Project Description

This project containing approximately 220,000 gross square feet will house instructional laboratories, faculty and teaching assistant offices, computational infrastructure, and research space. The purpose of the new Bioengineering and Sciences building will be primarily research. The building will be designed to focus on learning and research of the functions of the brain, the nervous system, the cell, the gene, and the disciplines of science and engineering as they relate to improvement of human functions and electronic sensing devices. The building will bring together interdisciplinary groups of scientists and engineers from multiple fields in research facilities and teaching laboratories. The focus will be on innovation at the intersection of classic disciplines. The goal for this facility is to ensure dynamic interactions, continuous learning and ingenious discovery.

Project Information

Project Status: Active
Project Delivery Method: Construction Manager at Risk
CIP Project Type: New
Gross and Assignable Square Feet: GSF: 220,000 ASF: 125,400
"44 Initiative" Project: No
Phase and Estimated % Complete: BOR Approved - Not Started - 95%
OFPC RPM, SPM, PM, RCM, IM: Jerry Salcher, Tom Lund, Tom Lund
Architecture Firm: not yet selected
Construction Firm: not yet selected

Project Budget

Construction Services: $86,600,000 at $393.64 / GSF
Total Project Cost: $108,000,000 at $490.00 / GSF

Project Funding

Permanent University Fund Bonds $77,250,000
Revenue Financing System Bonds $26,750,000
Unexpended Plant Fund $4,000,000

Project Schedule

BOR/Chancellor DD Approval 08/21/2013
Issue NTP - Construction 01/09/2014
Achieve Substantial Completion 10/01/2015
Achieve Operational Occupancy 01/04/2016

Project Remarks

RFD for A/E was posted on Wednesday July 18, 2012. Step 2 submissions were received 9-11-12. A/E interviews were conducted on 10-11-12. A firm was selected by the Committee. Waiting approval for the selection.

Board Approvals

Updated By and Date: Paulo Peres 12/17/2012 12/20/2012 Report Date: