### Sub-Committee Report 7.9.2020

# Identity

"Who We Are" Sub-Committee

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Garden Cosmologies: Curated Nature in the Contemporary City. Image © Beatriz Santos

# **Identity Sub-Committee**

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- Liaisons: John Murphy, Rebecca Weston
- Integrated Design Task-Force Chair: JoAnn Browning

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## Objective / Purpose

- To understand "who we are" as two colleges coming together, to create a critical awareness of our own nature and the way in which we think about ourselves
- Inherently an introspective undertaking and the basic task is metacognitive in nature
  - First step in metacognition identifying one's own learning style and needs
- To construct a narrative for how we think about ourselves using qualitative and quantitative information

## Qualitative Methodology

### The Knowledge Cafe

- An internationally recognized format and a conversational process
- Allows participants to share experiences, learn from each other, build relationships and make a better sense of a rapidly changing situation to help improve decision making
- It is a *descriptive* approach toward knowledge discovery rather than a *prescriptive* approach

## Knowledge Cafes

Two types of Knowledge cafés emerged:

- Faculty Cafés
  - A series of three conversations with focused discussion topics
- Student Café
  - A single session of student leaders or Knowledge Champions
- Topics for each discussion were decided by the subcommittee

# Faculty Knowledge Cafes

- Series of 3 Cafés. 90 minutes
- Dates June 11th, 18th and 25<sup>th</sup>
- <u>Attendees</u>
- Three dominate themes emerged, prompted by discussion questions:\*
  - Core strengths
  - Added values and synergies of integration
  - Future opportunities made possible by integration

# Dominate Theme 1: Core Strengths

- Our degree programs and the professions we serve / clear meanings
- The value of the civic learning lab: San Antonio itself
- Our connection to the community
- Our international programs
- Engagement, outreach, design-build, and project leadership in the regional built environment.



# Dominate Theme 2: Added values and synergies of integration

- Students need interdisciplinary training to be leaders in their domains
- Student exposure across disciplines
- Capitalize on opportunity for multi-disciplinary endeavors
- Incentivize research and new programs building on synergies
- International programs and study abroad
- Integrated process can accelerate innovation
- Integrated design and Equity

# Dominate Theme 3: Future opportunities made possible by integration

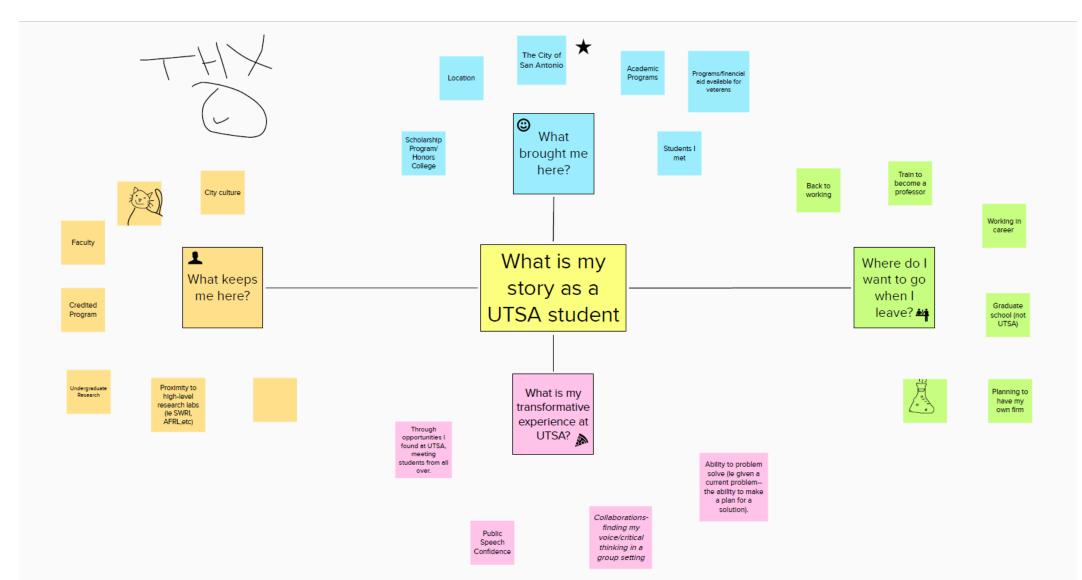
- Excellence and innovation
  - Offer integrated content
- Leadership and collaboration
  - Build leaders
  - Student ambassadors
  - Involvement with industry
  - Involvement with the city itself and civic leadership
- Integrity, inclusiveness, and respect
  - Illuminate equity
  - Teach research ethics
  - Explore all aspects of sustainability: social, environmental, economic, good governance
  - · Encourage and support ethical endeavors within the core mission of each discipline

## Student Knowledge Cafe

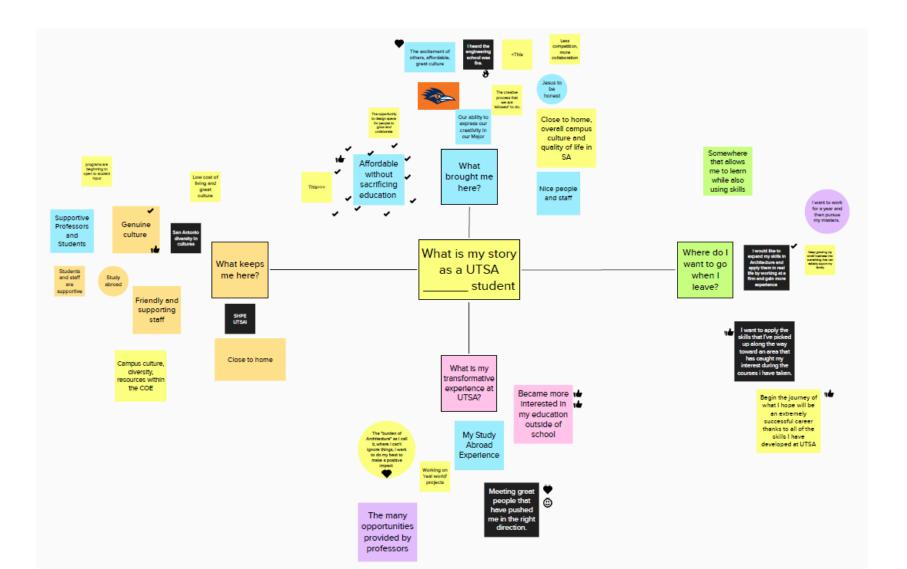
- 90-minute session on Wednesday, June 17<sup>th</sup> With 20 student participants from each college\*
- Introduction from Provost Espy and broad vision from Dean Browning
- Student attendees
- Themes
  - What brought you here as a student?
  - What keeps/has kept you here as a student?
  - Where will you be when you leave here and where are you going?
  - What has been your transformative educational experience at UTSA?
  - 12 minutes was spent per question in the break-out groups and mind map creation using Mural app in the break-out groups
- Closing statements and call to action



