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THE UF ARCHITECTURE BUILDING











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Learning Objectives

Identify a history of failures through field investigations

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Using historical drawing archaeology to identify past mistakes

3

Using modern investigation techniques

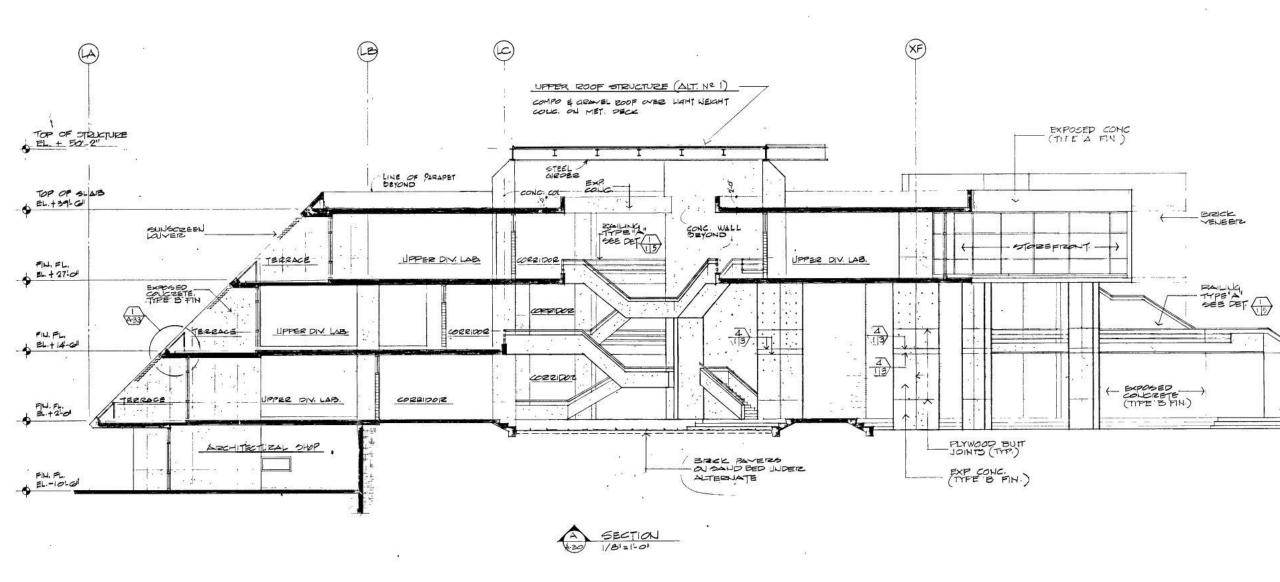


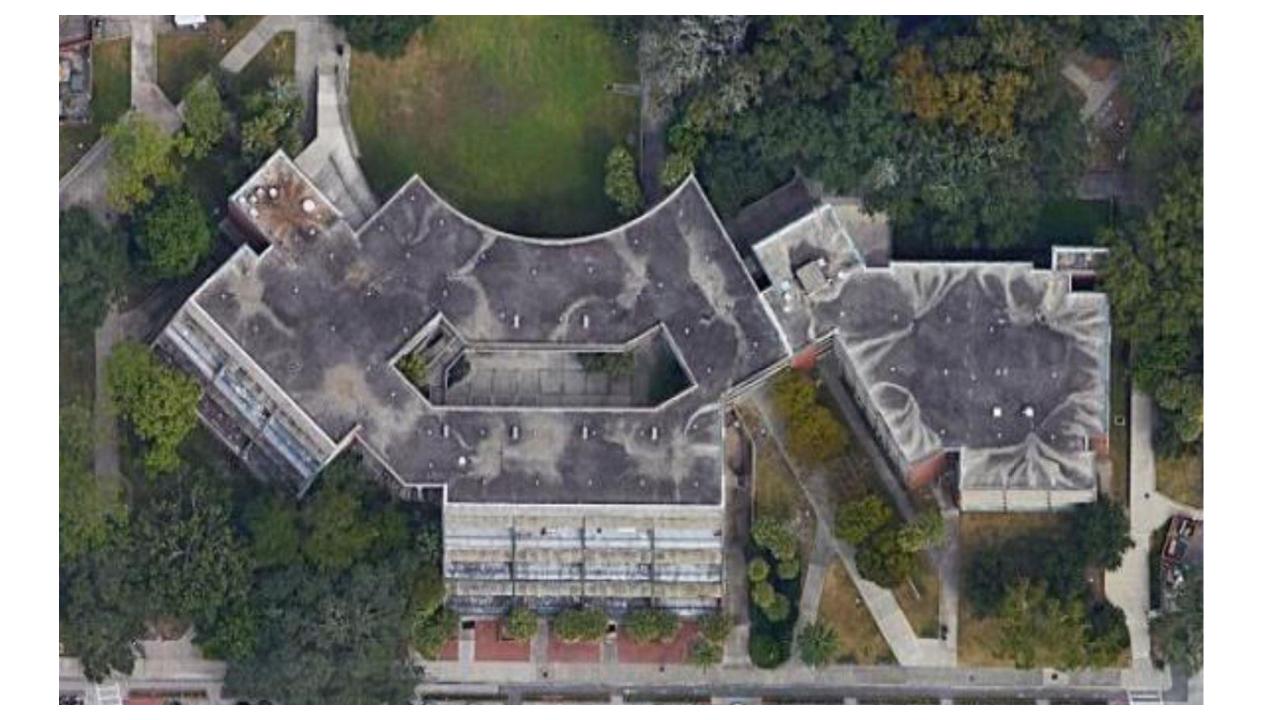
Generating quantitative solutions to fix long term issues

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Project Overview & Conditions

- Budget
- Envelope Issues
- Active Campus During Construction
- Student Involvement

Project Priorities





Provide a complete weather proofed envelope for the entire building and particular attention to the classroom areas of the existing Architecture building including:

- a. Exterior Storefront Assemblies
- b. Interior Corridor Storefront Assemblies
- c. Exterior Cast in Place and Brick Wall Assemblies
- d. Existing Roof
- e. Existing Roof Drainage Systems

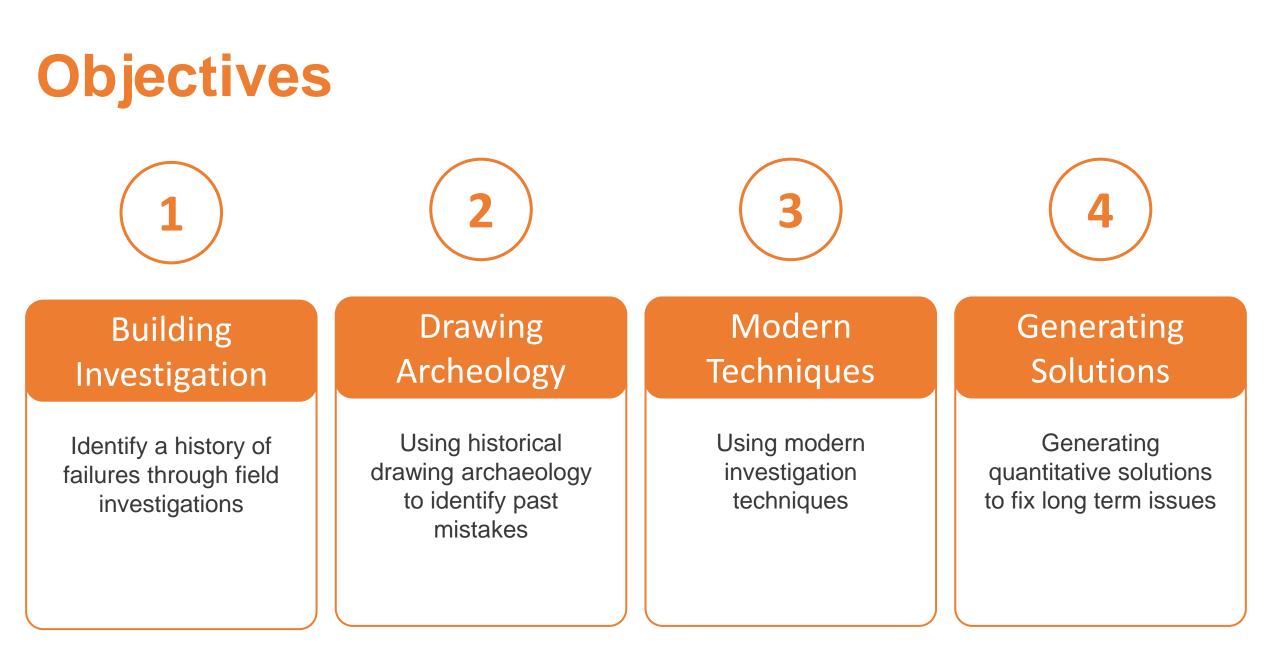


Design and construction of an atrium canopy or rain screen with the following qualities:

- a. Allows heat to escape
- b. Block wind driven rain
- c. Does not encourage birds to nest
- d. Does not permit the accumulation of debris, leaf litter, etc.
- e. Retains natural light in the atrium
- f. Durable and treated to prevent from fogging or discoloring over time



Provide a design for the CM to develop a cost estimate for a rain screen system to mitigate water intrusion and associated ponding in the exterior walkways (beyond atrium opening) in the existing building. Construction will proceed if funds are available.





