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Organization: The American Institute of Architects

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Application: 2012 Fellowship

Nominee Information

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*First Name Howard

Middle Name / Seth Initial

*Last Name / Wertheimer Surname

Firm Name Georgia Institute of Technology

*City Atlanta

*State GA

Province (Outside

US)

*Country United States of America

*Nominated By Chapter

*Nominee's

assigned AIA Atlanta

Chapter

*Date nominee

became AIA 1992

member

*Are you a 1st, 2nd

or 3rd year candidate for

1st year candidate

nomination?

Please list the Name and Location of the educational institution, the Number of Years attended and the Degree received.

Please list in chronological order. Secondary education first, most recent education last.

*Nominee's Jericho High School Education Jericho, NY

4 years; Diploma

SUNY Alfred State College

Alfred, NY

2 years; AAS Architectural Technology

Georgia Institute of Technology

3 years; BS Architecture

(includes 1 year at Ecole des Beaux Arts; UPA 7; Paris, France)

Georgia Institute of Technology

2 years; M. Arch

(includes 1 summer in London and Cambridge England)

State(s) or territory(ies) where nominee is licensed to practice architecture.

*Practice Georgia (#6628)

(previously registered in Alabama, Arizona, Kentucky, Ohio, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee)

*Nominee is engaged in the profession of architecture as:

University Architect / Director Capital Planning & Space Management

*Work History Director, Capital Planning & Space Management (University Architect), Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, Georgia, 5 years (2006present)

> Principal and Partner, Lord, Aeck & Sargent Architects; Atlanta, Georgia, 21 years (1985-2006)

Part-time Instructor, American InterContinental University, Atlanta, Georgia, 7 years (1994-2000)

Romm & Pearsall Architects; Atlanta, Georgia, 2 years (part-time).

Ogram Architects; Atlanta, Georgia, 1 year full time, 1 year part time.

John Weaver & Associates; Atlanta, Georgia, 1 year.

Berger Berman Builders; Rockville, Maryland, 1 year.

Sponsor

*Sponsor Name Larry Lord, FAIA

Sponsor Firm Name Lord, Aeck & Sargent

Sponsor City Atlanta

Sponsor State GA

Category of Nomination

Select only one from the following five objectives of nomination.

4. "To ensure the advancement of the living standards of people through their improved environment"

Fellowship in this category is granted to architects who have made notable contributions in public service or work in government or industry organizations through leadership in the development of civic improvements and needed governmental projects, including such elements as conservation, beautification, land-use regulation, transportation, or the removal of blighted areas, or who have clearly raised the standards of professional performance in these areas by advancing the administration of professional affairs in their fields.

4. Ensure government/industry organization

Describe how the nominee's work may be considered notable and how it has advanced the profession of architecture in a 25 to 35 word statement.

*Summary Statement Howard Wertheimer has redefined the planning and design of technically sophisticated university facilities by advancing the integration of architecture, landscape, engineering, technology and sustainability, creating new, innovative models for universities throughout the United States.

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ARCHITECTURE

Gregory Palermo, FAIA
Chair, Jury of Fellows
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20006-5292

October 20, 2011

Re: Fellowship Sponsor letter for Howard S. Wertheimer, AIA, LEED AP

Dear Mr. Palermo and Members of the Jury:

Howard Wertheimer's extraordinary accomplishments as the Director of Capital Planning and Space Management at the Georgia Institute of Technology and previously in private practice has contributed significantly to the advancement of planning and design of colleges and universities across the country. Acknowledging the outstanding results, I am delighted to sponsor Howard for elevation to Fellowship in the American Institute of Architects.

I had the good fortune of hiring Howard Wertheimer in 1985 and working with him at Lord, Aeck & Sargent for 21 years where he became my colleague and a principal in the firm. I continue to be extremely proud of his many accomplishments and his national impact in the university planning and design communities. I applaud his positive influence and reflection on the profession.

Howard is a very talented architect, strategic thinker and innovator, sharing his knowledge and expertise through his many publications, speaking engagements, and his direct interactions with the hundreds of architects who do work at Georgia Tech. He has a great sensitivity for preserving historical buildings and an influential vision developing, new sustainable, high performance buildings. He has exceptional communication and leadership skills and championed remarkable results in our projects. He was particularly instrumental in developing our firm's entry into the design of university science and engineering facilities across the country, beginning with the award winning Manufacturing Research Center at Georgia Tech, which created a new paradigm for interdisciplinary engineering research facilities. He quickly became a nationally-known subject matter expert in the higher education marketplace.

Howard always had a penchant for planning and designing technically-sophisticated university facilities, but as the years went on he recognized and promoted the idea that a university building is not an isolated object in the landscape, but rather an integral part of a larger ecosystem. He has a deep understanding of how to strategically design a campus to be a more cohesive, sustainable living-learning environment, and effectively and broadly teaching these processes. Howard has achieved an outstanding reputation, not only as an architect by serving the betterment of Georgia Tech but also as a thought leader spreading his message across the country.

Howard has made significant contributions to the profession and is actively establishing new approaches to campus planning and design with dramatic results. As such, I wholeheartedly recommend and sponsor Howard S. Wertheimer, AIA for advancement to Fellowship in the American Institute of Architects.

Larry Lord, FAIA, Principal, LEED AP

1.1 SUMMARY OF ACHIEVEMENTS

Howard Wertheimer has redefined the planning and design of technically sophisticated university facilities by advancing the integration of architecture, landscape, engineering, technology and sustainability, creating new, innovative models for universities throughout the United States.

Commitment to Excellence and Collaboration in College and University Architecture

Howard Wertheimer is leading innovation and encouraging excellence in the planning and design of technically sophisticated college and university facilities nationwide. As the Director of Capital Planning and Space Management at the Georgia Institute of Technology, Wertheimer collaborates with dozens of national and international design firms to create inspiring environments for shaping the future leaders of the world. Through this collaboration, direction and management, the Georgia Institute of Technology has become a model university of international prominence. By incorporating integrated design strategies, Wertheimer challenges architects and other design professionals to think of a campus as its own ecosystem. He inspires architects to think broadly and explore innovative ways to solve today's design challenges to transform a university campus into a living, learning laboratory - a place for continuous education, research and experimentation.

Wertheimer's leadership consistently results in carefully crafted buildings and landscapes. This includes the repurposing of Georgia Tech's first research facility, the Hinman Building, a pioneering edifice for innovative research and development, where early studies for the helicopter gyroscope took place. This building was preserved and revitalized for the College of Architecture. By integrating historic preservation, engineering, technology, sustainability and design innovation, the project recently won a **2011 Georgia AIA Honor Award** and a **2011 P/A Design Award**, providing a new level of design excellence.

Integrated Sustainable Planning and Design

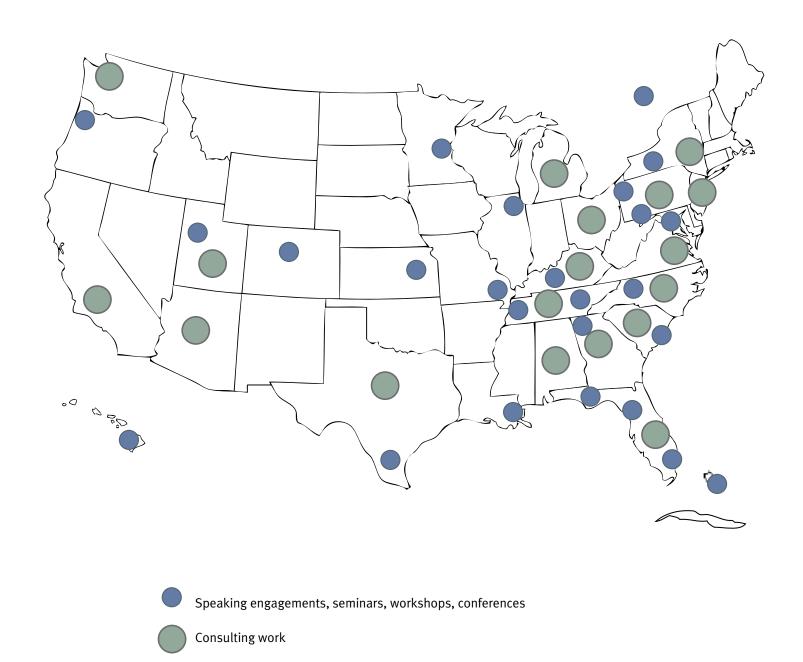
Wertheimer's passion and vision is advancing the integration of architecture, landscape, engineering, technology, campus development and environmental stewardship. Since 2006, Wertheimer has directed the planning and design of almost \$1 billion in sustainable, high performance, technologically-advanced campus facilities, while at the same time creating the most significant expansion of green space in the Institute's history. Wertheimer's creation of the precedent-setting and visionary *Cistern Master Plan* is quickly eliminating the use of potable water to meet the irrigation needs of an entire campus, is an example of the kind of visionary influence he has on architects and planners throughout the country.

University Leadership and Outreach

Howard Wertheimer is influencing decisions on a national scale by asking the challenging questions that have a lasting, positive and profound effect on current and future generations of students, scholars and visitors. Howard has been a Project Kaleidoscope (PKAL) facilities workshop leader, presenter and author for over a decade. He serves on numerous committees on every level, is published widely, and speaks frequently at local, regional, national and international conferences. He is known as an innovative thinker and experienced manager. In 2009, he represented the university at a national press conference where Georgia Tech was presented its first Princeton Review Green Honor Roll Award. Through numerous national publications such as *ArchitectureWeek* and *GreenSource Magazine*, presentations and papers, his skills and influence have and will continue to impact every architect and landscape architect who provides professional services at colleges and universities throughout the United States.

NATIONAL IMPACT

Throughout his career, Howard Wertheimer has provided award-winning professional consulting and design services on over 30 college and university campuses in 18 states.



PRIVATE PRACTICE

While in private practice, Howard provided national leadership in the planning and design of technically sophisticated science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) facilities across the country, with particular emphasis on colleges and universities, oftentimes collaborating and mentoring other architects. He develops a thorough understanding of the unique programmatic challenges, establishes goals, and shares his thoughtful analysis in advancing the space planning and building design opportunities associated with creating extraordinary places for teaching and learning.





Aaron Diamond AIDS Research Center



Clemson University Packaging Science & Graphics



Clemson University
Biomedical Engineering



Delta Air Lines Training Center

Aaron Diamond AIDS Research Center (1990/1995)

World's largest private non-profit AIDS research institute Client Dr. David Ho, 1997 Time Magazine Man of the Year New York City, NY

Auburn University (2004)

College of Veterinary Medicine Laboratory Renovation Auburn, AL

Clemson University (2009)

Packaging Science & Graphics
Nationally recognized integrated program
Clemson SC

Clemson University (2010)

Biomedical Engineering Building Clemson, SC

Cornell University (2007)

Vinification and Brewing Laboratory Renovation Premier R&D facility focused on regional wine industry Geneva, NY

Davidson College (2006)

Chemistry Building Programming Davidson, NC

Delta Air Lines (1999)

Training, Marketing & Data Center AIA award winning training facility Salt Lake City, UT

East Carolina University (2007)

Flanagan Science Building Greenville, NC

PRIVATE PRACTICE



Emory: Biochemistry, foreground; RSPH, beyond



Georgia Tech Food
Processing Technology



Georgia Tech MaRC



Georgia Tech Student Health Center



Marygrove College

Emory University (1995)

Biochemistry Building 1st green roof on campus Atlanta, GA

Emory University (1994)

Rollins School of Public Health (RSPH) World-renowned public health program Atlanta, GA

Emory University (1995)

Jane Fonda Center Atlanta, GA

Georgia State University (2002)

Center for Brain Science Atlanta, GA

Georgia State University (1999)

Biology and Chemistry Laboratories Atlanta, GA

Georgia State University (2001)

Nutrition Laboratories Atlanta, GA

Georgia Institute of Technology (2005)

Food Processing Technology Building
Industry —leading technology focused research facility
Atlanta, GA

Georgia Institute of Technology (1991)

Manufacturing Research Center (MaRC)

AIA award winner and precedent setting engineering research facility

Atlanta, GA

Georgia Institute of Technology (2003)

Student Health Center Atlanta, GA

Marygrove College (2007)

Science Building Renovation

Located in National Register Historic building

Detroit, MI

Medical College of Georgia (1999)

Vascular Biology Center Augusta, GA

PRIVATE PRACTICE

"The Munroe Science Center was a major undertaking for Wesleyan College – our first new academic building in almost 40 years. Howard's impressive knowledge and national perspective on undergraduate science facilities and pedagogy provided the right leadership at the right time. He guided us brilliantly, and we could not have found a better person to lead us through this process."

