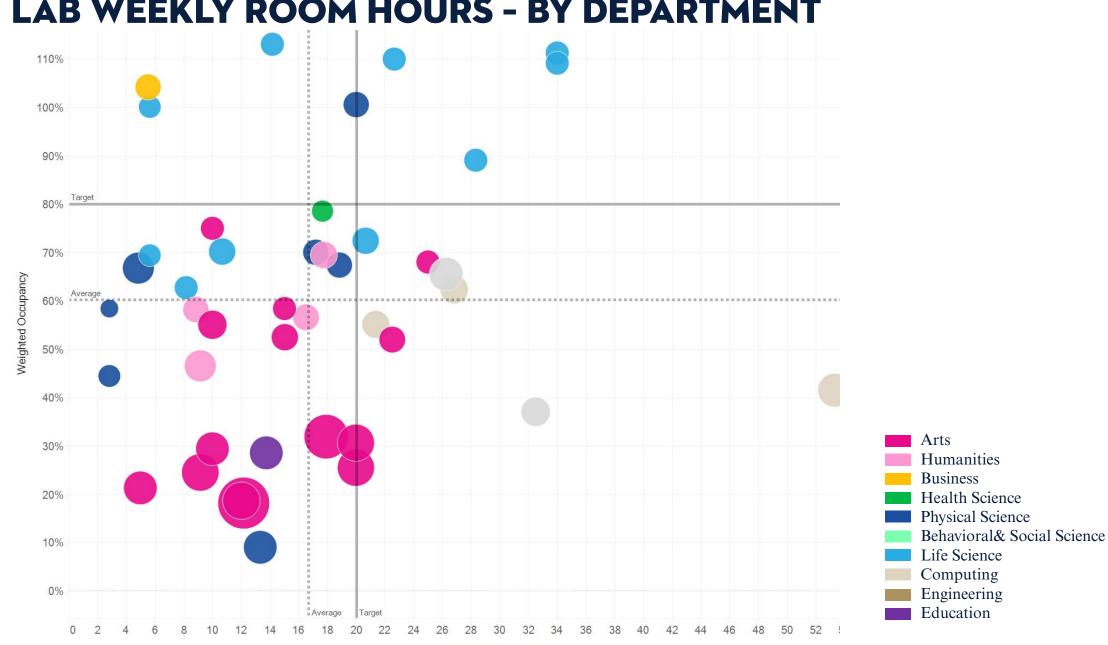


• The lab use is fairly distributed over the day and the week with exception to Friday which has the lowest use.



LAB ULTILATION BY BUILDING AND DEPARTMENTS





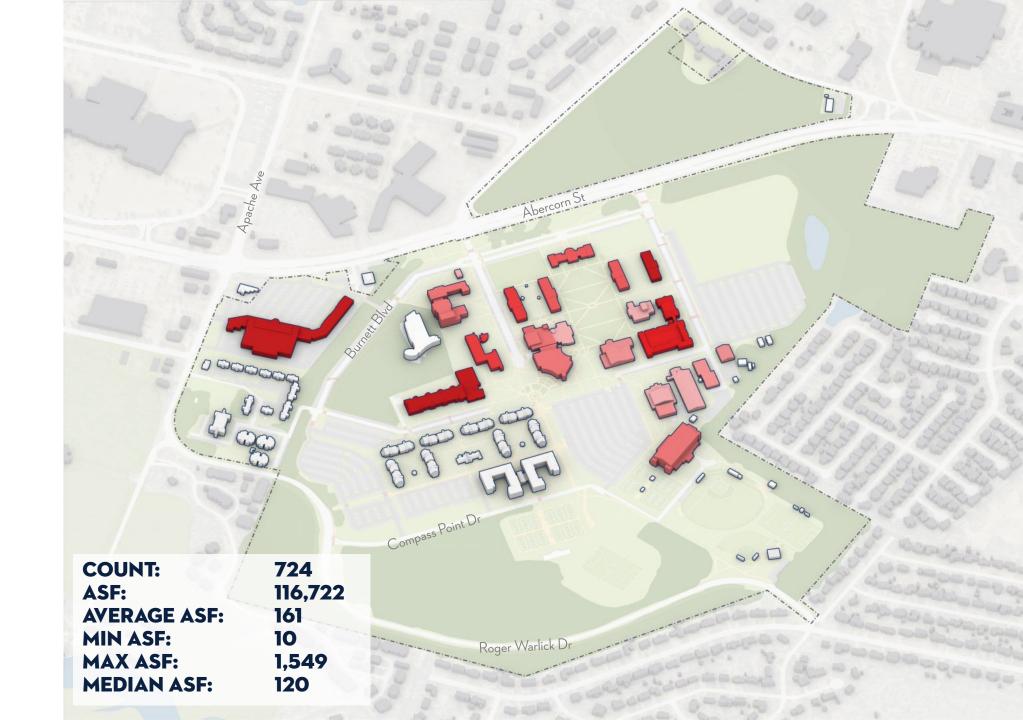
LAB WEEKLY ROOM HOURS - BY DEPARTMENT

Weekly Room Hours



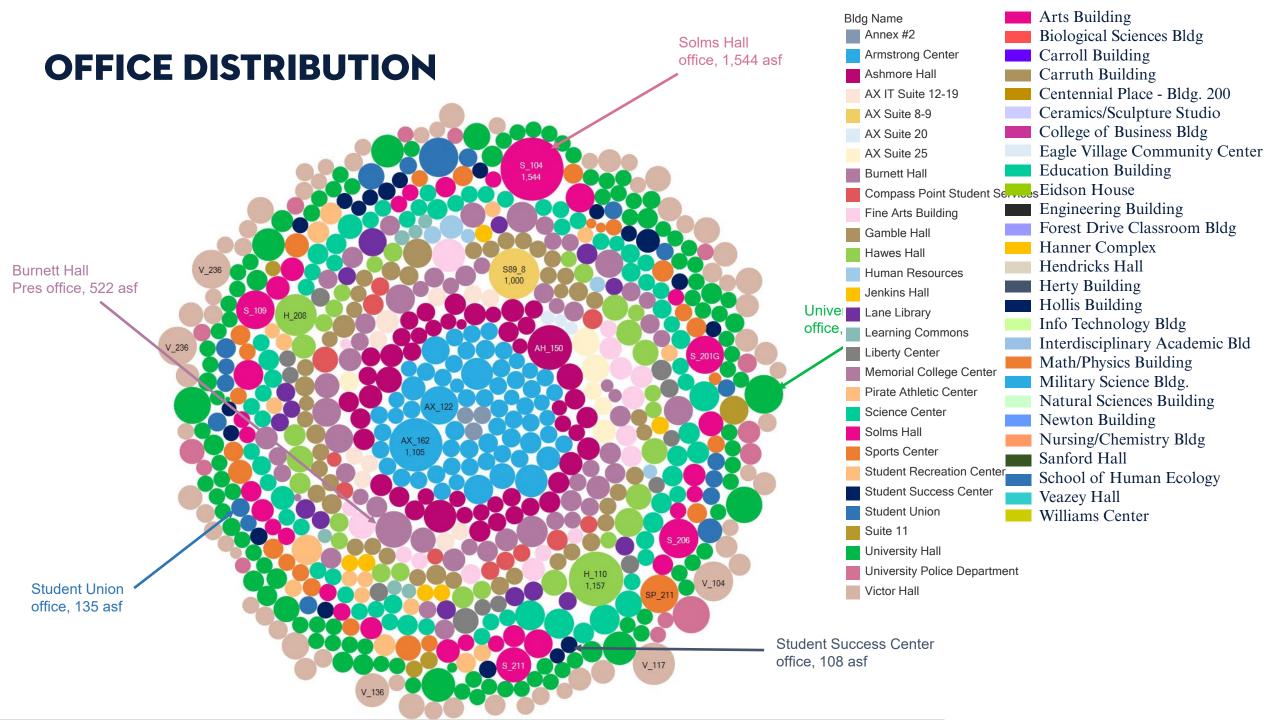
OFFICES

• Offices occupy 24.3% of the total building areas, except residential.

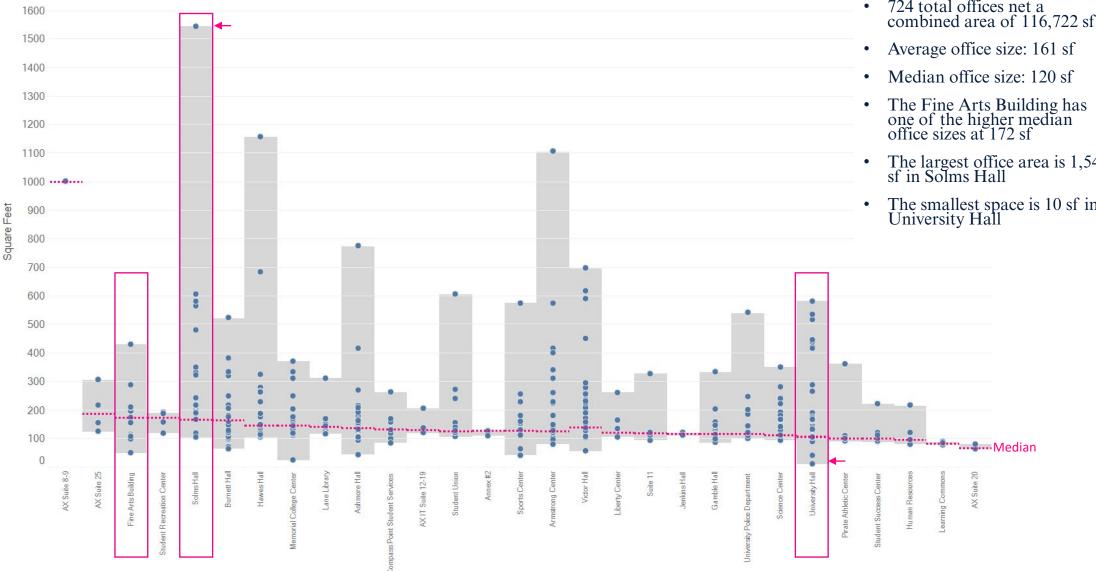


19,500 sf

9,500



MEDIAN OFFICE SIZE BY BUILDING

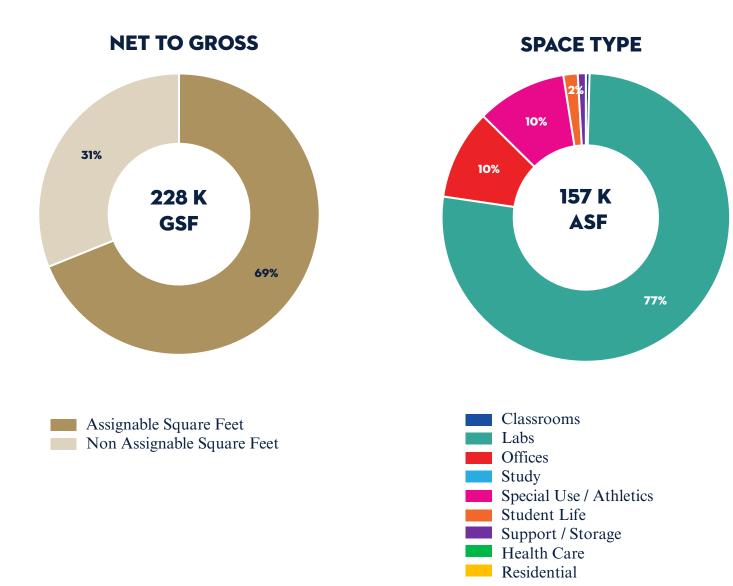


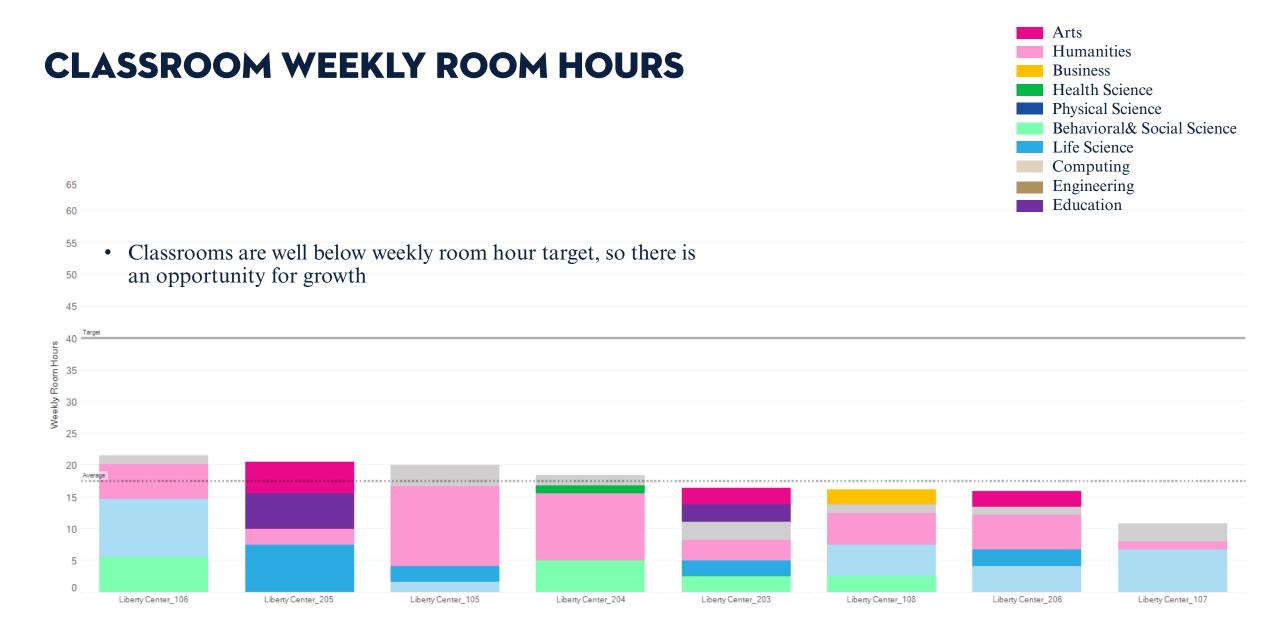
• 724 total offices net a combined area of 116,722 sf

- The largest office area is 1,549 sf in Solms Hall
- The smallest space is 10 sf in University Hall

O1 SPACE USE HINESVILLE

SPACE USE - HINESVILLE & SATELLITES



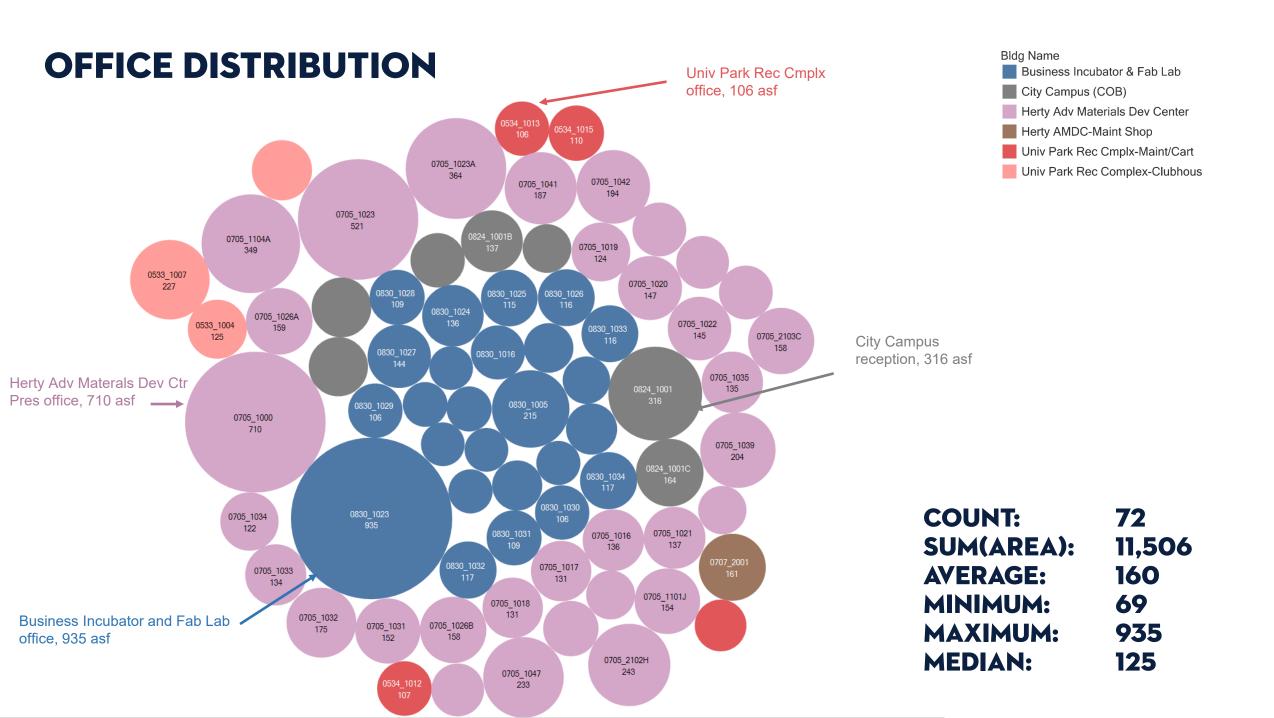


CLASSROOM UTILIZATION BY HOUR & DAY

	8 AM	9 AM	10 AM	11 AM	12 PM	1 PM	2 PM	3 PM	4 PM	5 PM	6 PM	7 PM	8 PM
Sunday								33%	33%				
Monday	11%	11%	11%	22%	11%		44%	44%	22%	67%	78%	78%	44%
Tuesday	11%	67%	56%	78%	78%	56%	44%	44%	11%	67%	78%	56%	11%
Wednesday	11%	11%	11%	22%	11%		33%	33%	22%	56%	56%	67%	44%
Thursday	11%	67%	56%	78%	78%	56%	56%	56%	11%	56%	78%	67%	22%

• High utilization after 4pm and between 9am and noon

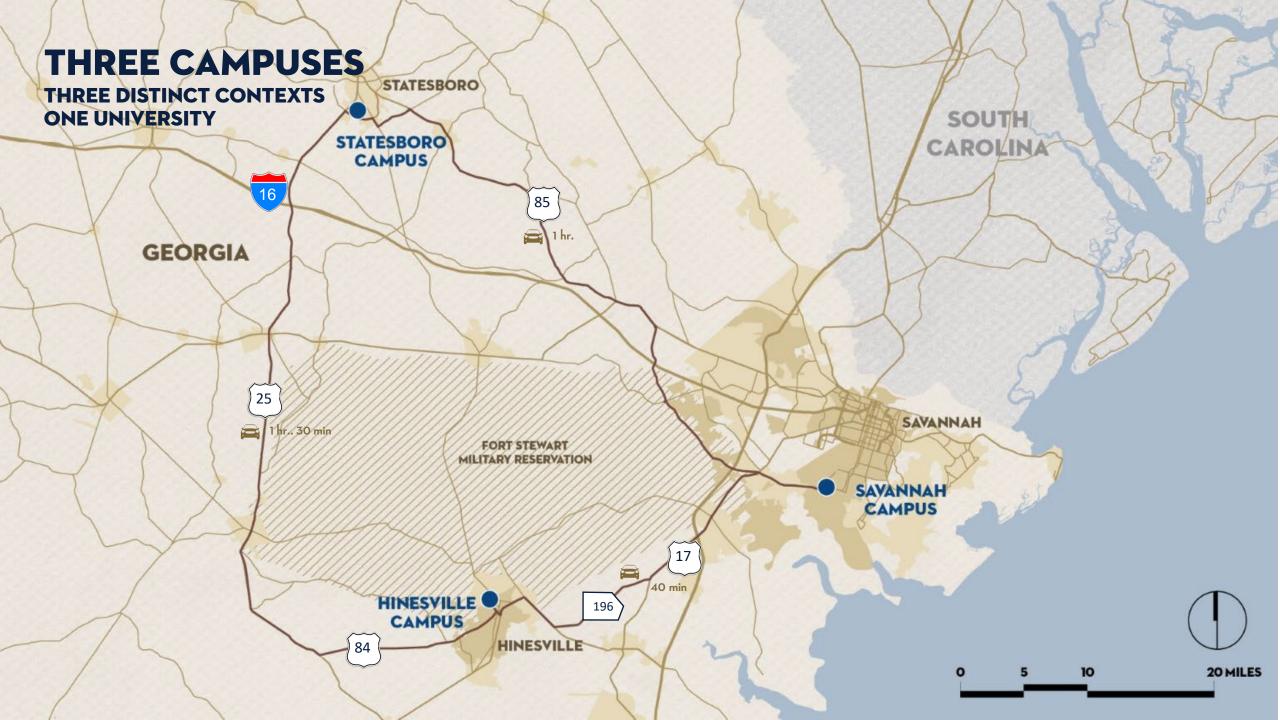
Above Target
On Target
Below Target
Underutilized
Minimal Use



02 PHYSICAL ANALYSIS

MISSION

The University provides **transformative learning opportunities** to meet the needs of a diverse student population through its legacy of commitment to academic excellence and personal attention. Through the shared resources of its **multiple locations**, the University **creates vibrant learning environments that foster an inclusive, student-centered culture of engagement designed to prepare students** for lifelong service as scholars, leaders, and responsible stewards of their communities. . .