BUILDING INVESTIGATION

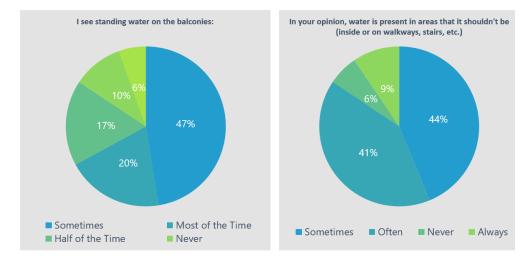
- 1. Accessing and documenting the existing condition of every balcony
- 2. Observation of classrooms showing water intrusion after a light rain.
- 3. Accessing and investigating and photographing parapet, flashing, equipment curbs, lightning protection system and other miscellaneous items found on the roof
- 4. Student and Faculty engagement

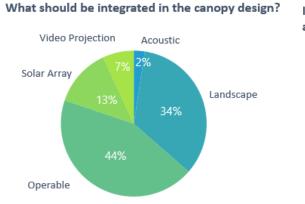
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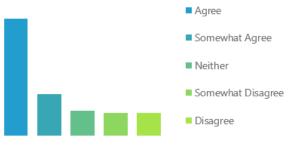


STUDENT & FACULTY ENGAGEMENT





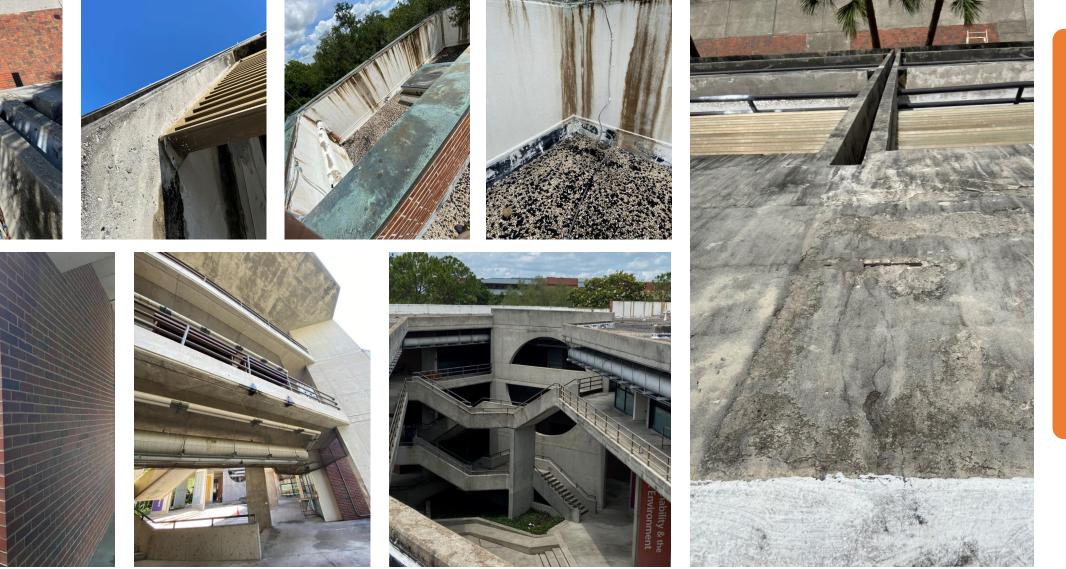
If there was a canopy... Prevention of water on stairs and circulation areas must be ensured.



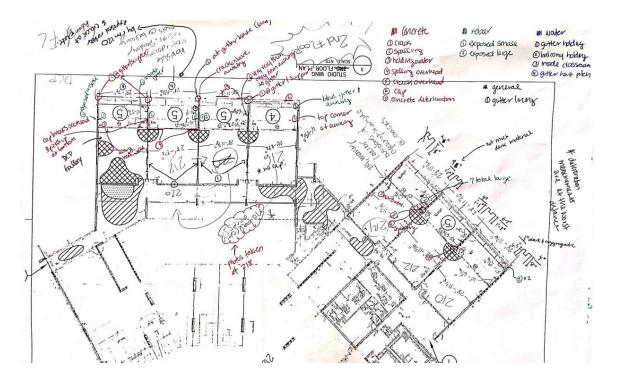
STUDENT & FACULTY PHOTOS

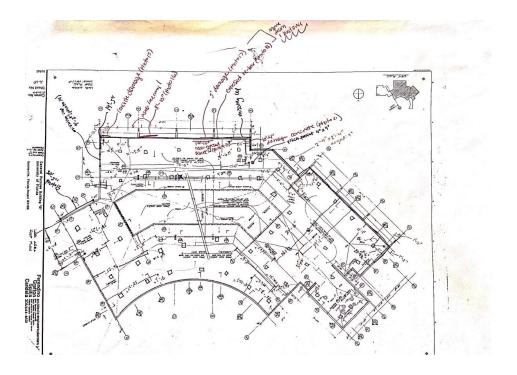


BUILDING INVESTIGATION









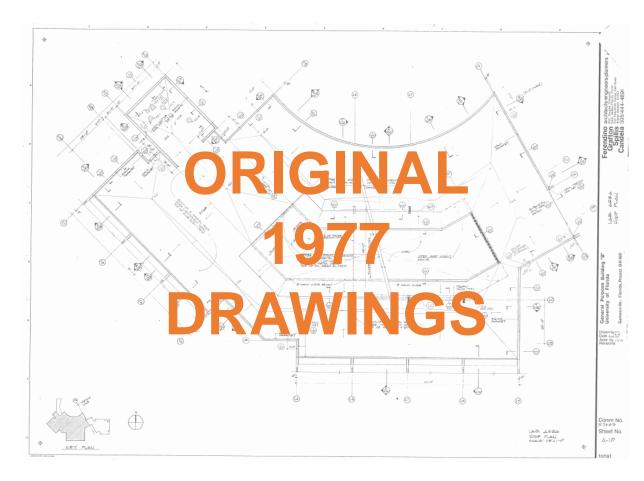


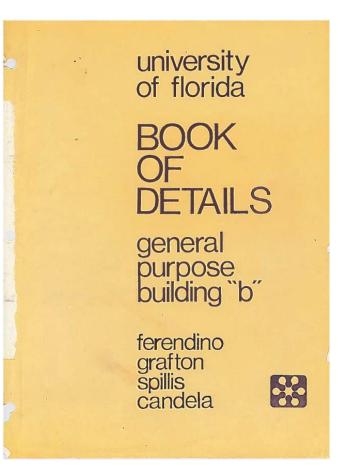
DRAWING ARCHAEOLOGY



- 1. Original Building Construction Documents
- 2. Original Building Detail Book (separate of the drawings)
- 3. Drawings for all Alterations
 - a. 1992
 - b. 1994
 - c. 2002
 - d. 2014
 - e. 2016
 - f. (Did not receive drawings of the newer curtainwall installation in the atrium area)

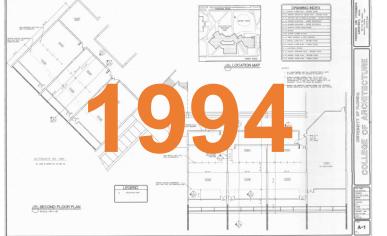
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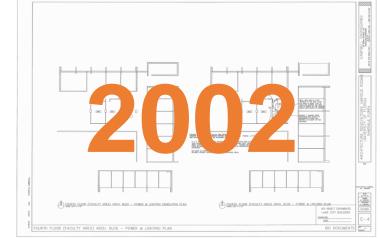