-Ruth Knox, President, Wesleyan College



MCG School of Dentistry

Medical College of Georgia (2011)

School of Dentistry

Only dental school in state of Georgia

Augusta, GA

Medical College of Georgia (2006)

Interdisciplinary Research Center Co-locates faculty research labs and industry incubator labs Augusta, GA



MCG Interdisciplinary Research Center

Medical University of South Carolina (2009)

Pharmacology and Microbiology/Immunology Laboratories Charleston, SC

Meredith College (2002)

Science Building

PKAL focused for hands-on student –faculty teaching and research Raleigh, NC



Mt. Carmel

Mt. Carmel Elementary School (1994)

AIA award-winning school
Atlanta, GA



Engineering Design Center Programming Rochester, MI



Meredith College

Southern Polytechnic State University (2002)

Physics Building Renovation Marietta, GA

SUNY at Geneva (2006)

Experiment Station/Food Research Laboratory Programming Geneva, NY

Transylvania University (2006)

Brown Science Center Renovation

PKAL focused integrated undergraduate science facility

Lexington, KY

PRIVATE PRACTICE



Trinity School

Trinity School (1991)

AIA award-winning school Atlanta, GA

University of Akron (2007)

Auburn West Tower Renovation; Biology and Engineering *Uniquely designed specifically for biologists and engineers* Akron, OH



University of Louisville

University of Alabama- Birmingham (1998)

Dental School Renovation Birmingham Alabama

University of Kentucky (2004)

Biocontainment Laboratory Grant Proposal 1 of 6 national NIH awardees Lexington, KY



UM Dearborn

University of Louisville (2006)

Speed School of Engineering Louisville, KY



Inhalation Laboratory Louisville, KY



University of Michigan

University of Michigan Dearborn (2006)

Engineering Research Building

Premier university engineering facility focused on automotive research

Dearborn, MI



Phoenix Memorial Research Building for Fuel Cell Technology Internationally acclaimed fuel cell research program Ann Arbor, Michigan



Valdosta State University

Valdosta State University (2005)

Biology and Chemistry Building

Early adapter of PKAL focused undergraduate pedagogies

Valdosta. GA

PRIVATE PRACTICE

"Howard and his team helped us develop a successful application for funding from the NIH, and subsequently designed one of the foremost imaging centers in the world, integrating a number of complex technologies and laboratories and creating a unique environment in which scientists and clinicians from across the globe collaborate on cutting-edge biomedical research."

-Dr. John Gore, Director, Vanderbilt University Institute of Imaging Science



VUIIS

Vanderbilt University Anatomy Laboratory



Wesleyan College

Vanderbilt University (2005)

Institute of Imaging Science (VUIIS)

World renowned imaging research facility
Nashville, TN

Vanderbilt University (2005)

Centralized Animal Facility Nashville, TN

Vanderbilt University School of Medicine (2006)

Anatomy Laboratory State-of-the-art facility with premier gross anatomy teaching theatre Nashville, TN

Wesleyan College (2007)

Munroe Science Center
PKAL focused integrated science teaching and research facility
Macon, GA

GEORGIA TECH

As the Director of Capital Planning and Space Management at Georgia Tech, Howard leads the architect selection process and directs the design review process for all planning and design projects, collaborating with well-established design firms as well as younger, up and coming firms. Howard facilitates all internal and external design reviews, including those with Georgia Tech's prestigious Planning & Design Commission, to ensure all projects successfully integrate architecture, engineering, landscape, technology and sustainability into thoughtful and successful solutions that are worthy of national recognition, regardless of project size, type or budget.

Under Howard Wertheimer's leadership, guidance and influence, Georgia Tech has received several very prestigious national recognitions, including entry into the Association of American Universities (AAU), Arbor Day Foundation Tree Campus USA, Princeton Review's Green Honor Roll, Princeton Review's Best Athletic Facilities, Society for College and University Planning (SCUP) Landscape Master Plan award, the Chronicle of Higher Education's "Great Colleges To Work For" Honor Roll and the Southern Association of Colleges & Schools (SACS) accreditation. All of these accomplishments include campus design and facilities as key components of their evaluation criteria.



Academy of Medicine

Academy of Medicine (2011) Original Architects Philip Schutz

Original Architect: Philip Schutze

Renovation Architect: Dunwody Beeland

Project cost: \$6.4M

Alexander Memorial Coliseum Replacement Facility/McCamish Pavilion (2011)

Original Architect: Aeck & Associates

Replacement Facility Architect: Populous with Menefee + Winer

Project cost: \$45M



Alexander Memorial Coliseum/McCamish Pavilion

Applied Physiology Research Facility (2010)

Architect: Cooper Carry Project cost: \$2.5M

Barnes and Noble Campus Bookstore – Technology Store (2011)

Architect: Wakefield Beasley with 8inc.

Project cost: \$.6M

Bill Moore Tennis Complex (2012)

Architect: Woolpert with Browning Day Mullins Dierdorf

Project cost: \$11.8M

Brock Indoor Football Practice Facility (2011)

Architect: Knight Architects

Project cost: \$9.2M



Barnes and Noble

GEORGIA TECH



Carbon Neutral Energy Solutions Laboratory

Carbon Neutral Energy Solutions Laboratory (2012)

Architect: CUH2A/HDR Project cost: \$25.5M

Clough Undergraduate Learning Commons (2011)

Architect: Bohlin, Cywinski Jackson

Project cost: \$93M

Digital Media Research Center (2009)

Architect: Thompson, Ventulett & Stainback

Project cost: \$1.2M

Ferst Center for the Performing Arts Renovation (2012)

Architect: BLDGS



Project cost: \$5.3M

Fitten, Freeman, & Montag Residence Hall Renovations (2010)

Architect: Collins Cooper Carusi

Project cost: \$20.1M



Clough Commons

Hinman Building

Glenn and Towers Residence Halls (2013)

Architect: Niles Bolton & Associates

Project cost: \$35M

Graphics Visualization and Usability (GVU) Center (2009)

Architect: Veenendaal Cave

Project cost: \$1M



Innovative Learning Resource Center

Hinman Building Renovation (2010)

Original Architect: PF Heffernan

Renovation Architect: Lord, Aeck & Sargent with Office d/A

Project cost: \$10.1M

Innovative Learning Resource Center (ILRC) (2007)

Architect: Perry Dean Rogers with Houser Walker

Project cost: \$63.3M



Leadership Challenge Course

Institute for Electronics and Nanotechnology (2012)

Architect: Smith Carter Project cost: \$15M

Leadership Challenge Course and Pavilion (2008)

Architect: Houser Walker Project cost: \$1.2M

GEORGIA TECH



Marcus Nanotechnology Research Building



North Avenue Dining



Old Civil Engineering



Stephen C. Hall



Van Leer

Marcus Nanotechnology Research Building (2007)

Architect: Bohlin Cywinski Jackson

Project cost: \$98M

Materials Science & Engineering Building (2007)

Architect: CUH2A/HDR Project cost: \$60M

North Avenue Apartments Dining Hall (2011)

Design Architect: Handbury, Evans, Wright & Vlattas

Architect of Record: Menefee + Winer

Project cost: \$13M

North Avenue Apartments Renovations (2009)

Architect: HADP Project cost: \$24M

Old Civil Engineering Building Renovation (2007)

Original Architect: School of Architecture faculty, ca 1938 Renovation Architect: Surber Barber Choate Hertlein

Project cost: \$8.1M

Robotics & Intelligent Machines (RIM) Center (2008)

Architect: Praxis/LP3
Project cost: \$1.2M

Stephen C. Hall Building Renovation (2012)

Architect: Smith Dalia Project cost: \$3.1M

Van Leer Building Addition (2007)

Architect: Houser Walker

Project cost: \$45M (in fundraising)

Zelnak Basketball Practice Facility (2008)

Architect: HEERY International

Project cost: \$6M

"Howard was a fantastic client, constantly pushing us for design excellence."

Stephen Wright, AIA – Principal, Perkins Eastman (work completed while Principal and Design partner at Handbury Evans Wright Vlattas)

LANDSCAPE

As part of the human and ecological landscape, Howard Wertheimer garners support to identify funding, then creates opportunities for knitting together the space between buildings, always stressing the importance of the ground plane, stormwater management, ecology and the campus ecosystem.



Atlantic Promenade

Atlantic Promenade

Landscape Architect: Robinson Fisher & Associates

Project cost: \$1M

Couch Park (2011)

Landscape Architect: Jordon Jones & Goulding

Project cost: \$.9M



Old CE Courtyard

Fowler Street Streetscape (2012)

Landscape Architect: POND & Company

Project cost: \$1.8M



Landscape Architect: Greenberg Farrow

Project cost: \$1M



Landscape Architect: Office of James Burnett

Project cost: \$1.4M



Tech Green



Landscape Architect: POND and Company

Project cost: \$8M

Old Civil Engineering Courtyard (2008)

Landscape Architect: Tunnel Spangler Walsh

Project cost: \$.34M



Tech Walkway

Price Gilbert Grove (2012)

Landscape Architect: Richard Burke & Associates

Project cost: \$.75M

Tech Green (2011)

Landscape Architect: Richard Burke & Associates with Facility Design Group

Project Cost: \$2M



Transit Hub

Tech Green West (2011)

Landscape Architect: EDAW/AECOM

Project cost: \$.6M

Tech Walkway (main east/west pedestrian spine) (2009)

Landscape Architect: EDAW/AECOM

Project Cost: \$.5M

Transit Hub (2011)

Landscape Architect: Leung Gregory

Project cost: \$1.2M

SUSTAINABILITY

"Georgia Tech is one of America's Greenest Colleges and Universities"

-Source: Forbes.com (November 2010)



"In 2008, Georgia Tech was recognized as a Tree Campus USA by the Arbor Day Foundation – quite an accomplishment for an urban campus."

-Source: The Princeton Review

Howard Wertheimer, (right) receives Green Honor Roll plaque from Princeton Review publisher Robert Franek

Prior to Howard's arrival in 2006 as the Director of Capital Planning & Space Management, Georgia Tech had one LEED certified building on campus. He was the first LEED AP architect employed by Georgia Tech in a senior leadership position. Because of Howard's unparalleled leadership, vision and expertise, he quickly established Georgia Tech into a nationally recognized leader in the development of a sustainable urban campus. This effort has been continuously recognized nationally by organizations such as Princeton Review's Green Honor Roll, Sierra Club, National Wildlife Federation, AASHE, USGBC, and the Arbor Day Foundation.

Howard recommended and pursuaded university leadership to become a Founding Circle member of the Billion Dollar Green Challenge, a nationwide effort to create a green revolving fund focused on investing in energy efficient projects to reduce carbon emissions on university campuses, and then reinvest the money saved in future projects. Georgia Tech was one of only 32 universities in the country to garner such recognition. Howard represented Georgia Tech in accepting this national recognition at the Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education (AASHE) Annual Conference in Pittsburgh, PA in October 2011.

In 2007, Howard was instrumental in having then President G. Wayne Clough sign the American College and University President's Climate Commitment (ACUPCC). Since that time, Howard has elevated Georgia Tech's national reputation as a leader in sustainable campus development and environmental stewardship, and helped establish the Office of Environmental Stewardship at Georgia Tech. All capital projects at Georgia Tech are to be designed to LEED Gold criteria, as a minumum. A partial listing of current environmentally responsive projects underway include:

- Historic Academy of Medicine (\$6.4M, targeting LEED Silver)
- Alexander Memorial Coliseum Replacement Facility (\$45M, targeting LEED Gold)
- Basketball Practice Facility (\$6.4M; achieved LEED Gold)
- Bill Moore Tennis Complex (\$10M; targeting LEED Gold)
- Carbon Neutral Energy Solutions Laboratory (42,000 gsf; \$25M; targeting zero energy and LEED Platinum)
- Clough Undergraduate Learning Commons (220,000 gsf; \$93M; targeting LEED Platinum will be the largest LEED Platinum building on a university campus in the US)
- Fitten, Freeman, & Montag Dorm Renovations (\$19M; targeting LEED Gold)
- Football Practice Facility (\$9.2M, targeting LEED Gold)
- Glenn & Towers Dorm Renovations (\$35M, targeting LEED Gold)
- North Avenue Dining (\$13M, targeting LEED Gold)

"Just a quick note to congratulate you on all of your efforts in the sustainability arena and on placing Georgia Tech in a position to be recognized in the Princeton Review's third annual Green Ratings of colleges as among the most environmentally friendly American universities. This is a great tribute to you and your team and all you are doing in this regard."