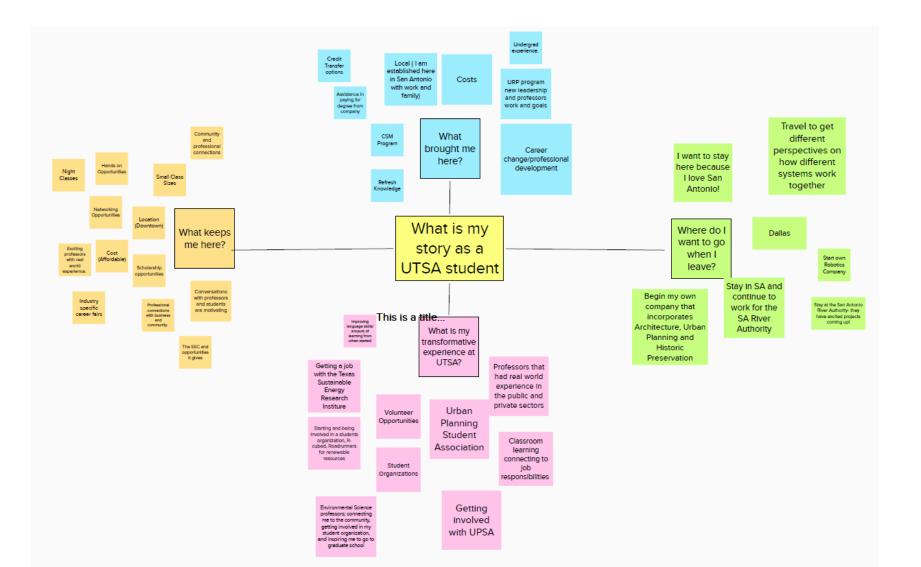
# Mind Map Group 1



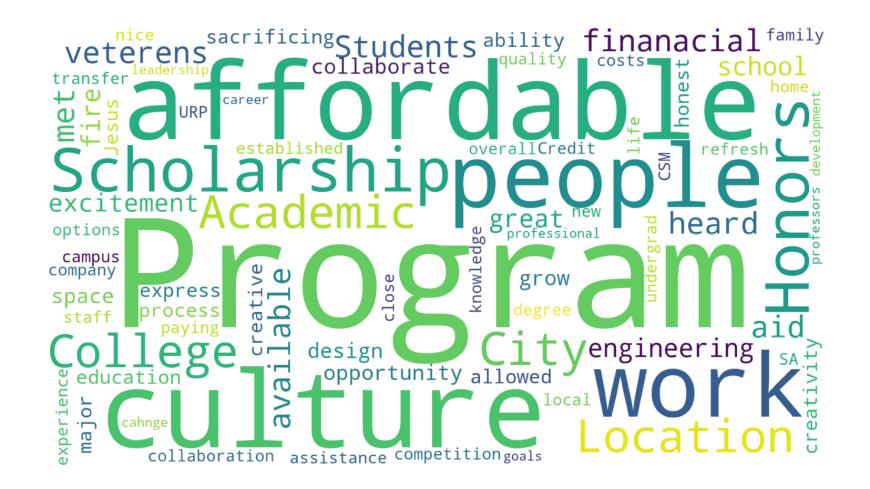
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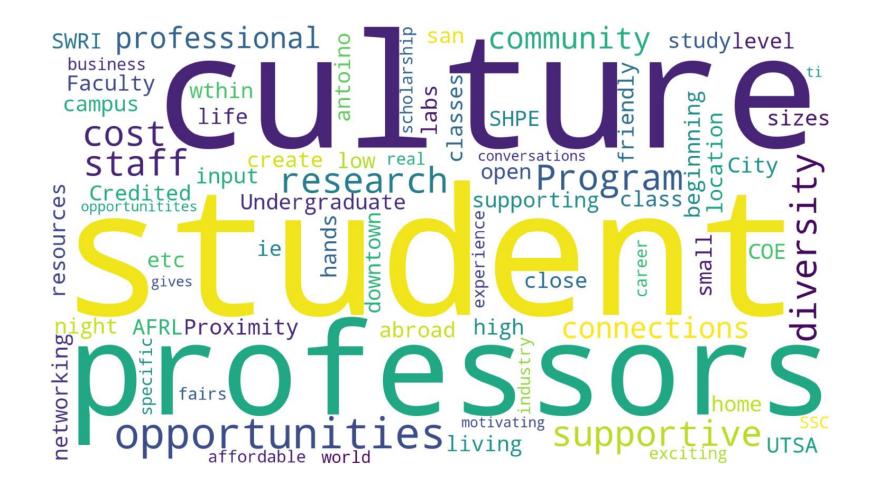
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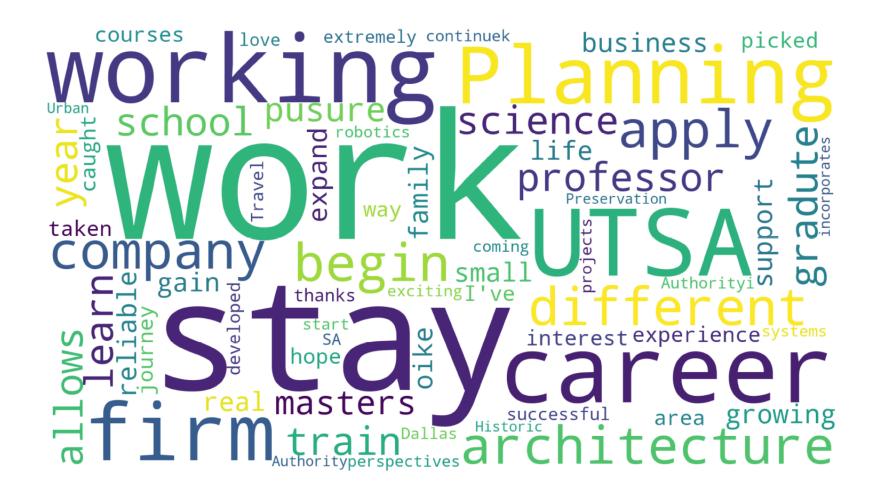
## What brought me here



## What keeps me here



# Where am I going



# What has been my transformational experience at UTSA?



## Student Knowledge Cafe

- Call to action
  - Be empowered
  - Be intentional
  - Be empathetic
  - Be a leader
  - Engineer, design, build, and plan the future you want for yourself and for others



## Quantitative Analysis of IR Data

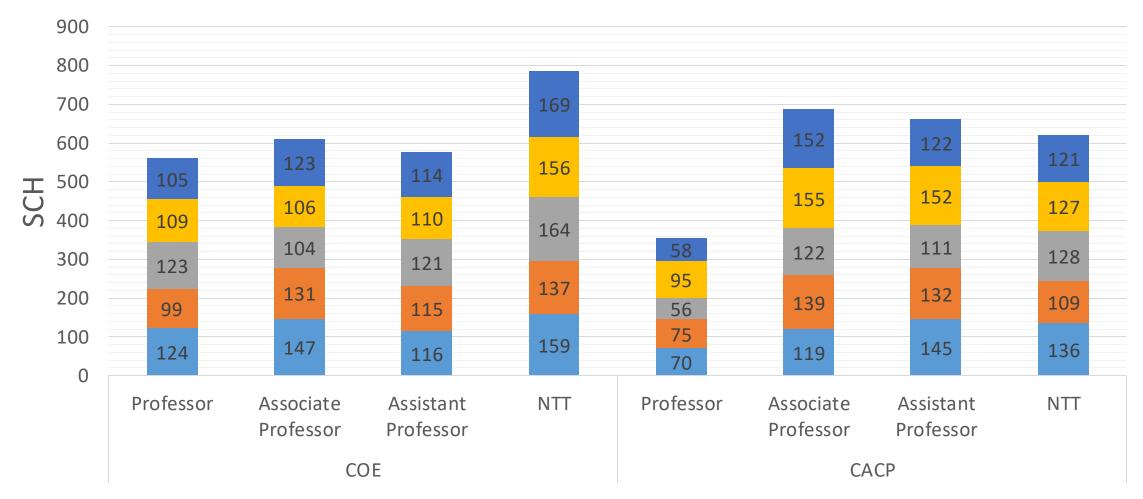
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## Numbers of Students

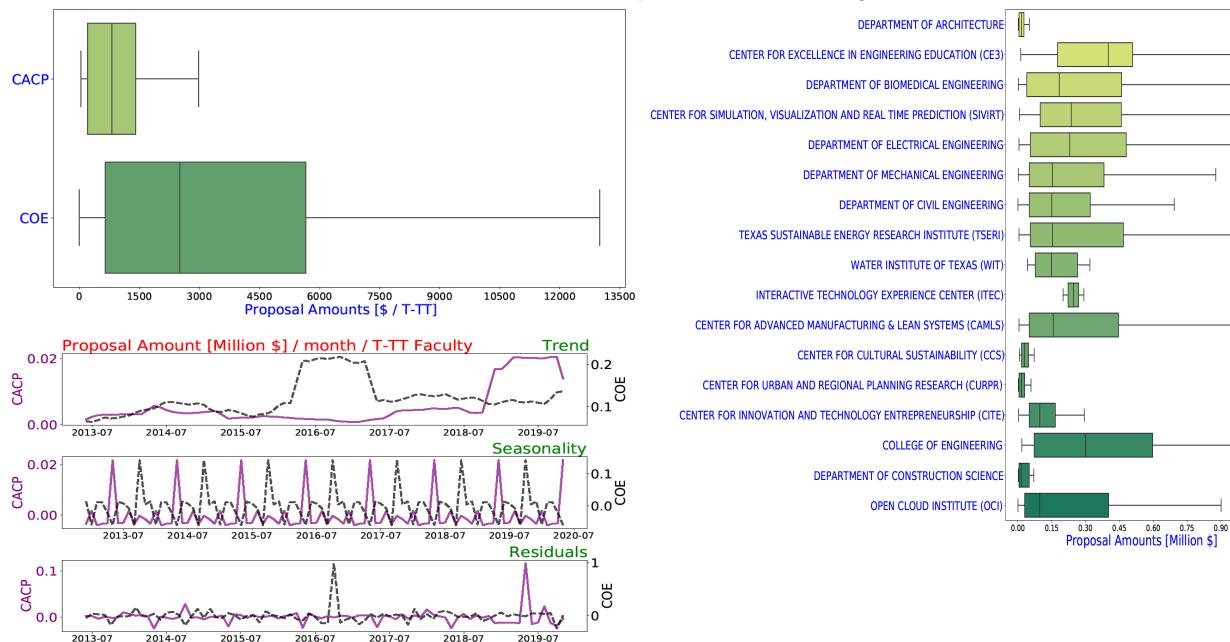
FALL 2019 DATA	UTSA	College X	% of UTSA
Total students	32594	4003	12%
Ugrad	27932	3288	12%
м	3300	312	9%
PhD	905	227	25%
т/тт	628	105	17%
Research \$	\$ 80,700,000	\$ 17,579,070	22%
2019 1-yr Retention	77%	78%	1.01
2018 cohort	4482	689	15%
2019 6-yr Grad	51%	54%	1.05
2013 cohort	2686	375	14%