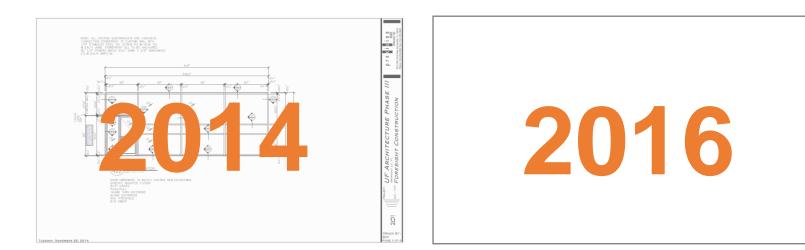


ALTERATIONS INVESTIGATION

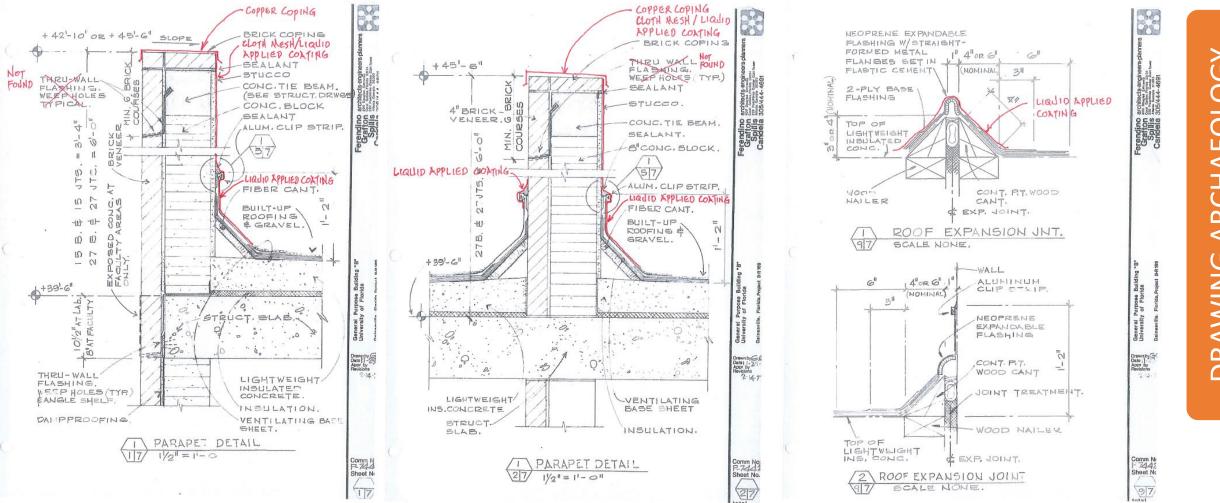








DETAILED INVESTIGATION



DRAWING ARCHAEOLOGY



MODERN TECHNIQUES



- 1. Core drilling roof in multiple locations to determine the approximate thickness of the lightweight fill and the slope on the roof
- 2. Thermal scan of the roof looking for moisture in the lightweight insulation materials.
- 3. Water stream testing of the back of the parapet determined by PSI our testing Consultant
- 4. Water stream testing of the exterior masonry and masonry to concrete wall joint areas.

CORE DRILLING

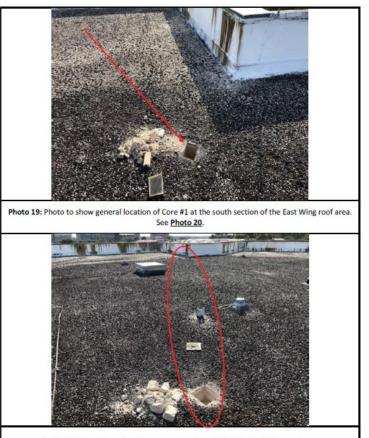
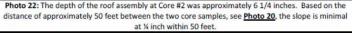
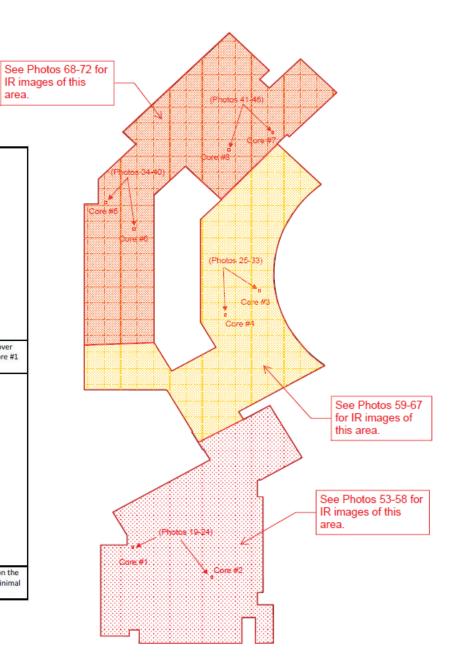


Photo 20: General location of core samples #1 and #2 at the East Wing roof area.

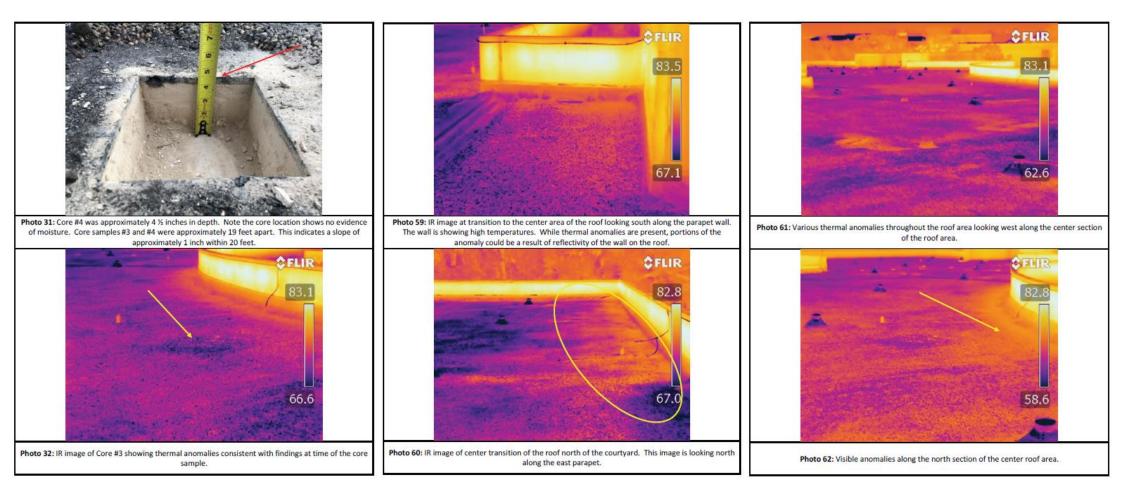


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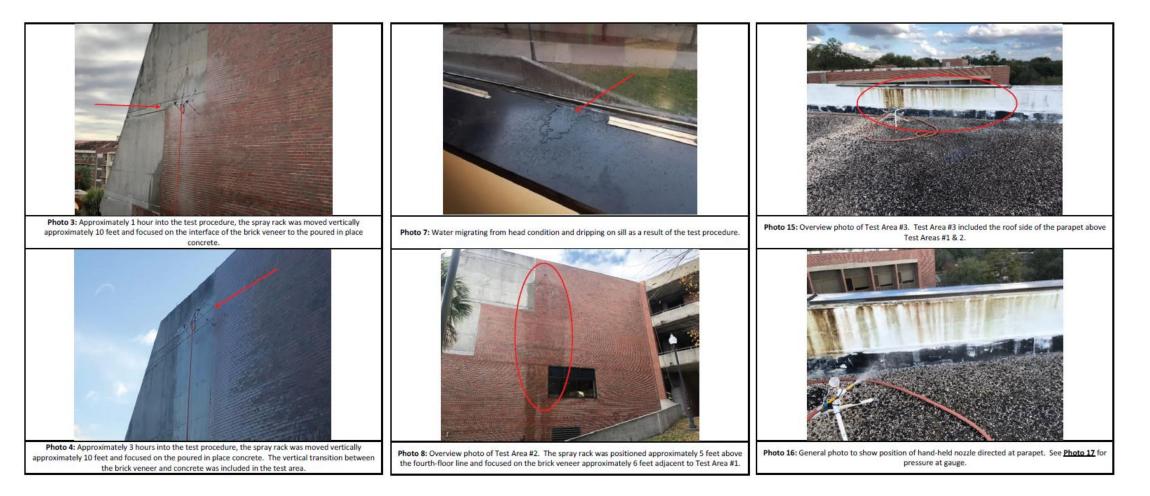




THERMAL SCANNING



WATER TESTING





GENERATING SOLUTIONS



Building Focus Areas:

- A. Balconies
- B. Roof
- C. Materials & Construction
- D. Administration Wing
- E. Atrium