-G.P. "Bud" Peterson, President, Georgia Institute of Technology

CAMPUS PLANNING & DESIGN

"To make significant progress in changing the paradigm of technically complex university facilities and to push the limits to minimize their impact on the environment one has to take risks. Few architects truly understand the importance of fully integrated, interdisciplinary design, especially when it comes to planning, designing, and constructing new models for these technically sophisticated college and university facilities. Fewer still are willing to take the risk. Howard is one of those few."

-Jon Crane, FAIA, Global Director of Science and Technology Facility Planning, HDR Architects

To further advance the profession of architecture, Howard conducts pre-proposal meetings for all integrated A/E teams interested in pursuing capital projects at Georgia Tech. Howard then leads the short-listing process, which includes a mandatory pre-interview meeting with all short-listed teams, where he clarifies project goals and campus expectations. This process positions the teams with the necessary tools and information to be successful during the interview and selection process. Following the selection, Howard offers his time to provide debriefings to help teams understand how to be more successful in the future.

Howard conceived and directed Georgia Tech's first compensated design-build competition in an effort to expedite the project delivery and control the project budget without sacrificing design quality, for the \$45M Alexander Memorial Coliseum/McCamish Pavilion.

To ensure integrated design rigor and innovation, Howard leads the facilitation of the entire planning, programming and design process with Georgia Tech's Planning & Design Commission (PDC). The PDC is a group of external subject matter design experts – architects, landscape architects and planners – who come to campus on a quarterly basis to lend their interdisciplinary design expertise in providing objective and constructive design critiques.



Howard Wertheimer (pictured in blue) facilitating a design review discussion with the design-build team and Georgia Tech's Planning & Design Commission.

Pictured seated clockwise: Susan Maxman, FAIA – Susan Maxman & Partners, Philadelphia PA; David Miller, FAIA – Miller Hull Partnership, Seattle WA; Steve Swant, EVP Administration & Finance, Georgia Tech; Carol Johnson, FASLA – Carol Johnson Associates, Boston MA; Linda Jewell, AIA, FASLA – UC Berkeley, CA.

Pictured standing left to right: Allen Robertson, PE – GT Facilities Inc. Board Member; Gary Petherick – Georgia Tech Project Manager; Alyn Pruett, AIA – Wallace Roberts & Todd, Coral Gables FL; Howard Wertheimer, AIA; Rob Fisher, ASLA; Robinson Fisher & Associates – Athens, GA; and members of the HDR/Gilbane design-build team.

CAMPUS PLANNING & DESIGN

The scope of Howard Wertheimer's responsibility in reshaping and advancing the significant transformation of the Campus Master Plan cannot be overstated. Howard conceived, advanced, and implemented a comprehensive planning process that raised the bar on all aspects of the Campus Master Plan.

With the 2004 Campus Master plan update as the baseline, Howard Wertheimer established goals, formulated programs and selected consultants, leading the comprehensive planning process that includes utility infrastructure, buildings, landscape, parking, transportation, pedestrian and bicycle infrastructure, campus safety and sustainability to manage growth with effective stewardship of financial and space resources.

To improve the human and ecological landscapes along the ground plane, Howard provides the thought leadership, direction and management to establish the framework in guiding internal and external consulting teams throughout the planning process to ensure that every aspect of the campus fabric is carefully analyzed and integrated into the final planning solution, establishing an easy to follow implementation framework strategy.



Athletic Precinct

Atlantic Drive Streetscape Improvement (2009)

Converted street to pedestrian-only pathway Consultant: Robinson Fisher & Associates

Athletic Facilities Precinct Plan (2007-2012)

Established integrated master plan for multiple athletic facilities Consultant: Capital Planning & Space Management



Bicycle Master Plan

Bicycle Infrastructure Master Plan (2009)

Added 3.4 miles of bike lanes and sharrows, and over 200 new bicycle racks Consultant: Vanasse Hangen Brustlin

Campus Historic Preservation Plan (2010)

Established the framework for historic buildings and landscapes Consultant: Lord, Aeck & Sargent



Cistern Master Plan

Cistern Master Plan (2010)

Established an integrated network to eliminate the use of potable water for irrigation purposes

Consultant: Capital Planning & Space Management and GIS Department

Couch Park Preservation Plan (2008)

Refurbished city owned park for campus and community use Consultant: JJG/Jacobs

"Howard has been a tremendous asset in advancing the sustainable planning and design of our athletic facilities. These public areas are critical to the esprit de corp of campus life, and their impact touches every student athlete and visitor who comes to our campus. I have worked on five other college campuses, and Howard is at the forefront of his profession when it comes to understanding the complex issues related to the integrated planning of intercollegiate athletic facilities."

- Dan Radakovich, Director of Athletics, Georgia Tech

CAMPUS PLANNING & DESIGN

"Georgia Tech has a full-time alternative-transportation manager and is constructing a million-gallon cistern to reduce its stormwater runoff by 60 percent." - Sierra Magazine - 2010



EcoCommons

EcoCommons Master Plan and Phase I Development (2008)

Implemented engineered storm water management system Consultant: Robinson Fisher & Associates

Fowler Street Streetscape Master Plan (2010)

Developed streetscape improvement plan for one of the primary campus streets

Consultant: Pond & Company



Landscape Master Plan

GIS Campus Base Map (2010)

Initiated campus-wide GIS implementation strategy

Consultant: Capital Planning & Space Management and GIS Department



Developed Greek Sector Plan that identifies opportunities for future Greek housing and green space

Consultant: Hug & Associates



Leadership Challenge

Housing Master Plan (2008)

Developed comprehensive 10-year housing master plan

Consultant: Brailsford & Dunlavey

Landscape Master Plan (2006, 2010)

Developed and updated award-winning, nationally recognized landscape master plan

Consultant: Robinson Fisher & Associates



Multimodal Transit Hub

Leadership Challenge Course Complex (2008)

Developed challenge course and outdoor instructional pavilion

Consultant: Houser Walker with JJG/Jacobs



Consultant: Wallace Roberts & Todd



North Ave Corridor Plan

Multimodal Transit Hub (2007)

Identified and developed central campus transit hub

Consultant: Richard Burke & Associates

North Avenue Apartments Master Plan (2008)

Developed comprehensive master plan for 8-acre, 2000-bed, former Olympic

Village housing complex

Consultant: Perry Dean Rogers

CAMPUS PLANNING & DESIGN

"Every time I come back to campus I'm amazed at the significant transformation that Howard helped lead. The campus has never looked so good! Georgia Tech is in great hands."

 Dr. G. Wayne Clough, Secretary, Smithsonian Institute and former President, Georgia Institute of Technology



North Avenue: existing



North Avenue: vision



Solar PV Master Plan



Tech Parkway Abandonment



Tech Tower Lawn

North Avenue Corridor Plan (2008)

Developed corridor master plan after the acquisition of North Avenue Apartments, partnering with local community members

Consultant: Urban Collage/Kimley Horne

Parking & Transportation Master Plan (2009)

Developed comprehensive master plan that addressed all parking related issues and all modalities of transportation Consultant: Vanasse Hangen Brustlin

Solar / PV Master Plan (2009)

Developed master plan that identifies opportunities to add future PV's to buildings

Consultant: Capital Planning & Space Management and GIS Department

Space Audit and Utilization Study (2009)

Initiated comprehensive space utilization study to maximize space resources

Consultant: Capital Planning & Space Management

Tech Green and Central Campus Projects Master Plan (2008)

Developed comprehensive study and implementation of 6 different projects

Consultant: Richard Burke & Associates

Tech Parkway Abandonment Study (2007)

Developed study to redefine a new campus edge, reducing roadways and adding additional acreage to the campus Consultant: Urban Collage and Kimley Horn

Tech Tower Lawn Historic Preservation Plan (2007)

Developed plan focused on the restoration of Georgia Tech's most historic landscape

Consultant: Jaeger & Associates

"Howard has been a tremendous advocate for integrated stormwater/landscape solutions at Georgia Tech. He is one of the few architects that truly understands the importance of the ecological landscape and its impact on campus planning."

Rob Fisher, Landscape Architect, Robinson Fisher & Associates

CAMPUS PLANNING & DESIGN

Howard Wertheimer is a national subject-matter expert on the planning and design of teaching, learning and research spaces for undergraduate Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) facilities. Howard was the first architect in the country and the only non-casework manufacturer, to become a voting member to serve on the Board of Directors for the international Scientific Equipment and Furniture Association (SEFA).

Supported by the National Science Foundation and the W. M. Keck Foundation, **Project Kaleidoscope** (PKAL) has been America's leading voice in significantly improving student learning and achievement in STEM education, planning and design. Since the mid-1990's, Howard Wertheimer has been an active workshop leader, presenter, author and facilitator in PKAL events across the country where he has advanced the thinking of thousands of people who are in leadership positions to transform facilities for undergraduate STEM education. From architects and educators, to students and college presidents, Howard has helped reshape on a national scale the pedagogy and planning of how spaces are designed for teaching and learning for undergraduate STEM facilities.

Below is a partial listing of Architects who have designed STEM facilities at colleges and universities across the country after attending and participating in PKAL workshops where Howard Wertheimer was a workshop leader and facilitator. While direct influence is difficult to define, implied benefits can be derived based on the national prestige, professionalism and collegiality by which these workshops have been conducted and the subsequent recognition these firms have achieved for their work in this arena.

Anshen + Allen EYP Michael Keeshan & Associates

Ballinger Glave & Holmes Payette
Brown Jurkowski Hasenstab Perkins + Will

Burt Hill HOK Research Facilities Design

CO Architects HERA Shepley Bulfinch Richardson & Abbott

Cooper Carry HDR SLAM Collaborative
CUH2A Holabird & Root SRG Partnership
Dober, Lidsky, Craig Loebl Schlossman & Hackl SST Planners
Dunwody Beeland Lord, Aeck & Sargent VMDO Architects PC

Ellenzweig MacLachlan Cornelius & Filoni, Inc. William Wilson Associated Architects

"I have worked with Howard on several projects and Facilities Planning Workshops since the mid 1990's. He has been a national leader in establishing and promoting trends in STEM teaching & learning."

Rick Heinz, FAIA, Research Facilities Design

Science on Display: Ideas presented and promoted at workshops facilitated by Howard Wertheimer



Science as art



Custom carpet with DNA strand



Shared equipment Natural light in



Natural light in faculty laboratory



Informal interaction space



Transparency of spaces



Science integrated in the architecture

CAMPUS PLANNING & DESIGN

Project Kaleidoscope (PKAL) is now part of the Association of American Colleges and Universities AACU. As a national leader on the planning and design of STEM teaching and learning spaces, Howard Wertheimer has positively influenced hundreds of colleges and universities from across the country who are applying his lessons learned to the design of STEM facilities on their campuses. Below is a partial listing of campuses that Howard has had direct interaction with at workshops he has facilitated:

- Agnes Scott College Decatur, GA
- Albright College Reading, PA
- Baldwin Wallace College Ohio
- Berea College Berea, KY
- Bowling Green State University Bowling Green, OH
- Charleston Southern University Charleston, SC
- Central Michigan University Mt. Pleasant, MI
- Christopher Newport University Newport News, VA
- Clemson University Clemson, SC
- Davidson College Davidson, NC
- East Carolina University Greenville, NC
- Georgia Institute of Technology Atlanta, GA
- Georgia State University Atlanta, GA
- St. Clair Community College Port Huron, MI
- Kennesaw State University Kennesaw, GA
- Loyola Marymount University Los Angeles, CA
- Marygrove College, Detroit, MI
- Maryville College Maryville, TN
- Meredith College Raleigh, NC

- Middle Tennessee State University Murfreesboro, TN
- Morehouse College Atlanta, GA
- Niagara University Niagara, NY
- Penn State Erie, The Behrend College Erie, PA
- Presbyterian College Clinton, SC
- Sewanee: The University of the South Sweanee, TN
- Southern Polytechnic State University Marietta, GA
- St. Bonaventure Olean, NY
- Transylvania University Lexington, KY
- Troy State University Dothan, AL
- Valdosta State University Valdosta, GA
- Wesleyan College Macon, GA
- University of Akron Akron, OH
- University of Tennessee, Chattanooga Chattanooga, TN

Promote the development and wider use of evidence-based teaching, learning and assessment approaches that engage students in the active pursuit of learning through authentic experiences;

Advance the critical role of STEM in general education, liberal education, civic education and global education;

Advocate the importance of integrated, interdisciplinary and state-of-the-art undergraduate STEM education;

Build individual and organizational capacity to lead change in STEM education;

Engage the broader community of external stakeholders.