O2 PHYSICAL ANALYSIS STATESBORQ

- 1. CONTEXT
- 2. HISTORY
- 3. CAMPUS LIFE
- 4. MOBILITY
- 5. NATURAL SYSTEMS
- 6. SUSTAINABILITY

CONTEXT

Statesboro Campus is **900 acres** of Georgian-style, red-brick **historic buildings and modern contemporary buildings set amid pines and oaks** and home to more than **20,000 students**.

CONTEXT

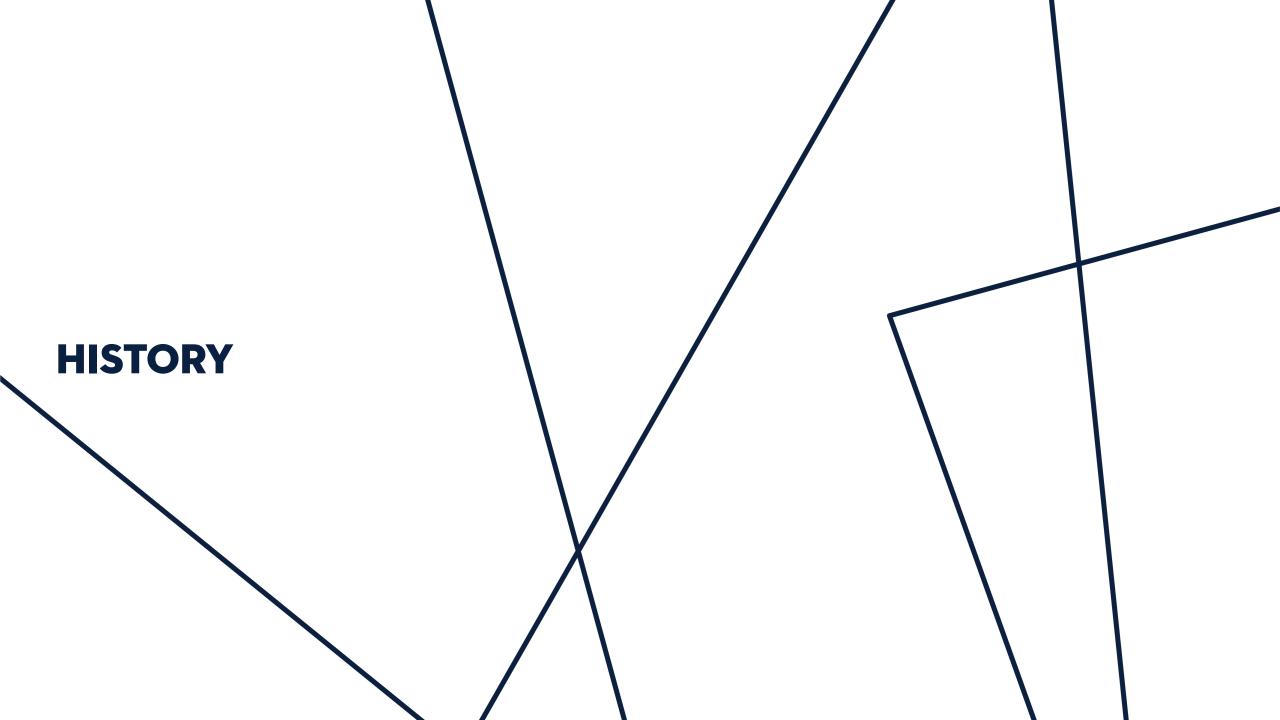
TOWN GOWN

- Statesboro campus is nested between South Main Street, Fair Road, and Veterans Memorial Parkway, with Blue Mile connecting to campus to downtown
- S&S Greenway is 'Rail to Trail' project adjacent to the campus providing a recreational amenity for community
- Adjacency to US 301 and US Highway 80 connect it to Savannah and Hinesville campuses
- Blue Mile
 Main Arterial Roads
 Active streets
 Campus Area
 S&S Greenway
 Commercial Zones
 Institutional buildings



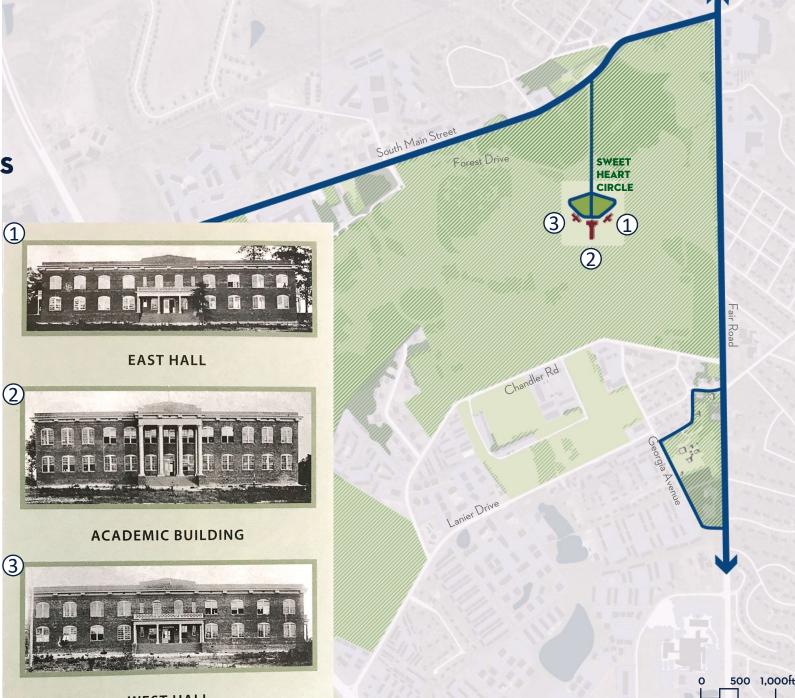


The **Statesboro Blue Mile** is the **approximately one mile** of Statesboro's Main St. that connects visitors and students from Georgia Southern University to the heart of downtown Statesboro.



1906 ORIGINS OF STATESBORO CAMPUS

- The Statesboro Campus was founded in 1906 as a school for teaching modern agricultural production techniques and homemaking skills to rural school children.
- East Hall was a thirty-six room dormitory for the girls. West Hall had forty-two rooms for boys.
- The original campus was clustered around a green forest, today known as Sweetheart Circle

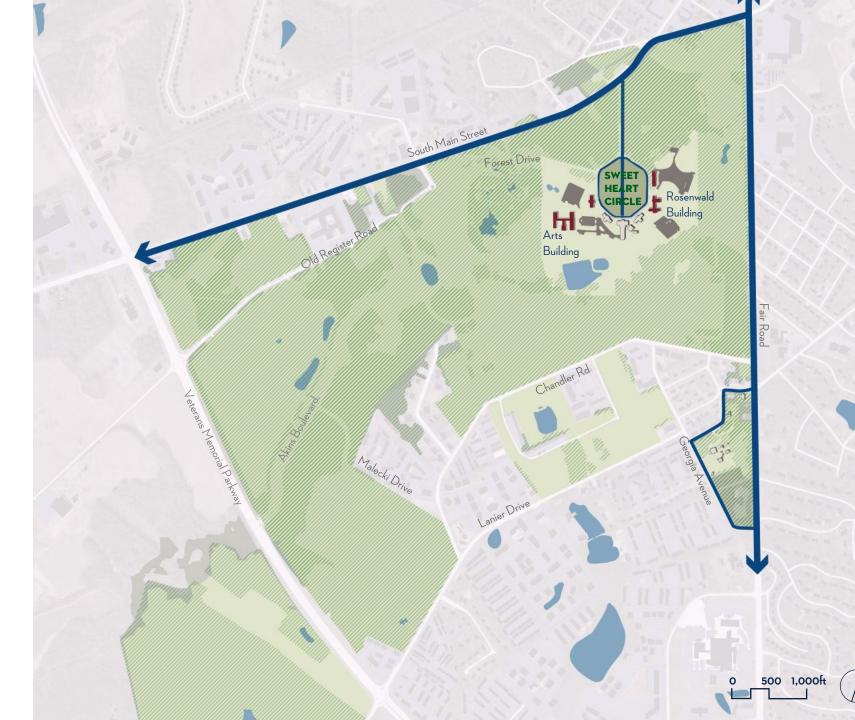


1926 NORMAL SCHOOL FACILITIES MASTER PLAN

The institution's name and mission were changed in 1924 to Georgia Normal School as **a training ground for educators**, though it continued to accept "preparatory" or high school students. Five years later in 1929, full-fledged **senior college status** was granted as South Georgia Teachers College.

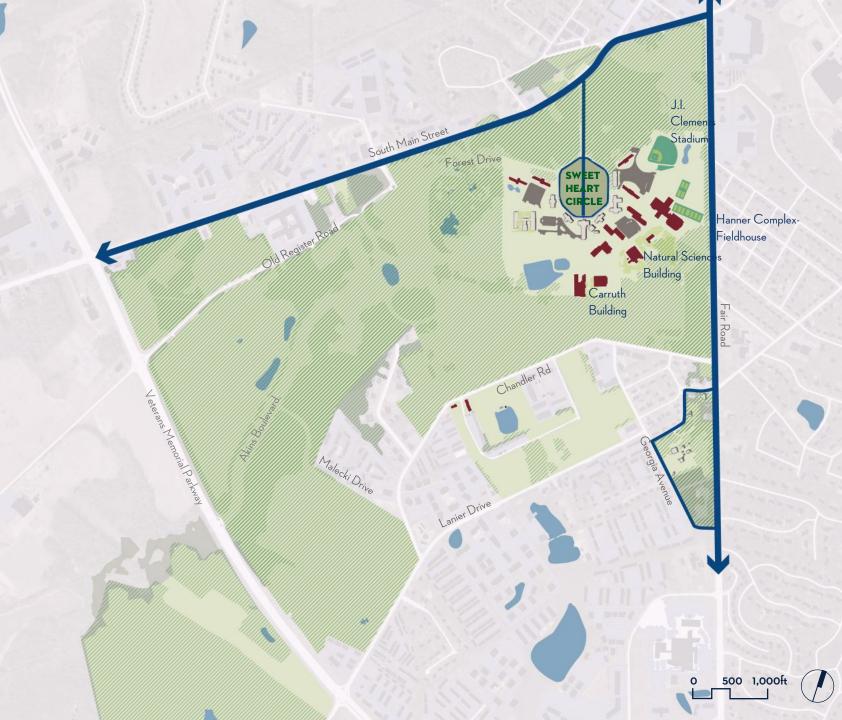
1937 CAMPUS CLUSTER

- Known as the Georgia Teachers College in 1939, President Wells hired an architect to design for campus growth.
- Arts Building, Alumni Building, Science Building, and Laboratory Building were constructed as red brick buildings
- A lake on campus was built, similar to the old Gooseberry Pond.



1950S-1970S SOUTH AND EASTERN EXPANSION

- Institution known as Georgia Southern College in 1959
- Campus growth is clustered east and south of the original campus core with academic buildings and athletic/recreational amenities



1970-1990 RAPID CAMPUS GROWTH

- Major campus growth occurs from 1984-1991, when enrollment doubled from just over 6,000 to more than 12,000 students
- By 1990, the institution is named Georgia Southern University
- Campus development includes Allen E. Paulson Stadium, campus life amenities, and residential halls



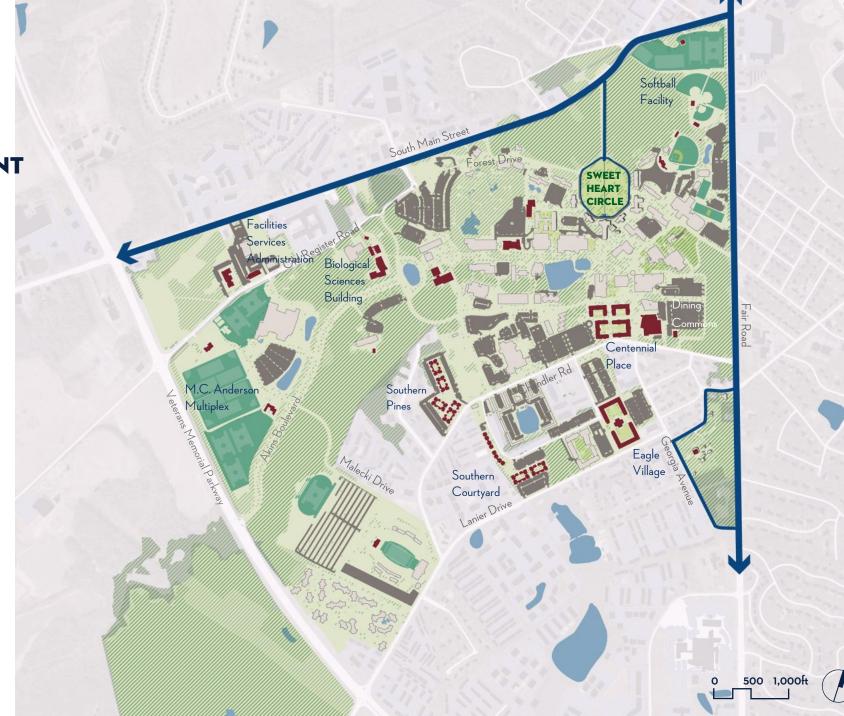
1990-2003 CAMPUS EXPANSION

- Significant campus core enhancements and infill with academic and cultural facilities
- Southwest expansion of the campus with student housing, and athletics and recreation



2010-2018 CURRENT CAMPUS ENVIRONMENT

- Today, the Statesboro 900-acre campus has approximately 20,500 students and 5.5 million gross square feet of space
- Can future campus planning build off the campus history with efforts in compactness and blending historic and modern facilities and open spaces?



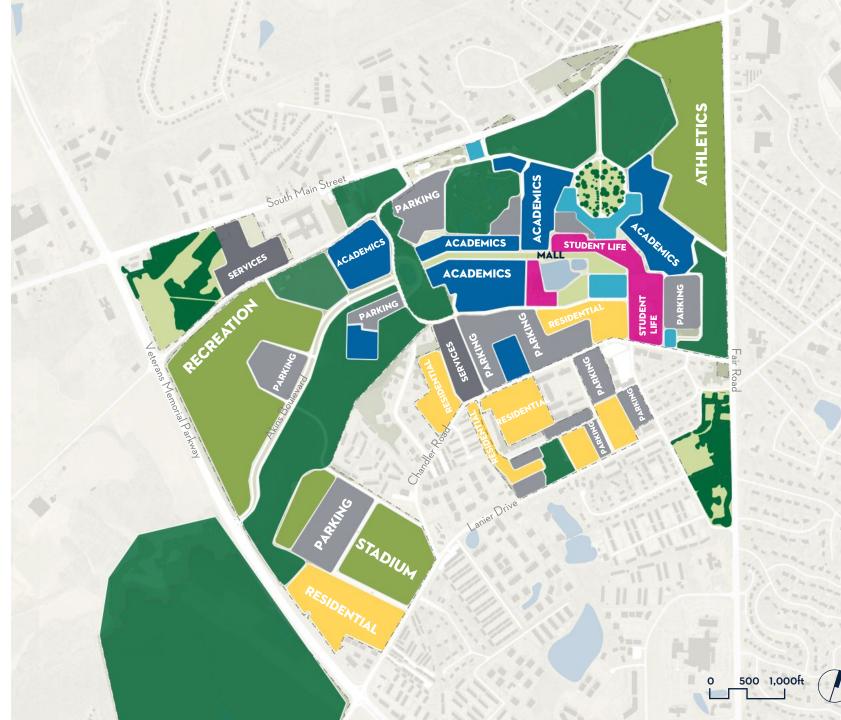


CAMPUS USES

ZONES

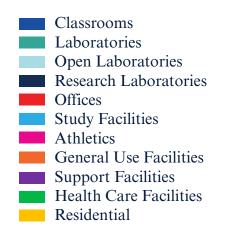
- Academic and student life uses are concentrated within a campus core
- Residential uses/student housing and athletics/recreation are placed on the periphery, separated from the core campus by surface parking
- The campus is interspersed with wooded areas and open spaces that support the 'Sustainability on Campus' initiative.

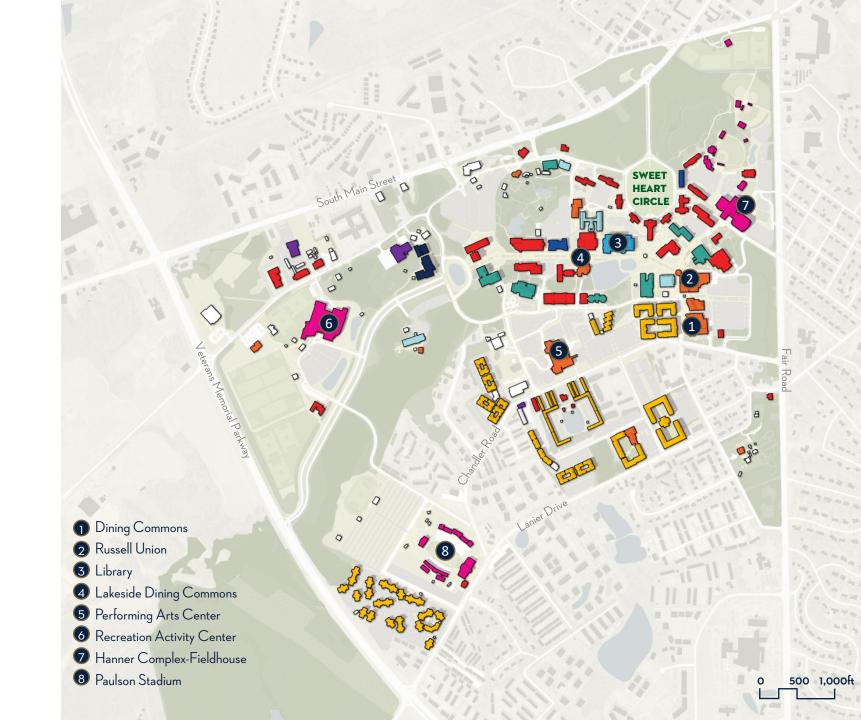
Administration
Student Life
Academic
Athletics/Recreation
Student Housing
Woodlands
Parking
Services



CAMPUS USES

BY BUILDING





STUDENT LIFE

- Student housing communities are located within the southern periphery of the campus
- Russell Union, Dining Commons, Lakeside Dining, Williams
 Center, and Henderson Library are strategically located, reinforcing the academic core

Study FacilitiesAthleticsGeneral Use FacilitiesResidential



HEART OF CAMPUS MYCAMPUS SURVEY

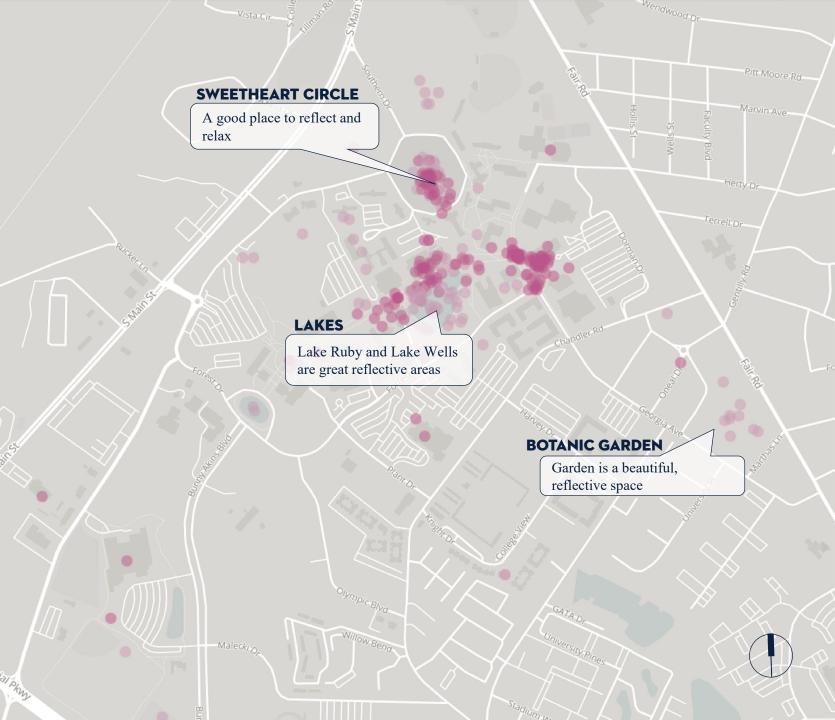
- The Mall becomes the heart of campus between classes, with all of the foot traffic
- Russell Union is identified by many as the heart because it has places to eat, and holds classes and events, but it lacks in quality.
- Sweetheart Circle is considered to be the heart of campus by many, despite being removed from the hustle and bustle.

wonderful historic integrity **HENDERSON LIBRARY** Students study and hangout in the library **RUSSELL UNION** This building is the center of campus activity. Unfortunately it is woefully MALL outdated. [The Mall] is so important to the character and life of Georgia Southern

SWEETHEART CIRCLE Gorgeous landscaping and Pitt-Moore Rd

HEART + REFLECTION AREAS MYCAMPUS SURVEY

- Sweetheart circle is widely considered a reflective space.
- Lake Ruby and Lake Wells are beautiful natural areas where people go to reflect.
- The places that are identified as the heart of campus are used as places of reflection as well.