Balconies

ISSUES

- 3 types of curtain-wall systems in place
- Water leaking thru balcony slabs

DISCOVERIES

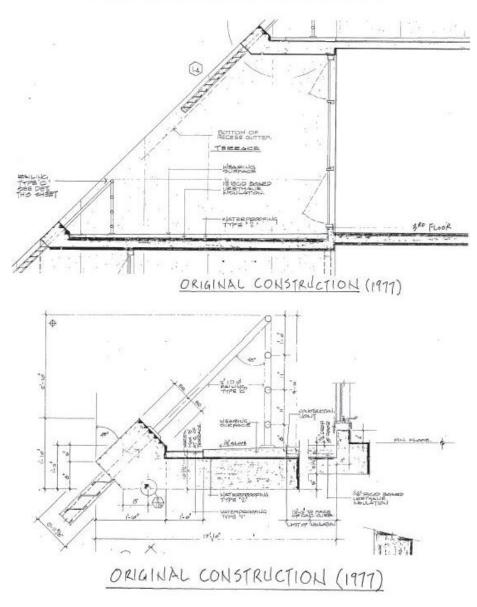
- Significant vegetation build up
- Lack of maintenance
- Vandalism from student use

SOLUTIONS

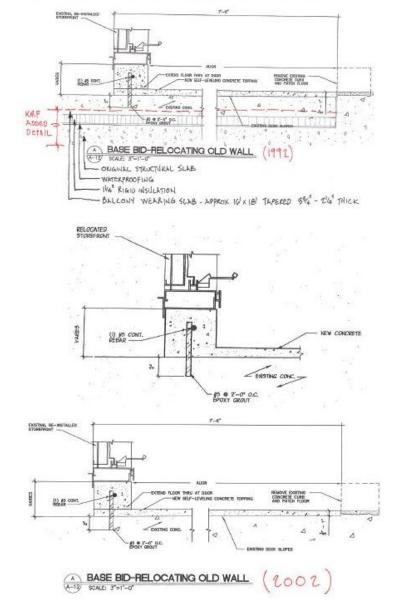
- 1. Direct Repairs
 - a. Keep the existing design intent
- 2. Progressive Resolutions
 - a. Solar Array
 - b. Perforated Metal Panel
 - c. ETFE System
- 3. Transformative Solutions
 - a. Dual ETFE System
 - b. Frames
 - c. Fins

ISSUES

ORIGINAL DESIGN DOCUMENTS



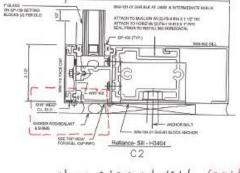
ALTERATIONS 1990'S AND 2000'S

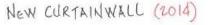


2014 ALTERATIONS

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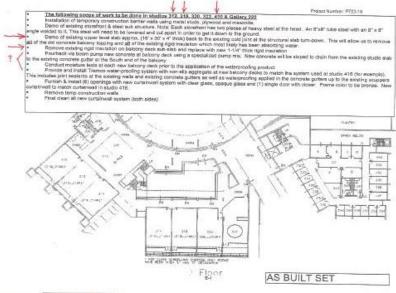


Water coming from exterior door

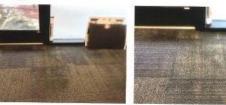


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2016 ALTERATIONS



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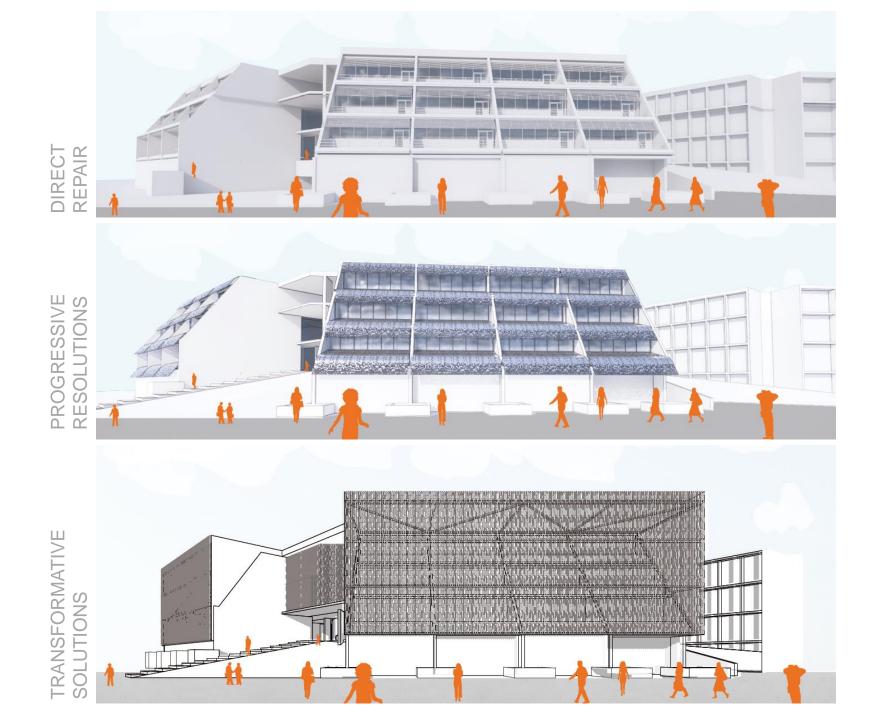
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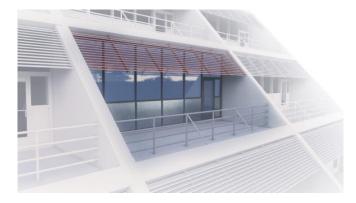


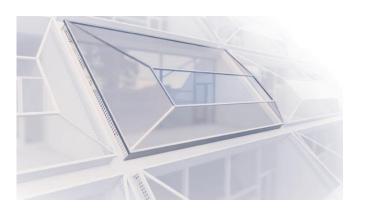


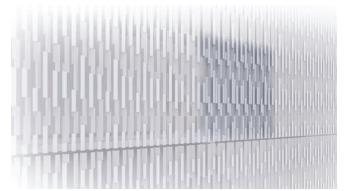
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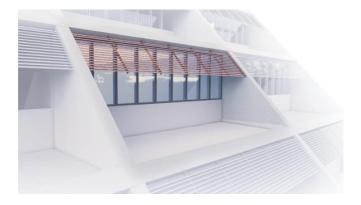


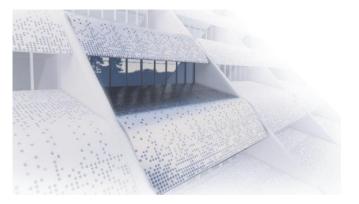
SOLUTIONS











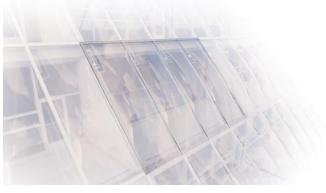




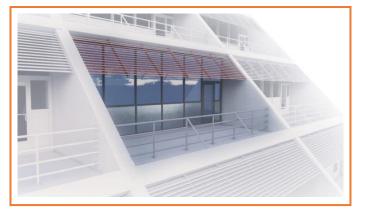
DIRECT REPAIR



PROGRESSIVE RESOLUTIONS



TRANSFORMATIVE SOLUTIONS



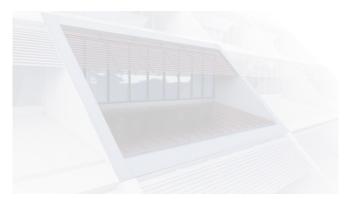




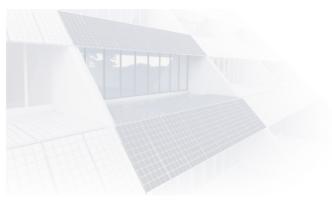








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ROGRESSIVE RESOLUTIONS



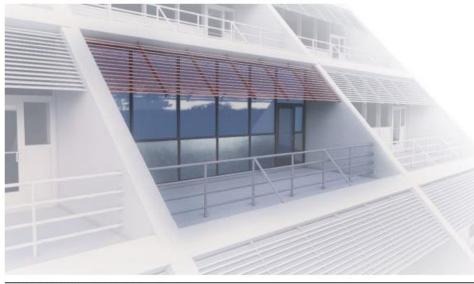
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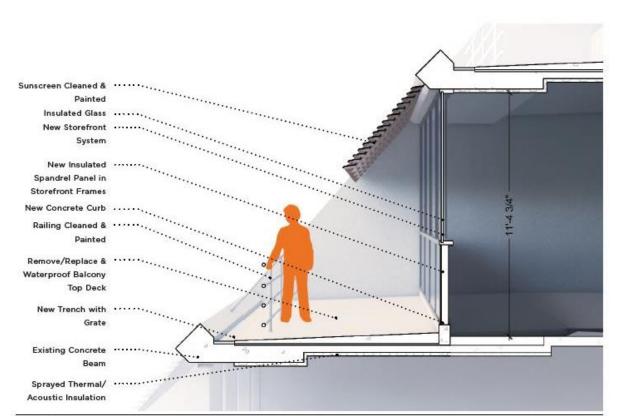
WITH OR WITHOUT BALCONY DOOR