"Howard has helped shape PKAL's national influence in making significant contributions to advancing 'what works' in STEM education. I have worked with hundreds of extraordinary architects from across the country, and few do this better than Howard."

-Jeanne Narum, Founding Executive Director, Project Kaleidoscope

Howard's leadership and commitment to STEM education over the last 15 years embodies the primary goals of PKAL, shown above

CAMPUS PLANNING & DESIGN

As a **collaborator** and **sharer of knowledge** in the pursuit of integrated design excellence, Howard has been sought after as a subject matter expert and consultant on Science, Technology Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) facility planning and design. In addition to conference presentations, workshops and symposiums, he has directly worked on projects with the following firms.

Ashley McGraw – Syracuse, NY

SUNY at Geneva Experiment Station: Food Research Lab (2006)

Brown Jurkowski Architectural Collaborative – Raleigh, NC East Carolina University: Flanagan Science Building (2000)

Dober, Lidsky, Craig - Boston, MA

Wesleyan College: Monroe Science Building (2004)

Dunwody Beeland Architects - Macon, GA

Wesleyan College: Munroe Science Building(2005)

French Associates - Rochester, MI

St. Clair Community College: Science Building Renovations

(2004)

Glave & Holmes Associates – Richmond, VA

Christopher Newport University: McMurran Hall Academic and

Science Building (2005)

Hasenstab Architects - Akron, OH

University of Akron: Auburn Science and Engineering Building

Renovations (2003)

James W. Potts Architects – Lexington, KY

University of Kentucky: NIH Grant and Laboratory Renovations

(2003)

Liollio Architects – Charleston, SC

Medical University of South Carolina: Laboratory Renovations (2005)

Michael Keeshan & Associates - Greenville, SC

Clemson University: Packaging Science & Graphics Building (2002)

Clemson University: Biomedical Engineering Building (2004)

Research Facilities Design - San Diego, CA

St. Bonaventure University: Science Building (1999)

Valdosta State University: Biology and Chemistry Building (1996)

Richard + Wittschiebe - Atlanta, GA

Georgia Institute of Technology: Food Processing Technology Building (2001)

Ross/Tarrant Architects - Lexington, KY

Transylvania University: Brown Science Building Renovations (2004)

2KM - Augusta, GA

Medical College of Georgia: Interdisciplinary Research Building (2000)

"Howard has been a great teacher, collaborator, team builder and mentor in advancing the planning and design of science teaching and research facilities across the country."

- Larry Lord, FAIA Lord, Aeck & Sargent Architects

"Howard's understanding of STEM facilities, design leadership, and communication and collaboration skills created an incredible level of trust among all stakeholders. He is one of the best collaborating architects that I have worked with."

- Eugene Cox Dunwody, FAIA, Dunwody Beeland Architects

2.1 JURY SERVICE

As a reocognized thought leader, Howard Wertheimer has served on a number of local, regional, national, and international design juries.



AIA Georgia Nominating Committee - 2011

Committee member responsible for reviewing and selecting architects for annual awards recognitions.

AlA Georgia 2011 Georgia Architecture Firm Award AlA Georgia 2011 Emerging Professional Award AlA Georgia 2011 Bronze Medal AlA Georgia 2011 Certificate of Honorable Recognition AlA Georgia 2011 Certificate of Service



AIA Miami Chapter Design Awards Juror - 1998

Committee member responsible for reviewing and selecting architects for annual awards recognitions.



SCUP Awards Committee, Southern Region Representative (3 year term: 2011-2014)

Southern Region representative, and one of eight national committee members (including an AIA representative from the AIA Committee on Architecture for Education) responsible for "overseeing and managing a prestigious awards program that recognizes high-quality planning, design and service efforts, and disseminates lessons learned from these contributions regarding best practices and emerging trends for the advancement of integrated planning in higher education."

Excellence in Planning Awards
Excellence in Landscape Architecture Awards
SCUP/AIA-CAE Excellence in Architecture Awards



CMAA Jury Members at Georgia Aquarium-Howard Wertheimer second from right

R&D

Construction Management Association of America, South Atlantic Chapter Awards Juror – June 2011

Committee member responsible for reviewing and selecting construction managers (and architects) for annual awards recognitions. Categories include: Infrastructure; New Construction valued less than \$10M; New Construction valued between \$10M-\$30M; New Construction valued between \$30M-\$50M; Renovation/Modernization greater than \$20M; and Program Management services.

R&D Magazine "Lab of the Year" Awards Juror – 2001, 2002, 2003Scientific Equipment and Furniture Association (SEFA) representative responsible for reviewing national and international entries for the highly competitive Laboratory of the Year design awards recognition program.
Categories include new and renovated facilities.

Georgia Tech College of Architecture design studios, guest critic – 1985 - present

Auburn University School of Architecture, Design-Build Studio critic - 2010

Because of his extensive college and university planning and design expertise where he has been creating new models for integrating architecture, engineering, landscape, technology and sustainability into each and every project, Howard is sought after as a national voice on creating meaningful, forward-thinking, college and university architecture.

The following is a list highlighting Howard Wertheimer's local, regional, national and international speaking engagements where he has presented trends, case studies and thought papers focused primarily on college and university sustainable campus planning and design excellence.



American Institute of Architects (AIA)

- AlA Principal's Roundtable, "Georgia Tech's Master Plan and Innovative Sustainable Design Initiatives," November, Atlanta, GA
- 2007 AIA Young Architects Forum, "Design/Build: Shotgun Marriage by Design," September, Atlanta, GA
- 2005 AIA/SCUP, "Science Facilities that Work: Shaping Spaces: Research Rich, Interdisciplinary Spaces for Undergraduate Science that Serve all Students," September, National AIA Webcast in association with PKAL
- 1995 AIA National Convention, Tour Guide, May, Atlanta, GA



Society for College and University Planning (SCUP)

- SCUP Southern Regional Conference, "Georgia Tech's Courageous Leadership on Capital Project Development and IPD for a Carbon-Neutral Energy Solutions Laboratory," October, San Antonio, TX
- SCUP International Conference, Convener for "Planning a 2020 Campus with 20/20 Vision," July, Washington, DC
- 2010 SCUP Southern Region Conference, "Building Quality into the New Reality," October, Charleston, SC
- SCUP International Conference, Convener for "Repurposing Morrill Hall at Iowa State, Sustainable in 1890," July, Minneapolis, MN
- 2009 SCUP International Conference, Convener for "Creating Sustainable Innovation Capacities," July, Portland, OR
- 2009 SCUP Southern Regional Conference, "Georgia Tech's Award Winning Landscape Master Plan and New Cistern/Irrigation Master Plan," October, Memphis, TN
- 2008 SCUP Southern Regional Conference, "Regeneration: Planning Beyond Sustainability Campus Crossroads: Georgia Tech's Innovative Learning Resource Center," October, New Orleans, LA
- 2008 SCUP International Conference Convener for "The Politics of Changing the Class Scheduling Process," July, Montreal, Canada
- 2008 SCUP Mid-Atlantic Region, "Stitching the Campus Quilt-Campus Crossroads," March, Pittsburgh, PA
- SCUP International Conference, Convener "Realizing Green Campus Initiatives through Facility Programming," July, Chicago, IL
- 2003 SCUP Southern Regional Conference, "Who Says You Can't Build Quality Fast?", October, Charlotte, NC



Project Kaleidoscope (PKAL)

- 2011 PKAL Workshop, "Burdell: Creating a Vision for Undergraduate Engineering Education at Georgia Institute of Technology," March, Atlanta, GA
- 2007 "Planning Facilities for Undergraduate Science Facilities," University of Tennessee Chattanooga, Chattanooga, TN
- 2006 PKAL Facilities Workshop, "Planning for Undergraduate Science and Mathematics," Meredith College; Raleigh, NC
- 2005 PKAL "National Colloquium on Undergraduate Science Facilities: Translating How People Learn," Stowers Institute; Kansas City, MO
- 2004 PKAL Leadership Initiative, "Building Intellectual and Physical Learning Communities for Undergraduate Natural Science Communities," November, Atlanta, GA
- 2004 PKAL, "Science Facilities Workshop," July, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL
- 2004 PKAL Phase IV Leadership Initiative "Presenters & Facilitators in PKAL Seminars, National Colloquia, and Leadership Institutes,"
- 2003 PKAL, "Science Facilities Workshop," 2003, Drury University, Springfield MO
- 2003 PKAL, "Leadership Institute," Agnes Scott College, Atlanta, GA
- 2003 PKAL/Keck Consultancy , "Planning Facilities for Undergraduate Science," Pennsylvania State University Erie, Erie, PA
- 2003 PKAL, "A PKAL Roundtable: Facilities of the Future" (co-author), March, Cranbrook Institute, MI
- 2002 PKAL Summer Institute, "Science Facilities Workshop," June, Williamsburg, VA
- 2001 PKAL Summer Institute, "Start Putting the Pieces Together," Snowbird, UT
- 1999 PKAL, "10 Year National Anniversary Celebration and Workshop," Summer, Washington, DC Regular contributor to PKAL's "Geographic Listing" website highlighting relevant Undergraduate Science Facilities throughout the U.S.



Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education (AASHE)

- 2011 AASHE, "Smart Growth Strategy: Immersive Sustainability Master Plan," October, Pittsburg, PA
- 2011 AASHE, "EcoCommons Establishes Ecological Performance Benefits," October, Pittsburg, PA



Tradeline



- 2006 Tradeline, "Emerging Science", March, St. Petersburg, FL
- 2003 Tradeline, Academic Research Facilities "Optimizing Plans for Multidiscipline, Multifunctional Laboratory Buildings," November, Hilton Head, SC
- 2003 Tradeline, "International Conference on Biocontainment Facilities," May, Hilton Head, SC
- Tradeline, "International Conference on Biocontainment Facilities Planning for Functional Spaces, Key Pieces of Equipment and Support Utilities," April, San Antonio, TX
- 1998 Tradeline, "Best Practices for Modernizing Outdated Science Facilities," 1998, Hilton Head, SC
- 1997 Tradeline, "New Facilities Strategies for Colleges, Universities and Medical Schools," 1997, Hilton Head, SC
- 1996 Tradeline "Cost Savings Strategies for Renovation Projects," 1996, Hilton Head, SC



















National and International Organizations

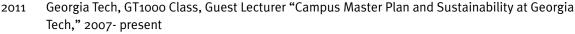
- France Atlanta 2011 Together Towards Innovation, "Green City of the Future: How Can My City be Greener: Challenges and Opportunities of Sustainable Development in an Urban Environment," October, Atlanta, GA (invited speaker)
- German American Chamber of Commerce of the Southern US, "Innovation in Renewables and Energy Efficiency," October, Atlanta, GA (invited speaker)
- National Wildlife Federation "Water Conservation and Reuse Strategies for Colleges and Universities," September, Statesboro, GA (invited speaker)
- SMPS Panel Discussion, "Top of the Class: The Higher Education Market in Georgia," June, Atlanta, GA (invited speaker)
- Appalachian Colleges Association, "Supporting Success in Engaged and Active Learning," June, Berea College, Berea, KY (invited speaker and workshop facilitator)
- Greenprints Conference, "Greening the Campus: Meeting the ACUPCC Challenge," March, Atlanta, GA (invited speaker)
- NACUBO Smart and Sustainable Campuses Conference, "Sustainable Campus Strategies," March, College Park, MD (presenter)
- 2003 LABCONCO, "Designing Spaces for Tomorrow's Science," Kansas City, MO (invited speaker)
- SEFA, "College and University Laboratory Facilities Symposium," November, Ft. Lauderdale, FL (Symposium facilitator and keynote speaker)