## Average Semester Credit Hours (SCH) by Faculty Rank

■ 2015 ■ 2016 ■ 2017 **■** 2018 **■** 2019

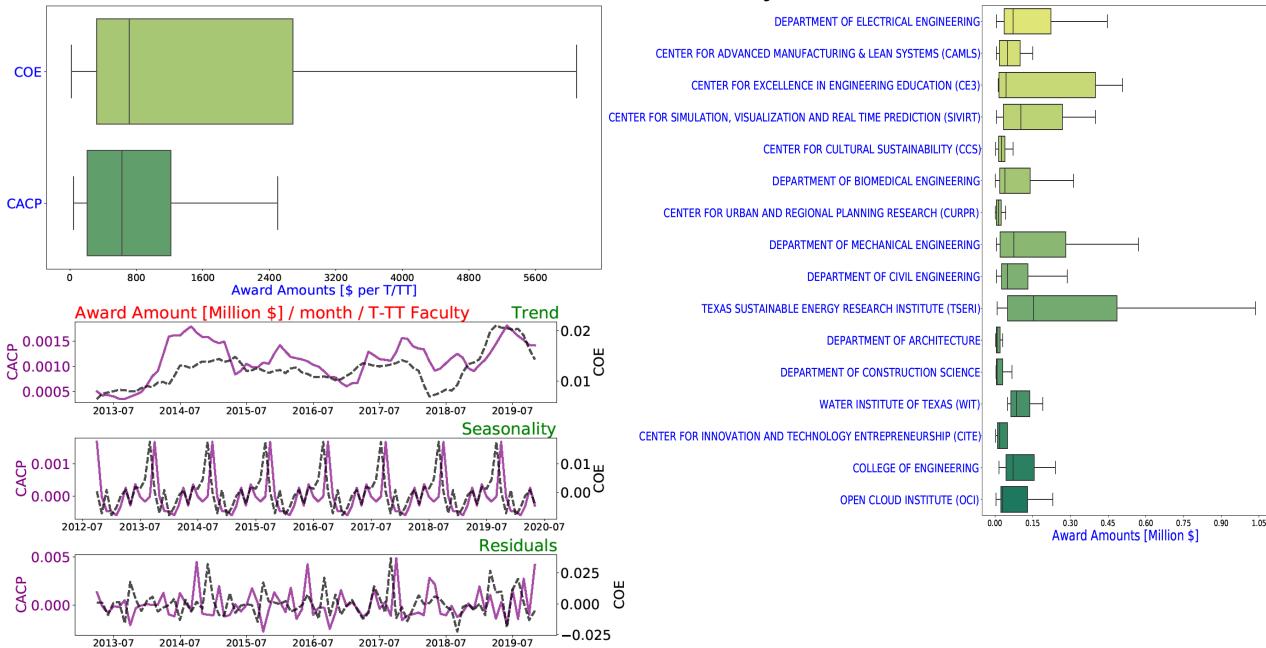


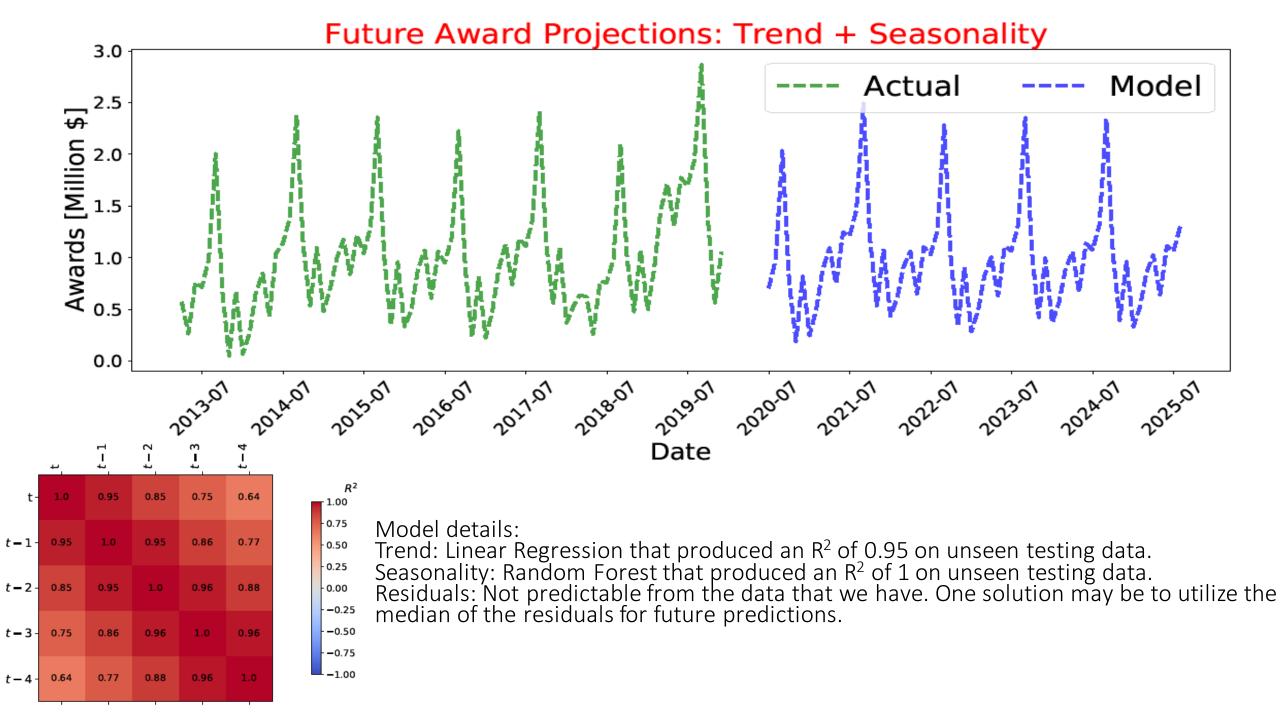
## **Research Proposal Analysis**



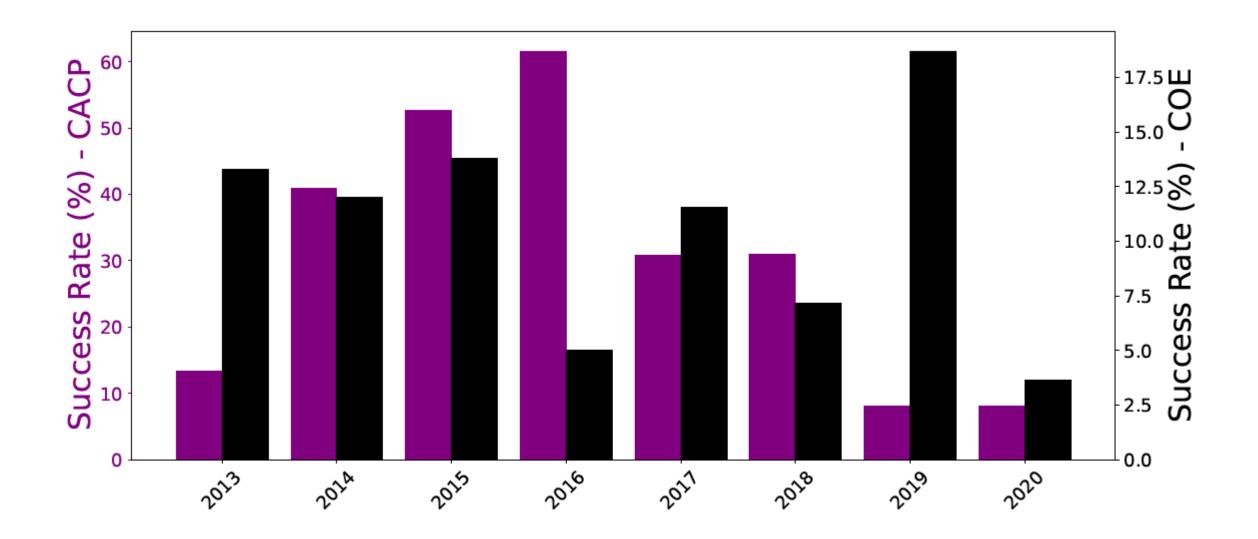
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## **Research Awards Analysis**

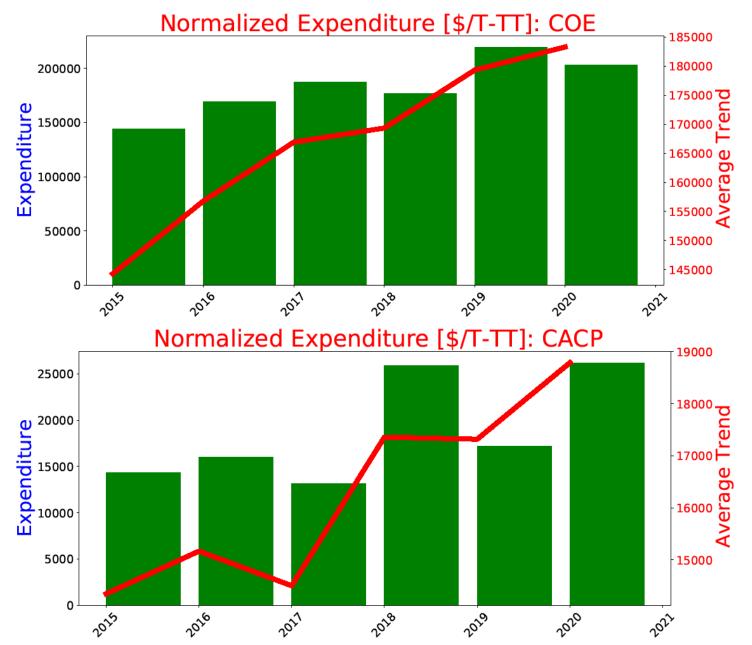


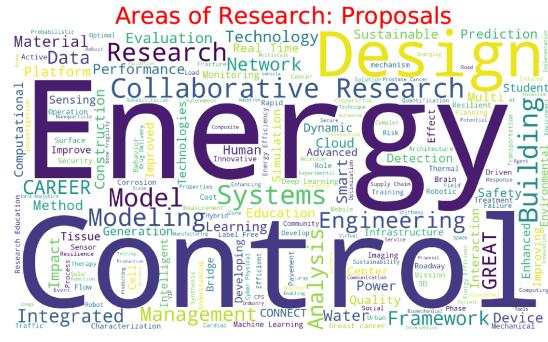


### Research Proposal vs. Awards Success Rate Analysis



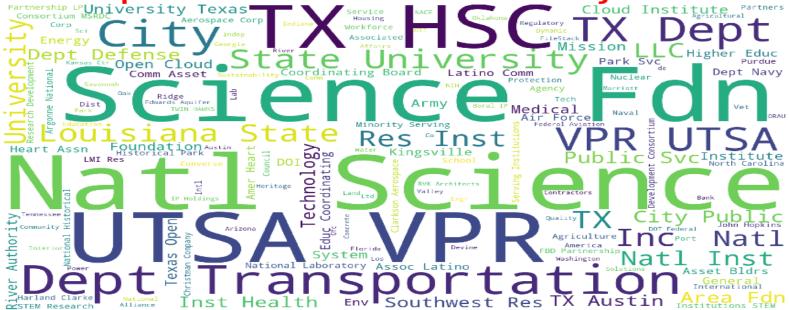
## Research Expenditure Analysis







### Sponsors: Awarded Projects

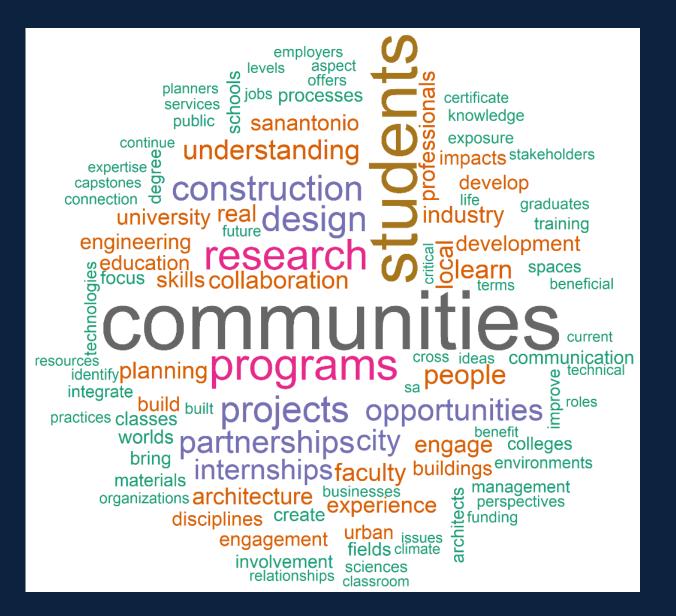


## Conclusions

- What have we learned that can be brought into the next phase?
  - Culture of each department / domain
  - Opportunity to explore synergies is supported by both faculty and students
  - Opportunities to engage our students across domains can increase their potential and further connects our programs to industries
- How does this influence possible notional models?
  - Provides identifiable areas of potential to justify synergies between domains