HEART, REFLECTION, & WELCOMING MYCAMPUS SURVEY

- Akins Boulevard is a welcoming entrance to campus.
- The Library is a welcoming place for reflection where many people gather.



OPEN SPACE

Green space is fundamental to the emotional and intellectual wellbeing of the humans on campus.

This is a nice place for students and events.

PLAZA

QUALITY OF ENVIRONMENT

Welcoming...but overall, sterile.

MALL [The Mall] is a beautiful walking

area

AKINS BOULEVARD

Marvin Av

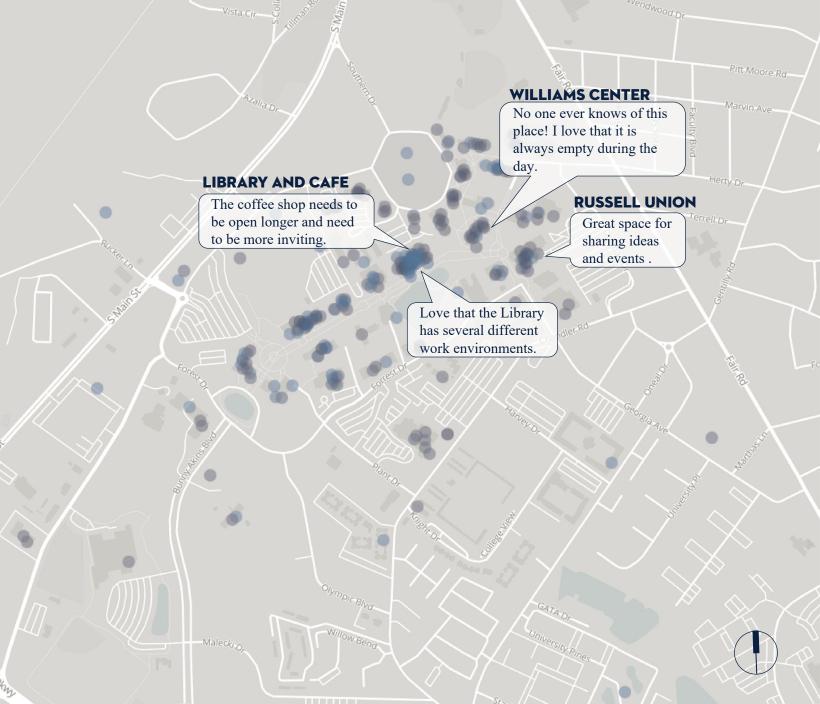
STUDY & COLLABORATE MYCAMPUS SURVEY

- Henderson Library has spaces to study quietly or collaborate.
- Many people like to study in Russell Union, but would like it to have more space, and to be renovated.
- There is collaboration happening in offices and classrooms.

Study

Collaborate

• Studying and collaboration happens in the Library and Russell Union as well as in the Williams center.



EAT, HANG-OUT, & RECREATE MYCAMPUS SURVEY

- Many good food options on campus, that students are happy with.
- Students are happy with the Recreation Activity Center facilities.
- Many comments around adding food in the Information Technology Building.

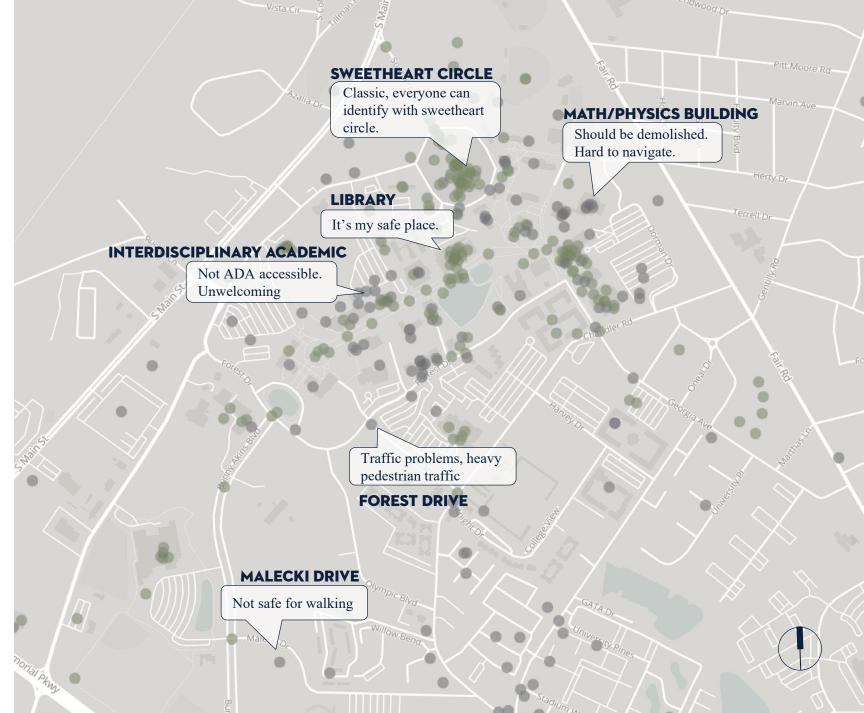
SWEETHEART CIRCLE Beautiful and well kept, but maybe some more seating! **RUSSELL UNION** Students enjoy Chickfil-a and Starbucks **INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY** Need more options for food here. Great place to eat with a lot of good options. **DINING COMMONS** Love it in here, and love that there is a bus stop, conference rooms, and different exercise rooms! **RECREATION ACTIVITY CENTER**



WELCOMING/UNWELCOMING MYCAMPUS SURVEY

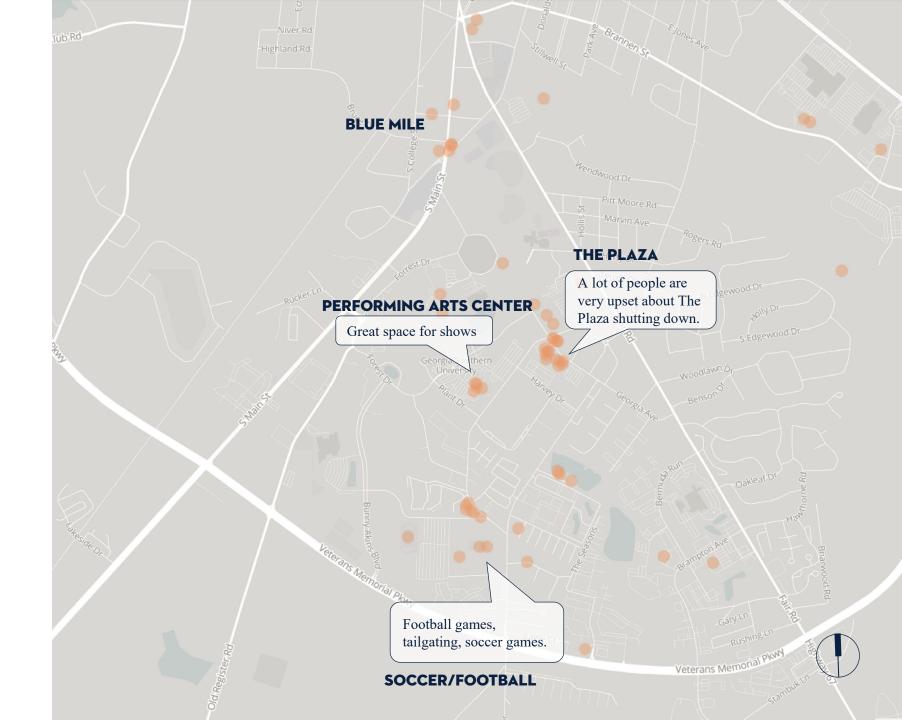
- The area south of the center of campus is not well lit, and many students feel unsafe walking there.
- A pattern of welcoming spaces exist within the core, Sweetheart Circle and near the Student Union.
- Unwelcoming areas exist around the outskirts of the core, near parking, and areas with heavy traffic.

Welcoming Un-Welcoming



GO OUT MYCAMPUS SURVEY

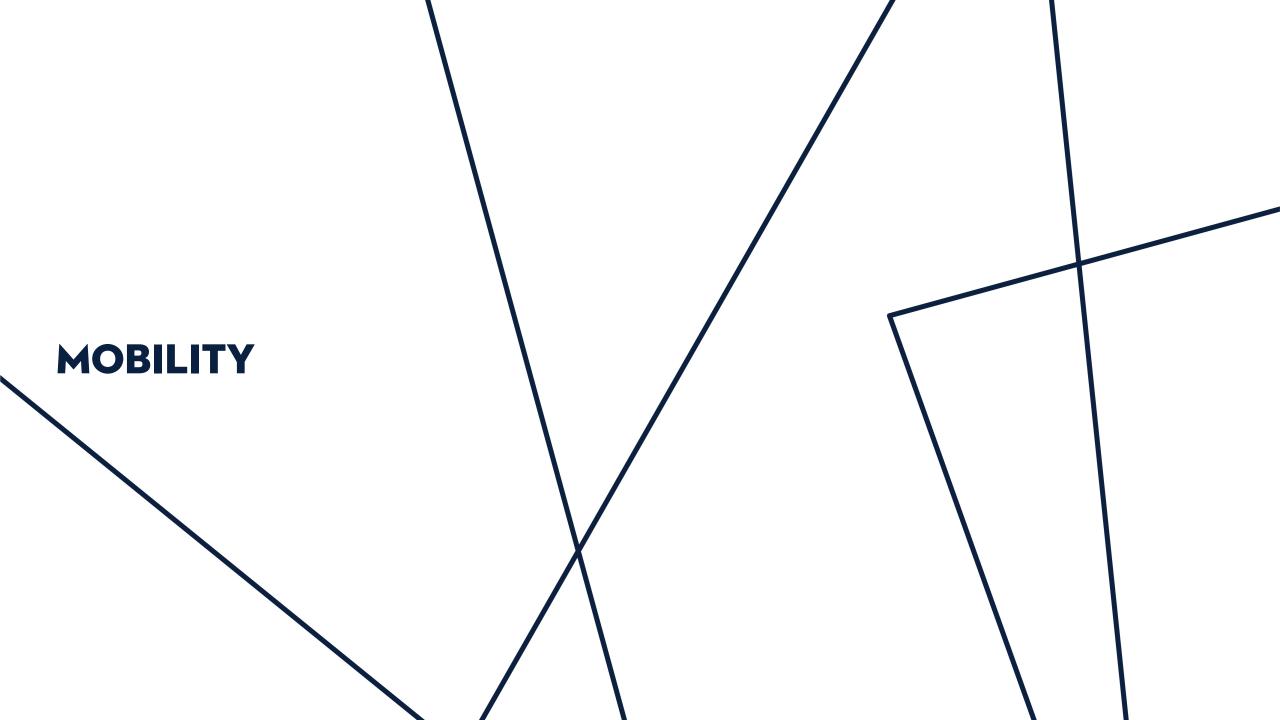
- The Plaza was the main place for going out, and it is shutting down.
- Students hang-out surrounding sporting events



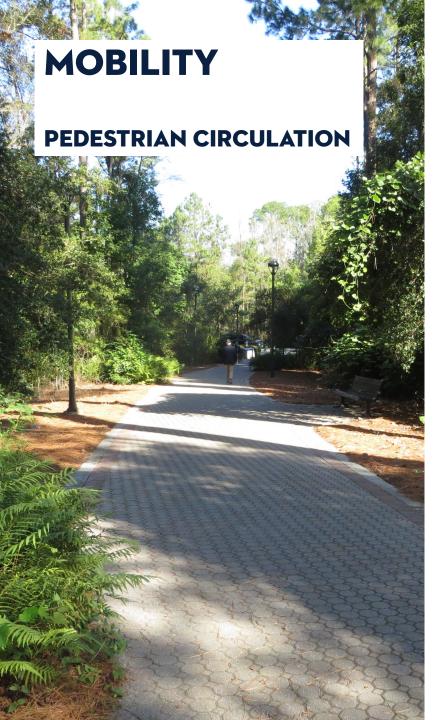
• Student life amenities are distributed across the campus, but there may be opportunities for strengthening the south and west areas for campus users















PEDESTRIAN CIRCULATION MYCAMPUS SURVEY

- High intensity of pedestrian flow along the Mall – academic and student life corridor
- Includes high volumes between Lot 42 and Dining Commons
- Many students walk from Sanford Hall to Library and dining through internal connections
- Students take Chandler Road toward private housing in South

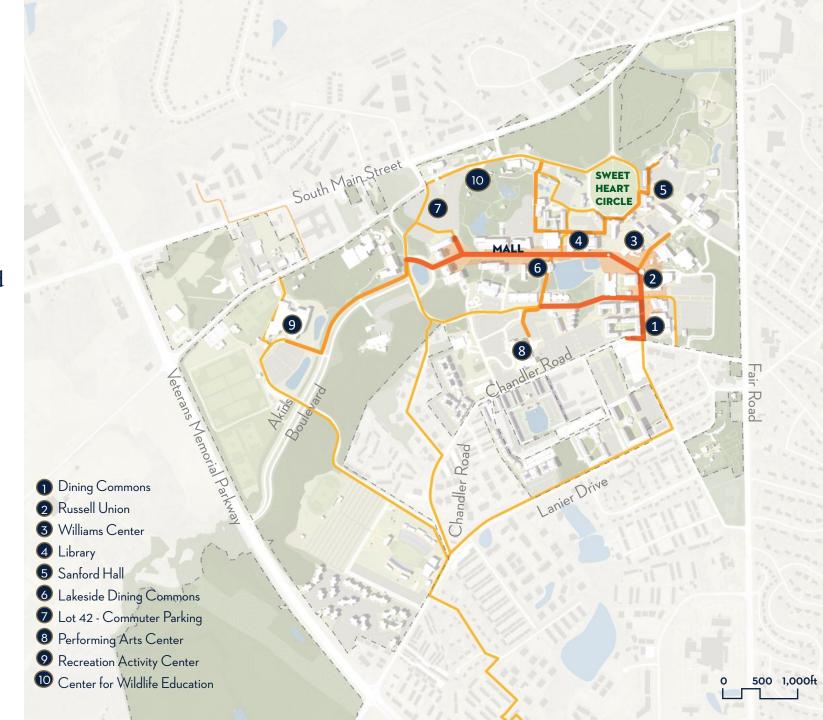
- Pedestrian Movement



ANALYSIS

- Many students prefer to take internal connections
- South of Chandler lacks strong and welcoming pedestrian paths
- City streets feel off-campus
- Pedestrians filter across parking lots south of Chandler
- The Center for Wildlife Education is an opportunity for better connectivity

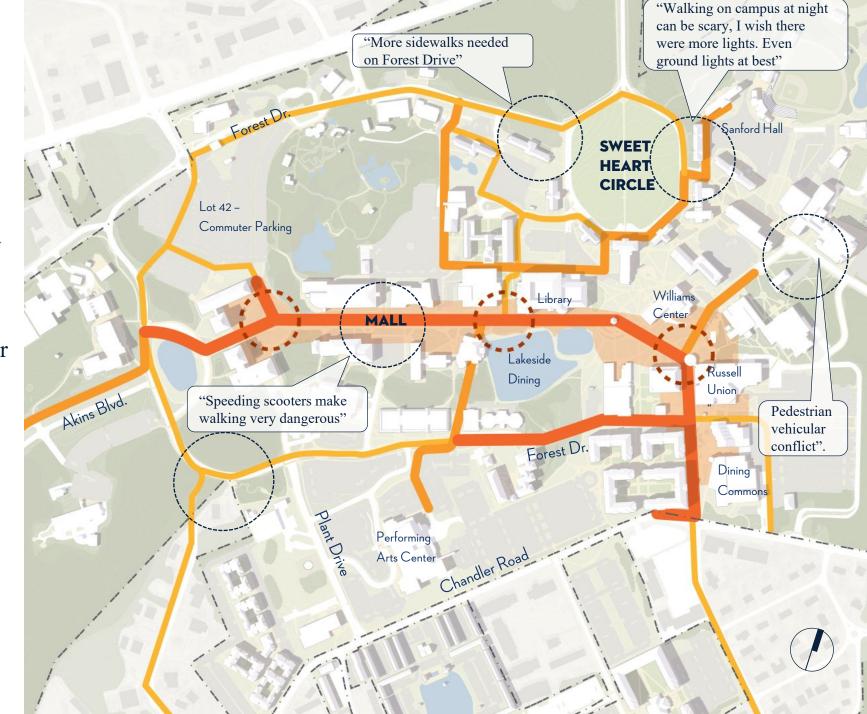
Main Pedestrian Movement
Secondary Pedestrian Movement
City Streets
Parking Lot



PEDESTRIAN CIRCULATION AND CONFLICT ZONES

- Periphery of the campus is not as pedestrian-friendly as the core area
- South of Forest Drive, parking is dominant
- Between Chandler Road and Lanier Drive, public street grid and outparcels supersede campus environment
- Pedestrian/vehicular conflicts on Forest Drive between Akins Boulevard and Plant Drive





BIKE AND SCOOTER CIRCULATION

1360 SOUTHERN DR.

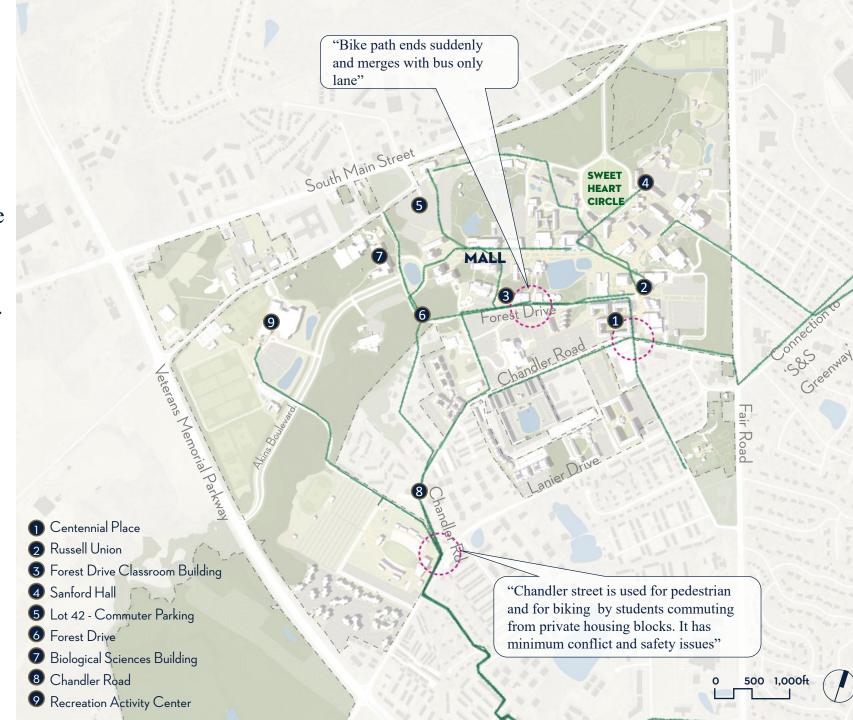
GEORGIA SOUTHERN CARROLL BUILDING

SOCIOLOGY & ANTHROPOLOGY POLITICAL SCIENCE & INTERNATIC STUDIES CRIMINAL JUSTICE & CRIMINOLOG PUBLIC & NONPROFIT STUDIES

BIKE CIRCULATION MY CAMPUS

- Bicycles are heavily used, with bike share increasingly gaining popularity
- Campus scale supports bike/scooter use for travel to/from residence halls and nearby off-campus housing
- Scooters have quickly been integrated into campus traffic flow
- Bike/vehicular common streets have potential conflicts due to difference in speed and shared single lane roads.