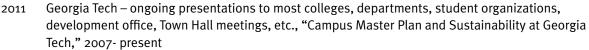
State and Regional Organizations

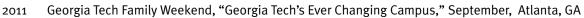
- Perkins + Will Atlanta, Sustainable Science Facility Symposium, "Pathway to Net Zero Campus," November, Atlanta, GA
- 2011 Metro Atlanta Chamber of Commerce and McKinsey, "Metro Atlanta's Sustainable Economy Growth Initiative / Sustainability at Georgia Tech: A City within a City," May, Atlanta, GA
- 2010 Board of Regents Facilities Officers Conference, "Historic Preservation Master Plan and Mid-20th Century Building Renovation Strategies," October, Savannah, GA
- 2010 Georgia Solar Energy Association, Summer Solstice Panel Discussion "Getting to Net-Zero," June, Atlanta, GA
- 2007 Sustainable Atlanta Roundtable, "Greening Higher Education," November, Atlanta, GA
- Vanderbilt University School of Medicine Retreat, "The Architectural DNA of the Vanderbilt University Institute for Imaging Science," June, Louisville, KY
- 2003 Lord, Aeck & Sargent Symposium, "A Practical Approach to Laboratory Design," October, Atlanta, GA
- 2003 20th Annual GAPPA Conference, "Cost Savings Strategies for Renovation Projects," May, Jekyll, GA
- 1998 College and University Facilities Symposium, "Cost Savings Strategies for Renovation Projects," Atlanta, GA (Four Seasons Hotel)
- 1995 Lord, Aeck & Sargent Symposium, "College and University Facilities Symposium," Atlanta GA









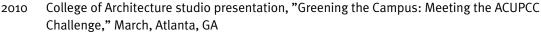


2011 Southern Company, "Georgia Tech: Green Plans and Campus Sustainability," January, Atlanta, GA

Georgia Tech Alumni Association, "Campus Master Plan Update and Sustainability Leadership,"
May, Richmond, VA



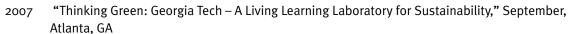
- 2010 Southern Company Georgia Tech Club, "Georgia Tech: Green Plans," October, Atlanta, GA
- Southern Company, "Lunch and Learn with Howard Wertheimer: Campus Master Plan and Sustainability at Georgia Tech," May, Atlanta, GA
- 2010 Georgia Tech Symposium, "Smart Campus Overview," April, Atlanta, GA





2009 University Leadership Program – "Space Management and Real Estate Funding", April, Atlanta, GA

2008 Georgia Tech Alumni Association, "Campus Master Plan Update and Sustainability Leadership," November, Pensacola, FL





2.1 ACADEMIC SERVICE

Howard Wertheimer's passion for the profession has empowered him to establish unique opportunities to teach, mentor and share knowledge, especially with his professional colleagues and future architects. During his tenure at Lord, Aeck & Sargent, Howard established a peer mentorship program where every employee had a mentor who was an owner of the company. Recognizing a need to better connect with intern architects, he established an aspiring peer mentor program to align intern architects with recently registered architects to help them navigate the IDP and ARE process. Howard helped establish LASU, an AIA accredited in-house continuing education program that ensured ongoing professional development, and hired its first full time administrative "Dean". In an effort to expose future architects to an award-winning national practice, Howard initiated a firm-wide outreach program to support architecture career fairs sponsored by regional universities. Howard has been a regular guest lecturer and design critic across the entire Georgia Tech campus.



American Intercontinental University

Part-time Instructor, Interior Design Program; 1994-2001



Auburn University

Guest Lecturer, "Integrated Design-Build Graduate Studio", Professor David Hinson, FAIA; 2011 Project Sponsor, Architecture Design Process Studio, Professor David Hinson, FAIA; 1998-present School of Architecture, Planning & Landscape Architecture Career Fair; multiple years



Georgia Institute of Technology

Guest Critic, College of Architecture design studios; 1985-present Guest Lecturer, Professional Practice course, Professor Stuart Romm, AIA; 2007-present Guest Lecturer, Common First Year Studio, Assistant Dean Sabir Khan; 2008-present College of Architecture Project Sponsor; multiple design studios; 2007-present College of Architecture Career Fair; multiple years

College of Architecture Career Discovery Program; Guest speaker and building tour guide, Professor Charles Rudolph, AIA; 1998-present



Undergraduate Success Programs; GT1000 Guest lecturer; 2008-present



Lord, Aeck & Sargent University (LASU)

Established AIA Accredited In-house Continuing Education Program
Established firm-wide mentor program and aspiring peer mentor program
Initiated Regional Architecture Program Career Fair support program



Savannah College of Art & Design

School of Architecture Career Fair

Southern Polytechnic State University

School of Architecture Career Fair



Tuskegee University

School of Architecture Career Fair

University of Tennessee

School of Architecture Career Fair; multiple years

2.1 CIVIC LEADERSHIP / COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Howard Wertheimer has leveraged his architectural communication and collaboration skills to bring people together to help improve the human condition.

Since his arrival in architecture school, Howard Wertheimer has continuously given back to his community. From coaching inner city youth sports teams to coaching international competitive U16 girls basketball teams, and from Board chair of the YMCA to being awarded their 2003 Volunteer of the Year, Howard has always recognized the importance of mentoring others, especially young children and exposing them to the world of architecture.

Lending his professional expertise, Howard has worked with Jane Fonda on the national pilot for the design of a Teen Clinic and the Jane Fonda Center at Emory University, and has co-chaired Leadership Atlanta's Race Relations Dialogue Series whose mission is to develop programs for open and honest conversations about race relations in and around Atlanta. Programs have featured internationally known speakers and thought leaders, and included pre-screenings of CNN's "Black in America" and "Latino in America" with CNN anchor and special correspondent Soledad O'Brien.

Howard established many formal and informal mentorship programs for young and aspiring architects, from speaking at K-12 career discovery programs, to providing job shadowing opportunities for future architects.

Howard represents Georgia Tech in a variety of community planning and design activities and organizations, including Midtown Alliance, Central Atlanta Progress, the Interstate 75/85 Connector project with SWA Group (Houston), and visioning exercises with Georgia Tech's corporate neighbor, Coca Cola.



Howard Wertheimer at the dedication of The Jane Fonda Center, which focuses on adolescent pregnancy prevention



Introducing children from St. Jude's Recovery Center to the world of architecture at Georgia Tech College of Architecture.

"During our early development as a practice, Howard has been an crucial mentor to both me and my business partner. From the opportunities to work with him on projects at Georgia Tech, to his volunteering for YAF programs, to numerous conversations about the development and growth of our firm, we've always been grateful for his time, counsel and leadership."

- Gregory Walker, AIA - Partner, Houser Walker Architects AIA Atlanta – Board of Directors, Director of Emerging Professionals, AIA YAF – National Advisory Board

2.1 CIVIC LEADERSHIP / COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Midtown Alliance/Central Atlanta Progress: 75/85 Connector Project – 2011

Selected to represent Georgia Tech in working with other city, civic and international leaders to revision the interstate 75/85 Connector. Also represents Georgia Tech in conversations with city leaders about the possible introduction of streetcars. Helped lead the consultant interview and selection process, recommending the selection of the SWA Group (Houston)

North Avenue Corridor – 2010 - present

Selected to co-lead collaboration between Georgia Tech, Coca Cola and adjacent communities

Leadership Atlanta; Co-Chair Race Relations Dialogue Series - 2008-2010

Developed monthly programs and facilitated discussions with top private sector and public sector business leaders on the topic of race and the impact on education, healthcare, politics and economic development. Developed program at Turner Broadcasting Systems/CNN with national thought leaders

Leadership Atlanta's CEO Breakfast - 2009

Participated in leadership breakfast with Frank Blake, CEO of The Home Depot and Phil Kent, CEO Turner Broadcasting System

Leadership Atlanta - Class of 2006

Selected as an impactful community leader to participate in year-long leadership program focused social change and exercising "real leadership committed to serving the common good"

Georgia Biomedical Partnership - 1997-2003

Program committee leader focused on advancing economic development in the bio-sciences in Georgia

Metro Chamber of Commerce - BioScience Industry Council member - 2002

Participated in establishing strategic visioning process to expand Georgia's bio-science and life-science industries

Scientific Equipment and Furniture Association (SEFA) - Board member 2001-04

First non-manufacturer voting Board member of international organization focused on laboratory casework industry

Science Fair Judge - Davis Academy Middle School - 1999-2001



Hosting children from St. Jude's Recovery Center at NBC affiliate WSB-TV with anchor Lori Geary.



Working with volunteer leaders from neighboring Coca Cola to improve their shared community, Howard was invited to Coca Cola's 125th Anniversary celebration. Pictured with American Idol winner Kelly Clarkson.

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Ashford Dunwoody YMCA Board Chair - (2003 Volunteer of the Year)

First non-Christian Board Chair of YMCA. Initiated community relationships with Jewish Community Center to develop joint youth sports programs for pre-teens, which has now expanded to include three neighborhood churches

Metro Atlanta YMCA - 2003 Volunteer Recognition Dinner

Volunteer of the Year recognition for leading volunteer efforts for the most successful fundraising campaign for Partner with Youth Campaign

Maccabi U16 Girls Basketball Coach (2002, 2003, 2005, 2006)

Successfully Coached, mentored and chaperoned team in international competition against teams from Argentina, Mexico, Canada, Spain, England, Australia, Israel and the United States. Won medals each year of competition.

ICC Maccabi Games

Service Recognition Program Award, 2002

Dunwoody High School

Additions and Renovations – Community participant

Peachtree Charter Middle School

Community Leader/Building Committee member
Only volunteer architect to represent community in the development of a new middle school

Davis Academy Middle School

Building Committee member and Science Fair judge

MJCCA All-Stars vs. Harlem Globetrotters Legends Fundraising Basketball Game (2003 and 2004)

MJCCA All-Star participant; Selected to participate in fundraiser basketball game

Youth Sports Coach (ongoing)

Volunteer coach for youth basketball, tee-ball, girls softball, baseball teams



Howard Wertheimer and U16 Team Atlanta at International Macabbi Games in Houston



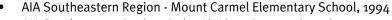
Program excerpt from Metro Atlanta YMCA Volunteer of the Year Recognition Dinner

2.2 SIGNIFICANT AWARDS, HONORS & RECOGNITIONS

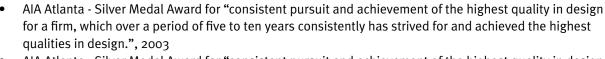
Private Practice (Lord, Aeck & Sargent)



- AIA National Honor Awards; Continuing Education System (CES) Award for Excellence, medium-sized firm,
 2007 (recognition of program nominee established while employed at Lord, Aeck & Sargent)
- AIA National Honor Award; Mount Carmel Elementary School, 1992
- AIA National Honor Award; Trinity School, 1990



- AIA Southeastern Region; Delta Air Lines Reservations Center, 1988
- AIA Southeastern Region; Trinity School, 1987
- AIA Georgia Georgia Architecture Firm Award, 2005 (Nominee was a principal and partner of Lord, Aeck & Sargent)
- AIA Georgia Georgia Tech Manufacturing Research Center, 1995
- AIA Georgia Mount Carmel Elementary School, 1991
- AlA Georgia Aaron Diamond AIDS Research Center, 1991
- AIA Georgia Trinity School, 1988



- AIA Atlanta Silver Medal Award for "consistent pursuit and achievement of the highest quality in design for a firm, which over a period of five to ten years consistently has strived for and achieved the highest qualities in design.", 1991
- Progressive Architecture Annual Design Citations Georgia Tech Manufacturing Research Center, 1989
- R & D Magazine Lab of the Year High Honors, Georgia Tech Manufacturing Research Center, 1993
- R & D Magazine Lab of the Year Special Mention, Aaron Diamond AIDS Research Center, 1992
- Environmental Design + Construction Magazine Excellence in Design Award Honorable Mention Educational Category, Clemson University, Rhodes Hall Bioengineering Annex, 2011
- Environmental Design + Construction Magazine Excellence in Design Award Honorable Mention Educational Category, Clemson University, Harris A. Smith Building for Packaging Science & Graphics, 2010
- Construction Specifications Institute Environmental Sensitivity Institute Award for Environmental Sensitivity, 2003
- American Concrete Institute Award of Excellence, Industrial Buildings Category, United Distributors, 2000
- American Concrete Institute Award of Excellence, Grace Crum Rollins Building, Emory University School of Public Health, 1994
- Atlanta Urban Design Commission- Georgia Tech Manufacturing Research Center, 1992
- Bricklayers & Allied Craftsmen Masonry Craftsmanship; Rock-Tenn Headquarters, 1990
- Historic Office Building of the Year Building Owners and Managers
- Association (BOMA) for the Southeast and the Atlanta area: The Candler Building, 1989
- Design Competition Finalist Phoenix Historical Society Museum, 1985