Rendering from the project..Image © Beatriz Santos

Helps us to prioritize those synergies



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**Community Engagement Subcommittee** 

Integrated Design Initiative Phase 1 Report

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#### Integrated Design Initiative Community Engagement Subcommittee PHASE 1



## **UTSA CACP Charrette**

- Questions Asked
  - What is the community needs/interest on: (A) Degree Programs, (B) Professional Development
  - 2. What is the community research needs/interest and partnership opportunities
  - 3. What can the faculty/staff/students do to help the community?
  - 4. What faculty/staff/students engagement in teaching, research, and service is most impactful to the community?
- Data: Text data from notes (15,352 words)
- Methods: Topic Modeling for pattern
   recognition

Review by the subcommittee members

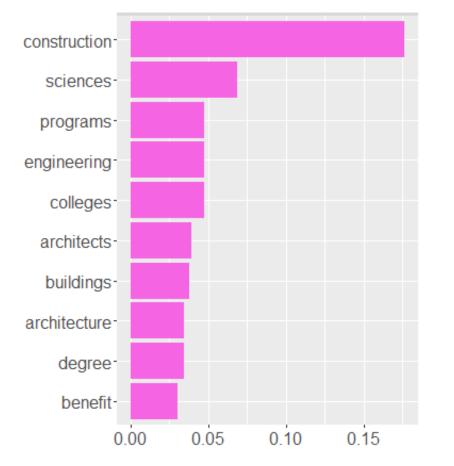


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#### **Regards to Architecture + Construction Science + Engineering**

"Likes the combination of architecture and construction science. Students will have the whole picture, solve problems onsite."

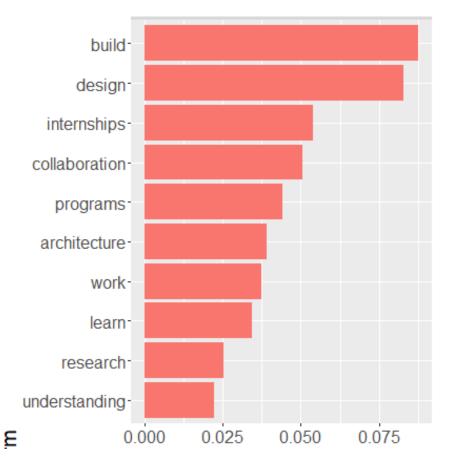
"Give students a glimpse into the real world of how we really work - benefit of combined with engineering - likes the holistic view and benefit of architects as having the advantage of knowing engineers - build teams inside the college and they will be ready with doing collaborative work"

"Power of engineering and engineers are that they are problem solvers. Architect's power is ability to think in a non-linear way."

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#### **Regards to Internships**

"Internship requirement for engineering and architecture degrees. All need to learn what is expected at work. **Bring architecture programs to have the same internship experiences as engineers**.

"Create a partnership opportunity with internships which is a win-win for industry, students, and community"

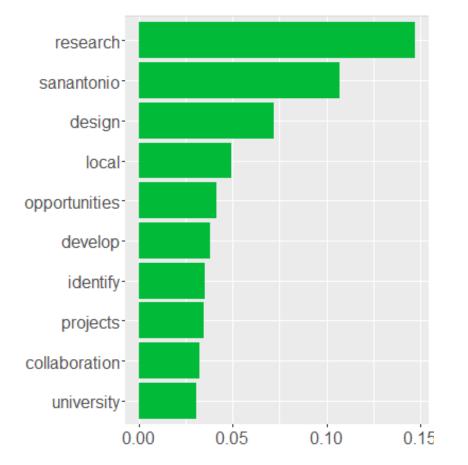
"More internships and partnership in studio work is helpful."

"Real hands-on experience and internship."

"Most of the attendees need more interns – not enough coming out of UTSA; ads have gone out to the students but not a lot of response

Question 2.

### 2. What is the community research needs/interest and partnership opportunities? Regards to Research



Design build projects and opportunities within

"Design build projects and opportunities within academic research to collaborate with different organizations nationally to bring outside expertise into San Antonio/"

"Want San Antonio to stand out with top notch research facilities that would **establish San Antonio as a research hub**."

"Collaboration for a richer research program that helps prioritize local issues"

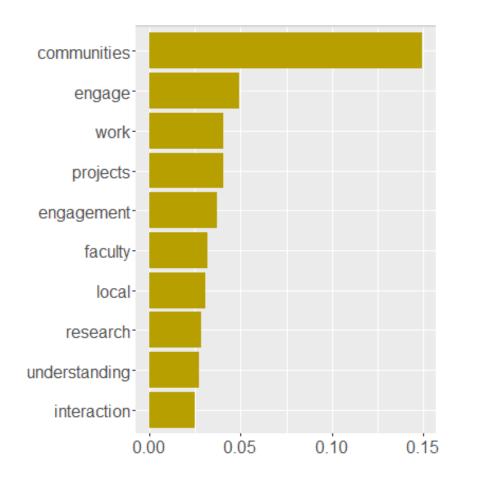
"Community outreach efforts -- research impacts technology as well as important social issues."

"San Antonio is unique and having local knowledge is valuable for research"

# Question 3.

What can the faculty/staff/students do to help the community?

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#### **Regards to Community and Engagement**

"**Do community engagement research** - dive into micro history of communities - sensitivity to communities past traumas – especially in communities of color - demolition and gentrification can be traumatic"

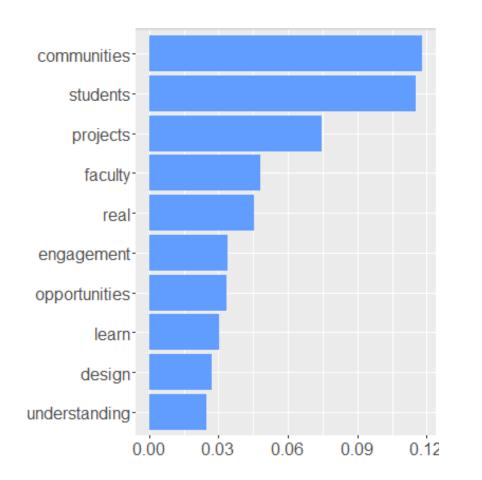
"The communities that need the most engagement are the ones that...lack the infrastructure. **Infrastructure plays a critical role in engagement**"

### "Go out to communities and engage them by using research expertise"

"Community engagement can create a stronger link to the community... Create loyalty to the community"

"Engage professional community to bring their technology into classrooms"

### **Question 3**. What can the faculty/staff/students do to help the community?



### **Regards to Students**

"Are students trained to conduct **community input sessions**? A good skill would be able to do community engagement research"

"Preparing students for modern workforce... designers and architects' understanding of local values - projects belong to community"

"Keep a line of communication open between UTSA Students/communities"

"Different communities mean different issues/concerns; make sure students understand that; have students go out and have events out in the community"

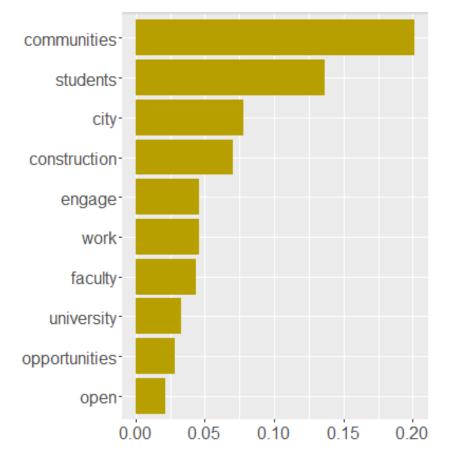
"Faculty need to educate students in such a way that the students are aware of how efficiently they can serve the community"

# Question 4.

What faculty/staff/students engagement in teaching, research and service is (or could be) most impactful to the community?

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### **Regards to Communities**

"Already connecting with community, like SAISD, but this needs to be increased; we are building our communities, impacting where we live and work"

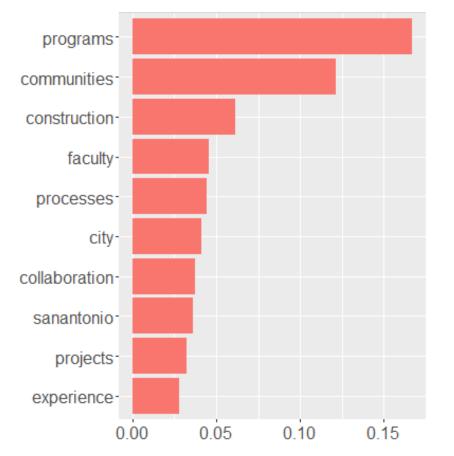
"Students collaborating with faculty to help communities with constructing small projects"

"Focus where the need is more. **Engage with communities that have been historically marginalized**"

"Real engagement happens when the university opens its doors to the community and shares the knowledge they have."

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### **Regards to Programs**

"Interdisciplinary programs to solve real problems – with city of San Antonio as the client – would be great way for academia to have direct contribution to improving quality of life in the community"

"Formalize the linkage between prep programs, UTSA programs, etc. will attract more students if they could see the tract or link."

"Being able to communicate what the program is doing and how the program is beneficial. Market the profession and what we are doing and what we can do to help the community."