Bike Circulation Bike path/vehicular conflict junctions

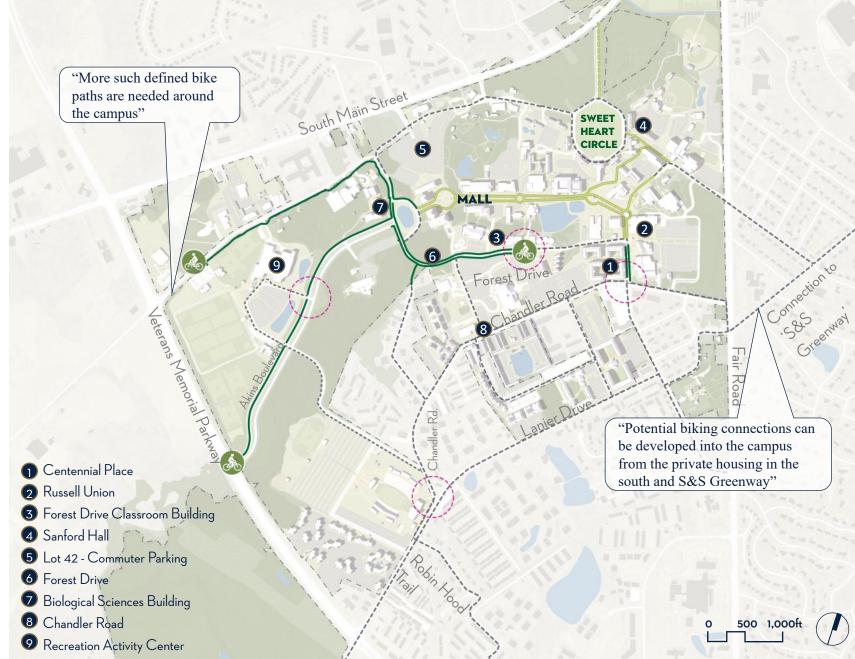


BIKE CIRCULATION AND CONFLICT ZONES

- Limited bike lane network
- No bike accommodation on Chandler Road
- Chandler Road-to-Robin Hood Trail connection is used to access private housing south of Lanier Dr.
- Bike/Pedestrian separation is possible on the Mall, but would be difficult to enforce



Defined Bike lanes
 Bike-Vehicular common streets
 Bike-Pedestrian common path
 Bike path/vehicular conflict junctions



SCOOTERS & BIKE SHARE

- Service Agreement with Lime: "Use of the public way, and Lime's operations within the University, shall, at a minimum:
- a) not adversely affect University Property or the University's streets or sidewalks;
- b) not adversely affect the property of any third parties;
- c) not inhibit pedestrian or vehicular movement within the public way or along other property or rights-of-way owned or controlled by the University
- d) not create conditions which are a threat to public safety and security."
- Lime compensates users for charging electric bikes & scooters using University power.



TRANSIT CIRCULATION

- 40k 45k students ride the bus weekly
- Blue route connects to the residence halls
- Gold route serves the Stadium parking lot
- Sweetheart circulates between Stadium and Sweetheart Circle
- Gold is the most heavily ridden route, with Blue close behind
- Sweetheart route only has about 400 riders per week.

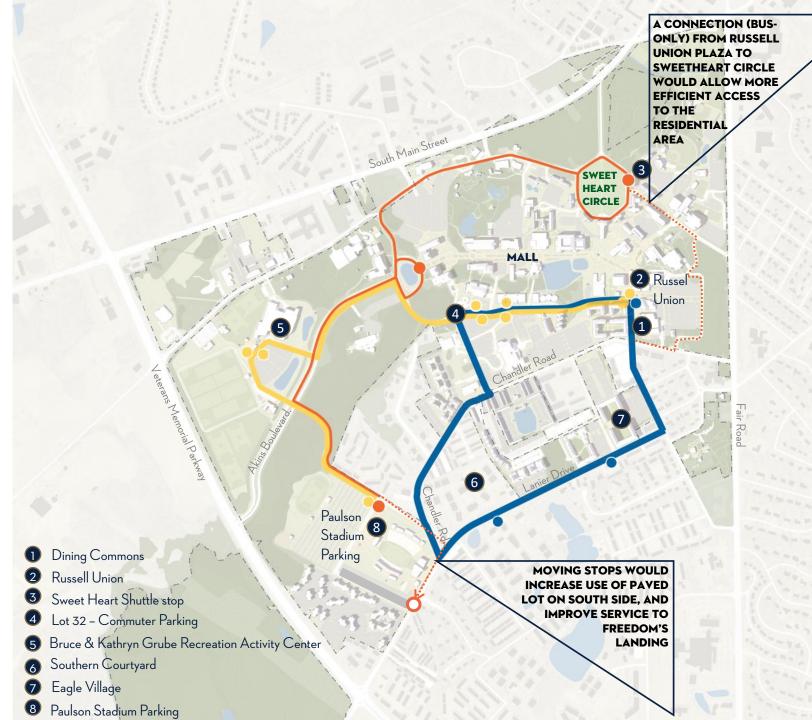
SweetheartGoldBlue



ROUTE STRUCTURE

- The three routes were developed independently to serve particular needs
- Gold and Sweetheart routes both go to Paulson Stadium parking, but Sweetheart carries very few riders
- Blue route efficiently serves residential area, but one-way loop reduces effectiveness
- Bus stops at Paulson encourage use of sensitive grass lot – moving stops would increase use of paved lot on south side, and improve service to Freedom's Landing

Gold Blue



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VEHICULAR AND PARKING

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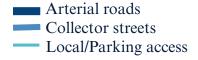
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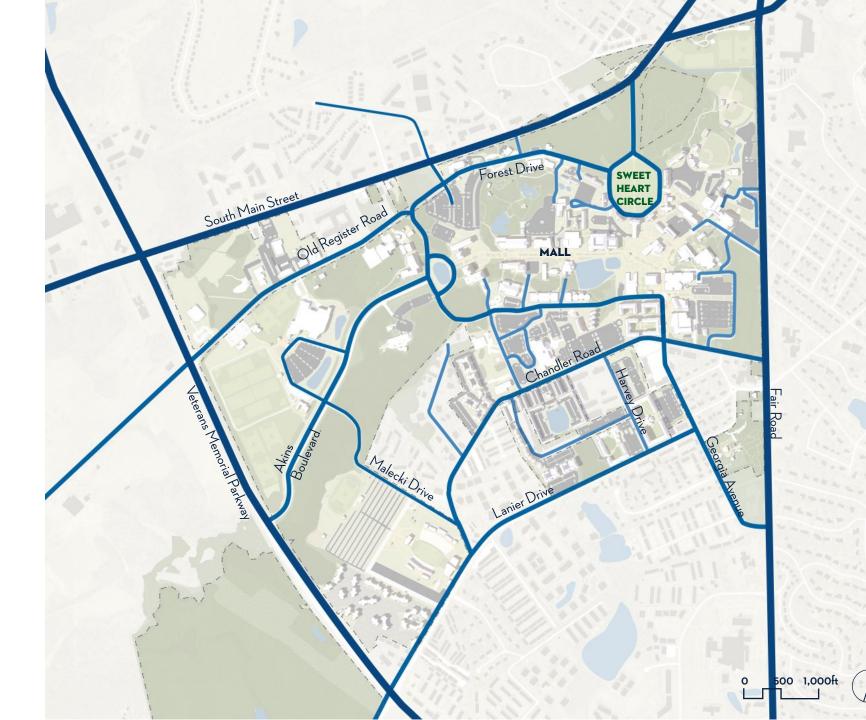
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VEHICULAR HIERARCHY

- Forest Drive South bus/bike restriction protects campus core from traffic
- There is potential to extend this bus/bike restriction to Akins Boulevard
- Chandler Road carries regional cut-through traffic

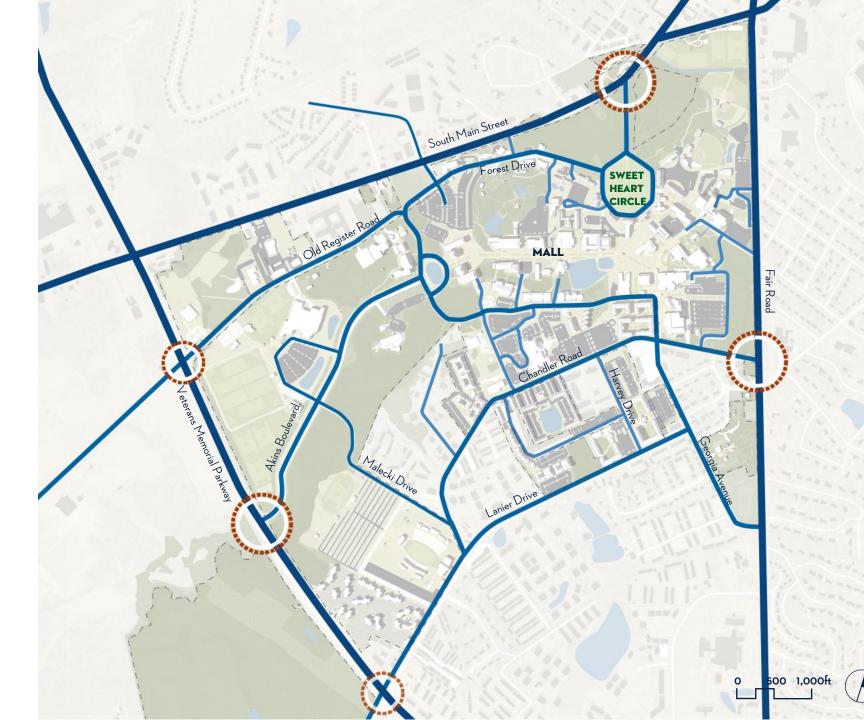




VEHICULAR GATEWAYS

- South Main Street entry has historically been the 'ceremonial gateway' of Sweet Heart Circle
- Old Register Road and Akins Boulevard are more of 'commuter gateway' for students and employees driving to the campus
- Lanier Drive does not read as a gateway
- South edge of campus is anonymous

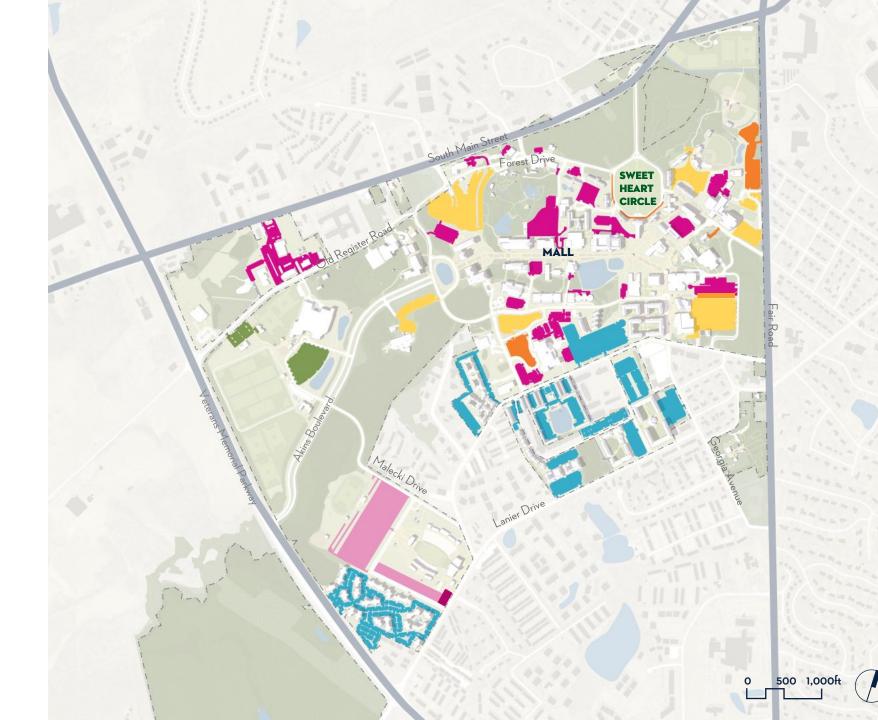
Gateways



PARKING

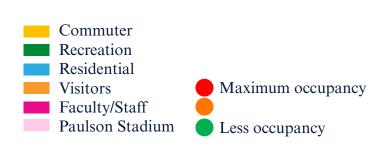
- Large lots at edge of campus core keep mall corridor pedestrian-friendly
- However, parking intrudes between Sweetheart Circle and the mall

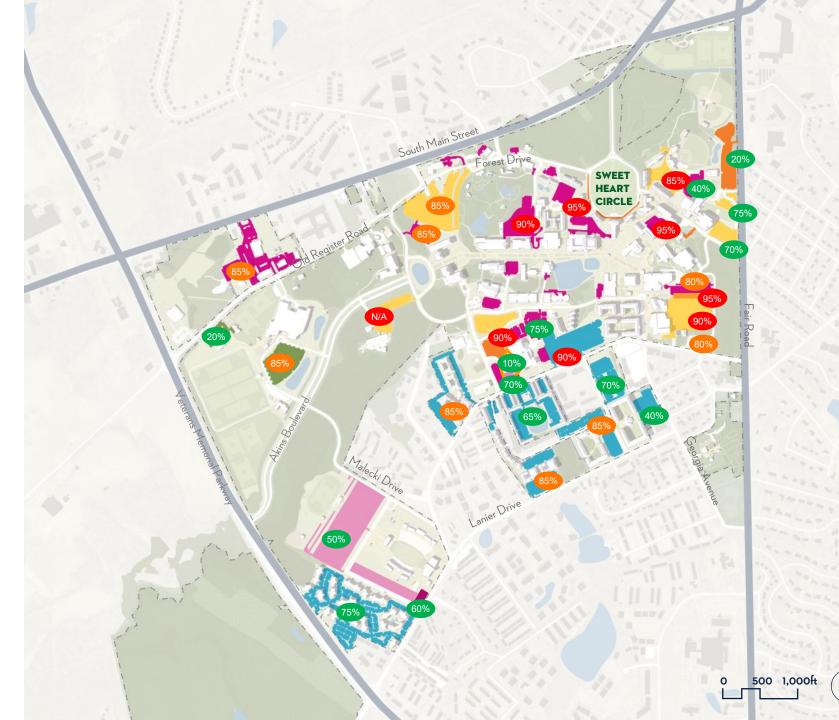


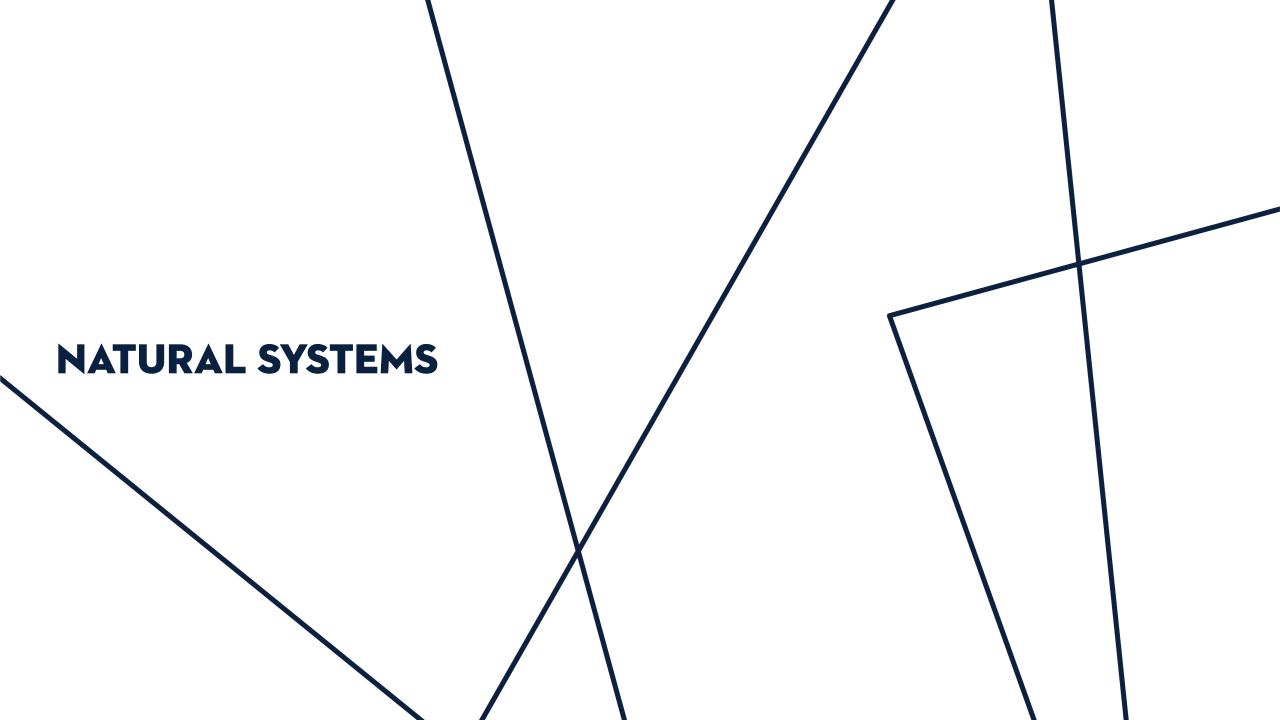


PARKING OCCUPANCY

- Occupancy of commuter parking (student and employee) is a function of proximity to destination and access from regional arteries
- Residential parking, which dominates the southern side of campus, has excess capacity
- Stadium parking has available capacity, but grass surface would need more maintenance

