Form Follows Vision: Creating Student-Centered Learning Spaces

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Case Study: Maxwell Library

- Phased renovation project
  - 3 year project
- Budget
- Building Codes
- Logistics
Library as Place

- Learning Commons
  - Education spaces
  - Social spaces
  - Cultural spaces
  - Personal spaces
  - Virtual spaces
Program Development

- Exits/Entrances
- Services
- Collections
- Staff
Adjacencies

- By Service
- By Function
- By Utility
Vertical Integration

- Tropes and themes
- Volumes and veneers
- Colors and contrasts
- Access and accessibility
Horizontal Integration

- Navigation by design
- Navigation by sign
- Navigation by cluster
- Navigation by luster
Learning Styles

- Large group
- Small group
- Collaboration
- Solitaire
Learning Spaces

- Information Commons
- Group Study Rooms
- Copy Center
- Furniture
Out with the old
Any Questions?

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