# KEY TAKEAWAYS FROM THE CHARRETTE

- Work with and for the San Antonio communities, especially who are disenfranchised and marginalized.
- Enhance communications among faculty, students, communities, and public/private sectors
- Promote interdisciplinary collaboration/partnership to enhance research and teaching
- Provide real-world, hands-on learning experience to students by partnering with industries and communities (studios, study-work program, internships)

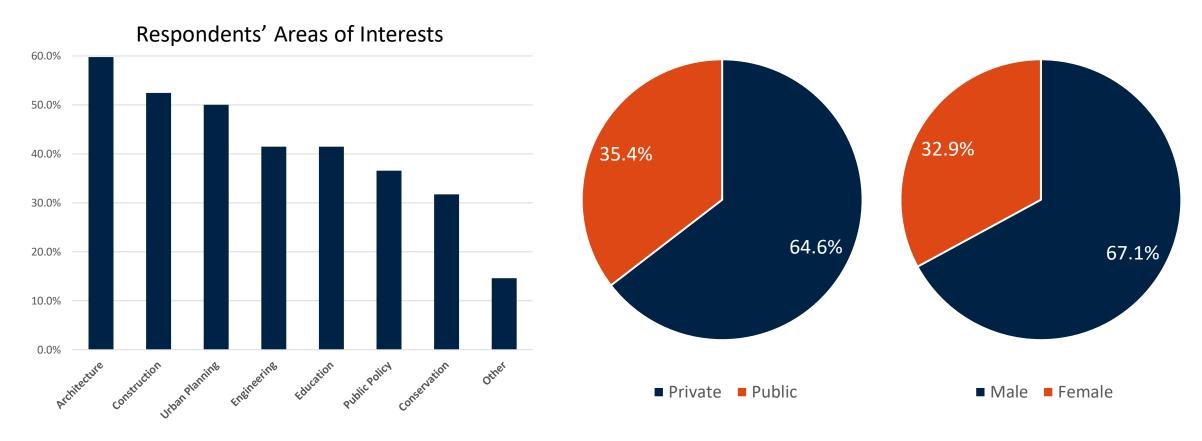
### **Community Engagement Subcommittee Online Survey**



Thank you for your interest in our new college (read more about our initiative <u>here</u>), which will live at the intersection of architecture, construction, planning and engineering. Our work is just beginning and we still need input on how we can best serve our city and region. Can you please provide your opinion to help us forge our new vision for the future? If so, click the button in lower right hand corner to start the survey, thank you.

### As of 12:00 PM, July 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020 82 responses, 41 responses in progress

# Survey Respondents



24.1% of the respondents (19) were affiliated with UTSA (Alumni (10), Advisory Board (14), Faculty (2), Administrator (1))

## **CORE QUESTION 1:**

How important is it for the new college to help local industries to develop innovative materials, processes or structures that improve the lives of people?

Choice	Count	Percent
Extremely Important	41	<b>51.2%</b> ⁻
Very Important	26	32.5%-
Moderately Important	11	13.8%
Slightly Important	2	2.5%

- Fostering partnerships with private and public sectors to enhance teaching, research and employment opportunities with 58.5% a focus on the local community.
- Incorporating data analytics and other emerging technologies to enhance public understanding and find solutions to grand 42.7% challenges in the fields of architecture, construction, planning and engineering.
- **Designing secure and environmentally friendly systems** (e.g., construction, energy, water and materials) that are friendlier to 36.6% our planet.
- Focusing on research that can be **transitioned to commercial or** non-profit organizations or to communities for actual 29.3% deployment in the real world 6.1%
- Other (please describe)

## CORE QUESTION 2:

How important is it for the new college to undertake research that takes into account the needs of the community?

Choice	Count	Percent	
Extremely Important	42	51.9%	
Very Important	29	35.8%-	
Moderately Important	8	9.9%	
Slightly Important	2	2.5%	

•	Transforming technology and processes that promote sustainable consumption of resources, by planning, designing, building and maintaining climate-resilient structures, and enhanced energy efficient buildings	53.7%
•	Promoting compact development that allows for aging in place to mitigate sprawl while preserving community's culture and addressing housing affordability.	41.5%
•	Working in a interdisciplinary manner motivated by discovery and helping society to mitigate inequalities in the fields of architecture, construction, planning and engineering.	39.0%
•	Innovating with emerging technologies like artificial intelligence, self-driving vehicles, and smart grids to spur economic development and improve quality of life.	37.8%
•	Other (please describe)	7.3%

## CORE QUESTION 3:

How important is it for the new college to help students develop "marketable-skills" like work ethic, leadership and communication skills?

Choice	Count	Percent
Extremely Important	64	79.0%
Very Important	13	16.0%
Moderately Important	4	4.9%
Slightly Important		

•	Developing project leadership skills for project management,
	strategic decision-making, and team building.

Fostering in students the ability to express ideas and articulate their rationale when communicating concepts in architecture, construction, planning and engineering using visual media and in written communication.

65.9%

- Exposing students to common ethical issues regarding financial, business, management and relationship decisions in 48.8% architecture, construction, planning and engineering.
- Inculcating in students an appreciation of cultural diversity and social equity in the workplace and beyond.
   20.7%
- Other (please describe) 3.7%

## CORE QUESTION 4:

How important is it for the new college to help students develop "technical-skills" like software training and certificates?

Choice	Count	Percent	
Extremely Important	28	34.6%	
Very Important	31	38.3%	
Moderately Important	17	21.0%	
Slightly Important	4	4.9%	
Not at all Important	1	1.2%	

•	Offer training on <b>collecting, analyzing, and visualizing data</b> <b>using virtual and augmented reality</b> in architecture, construction, planning and engineering applications.	52.4%
•	Incorporate <b>geographic information systems</b> software training across various applications.	39.0%
•	Provide training for students <b>on industry specific software</b> <b>packages</b> (please describe)	34.1%
•	Offer <b>discipline specific cutting-edge certificates</b> and micro- masters to students (please describe)	14.6%
•	Other (please describe)	6.1%

## **CORE QUESTION 5:**

*Is it important for the new college to be engaged in experiential learning programs that provide opportunities to get real-world experience?* 

Choice	Count	Percent
Extremely Important	42	51.9%
Very Important	34	42.0%
Moderately Important	5	6.2%
Slightly Important		

•	Partner with local firms to work on actual projects in class while	61.0%
	utilizing a workshop style format.	01.0%

- Establish **mentoring and/or shadowing opportunities** where students can acquire first-hand experience of the profession. 52.4%
- Create co-op opportunities where students can apply academic training, test skills and get a head start on a career.
- Offer opportunities to take **field trips and site visits** of relevance to architecture, construction, planning and engineering 28.0% disciplines.
- Other (please describe) 3.7%

# CONCLUSION

- CACP Charrette: Important areas of innovation in research and teaching
  - Foster community-engaged, interdisciplinary research
  - Enhance partnership with industry partners and public sector
  - Train students with important marketable and technical skills

## • Preliminary Survey Results: Concrete Solutions

- Research
  - Fostering partnership with private and public sectors
  - Data analytics/technologies to enhance public understanding and find solutions
  - Designing secure, sustainable environmental systems
  - Research with real-world application and implications
- Teaching
  - More emphasis on marketable skills (e.g., communication, management, advocacy)
  - Technical Skills (e.g., data analytics, visualization, technical certificates)

# NEXT STEP

- Complete the analysis of the survey results (survey to be closed next week)
  - Rich inputs from the open-ended responses
- Expand the scope of community engagement to national and international communities
  - Research and teaching beyond local communities (e.g., study abroad programs)
- Identify and address the missing pieces from Phase 1 by coordinating with other subcommittees



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Integrated Design Initiative Task Force

Benchmarking Subcommittee Update July 9, 2020

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## **Transdisciplinary Models: Research + Teaching + Learning**

College Models

Institute Models

## Transdisciplinary Models: Research + Teaching + Learning

College Models

**Institute Models** 

Less common at scale of the College. More common outside of U.S.

More common at scale of the Institute.

Here are twelve models at the scale of the College and Institute...

## **College Models**

Ohio State University

McGill University

Washington State University

University of Strathclyde Glasgow (UK) University College London (UK) TU Darmstadt (Germany)

### **Ohio State University**

### **University Profile**

68,262 Students
250+ Bachelor, 171 Master's, and 113 Doctoral
33 or 40 National Academy Members
Five Grand Challenges: Energy & Environment, Health, Security, and Learning & Computation
\$929.2 Million in Research and Development Expenditures
\$497.6 Million: Federal R&D expenditures
\$157.8 Million: Industry-sponsored research expenditures
2,423 Study Abroad Programs

#### **College of Engineering Profile**

1 campus
15 major programs
\$49 Million Industry R&D expenditures
7,931 Undergraduate, 1812 Graduate Students Enrolled
Degrees Conferred - 1715 Undergraduate, 633 Graduate

### Ohio State University | College of Engineering

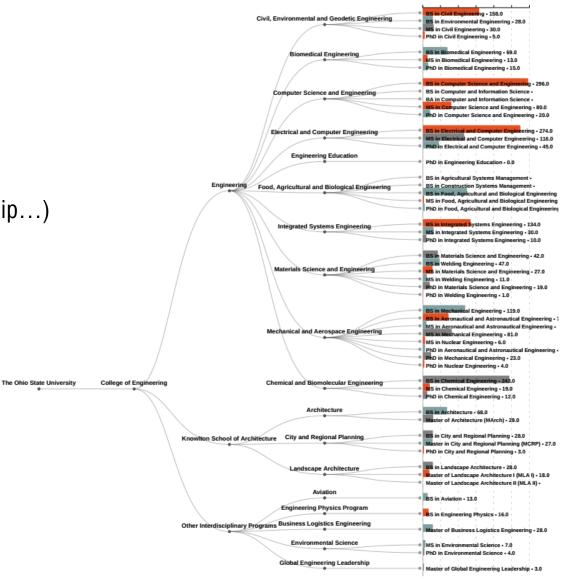
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Biomedical Engineering	23	4	6	25
Civil, Environmental and Geodetic Engineering	29	16	21	20
Computer Science and Engineering	50	10	60	20
Electrical and Computer Engineering	65	19	16	17
Engineering Education	7	0	31	8
Food, Agricultural, and Biological Engineering	27	17	23	31
Integrated Systems Engineering	26	4	15	32
Knowlton School of Architecture	46	23	37	18

### **Ohio State University** | **College of Engineering** | **Degrees Conferred**

Engineering

Knowlton School of Architecture

Interdisciplinary Programs (Business, Environment, Global Leadership...)