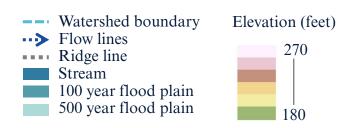


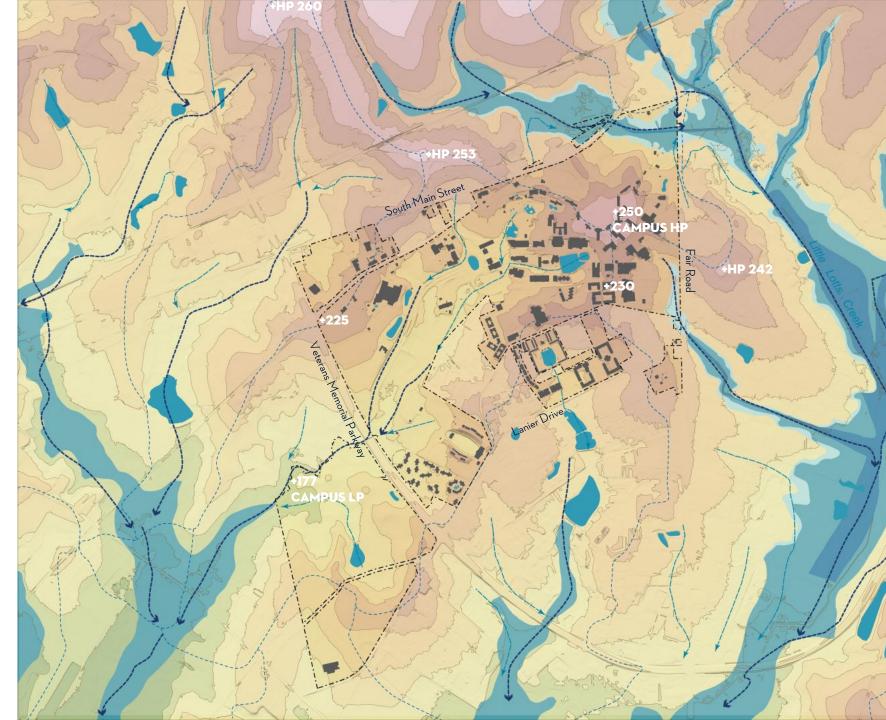




TOPOGRAPHY & HYDROLOGY

- Sweetheart Circle is the highest elevation of the campus; south of Veterans Memorial Parkway is the lowest elevation point on campus
- The northeast area of the campus (recreational and athletic uses) is located near the flood plain
- Stormwater is flowing into Little Lotts Creek and Beautiful Eagle Creek

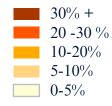




SLOPES

• The campus sits on a sand hill elevated from the surrounding flood plain

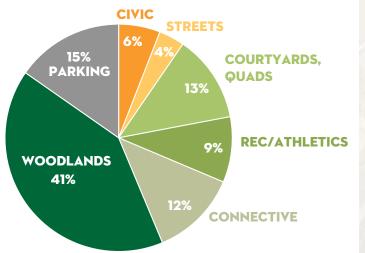


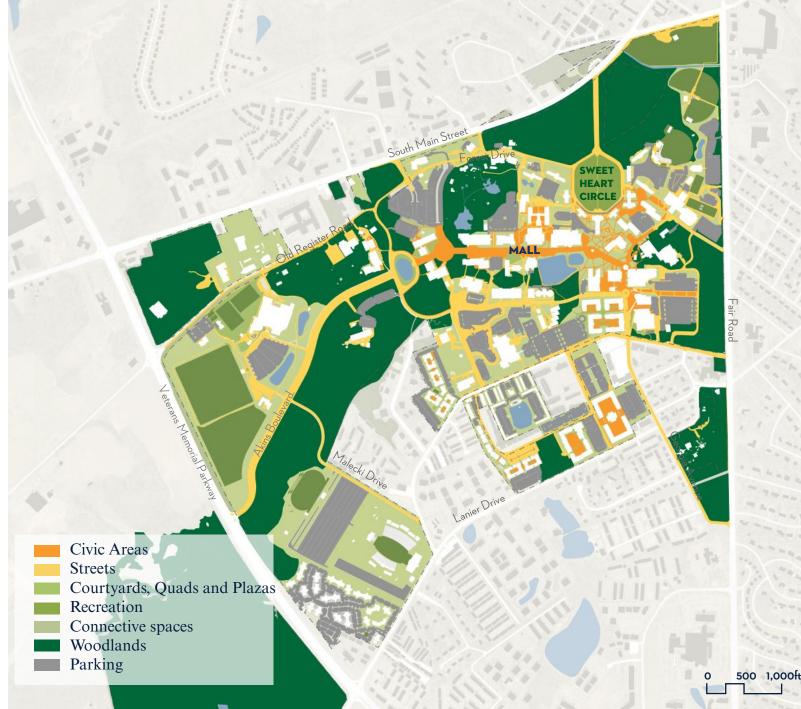




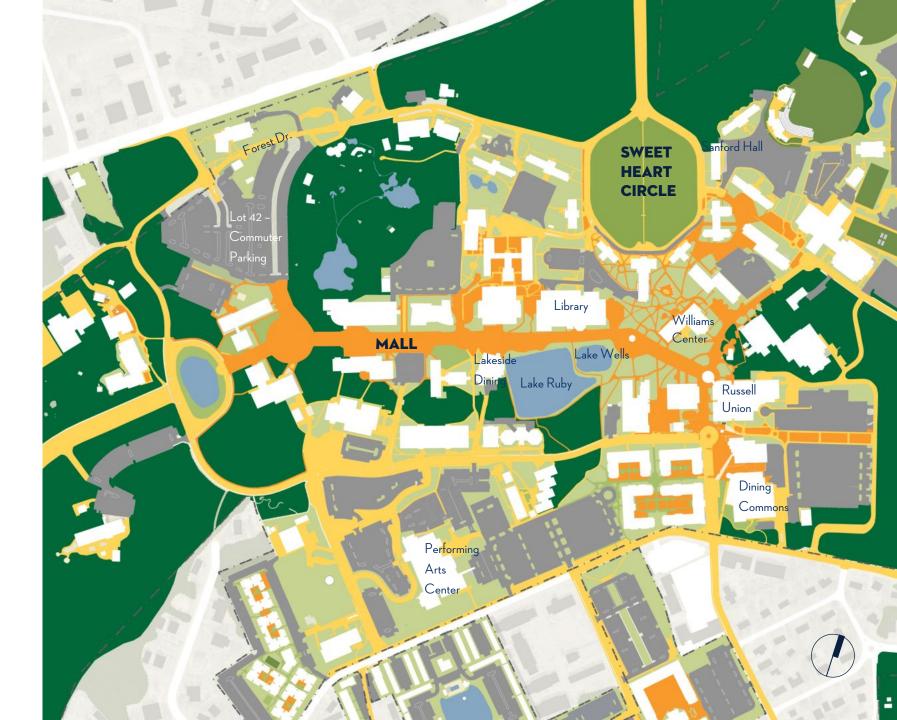
OPEN SPACE TYPES

- Several open space types make up the campus
- The woodlands are 41% of the open space on campus, while civic space is only 6% of the open space
- Surface parking is 15% of the campus and could be an opportunity for enhancing the public realm





OPEN SPACE- CAMPUS CORE



Civic Areas
Streets
Courtyards, Quads and Plazas
Recreation
Connective spaces
Woodlands
Parking

OPEN SPACE TYPES





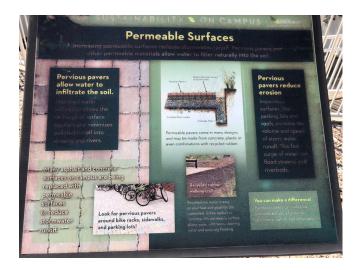




SUSTAINABILITY

IMPERVIOUS AND PERVIOUS SURFACE

• Impervious surfaces make up 29% of the campus and could be an opportunity for improving stormwater runoff and heat island effect



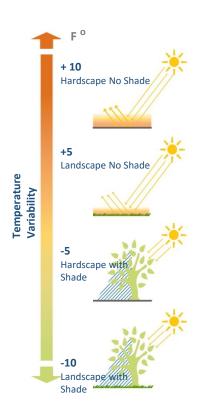
Pervious Surface Impervious Surface Water

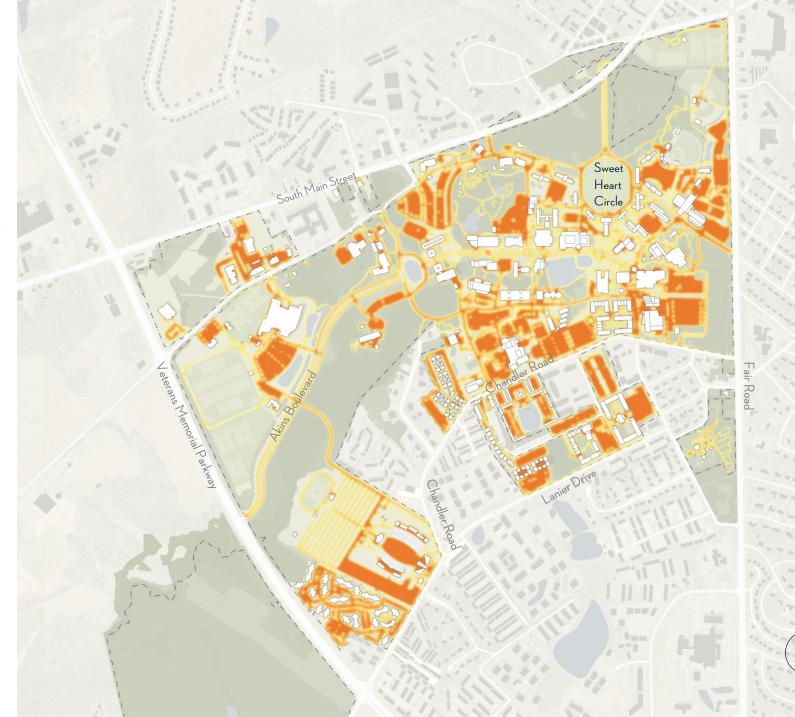


SUSTAINABILITY

HEAT ISLAND EFFECT

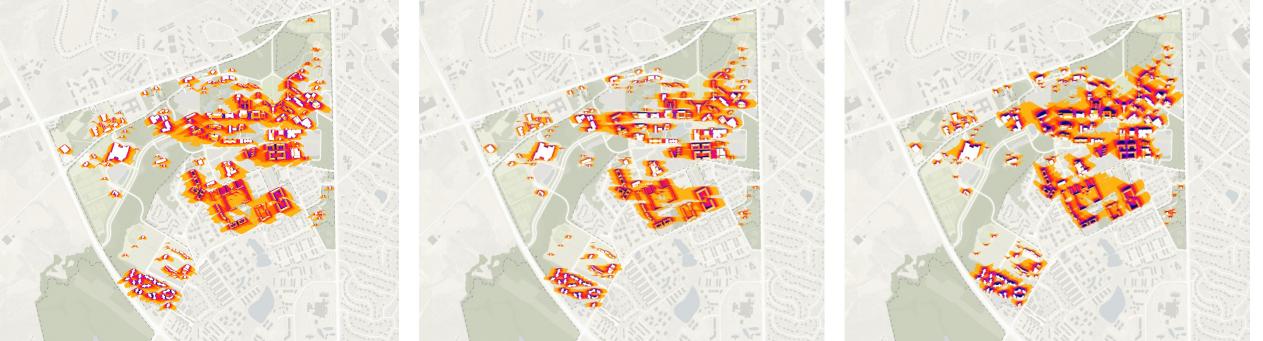
• Large surface parking areas on campus increase the ambient temperature and create inhospitable outdoor experiences



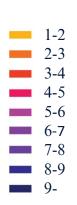


SUSTAINABILITY

SHADOW ANALYSIS (AVERAGE DAILY SHADOW HOURS)



Summer solstice (Jun 21) Equinox (Mar 21 / Sep 21) Winter solstice (Dec 21)



O2 PHYSICAL ANALYSIS SAVANNAH

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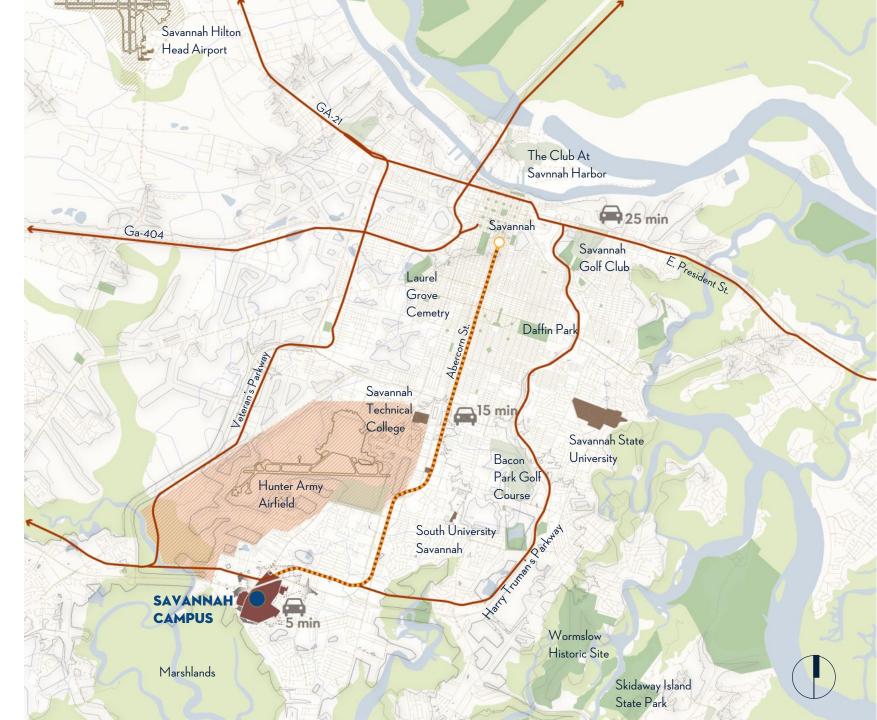
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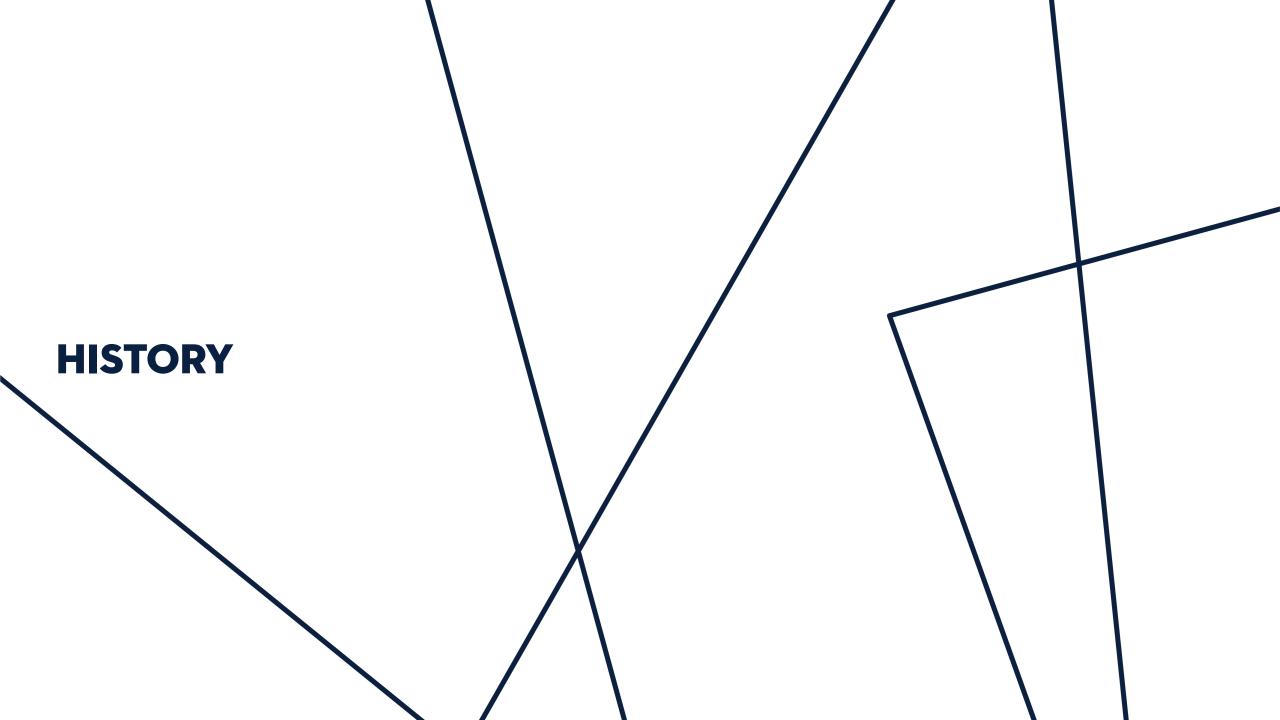
Armstrong Campus is a **268-acre arboretum campus** that is south of historic downtown Savannah and home to some **6,500 students**.

CONTEXT

REGIONAL RELATIONSHIP

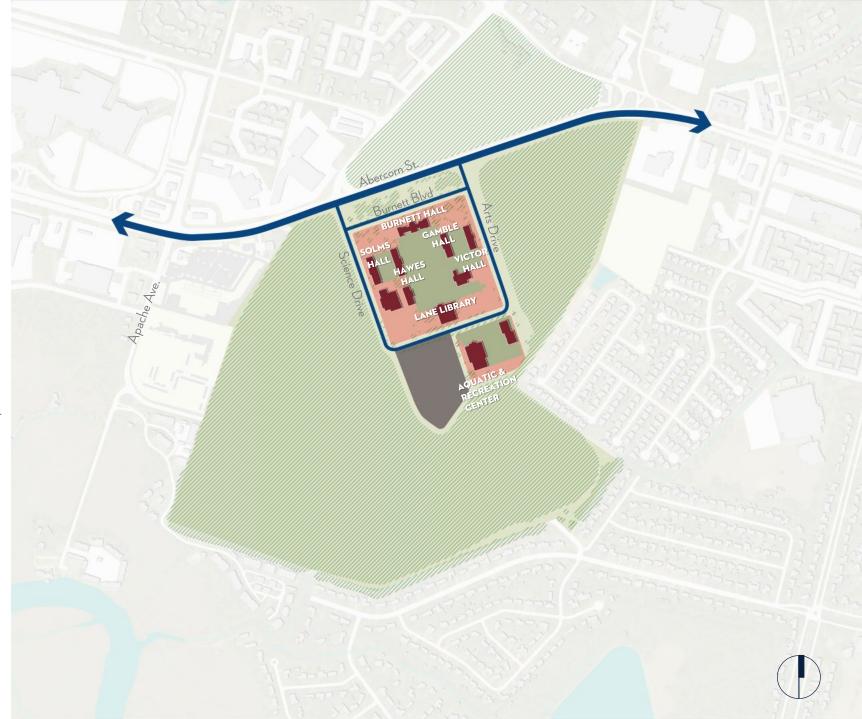
- Campus is connected to downtown Savannah via an active Abercorn Street, which is interspersed with cafes, shopping and dining areas.
- Savannah Technical College and South University Savannah are within a 15-minute drive from the campus
- Hunter Army Airfield is within a 15-minute drive from the campus
- The campus is accessible from Interstate 95 and Interstate 16





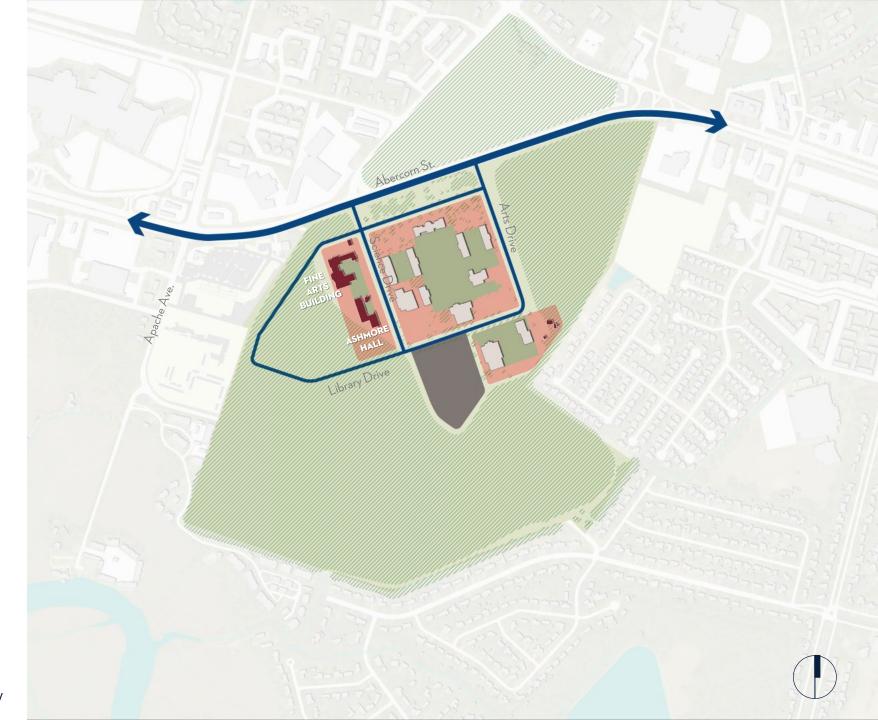
SAVANNAH CAMPUS 1965 -1970 CAMPUS ORIGINS