INTERIOR VIEW







BALCONY SECTION

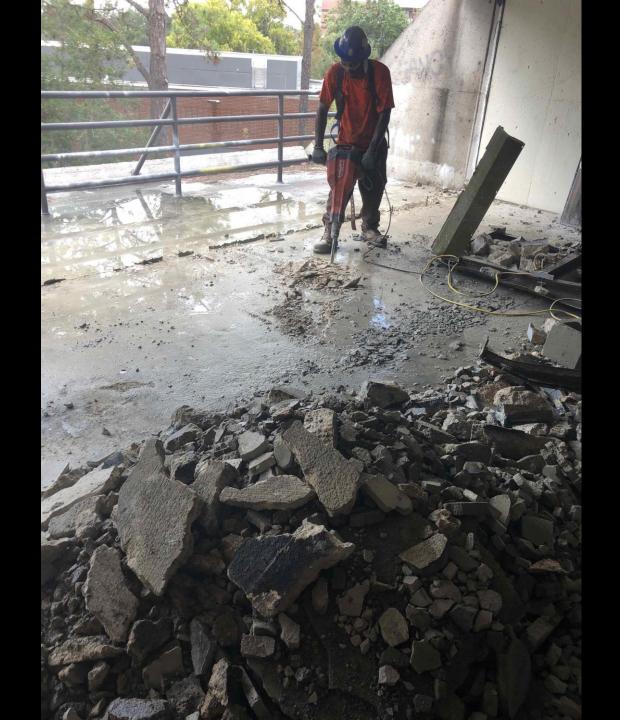


PROGRESS











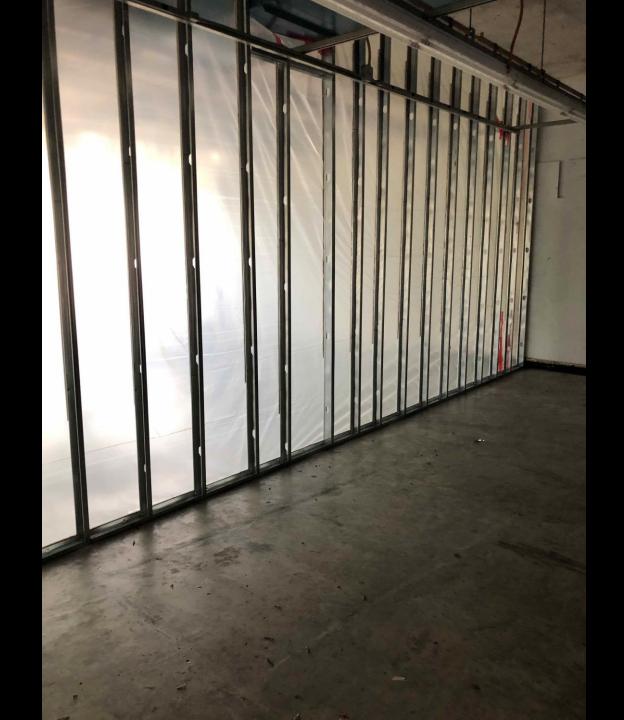












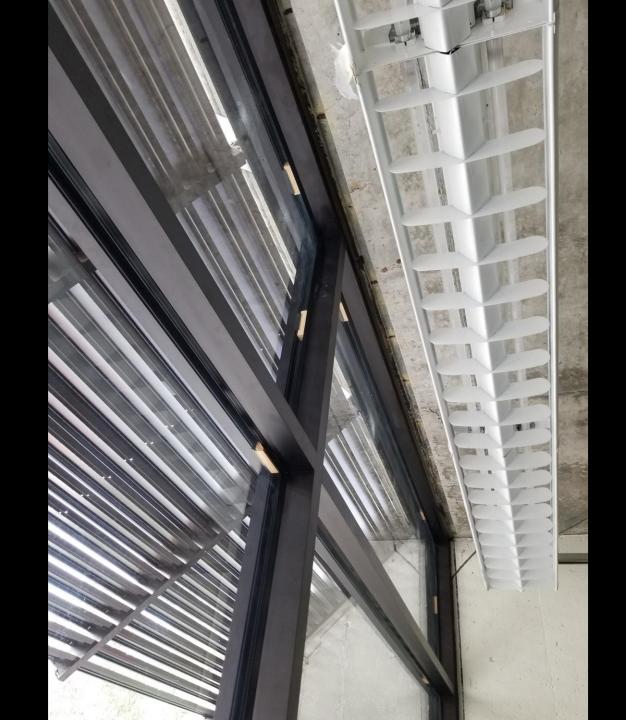
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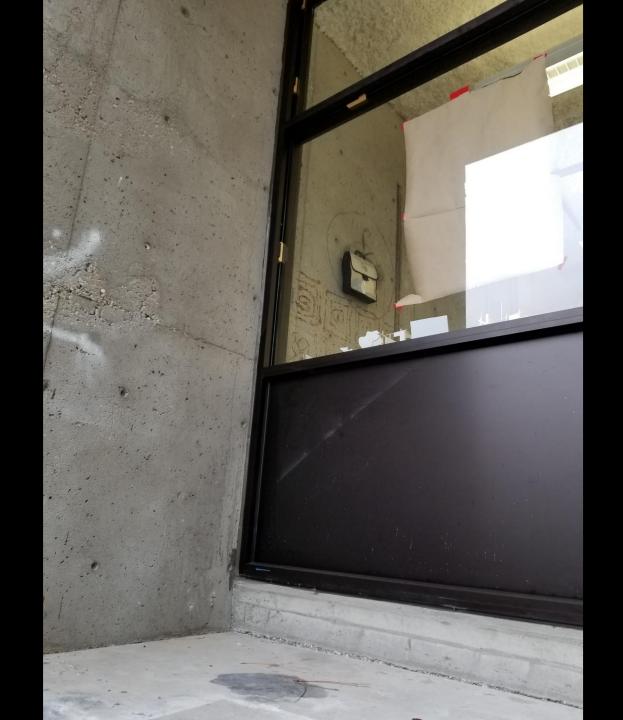


















Roof

ISSUES

- 40 years old and in need of replacement
- Built-up roof is nearly flat

DISCOVERIES

- Coping legs are not per SMACNA Design Standards
- Asbestos Prescence in membrane and flashings
- Back of parapet facings are delaminating

SOLUTIONS

Reroof Options

- 1. Lightweight pour over existing roof
- 2. Remove existing to existing lightweight and reroof with lightweight
- 3. Remove to structural deck and reroof with lightweight
- 4. Remove existing lightweight and replace with 3 ply SBS Modified Bitumen