### **McGill University**

### **University Profile**

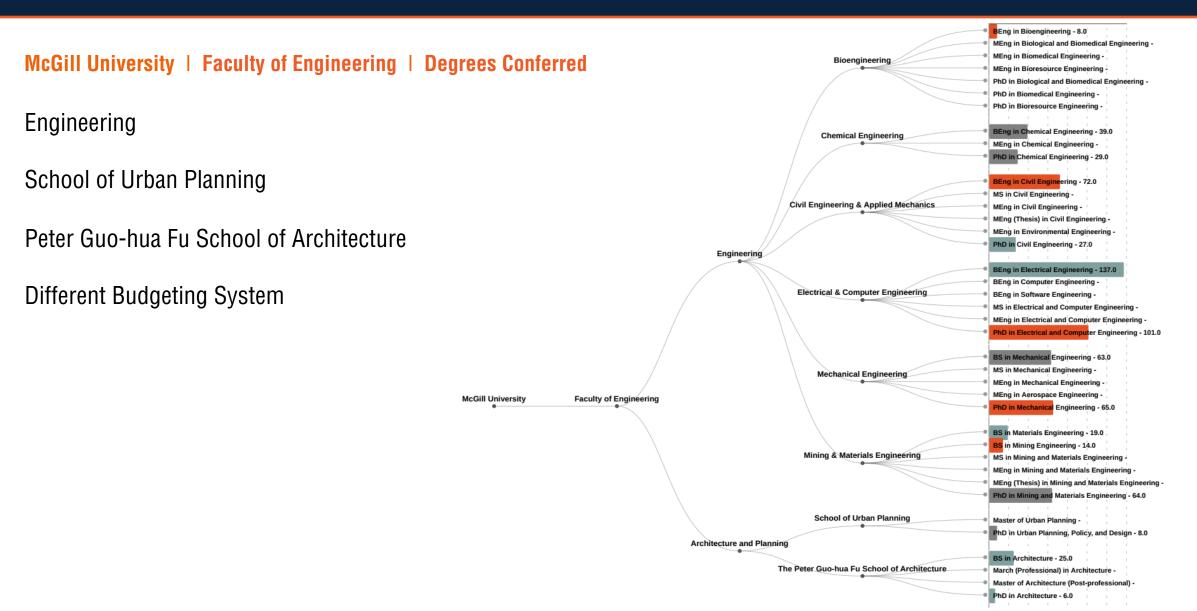
40,153 Students
Royal Society of Canada: 195
Grand Challenges:
\$566.6 Million in Total Research and Development Expenditures
\$295.9 Million in Federal Research and Development Expenditures
\$44 Million in Industry-sponsored
\$920.0 Million in Revenue – Unrestricted Fund
\$928.7 Million Expenses and inter-fund transfers – Unrestricted Fund

### Faculty of Engineering Profile

*1 campus* 10 major programs *3,392 Undergraduate, 1,103 Graduate Students Enrolled* 

### McGill University | Faculty of Engineering Profile

	T/TT	Emeritus	NTT/Adjunct	Staff
Bioengineering	9	0	9	5
Chemical Engineering	18	4	0	14
Civil Engineering & Applied Mechanics	21	2	0	12
Electrical & Computer Engineering	46	9	17	19
Mechanical Engineering	29	6	9	7
Mining & Materials Engineering	23	4	16	15
School of Urban Planning	5	3	6	2
The Peter Guo-hua Fu School of Architecture	17	4	23	7



### Washington State University

### **University Profile**

20,976 Students
98 Bachelor, 78 Master's, and 65 Doctoral
11 National Academy Members
Five Grand Challenges: Sustaining Health, Sustainable Resources, Opportunity and Equity, Smart
Systems, National Security
\$360.5 Million in Total Research and Development Expenditures
\$151.1 Million in Federal Research and Development Expenditures
\$00+ Study Abroad Programs
6-year Graduation Rate (2013 cohort): 60.2%

### **Voiland College of Architecture & Engineering Profile**

6 campuses 29 fields of study \$20M Donated \$33M in Research Expenditures 6,000 Students Enrolled Degrees Conferred - 946 Undergraduate, 197 Graduate

### Washington State | College of Architecture & Engineering

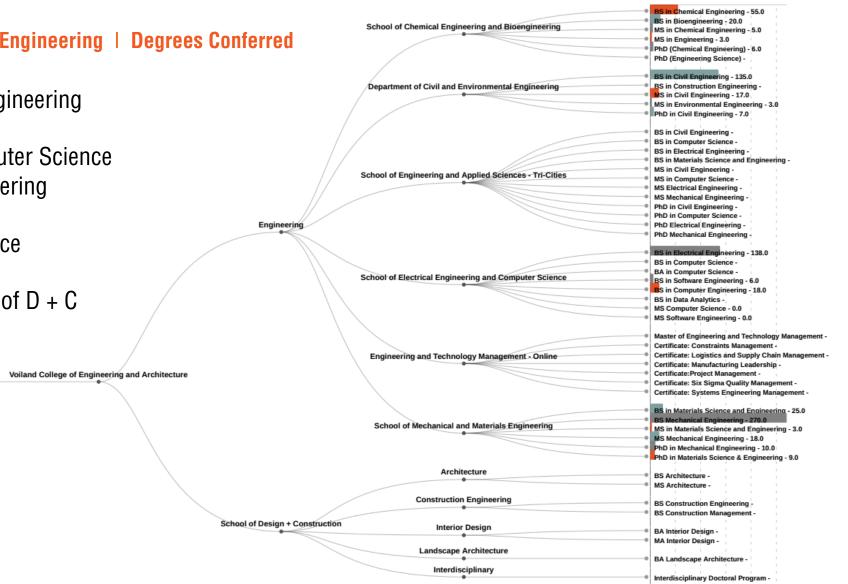
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School of Chemical Engineering and Bioengineering	21	7	10	8
Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering	43	6		9
School and Design + Construction	25	1	8	6
School of Electrical Engineering & Computer Science	42	3	1	15
Engineering and Technology Management - Online	5	2	3	2
School of Mechanical and Materials Engineering	40	0	3	2
School of Engineering & Applied Sciences - Tri-Cities				2
Civil Engineering (Program)	2			
Computer Science	1		2	
Electrical Engineering	3			
Mechanical Engineering	3		2	
School of Engineering & Computer Science - Vancouver	21	0	0	8

### Washington State | College of Architecture & Engineering | Degrees Conferred

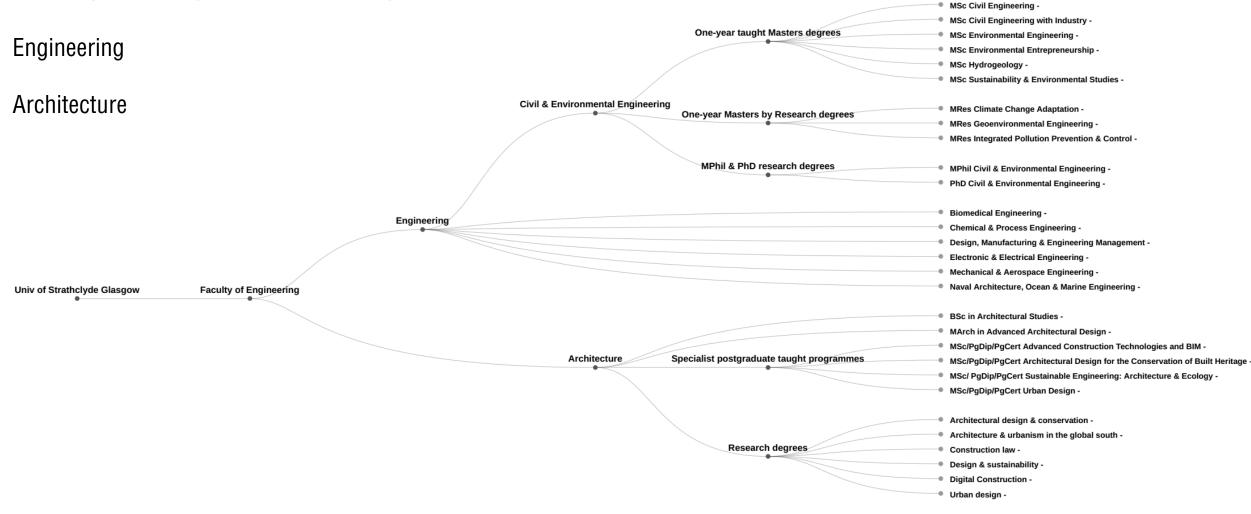
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Joint Degree Civil Engineering and School of D + C

Washington State University



#### University of Strathclyde Glasgow | Faculty of Engineering



#### University College London | The Barlett

School of Architecture School of Construction and Project Management School of Planning

Institutes (interdisciplinary degrees)

The Barlett (Built Environment)

UCL

School of Architecture

School of Construction and Project Management

School of Planning

The Bartlett Real Estate Institute

Centre for Advanced Spatial Analysis

Development Planning Unit

UCL Energy Institute

UCL Institute for Sustainable Resources

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UCL Institute for Sustainable Heritage

