Campus Space Planning Study
Frequently ‘Answered’ Questions
Q: What is the Space Planning Study?

A: The Space Planning Study began the summer of 2019 and is a “bridge” between the 2011 Campus Master Plan (CMP). The desired outcome of the Space Planning Study is to prioritize the design and renovation of (a) the key buildings identified in the 2011 Campus Master Plan that have not been addressed and (b) high priority needs based on the 2019 Facilities Condition Assessment (FCA).
Q: What are the “key buildings identified in the 2011 Campus Master Plan that have not been addressed”?

A: Ryland Hall renovation/addition (target completion Aug ‘21)
North Court Academic
Boatwright Memorial Library
Tyler Haynes Commons
Student Housing:
  New Student Residence
  Wood Hall
  Keller Hall
  Atlantic, Pacific, and Law Dorm
Q: Why now?

A: We anticipate engaging the campus community on the development of the next Campus Master Plan in (approximately) 2024.

Between 2020 and 2024, the University will have limited bandwidth and capital resources beyond the design and construction of the highest priority projects identified in (a) the 2011 Campus Master Plan and (b) the 2019 Facility Conditions Assessment.

All other projects will be reviewed with the next Campus Master Plan in (approximately) 2024.
Q: Who is leading this effort?

A: Andrew McBride, AVP for Facilities and University Architect
   Traci Wenzel, Associate Planner

Andrew and Traci have been assisted by a higher-ed space planning consultant and a firm that completed the Facility Conditions Assessment.

Additionally, a space planning leadership team will oversee the process.
Q: Who is on the space planning leadership team?

A: Steve Bisese, VP for Student Development
Ashleigh Brock, Assistant to the President
Mark Detterick, Senior Associate VP for Campus Operations
Terry Baker, Executive Director of Dining Services
Sandra Joireman, Associate Provost
Tim Vest, Senior Director Finance & Operations, Provost’s Office
Dan Palazzolo, Associate Dean A&S
Lori Schuyler, VP for Planning and Policy
Jamelle Wilson, Dean – SPCS
Chuck Rogers, Director of Design & Construction
Q: What resources will be used in the space planning exercise?

A: 2011 Campus Master Plan
   2017 Strategic Plan and subsequent studies and advisory committees
   2018 New Student Residence Feasibility Study
   2019 Sustainability Plan
   2019 Envisioning Study for Boatwright Memorial Library, Tyler Haynes Commons, and the Green Space in-between
   2019 Facility Conditions Assessment
   2019 Dining Plan
Q: Will the process engage the University community?

A: We are not soliciting comments on a campus-wide scale since the existing studies, including the 2011 Campus Master Plan, received broad community input and engagement. The charge of the space planning exercise is to synthesize this input with the scope of the key buildings.

Approval of all design and construction projects will follow the customary Board of Trustees process.
Q: How can I help?

A: As we synthesize the existing university-wide studies, additional ideas are welcome and will be collected.

Ideas that are out of the scope of the space planning exercise can be revisited during the next Campus Master Plan exercise in (approximately) 2024.