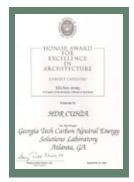




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- AIA Georgia Honor Award for Design Excellence Hinman Building, 2011 (Architect: Lord, Aeck & Sargent with Office dA)
- AIA Pennsylvania Honor Award for Architectural Excellence Marcus Nanotechnology Research Building, 2011 (Architect: Bohlin Cywinski Jackson)
- AIA New Jersey Honor Award for Excellence in Architecture, Unbuilt Category Carbon Neutral Energy Solutions Laboratory, 2009 (Architect: HDR/CUH2A)
- AIA Philadelphia Merit Award for Design Marcus Nanotechnology Research Building, 2009 (Architect: Bohlin Cywinski Jackson)



- BD+C Reconstruction Award Hinman Building, October 2011 (Architect: Lord, Aeck & Sargent with Office dA) CMAA Honor Award Hinman Building, 2011 (Architect: Lord, Aeck & Sargent with Office dA)
- The European Center for Architecture and The Chicago Athenaeum Green Good Design Awards-Marcus Nanotechnology Research Building, 2011 (Architect: Bohlin Cywinski Jackson)
- North American Copper in Architecture Awards Design Award, New Construction Category Marcus Nanotechnology Research Building, 2010 (Architect: Bohlin Cywinski Jackson)
- Society of American Registered Architects Design of Honor Award Marcus Nanotechnology Research Building, 2010 (Architect: Bohlin Cywinski Jackson)
- Presidential Recognition for Outstanding Service to the Georgia Tech Student Body, 2009
- SCUP Design Award Georgia Tech's Landscape Master Plan, 2009 (Landscape Architect: Robinson Fisher & Associates)
- Southeast Construction Best of 2009 Awards Special Award for Best Project Management Marcus Nanotechnology Research Building, 2009 (Architect: Bohlin Cywinski Jackson)
- Atlanta Urban Design Commission Award of Excellence Power Wrap (Public Art), 2008 (Architect: Amy Landesberg and Georgia Tech College of Architecture Students)
- ASLA Georgia Chapter Honor Award Georgia Tech's Landscape Master Plan, 2008 (Landscape Architect: Robinson Fisher & Associates)
- CISCA Construction Excellence Awards Silver Citation of Merit, Overall Interior South Region Marcus Nanotechnology Research Building, 2008 (Architect: Bohlin Cywinski Jackson)







2.3 SIGNIFICANT PUBLICATIONS







- "Georgia Tech Facilities Inc. Celebrating 20 Years of Support." Publisher and editor, Spring 2009.
- Ascent (PCI.org), "Inside Out Façade Speeds Research Center Expansion." co-author, Winter 2005.
- School Construction News, "Fast –Track Inside-Out Construction Medical College of Georgia." Co-author, March/April 2005.
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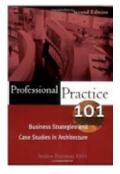




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3.1 CAMPUS HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLAN (2010)

Role of Nominee

Howard Wertheimer catalyzed Georgia Tech's commitment to Historic Preservation and provided the overall leadership and strategic oversight in the development of the 2010 Campus Historic Preservation Plan. Wertheimer created a steering committee of subject matter experts, including the campus historic preservation officer, architects, landscape architects, faculty, horticulturalists, accessibility experts and engineers who worked with consultants in analyzing and preserving historic structures, landscapes and monuments, developing the appropriate guidelines for effective stewardship of these culturally significant assets.

Synopsis

Georgia Tech was the first institution within the 35 unit Board of Regents system to develop a Campus Historic Preservation Plan (CHPP). Under Howard's guidance and leadership, Georgia Tech then became the first institution within the system to update their CHPP, and the first to include historic and cultural landscapes with this document. Howard Wertheimer matched comprehensive design teams who would sensitively revitalize these projects through thoughtful and challenging integration of engineered systems, technology, accessibility, sustainability and preservation to promote design excellence while maintaining their cultural heritage.

As signatories of the American College and University President's Climate Commitment, Howard set the bar even higher by requiring all historic renovation projects to seek LEED Gold certification. The renovated Old Civil Engineering building was the first LEED Gold certified Historic Renovation project in the Board of Regents System.

Under Howard's leadership, the team conducted research and developed a historic context that documents the physical evolution of the campus from pre-history and the Civil War through to the present, and conducted a Phase I architectural survey of all resources 40 years old or older. For the first time within the BOR system, historic landscapes were identified in consultation with the project steering committee. The CHPP recommends the establishment of a "Modern-era Historic District." Howard expanded the pre-historic context and updated the Archaeological Sensitivity Maps based on new information, and developed a "Catalog of Historic Resources" that summarizes the information collected on each historic architectural and landscape resource.

Select Awards, Recognitions and Presentations

- 1st in State to develop Historic Preservation Plan
- 1st in State to update Historic Preservation Plan
- 1st in State to have LEED Gold Certified Historic Preservation project
- (Old Civil Engineering Building 2007)
- 2010 BOR Facility Officers Conference Savannah, Georgia
- 2011 BOR Facility Officers Conference Columbus, Georgia
- Governor's Award for Historic Preservation Stewardship Georgia Department of Natural Resources, Historic Preservation Division



Georgia Tech ca. 1920

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Antonin Aeck, FAIA - Lord, Aeck & Sargent Architects

3.1 CAMPUS HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLAN (2010)



One of the twelve historic landscapes identified in CHPP



Archaeological Sensitivity Map













Sample page from the "Catalog of Historic Resources"



Old CE Building
- 1st Historic
Preservation
project in State of
Georgia Board of
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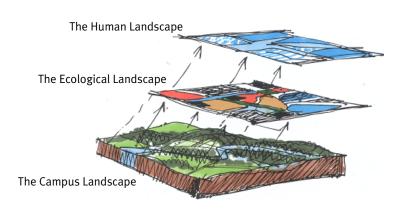


Skiles Building

– Included in
the Modern-era
historic district

Architect: Lord, Aeck & Sargent (Atlanta, GA and Ann Arbor, MI)

3.2 LANDSCAPE MASTER PLAN (2010)



Role of Nominee

While most universities have a Campus Master Plan, very few have a Landscape Master Plan (LMP). Howard Wertheimer was instrumental in leading the development of the Landscape Master Plan, the EcoCommons, and its subsequent update which focused on the ecological performance and human landscape of the Georgia Tech campus. Going beyond the establishment of campus standards for site furnishings, site lighting, plant material, and storm water management, Howard expanded the scope to include requirements for submissions and reviews with the Planning & Design Commission, tree replacement requirements, pilot tree planting, and a comprehensive hydrological study for the entire campus, establishing a strong vision for a performance landscape.

Synopsis

The intent of the Landscape Master Plan is threefold: Follow up on recommendations contained in the 2004 Campus Master Plan Update; Create a plan based on an ecological approach; and Develop a document that can guide future development to achieve a livable, sustainable and beautiful campus.

There are three major goals for the Landscape Master Plan: 1) Develop an integrated, ecologically-based landscape and open space system that helps Georgia Tech achieve its goal of environmental sustainability, specifically, a 50% reduction of current stormwater entering the Atlanta sewer system; 2) Develop a landscape that enhances the living, working, and learning environment of the Institute, and 3) Develop a landscape that unifies the campus and gives it a distinct sense of place and expresses the identity of Georgia Tech.

The Landscape Master Plan establishes a strong vision of a landscape that will be unique to Georgia Tech - a performance landscape - that joins technology and ecology to creates great sense of place. The master plan provides the data base, performance standards and design tools for an ongoing process of design, but it is not prescriptive. It encourages creativity and innovation by many to reach sustainable goals.

Select Awards and Recognitions

- Princeton Review 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012 Green Honor Roll
- Sierra Club, "Coolest Schools" 2010
- SCUP Excellence in Planning for an Established Campus, Merit Award 2009
- Georgia ASLA Honor Award, 2009

Select Publications

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Robinson Fisher, ASLA
Consultant for Georgia Tech's Landscape Master Plan

3.2 LANDSCAPE MASTER PLAN (2010)



Design Corridors: three dimensional volumes of outdoor space that contain the community life of the campus—portals to buildings, gathering places and venues for diverse activities.



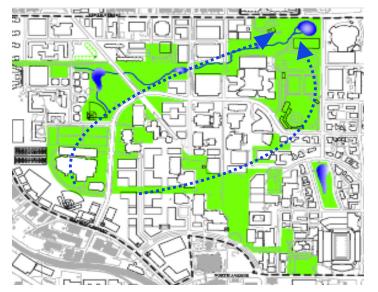
Layered Master Plan Concept: involves all aspects of the ecological and human landscape.



Pilot Tree Planting Project: Before, top. Three years later, bottom

Pilot Tree Planting projects:

Increase tree canopy, reduce stormwater runoff, reduce heat island, and beautify the campus.



Eco-Commons: engineered waterway that significantly reduces stormwater runoff, visually exposing water as an educational, research and recreational amenity.

Landscape Architect: Robinson Fisher & Associates (Athens, GA)

3.3 SUSTAINABLE PLANNING / CISTERN MASTER PLAN (2008)

Role of Nominee

Howard Wertheimer is the visionary behind Georgia Tech's Cistern Master Plan. He provides the day-to-day leadership, management and direct strategic oversight of the Cistern Master Plan and campus-wide Sustainability initiatives. Howard articulates the campus-wide sustainability goals and ensures their realization by actively engaging other campus departments and all design and construction consultants to ensure a thorough understanding of strategic, campus-wide sustainability initiatives, with a particular emphasis on innovative water conservation, reuse and harvesting strategies.

Synopsis

Founded in 1885, Georgia Tech has 14.6M gross square feet of space, and nearly 50% is classified as sustainably designed. Recognizing the importance of water conservation and reuse, Howard Wertheimer created a Cistern Master Plan for the campus, the first such master plan on a university campus.

Two of the primary goals of the Cistern Master Pan is to significantly reduce stormwater runoff and to eliminate Georgia Tech's use of potable water to meet the irrigation needs of the campus. Currently, more than 50% of irrigated areas on campus are served by harvested water from cisterns, including all athletic facilities.

A 1.4 million gallon cistern was recently constructed in the center of campus, and is the largest cistern on a university campus, and one of the largest cisterns in the country. Along with 32 other cisterns and water harvesting devices, a network is being created to eliminate Georgia Tech's reliance on potable water to meet irrigation requirements.

Viewing the campus as its own ecosystem, over 300 design and construction consultants from across the country have been directly exposed to, and educated about, Georgia Tech's Cistern Master Plan and water harvesting methodologies through conference presentations, pre-proposal meetings, and direct consultation with Georgia Tech.

Select Publications, Presentations and Papers

- Princeton Review; 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012
- Society of College and University Planning; Summer 2010
- National Wildlife Federation, "Water Conservation and Reuse Strategies for Colleges and Universities"
 Statesboro, GA, September 2011
- AASHE, "Smart Growth Strategy: Immersive Sustainability Master Plan," October 2011, Pittsburg, PA
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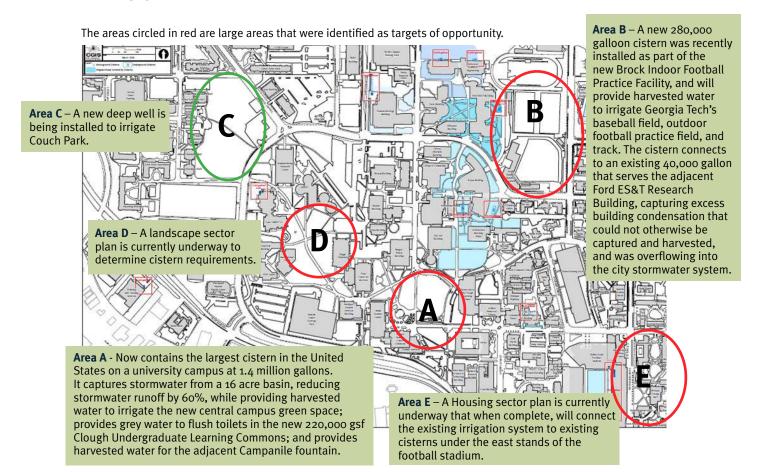
Select Awards and Recognitions

- Princeton Review Green Honor Roll, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011; Georgia Tech is only one of three schools featured on the 2009, 2010 and 2011 Green Rating Honor Rolls.
- SCUP Design Award: Georgia Tech's Landscape Master Plan, 2009
- Arbor Day Foundation: Tree Campus USA, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011
- ASLA Georgia Chapter, Honor Award, Georgia Tech's Landscape Master Plan, 2008

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Steven G. Swant, Executive Vice President Administration & Finance Georgia Institute of Technology

3.3 SUSTAINABLE PLANNING / CISTERN MASTER PLAN (2008)





Construction photo of 1.4 Million Gallon Cistern (May 2010)



A new 280,000 gallon cistern is connected to an existing 40,000 gallon cistern, providing harvested water to irrigate over 6 acres of athletic fields, eliminating the need for potable water and reducing overflow into the city's combined sewer system.