UCL Institute for Global Prosperity

UCL Institute for Innovation and Public Purpose

Architecture MSci (Part 1 & 2)(5 years) -Architectural & Interdisciplinary Studies BSc -Engineering & Architectural Design MEng -Architecture MArch (ARB/RIBA Part 2) -Architecture MArch (ARB/RIBA Part 2) -Architectural History MA -Architectural History MA -Situated Practice MA -Architectural Computation MSC/MRes -Space Swntax: Architecture and Cities MSc/MRes -Space Syntax: Architecture and Cities MSc/MRes -Architecture and Digital Theory MRes -Bio-Integrated Design MArch/MSc -Design for Manufacture MArch -Design for Performance and Interaction MArch -Landscape Architecture MA/MLA -BSc Project Management for Construction -MSc Construction Economics and Management -MSc Digital Engineering Management -MSc Digital Innovation in Built Asset Management -MSc Infrastructure Investment and Finance -MSc Project and Enterprise Management -MSc Strategic Management of Projects -MPhil/PhD Construction and Project Management -BSc Urban Planning and Real Estate -BSc Urban Planning, Design and Management -BSc Urban Planning, Design and Management -BSc Urban Studies -Spatial Planning MSc/Dip -International Real Estate and Planning MSc/Dip -International Real Estate and Planning MSc/Dip -Urban Regeneration MSc/Dip -Sustainable Urbanism MSc/Dip -Urban Design and City Planning MSc/Dip -Infrastructure Planning, Appraisal and Development MSc/Dip -Housing and City Planning MSc -Transport and City Planning MSc -Inter-disciplinary Urban Design MRes -City Planning MPlan -MSc Healthcare Facilities -MSc Learning Environments Smart Cities and Urban Analytics MSc -Spatial Data Science and Visualisation MRes Building and Urban Design in Development MSc -Development Administration and Planning MSc -Environment and Sustainable Development MSc -Social Development Practice MSc -Urban Development Planning MSc -Health in Urban Development MSc -Energy Demand Studies MRes -Energy Systems and Data Analytics MSc -Economics and Policy of Energy and the Environment MSc -Economics and Policy of Energy and the Environment MSc -Sustainable Resources: Economics, Policy and Transitions MSc -

Environmental Design and Engineering MSc/Dip -Light and Lighting MSc/Dip -Health, Wellbeing and Sustainable Buildings MSc -Smart Buildings and Digital Engineering MSc -

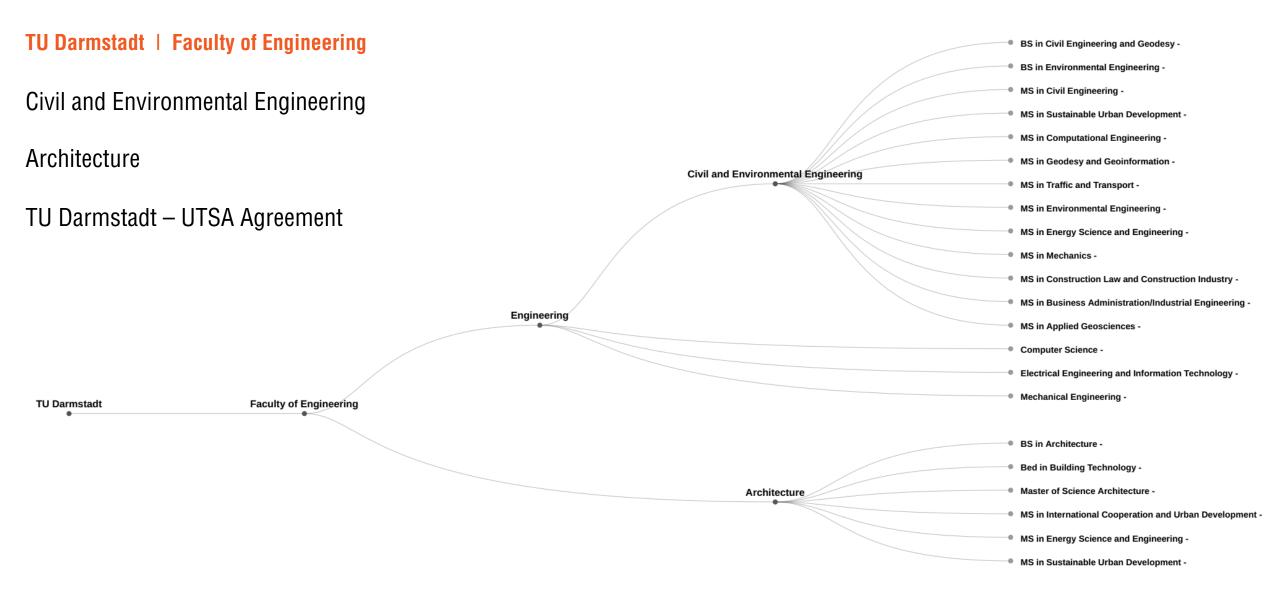
SEAHA MRes -Sustainable Heritage MSc -Data Science for Cultural Heritage MSc -

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## **Transdisciplinary Research Models**

- Sustainability + Environment
- Resilience + Infrastructure
- Urbanism + Urban Science
- Construction + Material Science
- Community Design + Outreach
- Energy + Environment

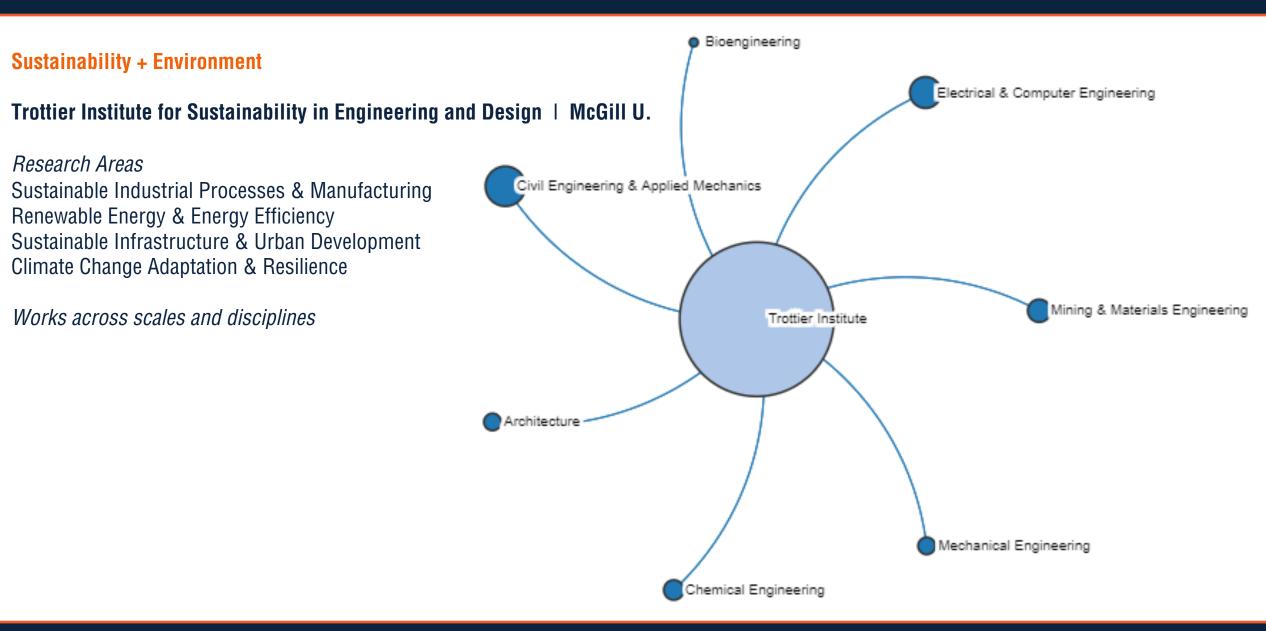
### Sustainability + Environment

University of Toronto Arizona State University McGill University Savannah College for Art and Design U North Carolina Charlotte University of Arizona University of Oregon University of Oregon **Birmingham City University** The Ohio State University University College London University College London University of Michigan University of Michigan University of Pennsylvania

School of the Environment
School of Sustainability
Trottier Institute for Sustainability in Engineering and Design
Program in Design for Sustainability
Integrated Design Research Lab
Institute on Place, Wellbeing, and Performance (UA IPWP)
Sustainable Cities and Landscape Hub
Institute for Sustainable Environment
School of Engineering and the Built Environment
Sustainable and Resilient Economy
Institute for Sustainable Resources
Other Interdisciplinary Centers and Institutes
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Erb Institute for Global Sustainable Enterprise
Center for Architectural Conservation (CAC)

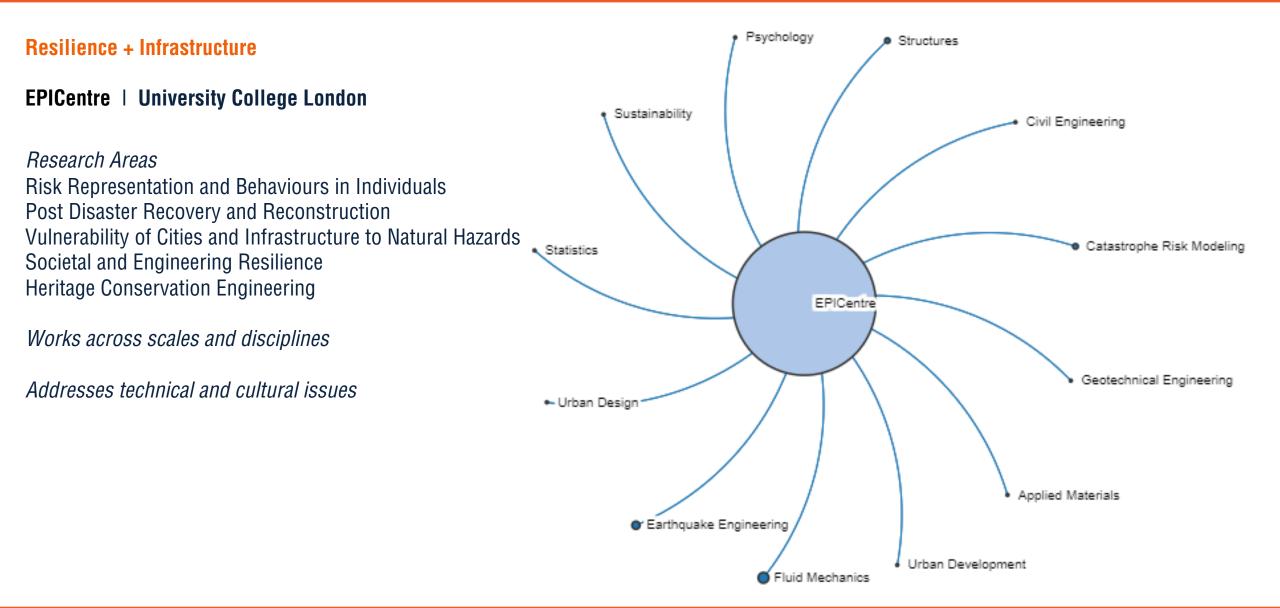
**Brown University** Columbia University Cornell University **Duke University** Johns Hopkins Northwestern Penn State University **Princeton University** Stanford University Texas A & M University of Arizona UCLA University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign University of Michigan University of Wisconsin-Madison Vanderbilt Univeristy