- In 1935, Savannah Mayor Thomas Gamble founded Armstrong Junior College.
- In 1966, after receiving four-year status and a 250-acre donation, Armstrong State College moved to its current location.
- Campus Core in the Academic Quad was built in 1960s, along with the Aquatic & Recreation Center
- Science Drive and Arts Drive comprise the primary vehicular access around campus
- Campus organized around a central quad



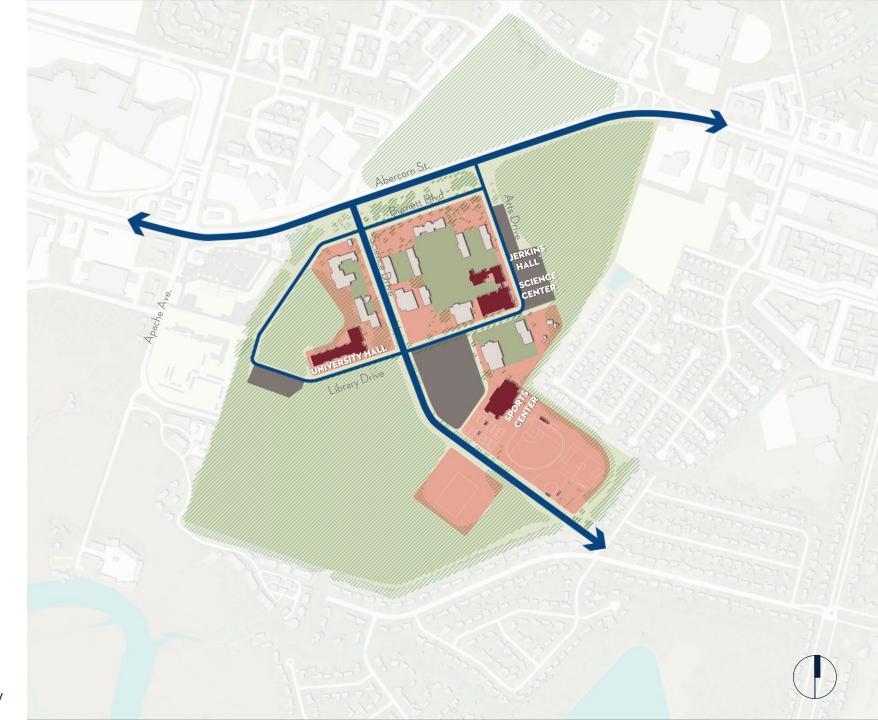
SAVANNAH CAMPUS 1971-1990

• Establishment of second academic precinct with Fine arts and Ashmore was developed west of the core



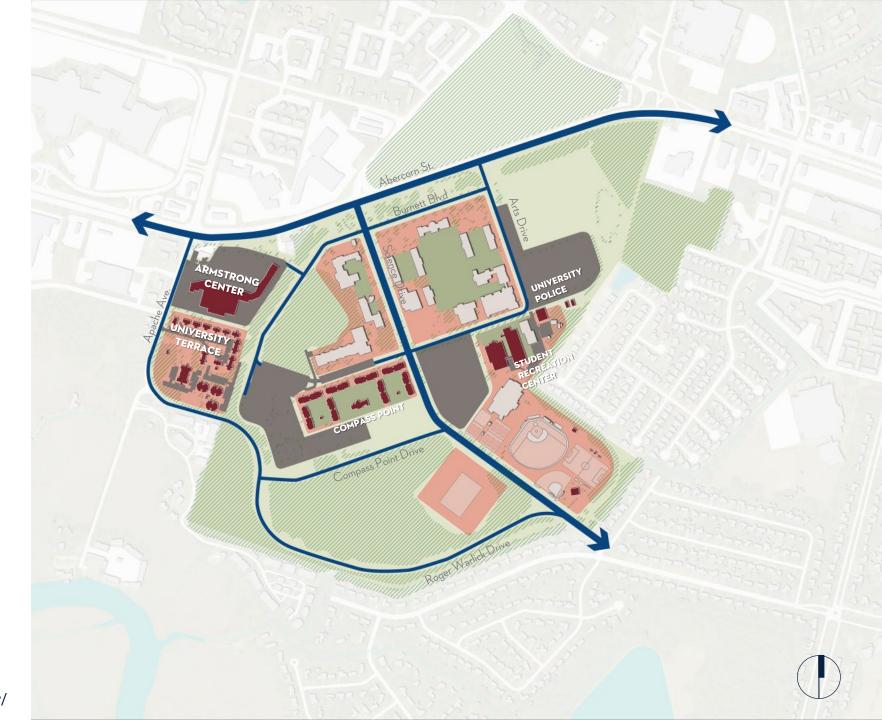
SAVANNAH CAMPUS 1991-2000

- Campus grew with new facilities within the academic core and arts/health professions district
- Expansion of athletics and recreation
- Extension of Science Drive as a major vehicular corridor



SAVANNAH CAMPUS 2001-2009

- Transition to a residential campus
- Acquisition of the Armstrong Center
- Compass Point Drive as additional connection towards West of campus/parking



SAVANNAH CAMPUS 2010- TODAY

- Further expansion of residential districts
- Planned expansion of arts/health professions district
- Closure of Science and Library Drives to through traffic
- Characterized today as a 268-acre arboretum campus that is home to some 6,500 students





CAMPUS ZONES

- Academic and Student life is concentrated north area of the campus
- Residence halls and Athletics and Recreation are separated from the core campus by parking lots and roads





HEART OF CAMPUS MYCAMPUS SURVEY

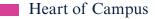
- Heart of campus is at and around the Student Union and Learning Commons
- The campus is lacking in constructive hangout spaces

STUDENT UNION

Student Union is the heart of campus, but needs more space for student groups to meet as well as hangout space.

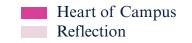
> The small plaza next to the Student Union feels like the heart of campus, but could be utilized more for events.

STUDENT UNION PLAZA



HEART OF CAMPUS + REFLECTION MYCAMPUS SURVEY

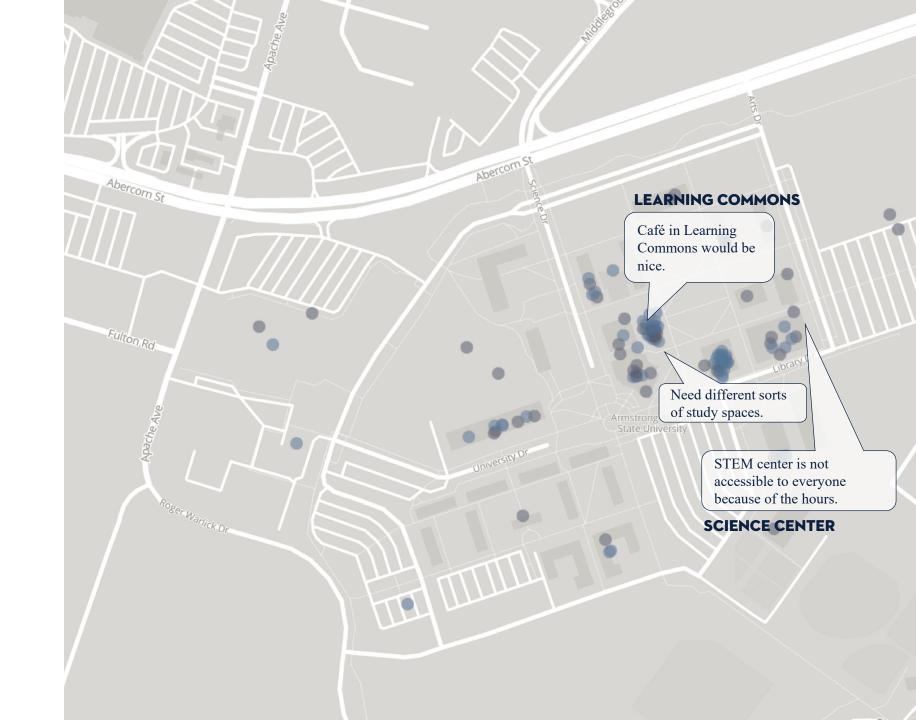
- The campus gardens are beloved places for reflection.
- Places that community members think of as the heart of campus are often used for reflection as well.



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	creates a welcoming atmosphere.	LANDSCAPE
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STUDY & COLLABORATE MYCAMPUS SURVEY

- Students would like extended opening hours in every study space mentioned.
- The Learning Commons, the Science Center and the Lane Library are the main places used for studying and collaboration.





EAT, HANG-OUT, & RECREATE MYCAMPUS SURVEY

- Student Recreation Center and intramural fields have qualitative issues.
- Many students eat and hangout in the Student Union, while others choose to eat off campus.

Abercom St Many students choose to eat off campus as there are more food options and they are better quality.

OFF-CAMPUS DINING OPTIONS

Fulton.Rd

DESIGNATED SMOKING AREAS

I wish the smokers had a designated place on campus that was not in the international gardens so it was available to non smokers.

The Student Union needs more variety in places to eat, and meal plans. **STUDENT UNION**

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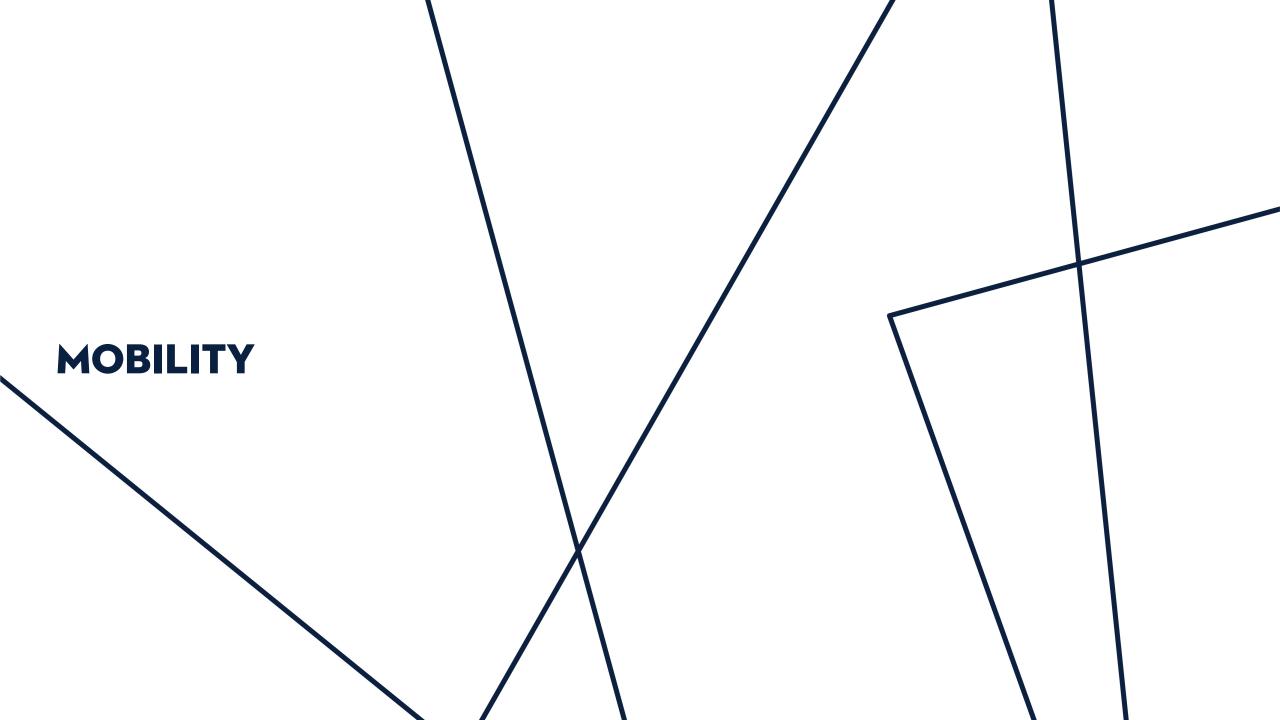


WELCOMING/UNWELCOMING MYCAMPUS SURVEY

- Generally the center of campus is welcoming, and the outskirts of campus are unwelcoming.
- The Learning Commons and the Student Union are identified as the most welcoming spaces.

Welcoming Unwelcoming

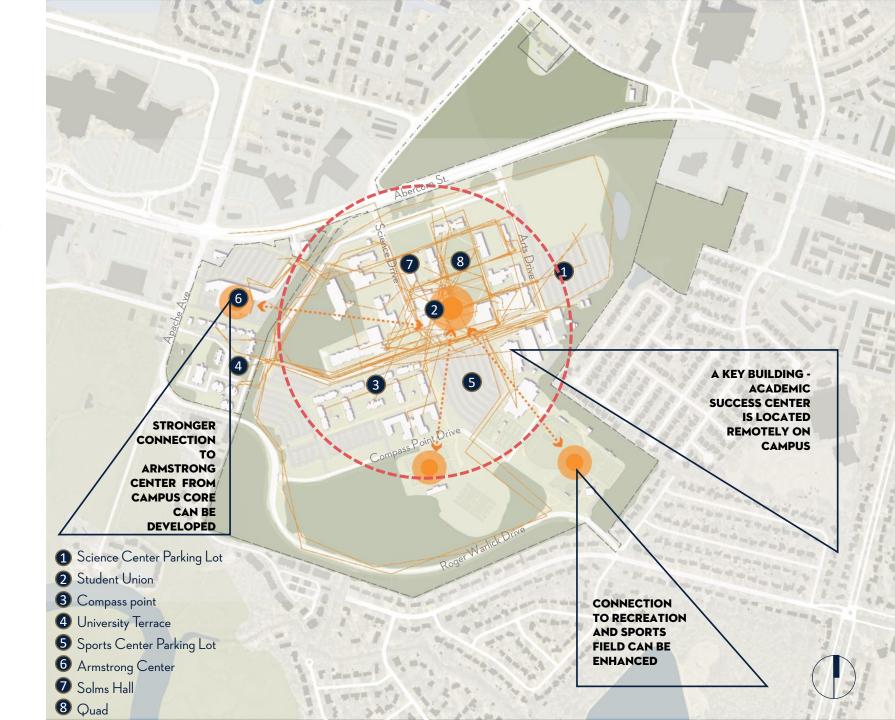
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PEDESTRIAN CONNECTIVITY

- Lack of connectivity between campus core, residence halls and athletics and recreation is due to pedestrian experience, not physical distance
- 5-minute walk from Lane Library, Student Union or Recreation Center covers majority of the campus





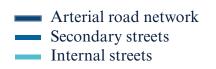
PEDESTRIAN HIERARCHY

- Lack of clear hierarchy between different paths
- Districts are separated by parking lots, discouraging people to walk across during hot summers
- High volume of pedestrian flow from the Commuter Parking lot and Sports Center parking lot to the Student Union and academic buildings.
- The pedestrian experience to Athletic fields and Recreation center need to be improved.



VEHICULAR HIERARCHY

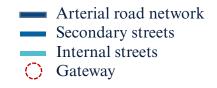
- Longer loop to reach the parking lots around the campus
- Science drive appears to be the main gateway when you get off Abercorn Street

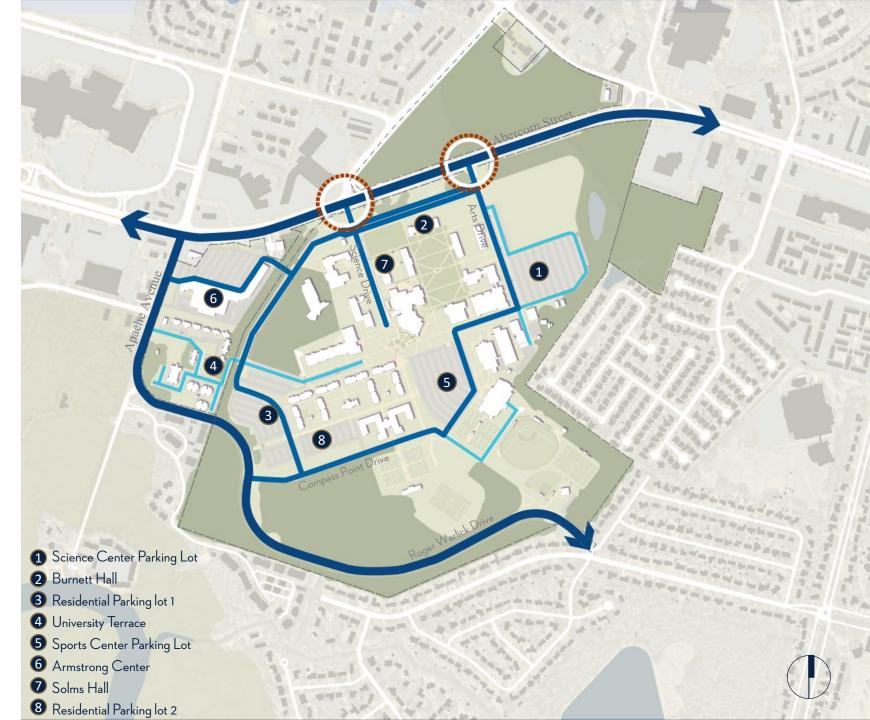




GATEWAY

- Two main gateways from Abercorn Street at Science Drive and Arts Drive
- Pedestrian and vehicular traffic overlap, particularly on Arts Drive
- Campus is more welcoming to vehicles than pedestrians, except in the campus core