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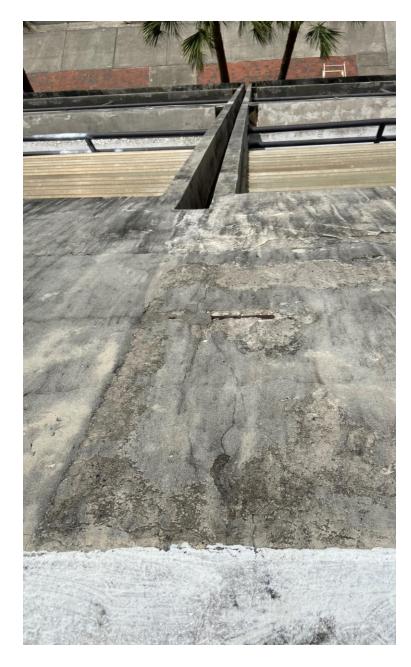
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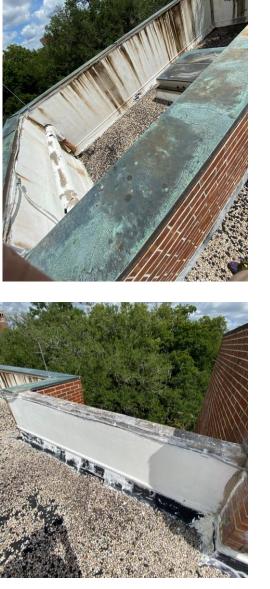
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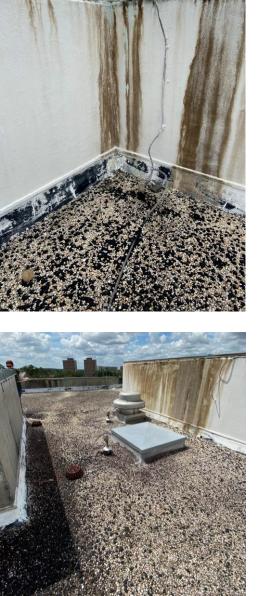
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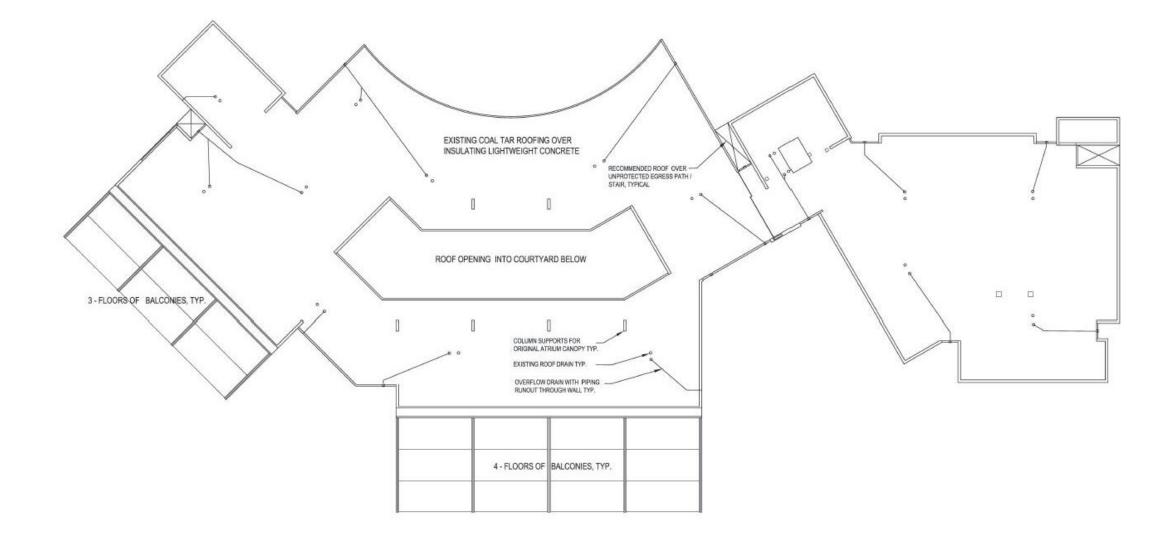
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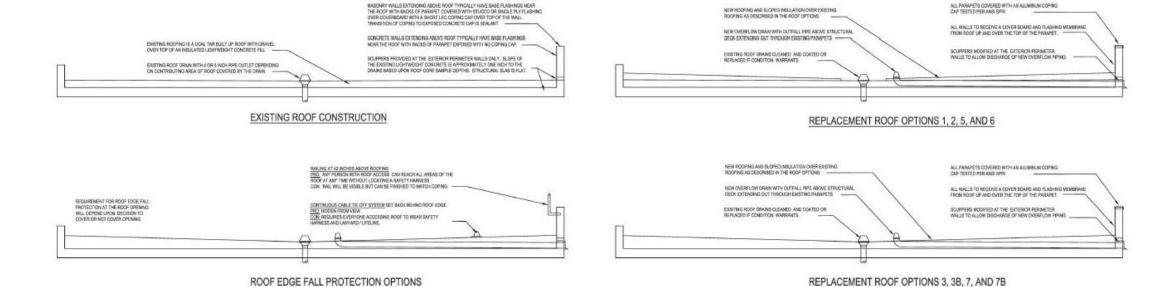






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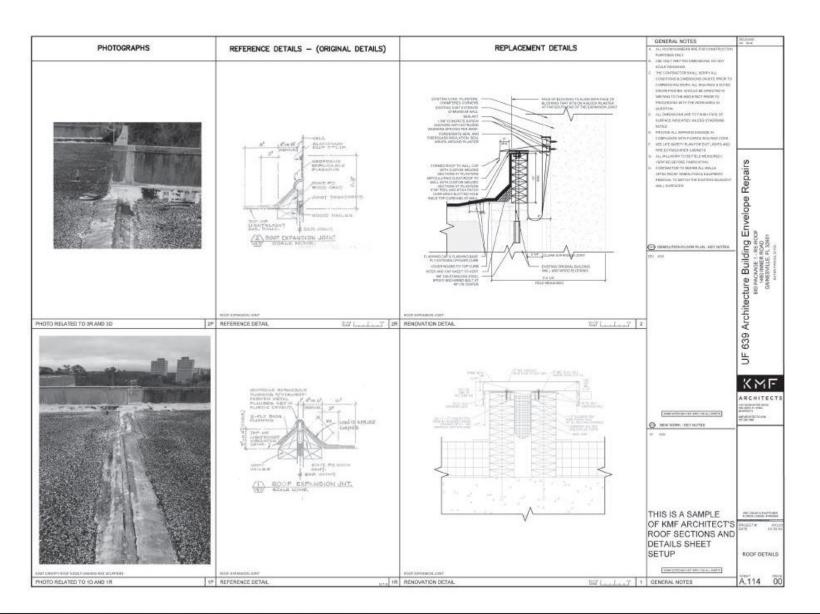


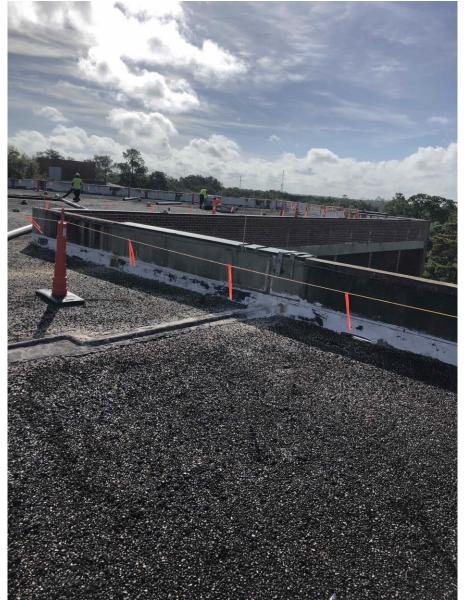


NOTE: FALL PROTECTION REDURED BY UF STANDARDS

ALL PARAPETS COVERED WITH AN ALLMINUM COPING CAP TESTED PER ANSI SPRI

NEW ROOFING AND SLOPED INSULATION OVER EXISTING ROOFING AS DESCRIBED IN THE ROOF OFTICAS















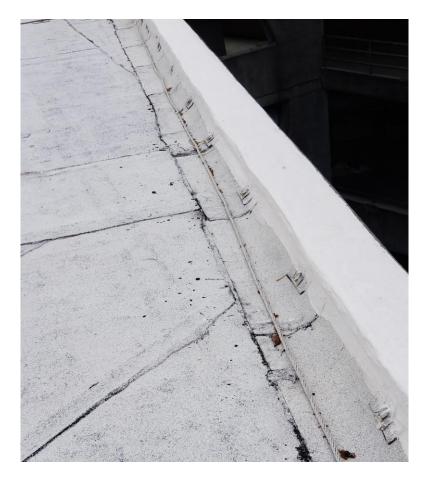










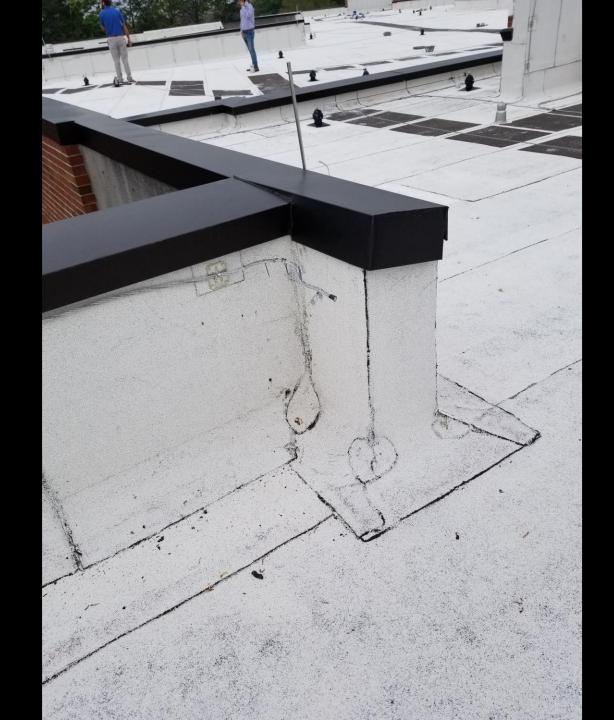




COMPLETION













Materials & Construction (IN PROGRESS)

