



Master Plan/Space Analysis

Ohio University
Athens, Ohio



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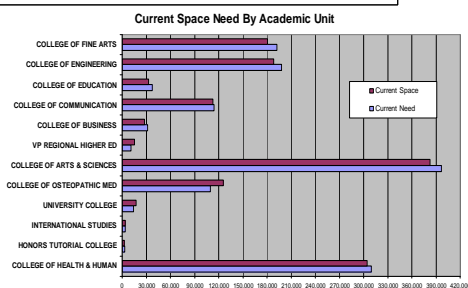
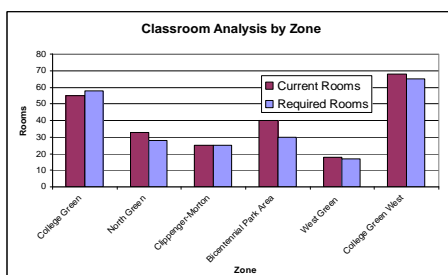
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CFP has a long history of service to Ohio University. In collaboration with NBBJ, we completed a university master plan including a comprehensive university-wide space assessment study in support of President McDavis' strategic plan for the university, "Vision Ohio". By being well planned, the university has been able to grow and adapt to change in both adding new capacity and the appropriate reuse of existing space to further perfect its campus functionality, key adjacencies, and distribution of activities and as well protect and enhance the visual qualities of the campus "brand".

The primary outcome of the process was to produce a Master Plan fully aligned with the University's strategic plan that addresses future growth in terms of space needs, housing needs, transportation/parking, utilities, recreation and open space in the context of an engaging and collaborative academic/research environment, a fiscally responsible implementation strategy and a sustainable partnership between the campus and community.

Tasks:

- Verify selected data, looking at several units and examining the accuracy of the University's space inventory
- Work with University leadership to determine where growth should occur over the next twenty years and the implications of that growth on space needs by unit.
- Update the physical facilities master plan to reflect the changes necessary to accommodate the anticipated growth and to develop a strategy or sequencing plan to ensure that their facilities keep pace with the academic needs of the institution.
- Develop a housing plan to accommodate the planned enrollment growth and fit with the needs of the community.
- Provide the tools necessary to develop a comprehensive planning approach to assist the University in setting capital project priorities.



"CFP has given us something that we never could have generated on our own, namely, detailed, department-level, program-based space needs assessments for every academic, administrative, and support unit on our main campus".

Tom Daniels, Ph.D., Director of Space Management & Professor of Communication Studies