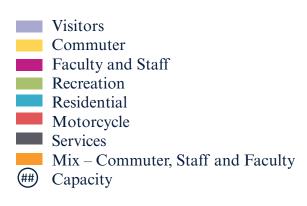


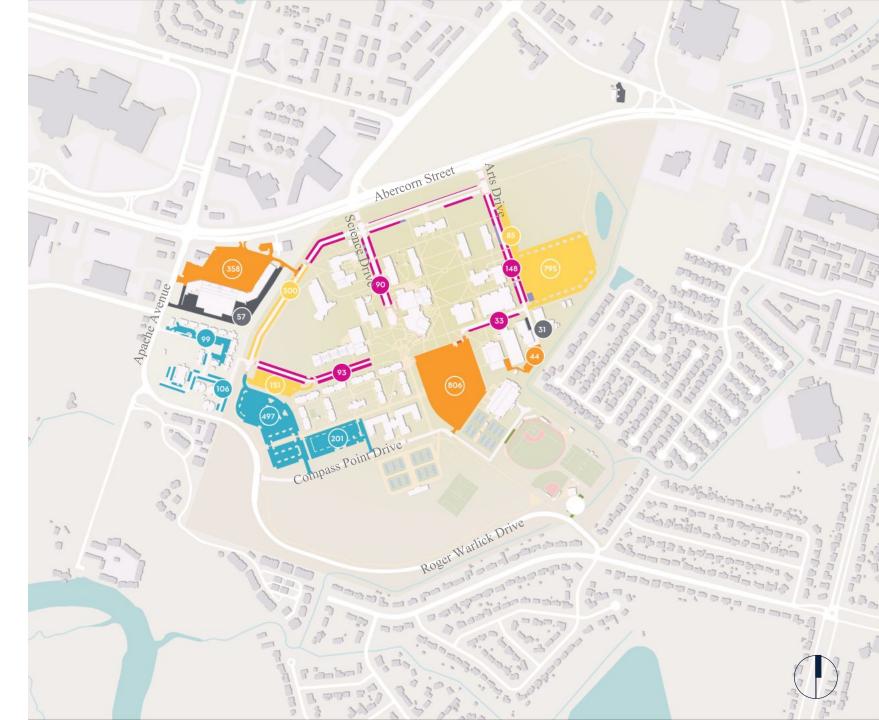


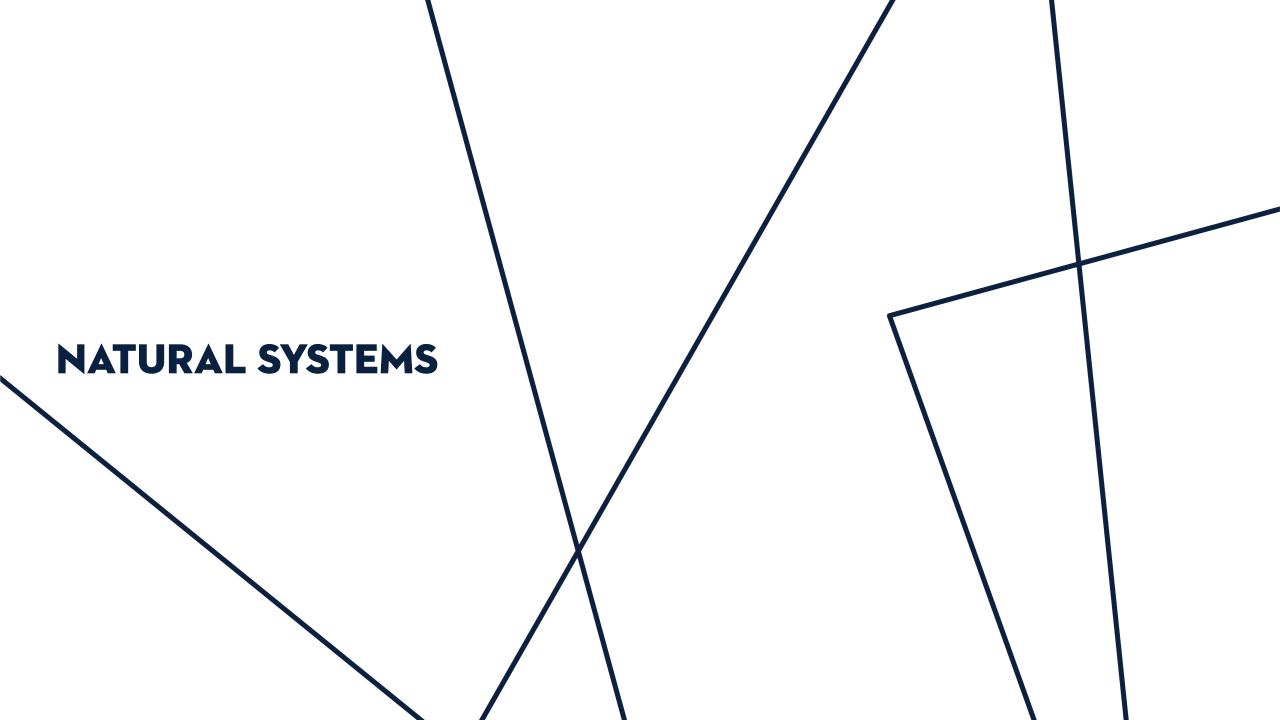
MOBILITY

PARKING TYPE AND CAPACITY

- Parking access drives overlap and conflict with pedestrian paths
- Linear parking lots slow down traffic but also create pedestrian conflict
- Parking is generally located on the campus periphery, except for P1



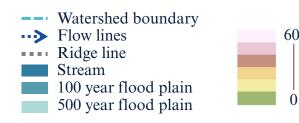


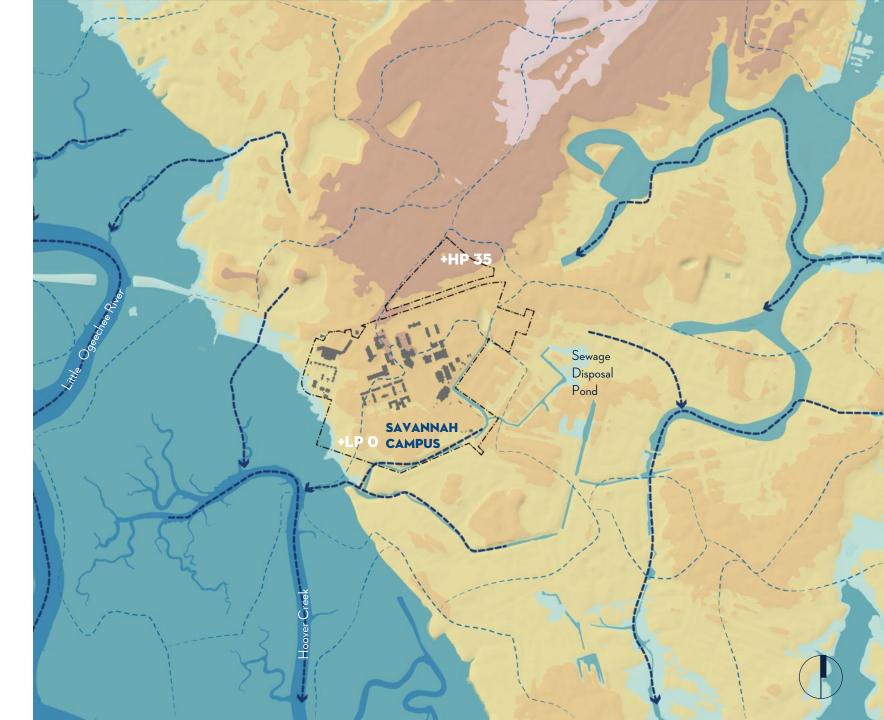


NATURAL SYSTEMS

TOPOGRAPHY & HYDROLOGY

- North campus is at the highest elevation; southwest campus is at the lowest elevation
- Stormwater drains into the marshlands to the south of the campus towards Hoover Creek
- There is also has a sewage disposal pond adjacent to the campus

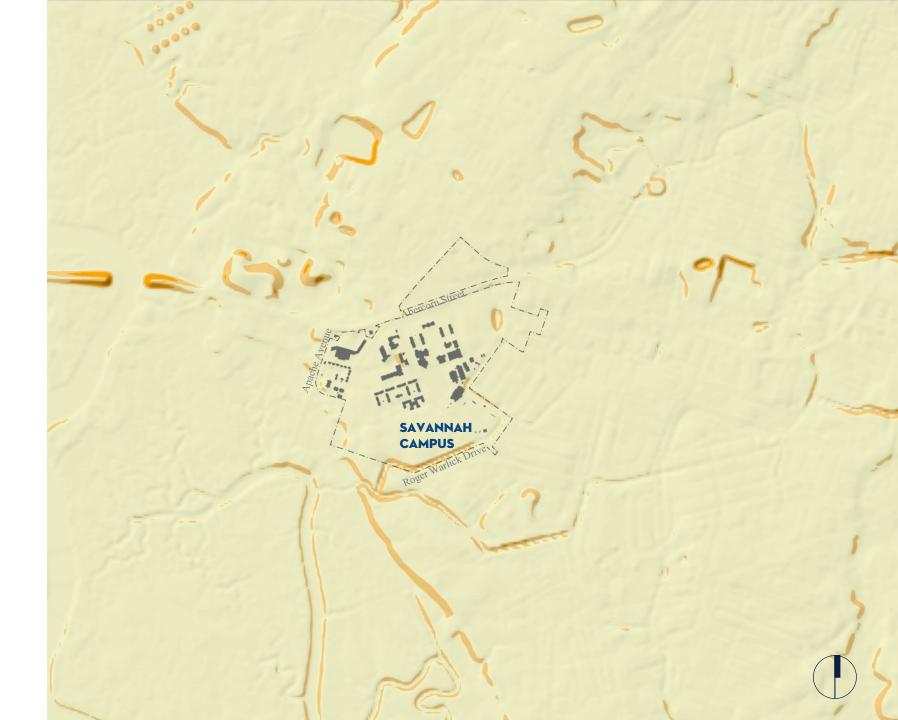




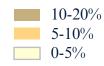
NATURAL SYSTEMS

SLOPES

• Savannah Campus sits in the marshlands and thus it is relatively on a flat terrain with maximum slope of 20% and minimum slope of 5%



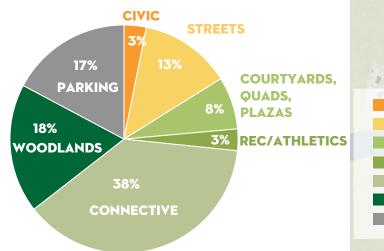
Percent Slope



NATURAL SYSTEMS

OPEN SPACE TYPES

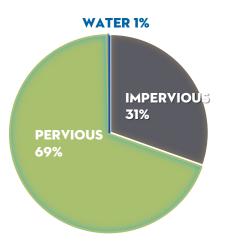
- Connective open space makes up the majority of open green space, while civic space makes up 3% of the campus
- Surface parking areas make up 17% of the campus and are opportunities to rethink the public realm



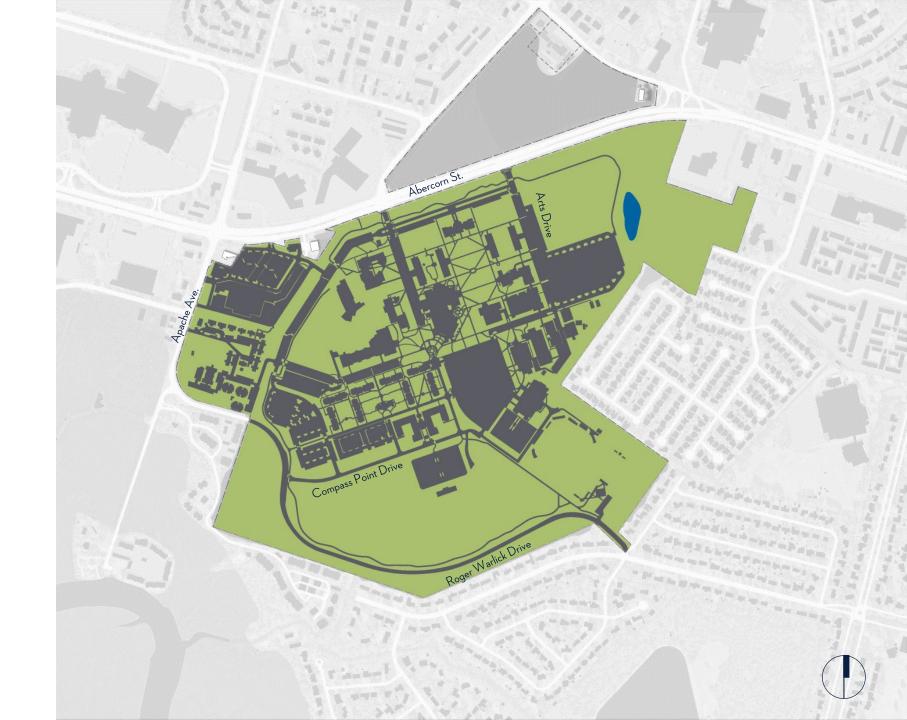


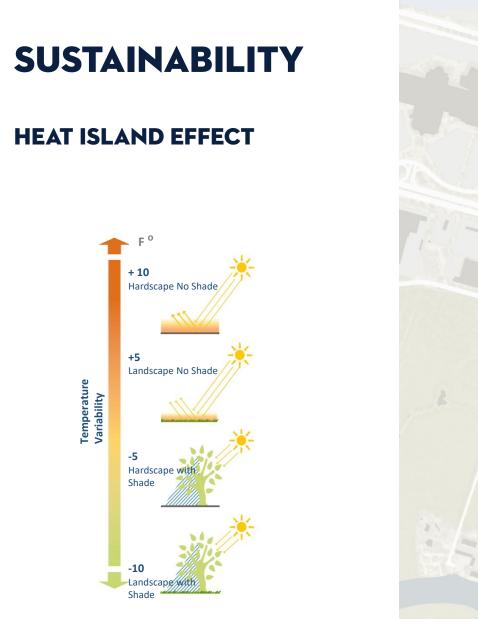
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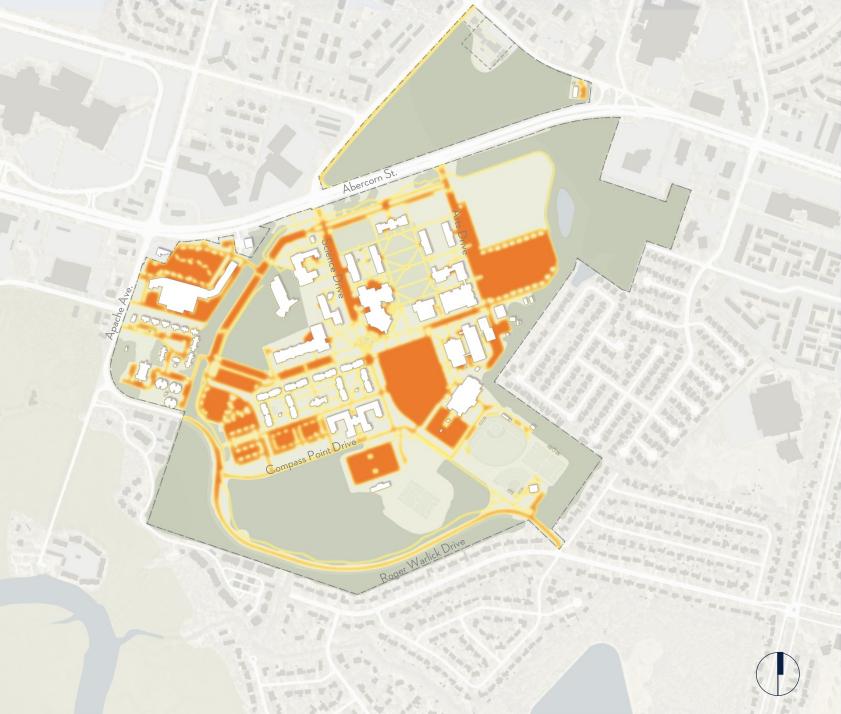
IMPERVIOUS, PERVIOUS SURFACES



Pervious SurfaceImpervious SurfaceWater

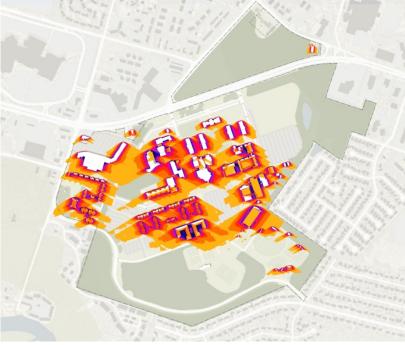


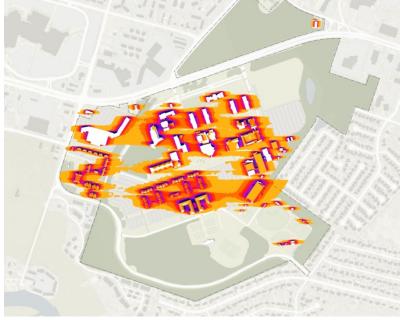




SUSTAINABILITY

SHADOW ANALYSIS (AVERAGE DAILY SHADOW HOURS)



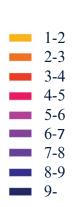




Summer solstice (Jun 21)

Equinox (Mar 21 / Sep 21)

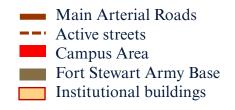
Winter solstice (Dec 21)

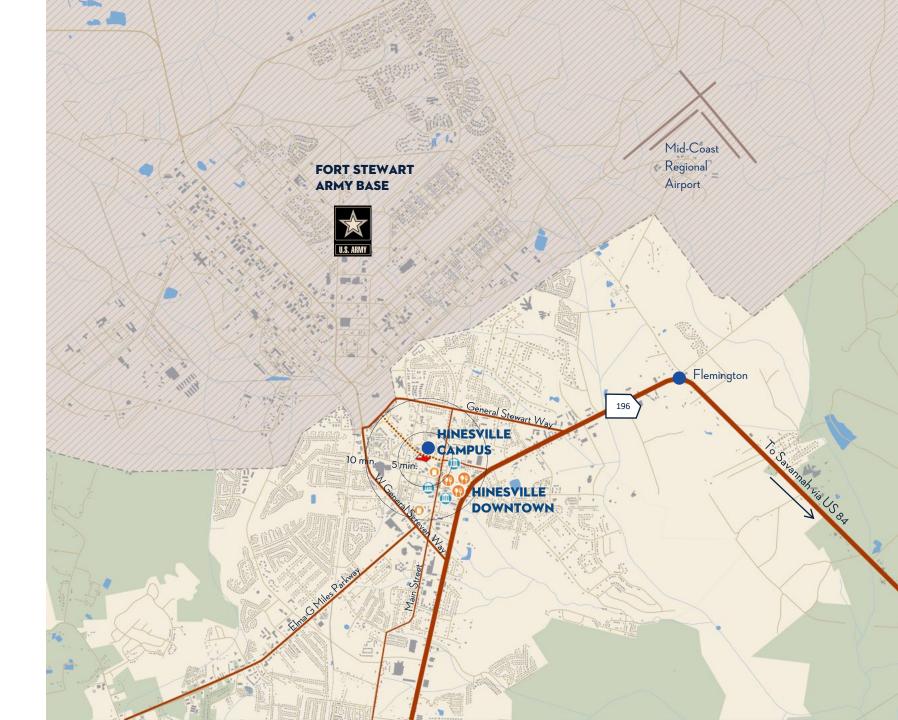


O2 PHYSICAL ANALYSIS HINESVILLE

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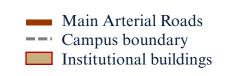
- Hinesville Campus is close to downtown and proximate to the Fort Stewart Army Base
- Campus character described as a modern, state-of-the-art facility geared for local and military-affiliated students.