ISSUES

- Exposed Rebar
- Dissimilar Material Separation
- Missing Elements
- Spalling
- Improper Materials

DISCOVERIES

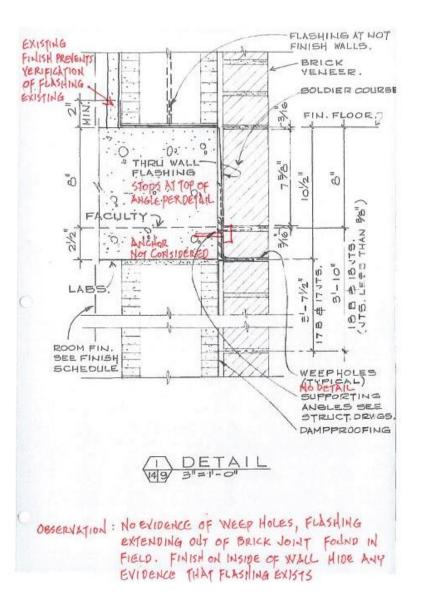
- Exposed rebar has led to additional moisture intrusion
- Brick and concrete are cracking/ separating causing moisture intrusion
- Missing ledge angles, flashing, weeps, etc. have caused differential settlement, separation of materials and the lack of the ability of the wall to expel water
- Field brick used at the head of walls

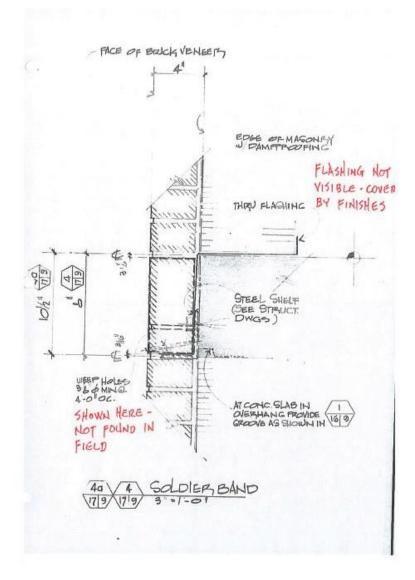
- Remove existing material from control joint, clean, and install new sealant and secondary protection
- At existing cracks, remove mortar joint and cracked bricks. Replace brick and install mortar to match
- Remove brick as necessary to install shelf angles, flashing, weeps etc. Replace brick and install mortar to match



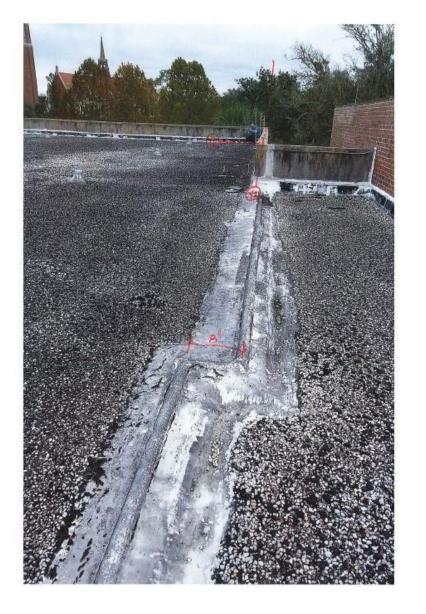


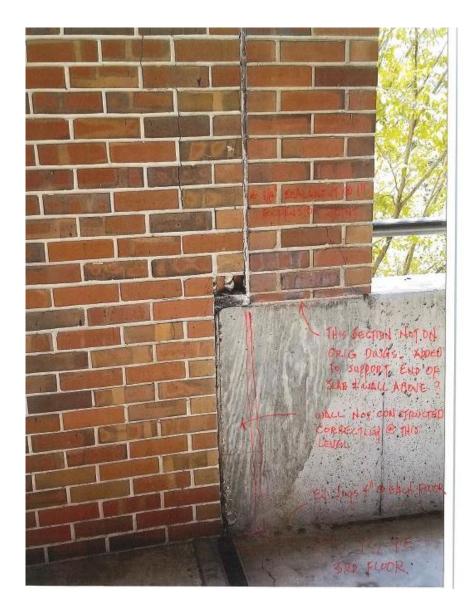
ISSUES













Administrative Wing (FUTURE)

ISSUES

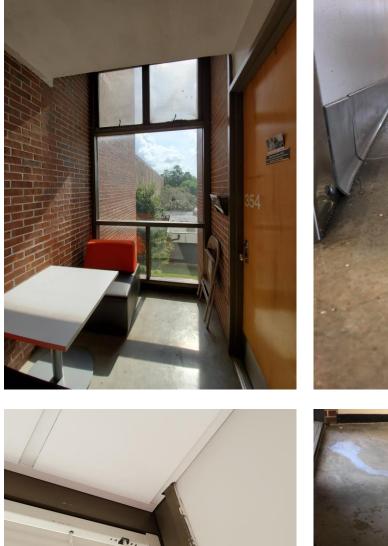
- Water intrusion
- Large open wall areas
- Water through doorways

DISCOVERIES

- Failing joints
- Spalling at deep inset sills
- Standing water at entry walkways

- 1. Direct Repairs
- 2. Replacement
- 3. Progressive Resolution
 - 1. Dual ETFE System
 - 2. ETFE System







ADMINISTRATION SOLUTIONS



DIRECT REPAIR





ETFE SYSTEM

DUAL ETFE SYSTEM



WALKWAY SOLUTIONS



LOUVERS

ETFE SYSTEM

FINS

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Atrium (FUTURE)

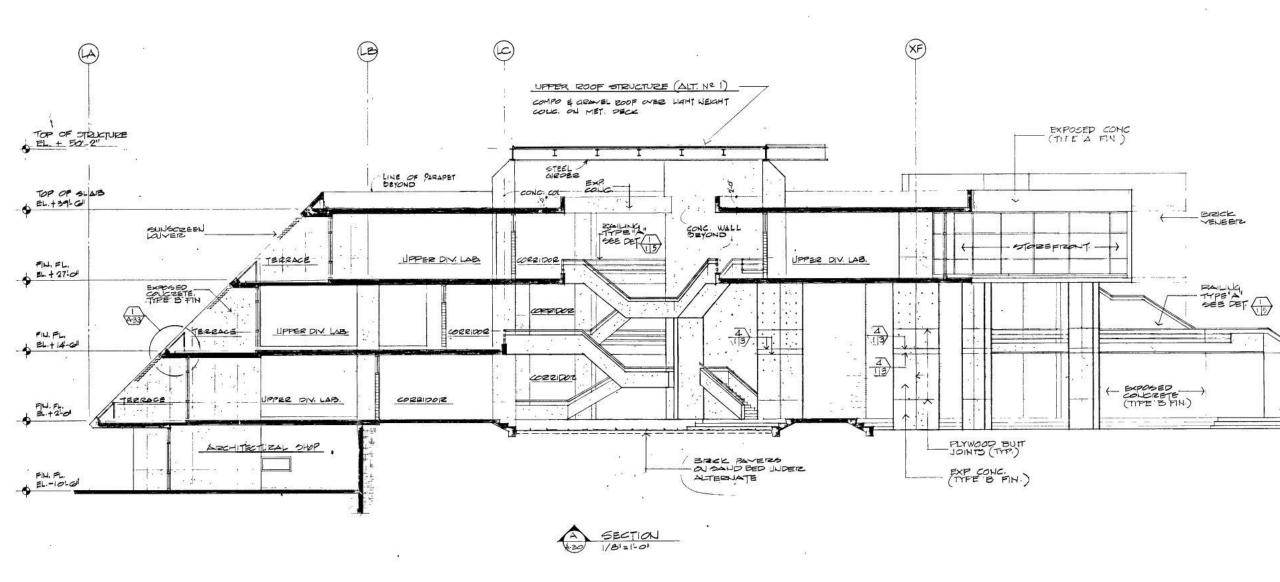
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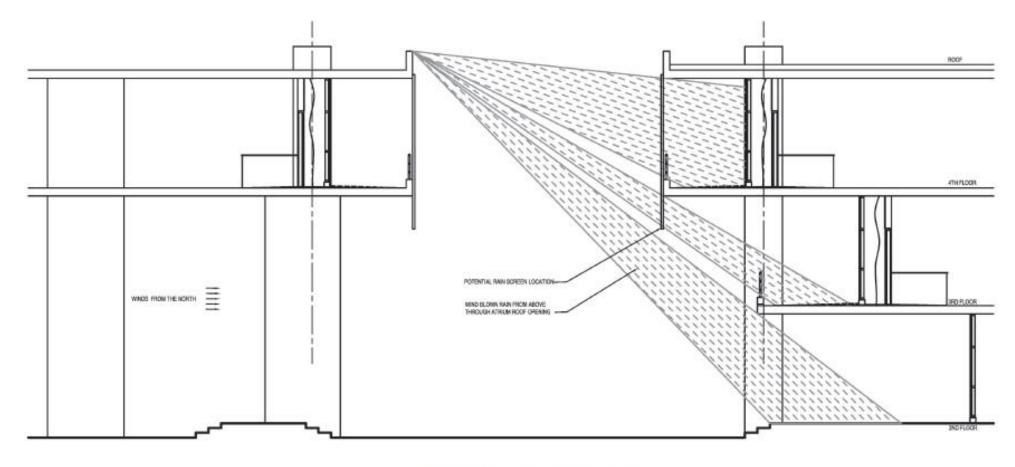
- Originally designed with a solid roof
 - Removed during VE
 - No other design changes were considered

