

University of North Carolina

Thomas I. Storrs College of Architecture
Charlotte, North Carolina



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The 83,000 square foot, two-story building fulfills a program developed over a two-and-one-half year period by students, faculty and the architects.

The major spaces include design studios for all five years of the Professional Degree Program; classrooms; seminar and jury rooms; a 300 seat lecture hall and a 100 seat lecture room; specialized institutional laboratories, including computer, photography, and shops; a library; administrative and faculty offices; a University art gallery and an exhibition hall which, along with the lecture hall, will be available to other University programs.

The siting of the new building terminates an existing open-ended axis and creates a major new outdoor green quadrangle with two existing structures, while simultaneously establishing a precedent for future buildings and outdoor spaces.

The materials, details and construction technology of the building were selected to express the idea of an “architecture building as a continuous and flexible learning/teaching laboratory.”



Main entrance



Exhibition gallery



Studio



Circulation core



Lecture Hall

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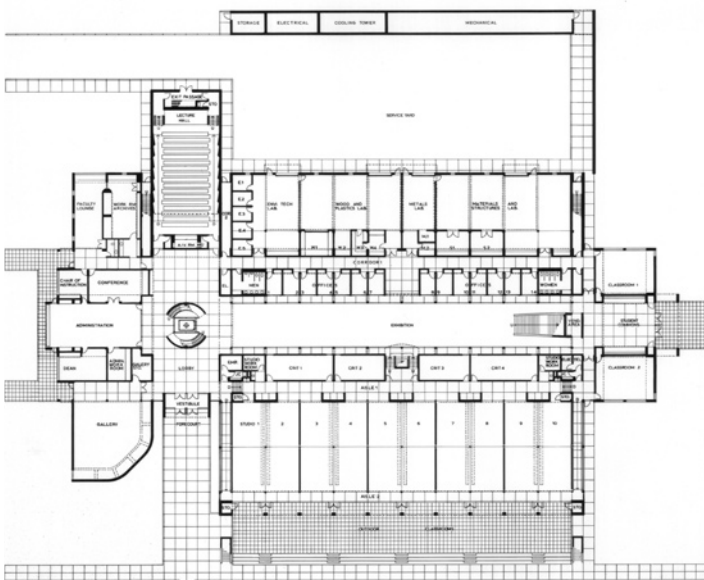
Key Project Information

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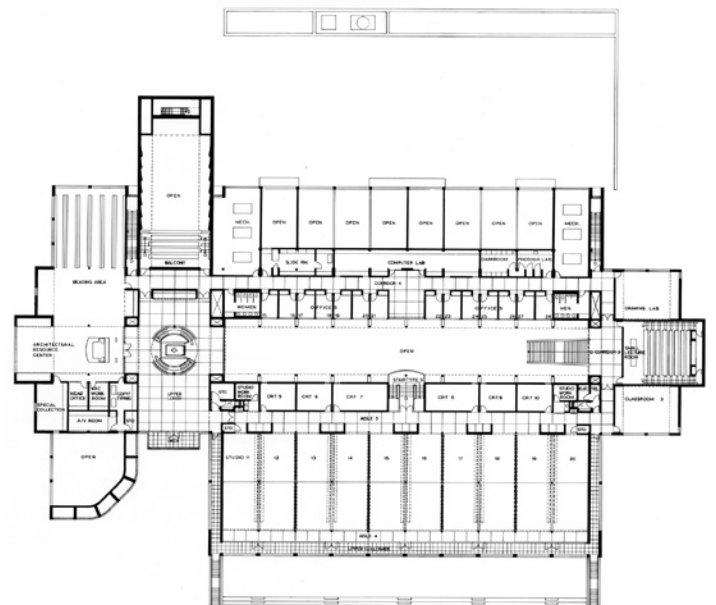
- completion 1989
- gsf 83,000



Exhibition hall



Ground level plan



Second level plan