CAMPUS

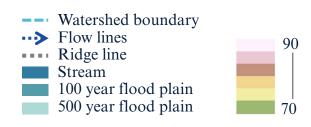
- Anchors the corner of Memorial Dive and Welborn Street
- Proximate to Liberty County Library and Live Oaks Public Libraries

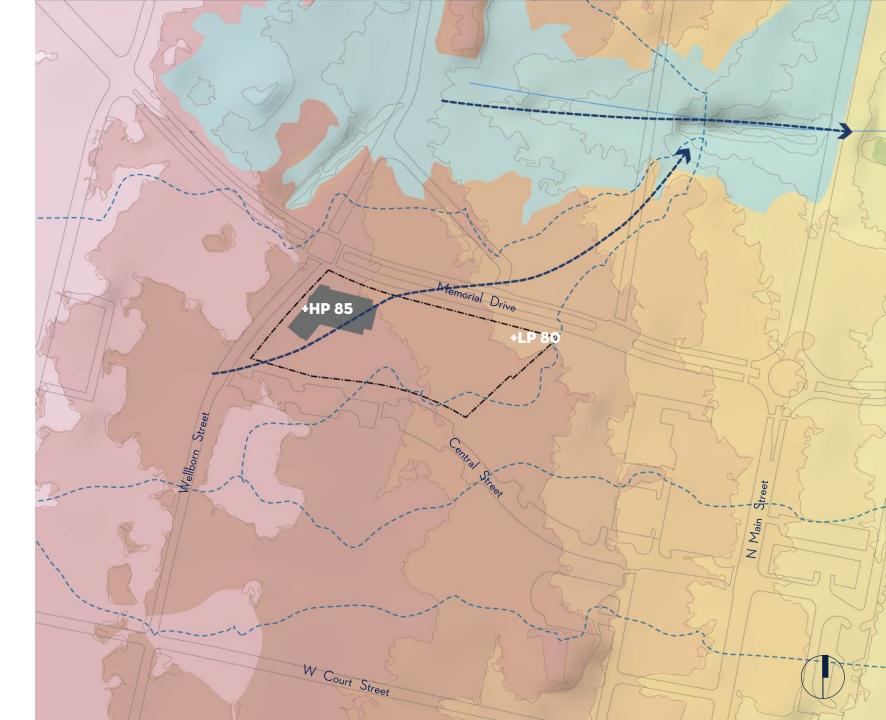




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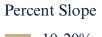
- Campus sits on high ground as it is next to the military base, away from flood plain
- The campus is not prone to much flooding
- Stormwater drains into a small stream towards the low point in Hinesville



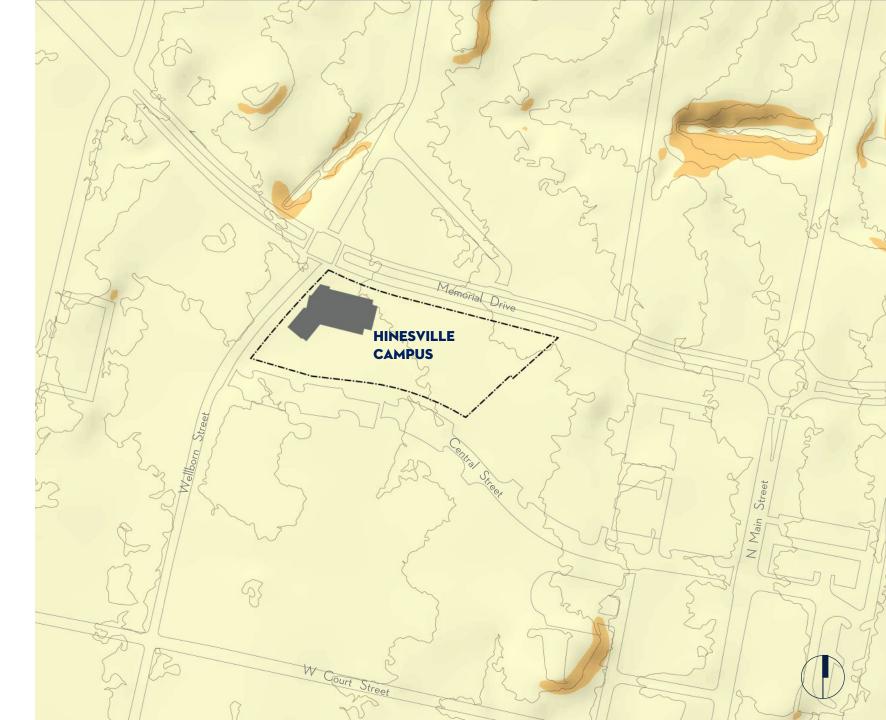


SLOPES

• Hinesville Campus sits relatively on a flat terrain with maximum slope of 10% and minimum slope of 0%



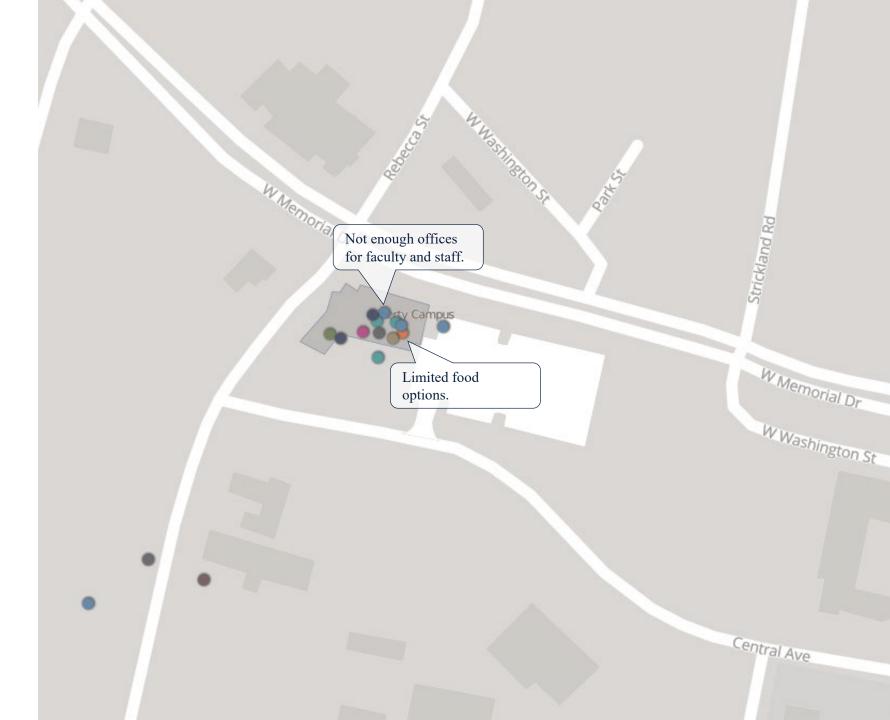




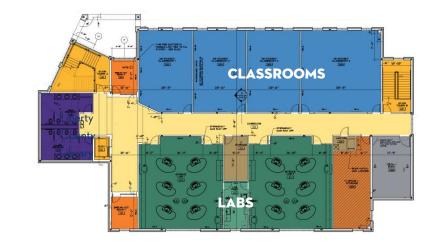
MYCAMPUS SURVEY

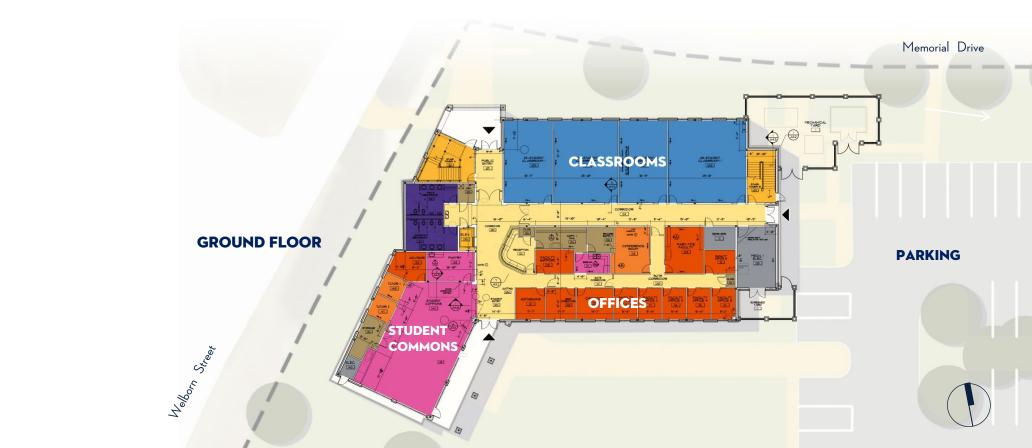
- Increased office space, event space and parking.
- Computer lab on campus for students would be helpful



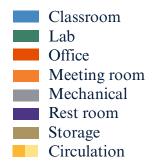


FLOOR PLANS





FIRST FLOOR



CAMPUS PRINCIPLES

1 IDENTITY

Leverage each unique campus location and context to contribute to Georgia Southern University's identity

2 LEARNING AND RESEARCH

Create 21st century learning and research environments that provide vibrant settings for individual inquiry and collaboration

3 CAMPUS LIFE

Enhance campus life experiences by focusing on a holistic approach to education (mind, body, and spirit)

4 MOBILITY

Promote safer and more efficient mobility across all modes of circulation

5 LANDSCAPE

Foster a continued stewardship for the sustainability of the campus landscape and the public realm

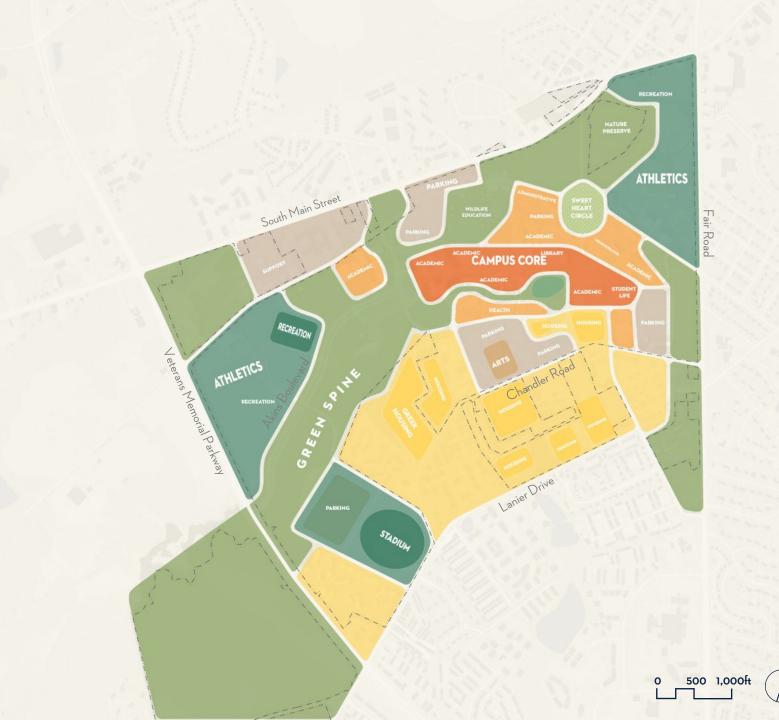
6 TOWN GOWN

Create town gown connections that reinforce community partnerships

O3 FRAMEWORK STATESBORO

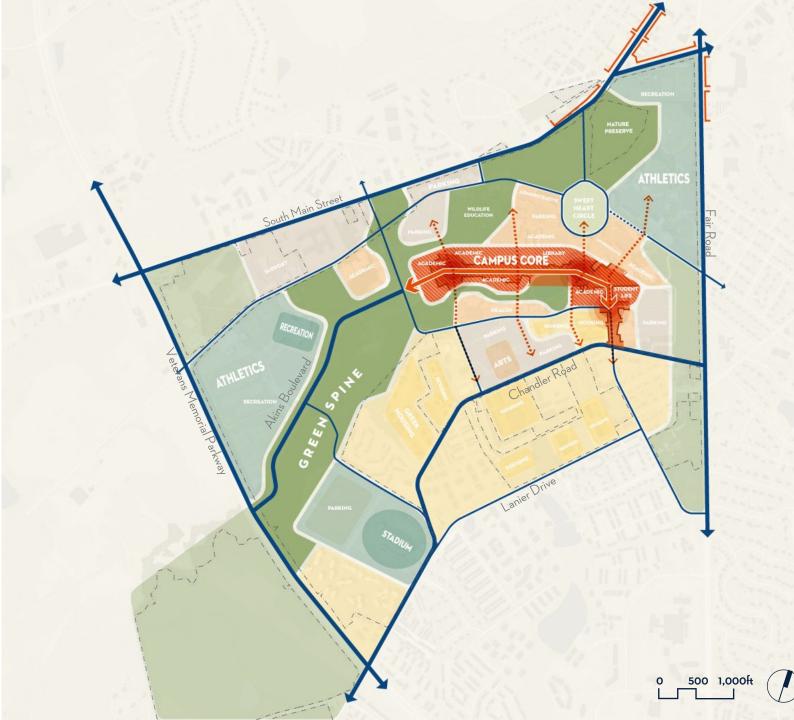
CHARACTER ZONES

- Green spine runs from the south campus to Sweetheart Circle and the Charles H. Herty Pines Nature Preserve, creating a beautiful wooded setting for the University
- Campus core is a densely structured linear organization surrounded by administrative buildings to the north and the residential campus zone to the south
- Athletic and recreational fields anchor the southwest and northeast edges of the campus



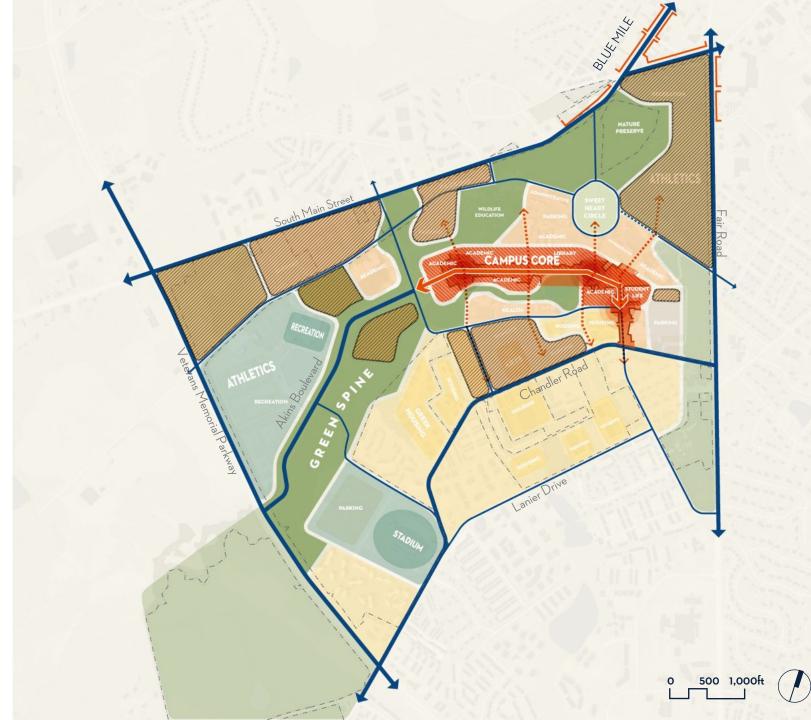
CORE AND CONNECTIVITY

- The central area of the campus is identified as the major academic campus core and is structured along the pedestrian mall with pedestrian links extending to other campus zones
- Vehicular circulation is on the periphery of the campus core
- Blue Mile is located as the northeast connector to downtown Statesboro; Sweetheart Circle is the ceremonial gateway to the campus



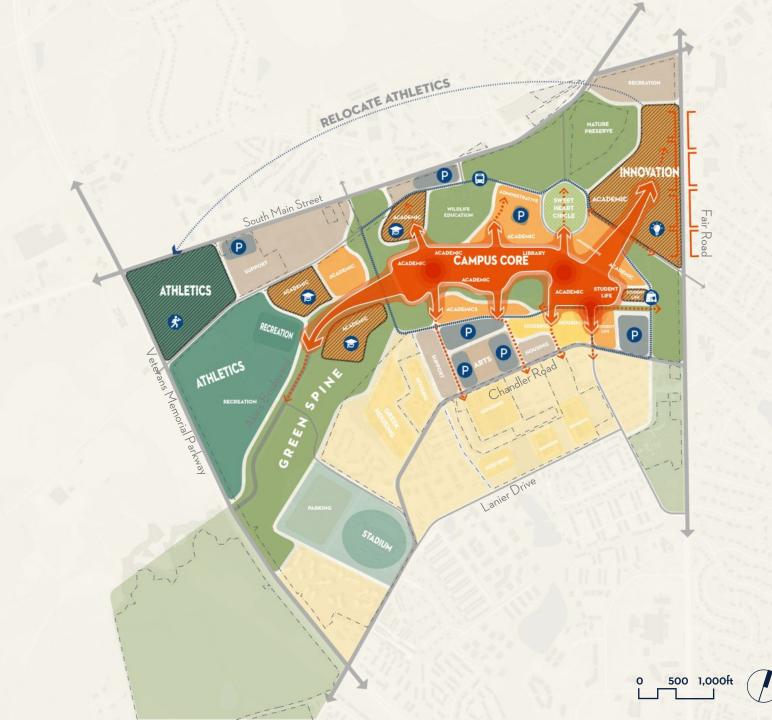
PRELIMINARY OPPORTUNITY SITES

• Surface parking lots are opportunity areas for future development and campus improvements



OPTION 1: CAMPUS DISTRICTS

- Consolidate athletics to the southwest of the campus as a new Athletics and Recreational District
- Rethink the northeast area of campus as an Innovation District that builds on research and industry partnerships (in proximity to downtown)
- Expand any academic or residential growth within opportunity areas along the green spine, strengthening the Campus Core District
- Enhance pedestrian connectivity



OPTION 2: COMPACT CAMPUS

- Infill opportunities for academic and/or residential growth built on opportunity sites between the campus core and the residential zone (bridge the gap!)
- North-south pedestrian connections are enhanced to create a dynamic public realm



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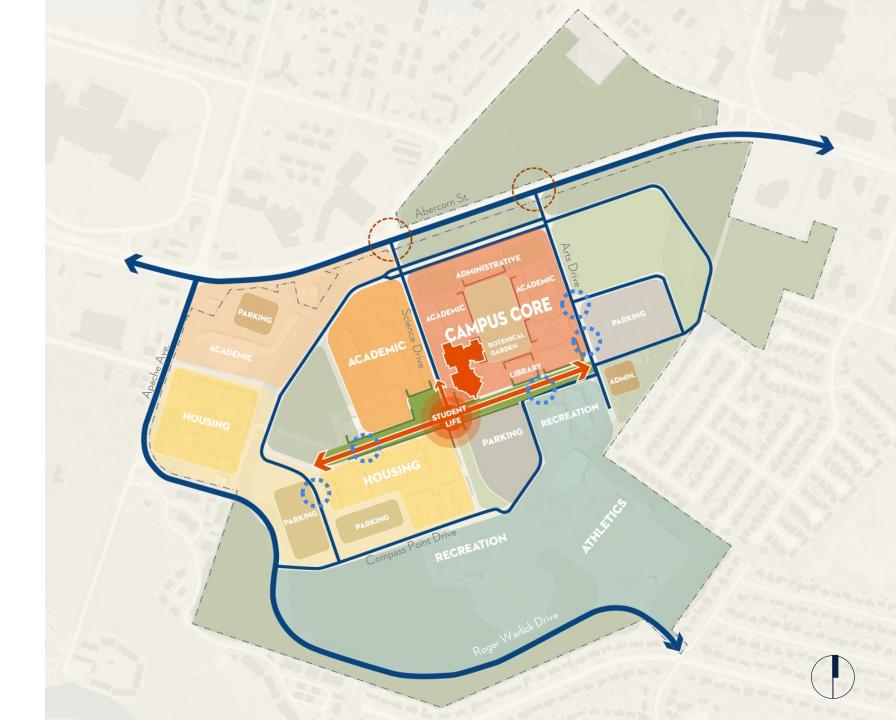
CHARACTER ZONES

- Existing Campus Core is remote from various programs (Armstrong Center, University Terrace housing, Sports Center)
- "Heart of campus" as a social and gathering space currently is weak



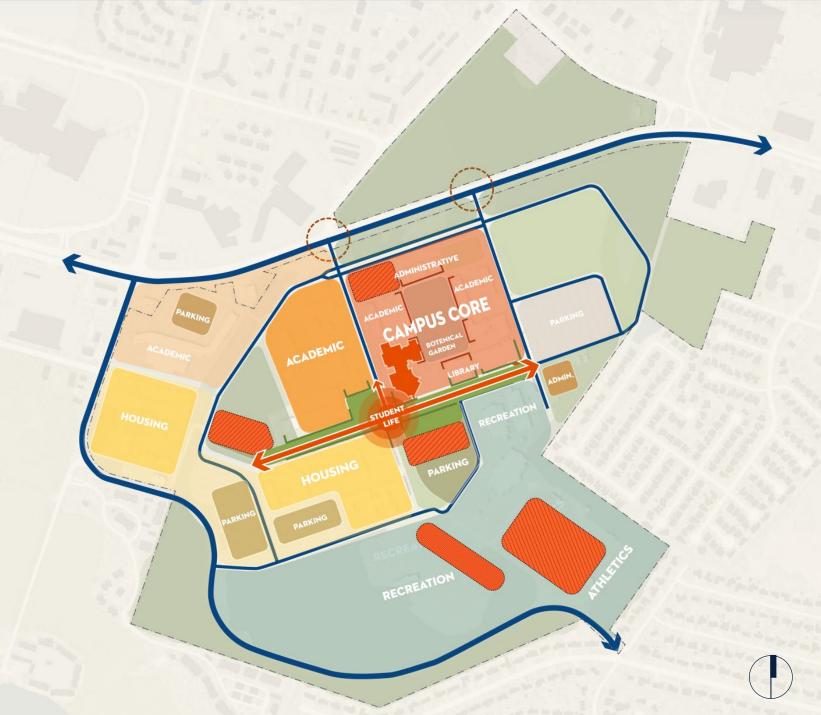
CONNECTIVITY

- Various vehicular-pedestrian conflict zones
- Hierarchy of pedestrian circulation not defined well



PRELIMINARY OPPORTUNITY SITES

- Potential consolidation of Athletics to Statesboro campus might provide development opportunity along Science Drive
- Opportunity sites to define pedestrian corridors and new heart of campus better



- Compass Plaza as a stronger heart of campus
- Stronger Pedestrian connectivity along Burnett Blvd-Library Dr (E-W) and Science Drive (N-S)
- **Campus loop** that minimizes vehicle-pedestrian conflict zones by locating parking to the inner part of the loop