DISCOVERIES

- Walkways are not properly sloped
- Walkways are not properly drained
- Waterproofing was not used on walkways
- Alterations to interior curtain-walls were not properly detailed

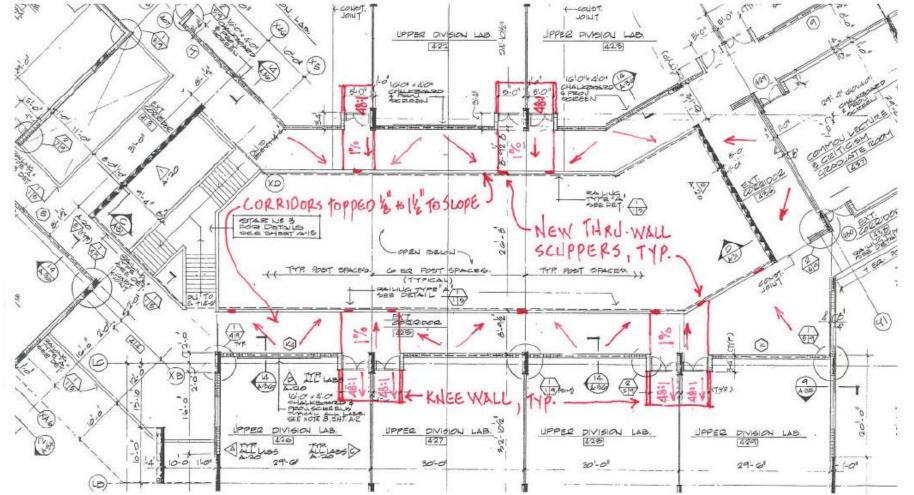
- 1. Rework interior walkways
 - a. Slope existing walkways
 - b. Add curb below curtainwall
- 2. Provide Atrium Roof
 - a. Skylight Systems
 - b. ETFE Systems
 - c. Solar Systems



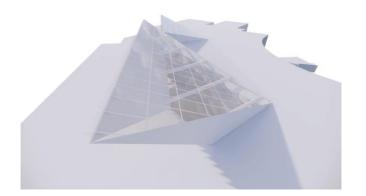


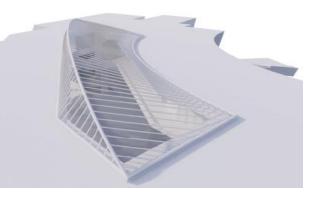
WIND DRIVEN RAIN EXPOSURE N.T.S

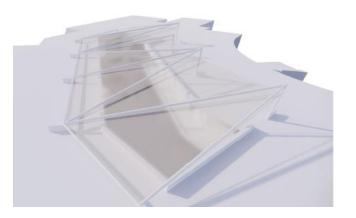
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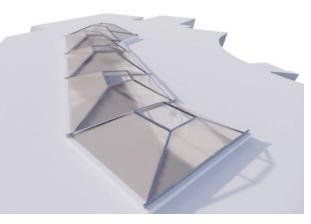


TYPICAL SLAB MANIPULATION PER FLOOR. NOTE KNEE WALLS INSIDE STUDIO SPACES N.T.S.



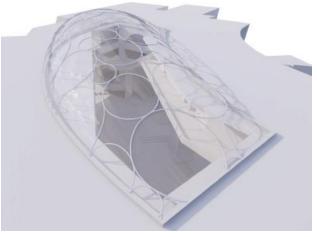




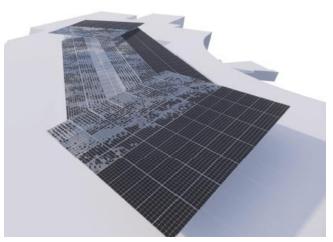




SKYLIGHT SOLUTIONS

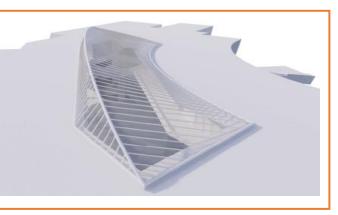


ETFE SOLUTIONS



SOLAR SOLUTION







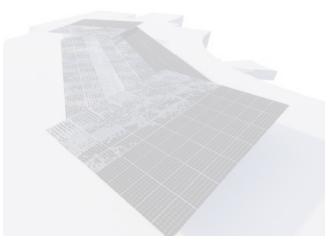




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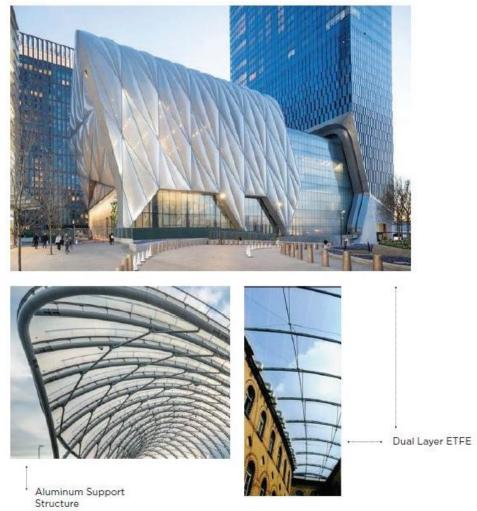


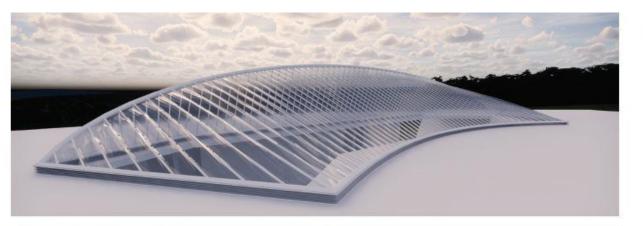
ETFE SOLUTIONS



SOLAR SOLUTION







PROS

 Delicate structure allows clear view of the sky

CONS

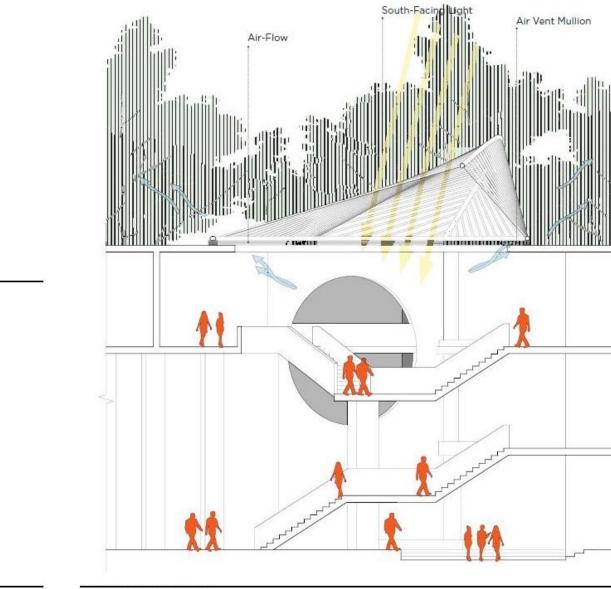
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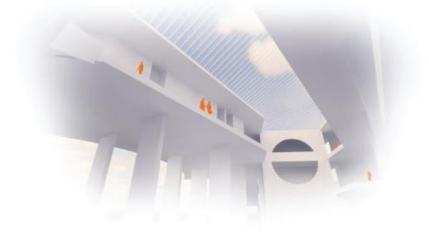
- Water is kept off interior walkways and stairs
- No Demo is required for interior walkways
- System can be made primarily off site
 The system is easily maintained
- Light
- Graceful
- Has an R value

ROOF PERSPECTIVE











ATRIUM SECTION

ROOF PERSPECTIVE





