



The important question for Wichita State is **“WHAT CAN WE DO TO MAKE OUR UNIVERSITY THE BEST IT CAN BE?”**



➤ ASK AND LISTEN

To answer this question, we asked students, faculty and staff to identify needs that, once met, would make WSU’s academic experience better than ever before. Every college solicited and received feedback—a ton of it.

YOU SPOKE. WE LISTENED.



➤ FORM A PLAN

Based on your feedback, and with your help, the university’s deans came up with a list of priorities—a project plan that reflects your interests and academic needs, which will also benefit future Shockers in every academic college for years to come, including:

- New technology to create and collaborate
- Better environments for applied learning and research
- More convenient and accessible study spaces and student services

WITH A LIST OF PRIORITIES IN PLACE, NOW IT NEEDS SUPPORTERS: YOU.



➤ STUDENT-LED SUPPORT

While infrastructure improvements used to be covered, in large part, by state funding, that funding has shrunk big time. Now, remaining funding for these improvements must come from student fees—and that requires serious student support.

THIS IS WHERE YOU CAN HELP.

We’re looking for students from every college who understand the needs, the plan, the importance of making these improvements—and who are willing to take the lead role in a student-created, student-led campaign to successfully support this initiative.

From naming and planning this campaign to putting it into action, we’re counting on your creativity, passion and insight to make positive change happen.

➤ MORE CONVENIENT AND ACCESSIBLE STUDY SPACES AND STUDENT SERVICES

ALL STUDENTS

CLINTON HALL

→ An improved building in the heart of campus, centralized Student Services and additional classroom space for undergraduate and graduate students.



CAMPUS IMPROVEMENTS

➔ BETTER ENVIRONMENTS FOR APPLIED LEARNING AND RESEARCH

NEW TECHNOLOGY TO CREATE AND COLLABORATE

LIBRARIES

- A larger 24-hour study room with additional seating, restroom access and connection into the main foyer.
- Additional technology-rich creation/project spaces focused on supporting digital humanities and social science activities.
- Compact shelving that creates space for the growing print collection and frees up space on the top floors for additional collaborative areas.
- Small and large seminar/collaboration rooms with movable glass walls.

CAREER DEVELOPMENT CENTER

MARCUS WELCOME CENTER:

- A state-of-the-art admission/career center exposing prospective and current students to the WSU experience:
student → applied learning → career

COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS

HENRION HALL:

- Modern learning spaces, offices and labs.

WILNER AUDITORIUM:

- Upgraded classrooms, offices, public space, theater and audio visual equipment.
- Up-to-date theatre and performance facilities that better serve our performers and audiences— while enhancing WSU's "place-making" events across campus.

INSTITUTE FOR INTERDISCIPLINARY INNOVATION

- A conversion of the print shop building from an early childhood learning center to an ideal environment for college students wanting to develop their design thinking and leadership skills.

W. FRANK BARTON SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

WOOLSEY HALL:

- A modern, 130,000-square-foot facility, reflecting today's business environment, that provides even more space, technology and opportunities for students, faculty and industry to learn, research and work together.

FAIRMOUNT COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND SCIENCES

HUBBARD HALL:

- An increase in teaching capacity through the conversion of two biology labs into three state-of-the-art labs.

COLLEGE OF APPLIED STUDIES

+ LAS PSYCHOLOGY

PLAY THERAPY CENTER

AND PSYCHOLOGY CLINICAL LAB:

- Increased space for the play therapy center.
- New furniture and updated client consultation rooms.
- Eventual relocation to the current Student Health Clinic space after the YMCA is built.

COLLEGE OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS

ADVANCED EDUCATION IN GENERAL

DENTISTRY (AEGD) BUILDING:

- A new location for the dental hygiene program—within an expanded AEGD/School of Oral Health facility—at 29th and Oliver.

NEW STUDENT SERVICE CENTER FOR HEALTH

SCIENCE STUDENTS:

- Renovated space currently used by Dental Health clinic in Alhberg Hall as a new advising and student services suite.

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

AEROSPACE ENGINEERING WIND LABS:

- Renovated and modernized supersonic wind tunnel labs and 3'x'4 wind tunnel.

DOROTHY AND BILL COHEN

HONORS COLLEGE

SHOCKER HALL STUDENT SUCCESS AREA:

- More dedicated space for, Honors College resources and activities, with a convenient location on the first floor of Shocker Hall.