280,000 Gallon Cistern under construction provides harvested water to irrigate the athletic precinct

Architect: Department of Capital Planning & Space Management, Georgia Tech (Atlanta, GA)

3.4 ATHLETIC PRECINCT (2007-2012)

Role of Nominee

As Director of Capital Planning & Space Management, Howard Wertheimer spearheaded the comprehensive integration of Georgia Tech's expanding Athletic facilities, fostering a collaborative, comprehensive and sustainable integration of all athletic facilities into the Campus Master Plan. Wertheimer partnered with the Athletics Department to create a new model for intercollegiate athletics, providing the vision and leadership that positively influenced users, architects and contractors to think and act differently about the design of intercollegiate athletic facilities on a university campus, with a specific emphasis on sustainability.

Synopsis

Under Wertheimer's leadership, the Shirley C Mewborn Softball Complex became the first LEED Gold Certified intercollegiate women's softball complex in the country. This was the first fully integrated BIM project at Georgia Tech. Howard conceived and directed Georgia Tech's first compensated design-build competition in an effort to expedite the project delivery and control the project budget without sacrificing design quality, for the \$45M Alexander Memorial Coliseum/McCamish Pavilion. As part of the Athletic Precinct and Cistern Master Plans, Howard connected all of the athletic fields with a 280,000 gallon cistern that provides a 30-day supply of harvested water for irrigation purposes. Howard also conceived and initiated Georgia Tech's game day recycling program in 2007, successfully recruiting volunteer students, faculty, staff and alumni to distribute single stream recycling bags for game day tailgaters. The program diverted over 20 tons of waste in the first year and has become a model for other universities.

Select Awards and Recognitions

- Princeton Review 2012 #1 Ranked Best Athletic Facilities
- Women's Softball Complex:
 - AIA Georgia Design Award 2010
 - First LEED Gold Stadium in the United States USGBC
 - Build Georgia Award, First Place or Merit Associated General Contractors of America, Georgia Branch 2009
 - Best Small Project, Engineering News & Construction's Southeast Construction Magazine 2009
 - First Place Construction Management (New Construction) Firms Earning Over \$100 Million Associated General Contractors of America, Georgia Branch
 - Merit award for the Best Sustainable Building Practices Division Associated General Contractors of America, Georgia Branch

Select Publications

- ENR Southeast "Best Small Project", December 2009
- AJC "New Softball Field touches all the bases to be Best in ACC", March 2009.
- Green Sports Venues.com "Mewborn Field is first LEED Gold Sports Facility", April 2010.



2012 Princeton Review Ranked Georgia Tech #1 Best Athletic Facilities

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Dan Radakovich, Georgia Tech Director of Athletics, Georgia Institute of Technology

3.4 ATHLETIC PRECINCT (2007-2012)





Alexander Memorial Coliseum / McCamish Pavilion (completion Fall 2012). Design Builder: Whiting-Turner/SG Contracting. Design Architect: Populous. Associate Architect: Menefee + Winer. Targeting LEED Gold.



Brock Indoor Football Practice Facility (2011)
Design Builder: Barton Malow. Architect: Knight Architects
Targeting LEED Gold



Byars Tennis Complex (Completion January 2013). Architect: Woolpert with Browning Day Mullins Dierdorf. CM at Risk: New South Construction. Targeting LEED Gold



Shirley Mewborn Softball Complex (2008) Architect: Rosser International / CM at Risk: Barton Malow First LEED Gold Certified intercollegiate women's softball complex in the country



Zelnak Basketball Facility (2009)
Architect: HEERY International / CM at Risk: Gay Construction
One of the 1st LEED Gold Certified intercollegiate basketball
practice facilities in the country. The roof was designed to
support a future photovoltaic array.

3.5 CLOUGH UNDERGRADUATE LEARNING COMMONS (2011)

Role of Nominee

The planning and design of the Clough Commons exemplifies Howard Wertheimer's success in leading complex, fully integrated, sustainable design projects. Howard articulated the Institute's critical goals for the project, and was steadfast in ensuring their realization by fostering a collaborative and engaging communication process with all stakeholders and design disciplines, guiding the programming, design work and detailed execution.

Synopsis

Located in the heart of campus and attached to the Price-Gilbert and Crosland Tower Libraries on three different levels on a site that has a 40' vertical cross slope, Howard led a thoughtful and methodical multistep, multi-year process that involved almost every unit on campus. The process started internally with a visioning exercise and conceptual program with campus leaders, then elevated through the selection of Perry Dean Rogers who provided detailed programming of the 220,000 sf Innovative Learning Resource Center and the 250,000 sf library complex, including conceptual design services, and concluded with the selection of Bolin Cywinski Jackson as the architect to Clough Undergraduate Learning Commons. Clough Commons is the new interdisciplinary academic home to all undergraduate students at Georgia Tech, housing all introductory science laboratories, experiential classrooms, academic advising, tutoring, student success programs, writing and communications programs, information technology support, innovative student commons areas, the Center for the Enhancement of Teaching and Learning, and a Starbucks café. The building has been dubbed "a one room schoolhouse on steroids".

Having strategic oversight of campus-wide sustainability initiatives, Howard empowered the design team to design the most sustainable building on campus to date. Built on an existing surface parking lot, Clough Commons will be the largest LEED Platinum building on a university campus, and features an abundance of daylighting, an 85kW photovoltaic array, extensive energy recovery systems, solar hot water heating, and a 1.4 million gallon cistern that reduces stormwater runoff by 60%, twice of what is required by the City of Atlanta. The cistern will provide site irrigation and provide grey water to flush toilets in Clough Commons, saving over 6000 gallons/day of potable water. These sustainability features are living illustrations of concepts taught in Georgia Tech's architecture and engineering programs.

Select Awards and Recognitions

- 2011 Best New Building (as voted by Georgia Tech students)
- Pursuing LEED Platinum

Select Publications:

- Featured on CNN; August 25, 2011
- Technique, September, 2011



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Peter Bohlin, FAIA - Bohlin, Cywinski, Jackson Architects

3.5 CLOUGH UNDERGRADUATE LEARNING COMMONS (2011)





Clough Commons with Tech Green in foreground



Roof garden

"The Clough Commons is without question the most important building and the best building on campus. When the doors opened, it was immediately adopted by the undergraduate students on campus. The building would not have been possible without Howard Wertheimer. With his planning expertise and his knowledge of STEM pedagogy, he was able to guide the project architects as they designed the building. He is responsible for meeting the high expectations of the Georgia Tech planning committee for both academic functionality and sustainability."

-Dr. Anderson D. Smith, Senior Vice Provost of Academic Affairs, and Chair of the Georgia Tech Clough Commons planning committee

Architect: Bohlin, Cywinski Jackson (Philadelphia, PA)

3.5 CLOUGH UNDERGRADUATE LEARNING COMMONS (2011)



Stepped seating area in 2-story lobby



Interactive sustainability dashboard



85 kW photovoltaic array



Informal learning space/study room with astroturf floor and bean bags

3.6 HINMAN RESEARCH BUILDING (2011)

Role of Nominee

As Director of Capital Planning and Space Management, Howard Wertheimer was responsible for the qualifications based selection of the architect and the construction manager. Howard articulated preservation and renovation goals, and ensured their realization, leading the consultant teams to elicit the highest possible quality of design, historic preservation, materials, technology and sustainability integration. Wertheimer served as the liaison between the user groups and the design and construction teams, and facilitated design review discussions with the Planning and Design Commission.

Synopsis

Designed in 1939 as Georgia Tech's first research building by architect and later director of Georgia Tech's School of Architecture P.F. Heffernan, the signature Hinman Research Building is a magnificent barrel vaulted high bay lab space that had been identified in the Campus Master Plan and Campus Historic Preservation Plan as one of the most significant mid-century modern buildings on campus. The 35,000 sf building restoration has been artfully preserved and revitalized, reconceived to accommodate the future needs of the College of Architecture, thoughtfully communicating the relationship between the past and future of architectural education at Georgia Tech.

Select Awards and Recognitions

- AIA Georgia Honor Design Award, 2011
- P/A Design Award Citation, March 2011
- Construction Managers Association of America Award, June 2011
- Building Design + Construction, Reconstruction Award, October 2011

Select Publications

- AIA Georgia "The Georgia Architect," October 2011
- Architecture Magazine, June 2011
- Building Design + Construction, November 2011
- Atlanta Business Chronicle, June 2011
- Green Building Chronicle, April 2011
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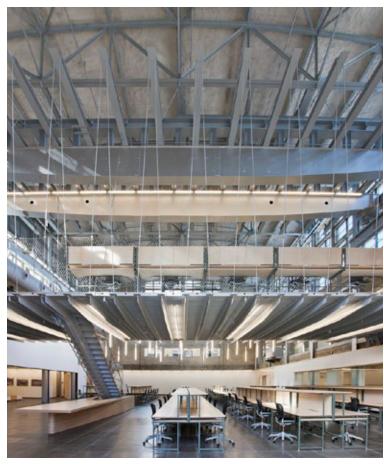
3.6 HINMAN RESEARCH BUILDING (2011)



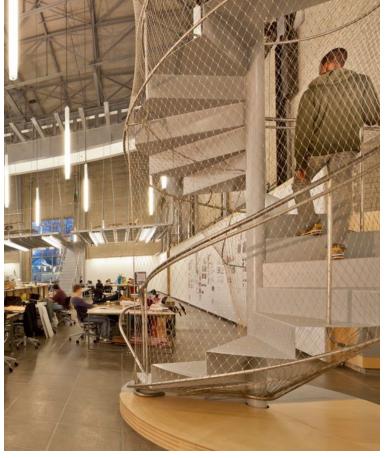
President G.P. "Bud" Peterson, Dean Alan Balfour, Nader Tehrani, Howard Wertheimer at the building dedication ceremony

"The Hinman Building project required a special cultural understanding of both academic and practical culture --an understanding that academic research can actually influence practice from the base, and conversely that practice can hold higher standards for academic ambitions. Howard navigated this terrain between project management and academic speculation with extra-ordinary nuance, flexibility and ingenuity. The success of the project, no doubt, has a great deal to do with Howard's cultural understanding of the forces with which this project need to reckon."

- Nader Tehrani, Principal Office dA (now Office NAADA)



Design studio with suspended "crib" from existing overhead crane system



High bay design studio and stair

Architect: Lord, Aeck & Sargent (Atlanta, GA) with Office dA (Boston, MA)

3.7 CARBON NEUTRAL ENERGY SOLUTIONS LABORATORY (2012)

Role of Nominee

Howard Wertheimer formulated the initial program and conceptual design for one of the first net-zero energy high-bay research laboratories in the country. He then successfully lead the grant writing team as co-PI for a NIST (National Institute of Standards and Technology) Federal Grant, and was awarded \$11.6M in stimulus money for a net-zero energy research laboratory building that will be focused on pilot-scale carbon neutral energy solutions research.

Synopsis

Wertheimer supervised the selection process for an integrated design-build team to construct one of the first net-zero energy research laboratories on a university campus, and one of only a small handful anywhere in the world. When complete, this project will also be one of a few LEED Platinum research buildings on a university campus.

Wertheimer developed a tri-party contracting agreement between the owner, architect and contractor ensuring that design quality would not be compromised throughout the entire design and construction process.

As the Owner representative and co-PI on the NIST Grant, Wertheimer mandated and led the process to achieve a fully integrated design solution, seamlessly blending architecture, landscape, engineering, technology and sustainability into one of the first net-zero energy pilot-scale research laboratories in the world.

Currently under construction and scheduled for completion in December 2012, the project has already won a New Jersey AIA Design Award and has been presented at several national and international conferences.

Select Awards and Recognitions

- AIA New Jersey Merit Design Award 2009
- SCUP Webcast "Carbon Neutral Campus Architecture: Climate Specific Design and Innovation" 2009
- SCUP Southeast presentation San Antonio, Texas; October 2011
- SCUP Southeast "Georgia Tech's Courageous Leadership in Capital Project Development" San Antonio, TX October 2011
- Georgia Solar Energy Association Summer Solstice Panel Discussion "Getting to Net-Zero" Atlanta,
 GA June 2010

Select Publications

- R&D Magazine Online "Expert Panel Teleconference: Pursuing Net Zero Energy Laboratories" –
 September 2011
- GreenSource magazine "Buildings That Teach: The new generation of "Living Laboratories" –
 September 2011





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Jonathan Crane, FAIA – Project Executive, HDR Architecture

3.7 CARBON NEUTRAL ENERGY SOLUTIONS LABORATORY (2012)



High bay laboratory with midbay and office block beyond



Site plan with solar array and on-site stormwater management systems

Architect: HDR (Atlanta, GA and Princeton, NJ); Design-Builder: Gilbane (Atlanta, GA)

3.8 NORTH AVENUE DINING HALL (2011)

Role of Nominee

Howard Wertheimer led the solicitation, short-list and selection process for the architect, landscape architect and construction manager for a new 24/7, 300-seat, all you care to eat dining facility; the first new dining facility constructed on the Georgia Tech campus in over 50 years.

Howard facilitated all design discussions with university leadership and the Planning and Design Commission, resulting in a simple, yet highly refined and elegant design solution that mitigates the unique urban setting and challenging topography.

Synopsis

The architect of record for this project was Meneffe + Winer (Atlanta, GA) with Hanbury Evans Wright Vlattas (Norfolk, VA) serving as project designer. The Office of James Burnett (Houston, TX) was the Landscape Architect.

Located at the edge of campus, one of the key project goals that Howard challenged the design team was to recognize that good urban design should set the direction, and shape the solution, and to examine what best serves the urban condition, site and program.

The project sits at the base of an existing residence hall, which is one of four buildings forming a quad of a 2000-bed apartment style student housing complex.

Located on a busy sloping public street, the primary glass façade faces north, providing abundant daylighting while offering a 270 degree view back to campus. Public art was incorporated in the form of an LED light wall that silhouettes diners in the evening. In the evening, interior lighting is used to supplement the illumination of the sidewalk, creating a safer environment for pedestrians.

At Howard's recommendation, several university dining facilities from around the country were visited to establish benchmarks and compile a list of lessons learned from other leading dining programs.

Targeting LEED Gold, the building is a totally trayless facility, and has many sustainable features, including state-of-the-art composting equipment and a green roof that will be used to grow food that will be used as part of the dining program.

Select Awards and Recognitions

Only open a few months, the North Avenue Dining Hall has already received visitors from several universities from around the country.



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Rosalind Meyers, VP for Auxiliary Services

3.8 NORTH AVENUE DINING HALL (2011)



Building and landscape work seemlessly to mitigate a hard urban edge and changes in topography

"I have been involved in the design of campus dining facilities for over 20 years, and this has been my most rewarding and fulfilling project ever. Howard was a fantastic client, constantly pushing us for design excellence. The students love it, and I couldn't be more pleased."

-Stephen Wright, AIA – Principal, Perkins Eastman (work completed while Principal and Design partner at Handbury Evans Wright Vlattas)



Roof garden supplies fresh herbs for the dining facility







Interior: LED light wall separates food venues from the stepped seating zones, providing an edge for the handicap ramp and public art.

Design Architect: Handbury Evans Wright Vlattas (Norfolk, VA); Architect of Record: Menefee + Winer (Atlanta, GA)

3.9 VANDERBILT VUIIS (2006)

Role of Nominee

While employed at Lord, Aeck & Sargent, Howard Wertheimer provided technical programming and conceptual design services for Vanderbilt University's successful pursuit of an NIH facilities grant, and subsequently was the principal-in-charge, leading the detailed programming, design and construction activities for a myriad of technically sophisticated user groups.

Synopsis

Vanderbilt University's Institute of Imaging Science (VUIIS) was sited into an existing courtyard space bounded on three sides by multi-story medical and office facilities.

The primary goal of VUIIS is to develop new and enhanced imaging techniques, which will be used to address significant global problems in biology and medicine. The five-story Imaging Center houses several large state-of-the-art magnets that are being used for both clinical and research applications, and includes a small animal holding facility.

Shortly after the building had broken ground, a 55,000 sf, four-story vertical expansion was added to the project. The structure was designed and planned to accommodate this future growth, however, it wasn't anticipated to occur for several years. The expansion houses two floors of research, one floor of gross anatomy labs, offices, and a mechanical penthouse. Two floors of the expansion connect via a sky bridge to an existing adjacent building to allow for sharing of resources.

The facility brings together a strong faculty of imaging scientists with diverse backgrounds pursuing research in developing new imaging methods as well as applications in cancer, neuroscience, metabolic disorders, cardiovascular disease and other areas.

Select Presentations/Publications

- Vanderbilt University School of Medicine Retreat "The Architectural DNA of the Vanderbilt University Institute for Imaging Science", June 2006 – Louisville, KY
- Tradeline "Emerging Science", March 2006 St. Petersburg, FL

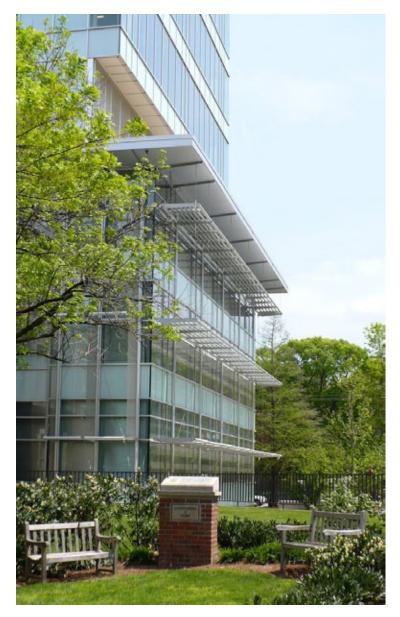




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Dr. John Gore, Director Vanderbilt University Institute of Imaging Science

3.9 VANDERBILT VUIIS (2006)







3-dimensional equipment planning identifies gauss lines





VUIIS with connecting sky bridge to adjacent building

"Howard and his team helped us develop a successful application for funding from the NIH, and subsequently designed one of the foremost imaging centers in the world, integrating a number of complex technologies and laboratories and creating a unique environment in which scientists and clinicians from across the globe collaborate on cuttingedge biomedical research."

-Dr. John Gore, Director Vanderbilt University Institute of Imaging Science

Architect: Lord, Aeck & Sargent (Atlanta, GA)

3.10 MANUFACTURING RESEARCH CENTER (1991)

Role of Nominee

While employed at Lord, Aeck & Sargent, Howard served as Principal in charge and lead planner and programmer on the planning and design of this precedent-setting, award-winning interdisciplinary engineering research building. Designed as a generic engineering research laboratory building with no specific program or users, Howard helped establish a basic laboratory planning module that would allow for future flexibility and adaptability.

Twenty years after the original design, serving as the Director of Capital Planning and Space Management, Howard has overseen several interior renovation projects that are easily accommodated as a result of the modular laboratory and building plan.

Wertheimer and Lord, Aeck & Sargent went on to design several other interdisciplinary engineering research buildings around the country, including buildings at Clemson University, University of Michigan, University of Akron and Arizona State University where researchers and campus architects would specifically reference this building as their design precedent.

Synopsis

The Manufacturing Research Center at Georgia Tech established a new paradigm for flexible, adaptable engineering research facility design. The rational building systems are organized around an interdisciplinary high bay research laboratory and central atrium space, which also serves as the building's air handling equipment room, and ground floor lobby space, and includes catwalks that provide easy access and distribution for future utility systems required to serve the adjacent faculty research labs. The high bay and atrium space are illuminated with natural light from north facing roof-mounted light monitors, reducing the need for artificial lighting. Faculty offices line the east and west facades, with continuous strip windows which are wrapped with fritted glass sunscreens to reduce glare and heat gain.

The parti is a simple rectangular box that is oriented north/south, which minimizes the harsh southern exposure. The building is nestled into a sloping site, allowing for research vehicles to drive directly into the high bay. An overhead rolling bridge crane in the high bay laboratory allows for easy distribution and reconfiguration of large engineering testing experiments.

The design took cues from metaphors in manufacturing, with expressive bridges, cranes pivots and gear-like columns, and symbolic moving celebrating the technology of manufacturing.

Select Awards and Recognitions

- AIA Georgia Georgia Tech Manufacturing Research Center, 1995
- R & D Magazine Lab of the Year High Honors, Georgia Tech Manufacturing Research Center, 1993
- Atlanta Urban Design Commission- Georgia Tech Manufacturing Research Center, 1992
- Progressive Architecture Annual Design Citations Georgia Tech Manufacturing Research Center, 1989

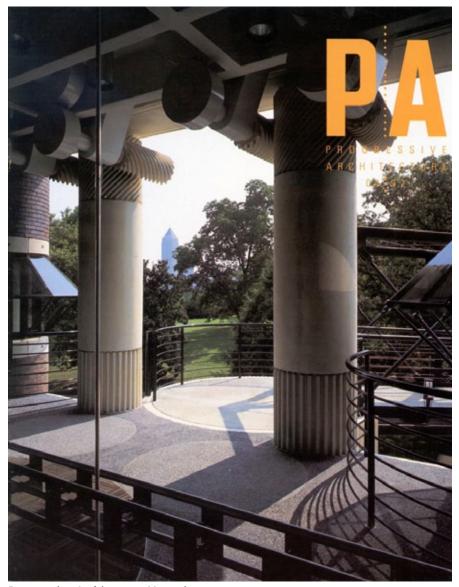
Select Publications

- Progressive Architecture, Georgia Institute of Technology Manufacturing Research Center, 1989
- Progressive Architecture, Georgia Institute of Technology Manufacturing Research Center, 1992
- Progressive Architecture, Georgia Institute of Technology Manufacturing Research Center, 1998
- R&D Magazine, Georgia Institute of Technology Manufacturing Research Center, 1996
- Research Horizons, Georgia Institute of Technology Manufacturing Research Center, 1988
- Facilities Planning News, "Manufacturing Research Center at Georgia Tech", March 1996
- L'Industria delle Costruzioni, "Centro di ricerche ad Atlanta, Georgia" March 1993

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_____, Larry Lord, FAIA – Lord, Aeck & Sargent

3.10 MANUFACTURING RESEARCH CENTER (1991)



Progressive Architecture Magazine



Atrium stair and adjacent utility catwalks



Sargent, Lord, & Wertheimer featured in Georgia Tech Alumni Magazine



Architect: Lord, Aeck & Sargent (Atlanta, GA)



High bay laboratory with north-facing glass and light monitors

REFERENCES

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Wayne and Howard have known each other for almost 10 years when Wayne was President of Georgia Tech and Howard designed the Food Processing Technology Building and Student Health Center buildings at Georgia Tech, and later in Howard's role as Director of Capital Planning & Space Management at Georgia Tech.

David Miller, FAIA

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David and Howard first worked together on a project for
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Alan and Howard have know each other since 1985 when Howard was an architectural graduate student of Alan's. Howard subsequently studied under Alan in London and Cambridge, and they now collaborate on a regular basis at Georgia Tech.

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David and Howard have been collaborating together since the mid 1990's where they have been educating and mentoring future architects.

Thomas Ventulett, FAIA

Founding Principal, Thompson Ventulett & Stainback 2002 National AIA Firm of the Year 1230 Peachtree Street Atlanta, GA 30309

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Relationship to Nominee: Professional colleague

Tom and Howard have known each other for over 15 years as professional colleagues and collaborators. Tom has endowed a Chair at the College of Architecture, and serves on several advisory boards where Howard is an active contributor.