Institute at Brown for Environment and Society The Earth Institute Atkinson Center for Sustainability Nicholas Institute for Environmental Policy Solutions Environment, Energy, Sustainability & Health Institute Institute for Sustainability and Energy Institutes of Energy and the Environment **Environmental Institute** Woods Institute for the Enviroment Energy Institute Institute of the Environment Institute on the Environment and Sustainability Institute for Sustainability, Energy, and Environment Graham Sustainability Institute Nelson Institute for Environmental Studies Institute for Energy and the Environment



## **Resilience + Infrastructure**

University of North Carolina Charlotte	The Infrastructure, Design, Environment & Sustainability Center
University College London	Institute for Sustainable Heritage
University College London	Institute of Communications and Connected Systems
University College London	EPICentre: An Interdisciplinary Centre for Natural Hazards Resilience
University of Florida	Florida Institute for Built Environment Resilience (FIBER)



#### **Urbanism + Urban Science**

Arizona State University University of Texas at Austin University of Texas at Austin The New School/Parsons The New School/Parsons Massachussetts Institute of Technology Massachussetts Institute of Technology Massachussetts Institute of Technology Washington University in Saint Louis Georgia Tech Virginia Tech Virginia Tech University of Oregon University of Oregon University College London University College London University of Pennsylvania

School of Geographical Sciences and Urban Planning
School of Design and Creative Technologies
Urban Information Lab
School of Design Strategies: Cities, Services, Ecosystems
School of Constructed Environments
Media Lab
Center for Advanced Urbanism
Civic Data Design Lab
Divided City Initiative
The Center for Spatial Planning Analytics and Visualization
The Super Studio
Human Centered Design
Sustainable Cities Institute
Urbanism Next
Centre for Advanced Spatial Analysis
Development Planning Unit
Center for Environmental Building & Design

University of Pennsylvania University of Pennsylvania University of Pennsylvania University of Michigan University of Toronto Howard University The Bartlett School of Architecture New York University Portland State University of Chicago Yale University USC University of Utah University of Pennsylvania University of Oregon MIT University of Buffalo UCLA

Institute for Urban Research McHarg Center for Urbanism and Ecology PennPraxis **Ecosystem Management Initiative** School of Cities Transportation Research Center (HUTRC) Space Syntax Lab The Urban Expansion Program Sustaining Urban Places Research (SUPR) Lab Urban Labs Innovation Challenge Seto Lab Center for Sustainalbe Cities Metropolitan Research Center Penn Institute for Urban Research Sustainable Cities Initiative City Form Lab **Regional Institute** cityLAB

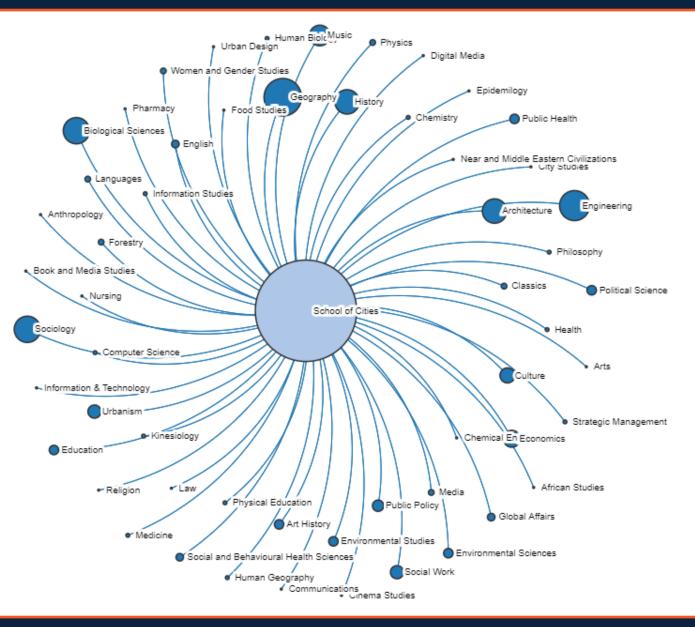
### **Urbanism + Urban Science**

## School of Cities | University of Toronto

Research Areas Science of Cities Cities by Design Cities of Opportunity Urban Sustainability

Works across scales and disciplines

*City as cultural, environmental, spatial, financial artifact* 



### **Construction + Material Science**

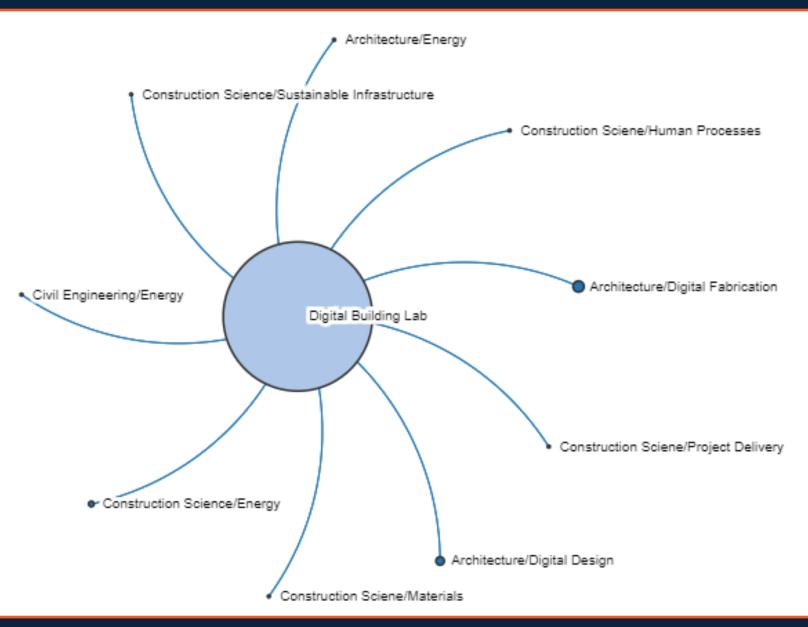
Clemson University	Institute for Intelligent Materials, Systems, Environments
University of Washington	Center for Integrated Design
Georgia Tech	The Digital Building Laboratory
Birmingham City University	Centre for Engineering
The Ohio State University	Materials and Manufacturing for Sustainability
University College London	Real Estate Institute
University of Michigan	Computational Design and Material Systems Innovation Cluster
University of Calgary	Laboratory of Integrated Design
University of Stuttgart	Integrative Computational Design and Construction for Architecture

### **Construction + Material Science**

Digital Building Lab | Georgia Tech

Research Areas Data Standards and Interoperability Design Fabrication, Construction Automation Project Delivery Systems Smart Buildings, Infrastructure, Environments

Works across scales and disciplines



# **Community Design + Outreach**

U North Carolina Charlotte	UNC Charlotte Urban Institute
U North Carolina Charlotte	Charlotte Action Research Project (CHARP)
University of Arkansas	Community Design Center
Louisiana State University	Coastal Sustainability Studio
Mississippi State	Community Design Studio
Detroit Mercy	Detroit Collaborative Design Center
University of Houston	Community Design Resource Center
University of Texas at Arlington	Arlington Urban Design Center
University of Idaho	Urban Design Center
University of Minnesota	The Minnesota Design Center (MDC)
Kent State University	Cleveland Urban Design Collaborative
University of Louisville	Urban Design Studio
University of Louisville	BUDAS, City Solutions Center, City Explorer, Capstone Studios

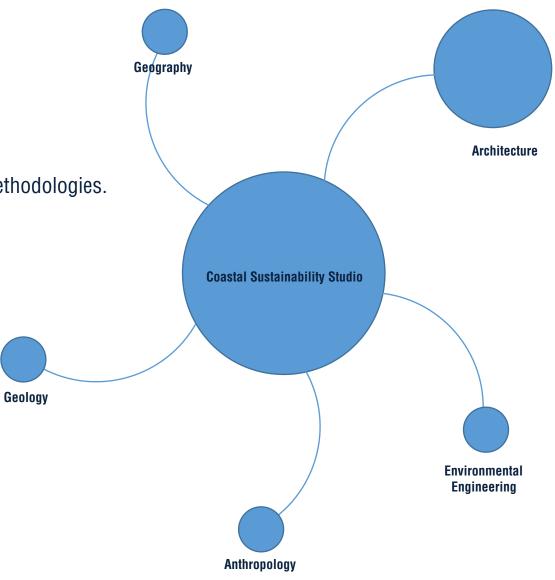
## **Community Design + Outreach**

# Coastal Sustainability Studio | Louisiana State University

#### Research Areas

Enable new models of integrated research and design applications. Develop design thinking with a systems approach using performance-based methodologies. Maintain a studio space fostering openness and collaboration. Work closely with community-based partners. Work in support of local, state, and federal initiatives.

Works across scales and disciplines



# Energy + Environment

Drexel University	A.J. Drexel Institute of Energy and the Environment (IExE)
University of Oregon	Energy Studies in Buildings Laboratory
University of Oregon	Fuller Center for Productive Landscapes
University of Oregon	High Performance Environments
University College London	Energy Institute
University of Pennsylvania	Kleinman Center for Energy Policy
Howard University	Center for Energy Systems and Control (CESaC)
Boston University	Institute for Sustainable Energy
Washington State University	Center for Environmental Research, Education and Outreach

### Energy + Environment

Energy Institute | University College London

Research Areas Energy and Environmental Systems Energy and Data Analytics Energy and Transport Energy and Buildings

Works across scales and disciplines

