

Funding Application – Step I

Funding Criteria

A. General Rules

- 1. Students, faculty, and staff are encouraged to submit requests for funding. Student-led projects require a faculty or staff sponsor in order to have funds awarded.
- 2. Funding can only go to university-affiliated projects from students, faculty, staff, and departments.
- 3. All SSC projects must make a substantial impact on students. This may be a direct impact or an impact through education and engagement. All SSC funding is 100% from student green fees, so the projects funded by the students must benefit them.
- 4. SSC encourages innovation and new technologies creative projects are encouraged to apply.
- 5. Unless a type of expense is specifically listed below as having restrictions, SSC can generally fund it. The items referenced below should not be taken as comprehensive list.

B. Things SSC Can Fund, On A Case-By-Case Basis

- 1. SSC can fund feasibility studies and design work; however, it must work toward ultimately addressing a sustainability need on campus.
- 2. SSC can fund staff positions that are related to improving campus sustainability. Strong preference will be given to proposals receiving matching funding from departments and/or plans for maintaining continuity of the position after the end of the initial grant.
- 3. SSC can fund outreach events with a central theme of sustainability, provided their primary audience is the general campus community.
- 4. SSC discourages funding requests for food and prizes but will consider proposals on a case by case basis that prove significant reasoning.
- 5. SSC can fund repairs and improvements to existing building systems as long as it works toward the goal of improving campus sustainability; however, a preference is shown to projects utilizing new or innovative ideas.
- 6. SSC can provide departments with loans for projects with a distinct payback on a case by case base. Loans will require a separate memorandum of understanding between SSC and departmental leadership pledging to repay the award in full and detailing the payback plan.

C. Things SSC Will Not Fund:

- 1. SSC will not fund projects with a primary end goal of generating revenue for non-University entities.
- 2. SSC will not fund personal lodging, food, beverage, and other travel expenses.
- 3. SSC will not fund any travel expenses.
- 4. SSC will not fund tuition or other forms of personal financial assistance for students beyond standard student employee wages.

Your Step 1 funding application should include this application. You're welcome to submit optional supporting material such as letters of support or pictures.

Please submit this completed application and any relevant supporting documentation to <u>Sustainability-Committee@Illinois.edu</u>. The Working Group Chairs will be in contact with you regarding any questions about the application. If you have any questions about the application process, please contact the Student Sustainability Committee at <u>sustainability-committee@illinois.edu</u>.

General & Contact Information

Project Name: Campus Instructional Facility Geothermal Fotal Amount Requested from SSC: \$375,000.00
Project Topic Areas: ☐ Land & Water ☑ Education ☑ Energy ☐ Transportation ☐ Food & Waste
Applicant Name: Associate Professor Liang Liu Campus Affiliation (Unit/Department or RSO/Organization): College of Engineering Email Address: Liu, Liang Y < lliu1@illinois.edu>
Check one: This project is solely my own <i>OR</i> This project is proposed on behalf of (name of student org., campus dept., etc.): College of Engineering
Student-Led Projects (Mandatory): Name of Faculty or Staff Project Advisor: Advisor's Email Address:

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Project Information

Please review the proposal materials and online content carefully. It is <u>highly recommended</u> you visit a working group meeting to talk through your proposal before you submit it.

Please provide a brief description of the project, its goals, and the desired outcomes:

We want to know: What is your project? What does it concretely produce, accomplish, or solve? Why is this project needed on campus?

When built the UIUC Campus Instructional Facility will be a 5 story classroom on a site bounded by Talbot Laboratory, Grainger Engineering Library, Wright Street, and Springfield Avenue. For your review and consideration we propose a thermal energy project that focuses on advancing engineering systems and significantly lowers greenhouse gas emissions from operational energy for this new Instructional facility.

The goal is to deliver an exceptional high performance building with the lowest entropy possible to exhibit the fundamental second law of thermodynamics. We believe the facility should demonstrate the power of thoughtful and innovative engineering to deliver performance that provides a high-quality learning environment, while respecting the quality of life of not only students, faculty, and staff but also all those affected by the environmental impacts of the building. By providing an abundance of nature through enhanced air ventilation, displacement supply air, daylighting, and night flush we intent to enhance the indoor microbial biome, etc., with the intent of delivering a superb learning environment. In addition, the building will use radiant heat transfer as the mechanism for creating thermal comfort, mimicing the method by which we most naturally like to experience warmth and comfort.

Our proposal is also to reduce dependance on the Abbott Power Plant; while the existing plant has an efficient combined heat and power system, it also relies on fossil fuel to generate energy at a high carbon footprint. With a geothermal system, the total energy needed from the central heating and cooling systems will be reduced for this facility. Our design involves using a condenser water loop to draw energy from potentially different elements. This could include direct extraction of solar energy from solar thermal collectors, then storage of this energy in a ground-source heat exchange system located under the John Bardeen quad. In the future, this system could expand to provide energy sharing with other buildings on the quad. The ground-source heat exchange system will not impede the pedestrian and civic amenities that the students enjoy on and around John Bardeen quad. After completing the borings, the project will restore the quad to its previous services as a public space.

This project is needed in the campus, especially in the Engineering Quad, because it proposes a forward looking design. A design that involves electrifying the campus will set the stage for a carbon neutral future with no fossil fuels and will allow buildings to share thermal resources. Unlike buildings connected to the central plant, which only draw heating and cooling energy in an extractive, linear fashion fed by fossil fuels, by introducing a ground-source condenser loop, buildings in the Engineering Quad have an opportunity to share thermal resources in a cooperative way fed by renewable resources. We are asking the SSC to support this effort with approximately 25% of the cost of the geothermal system.

How will students be involved in the project?

This concept was originally conceived and developed by university students and faculty, so student involvement has been key since its infancy. Two of the team members were funded by the SSC in February 2017 to pilot a new method for geothermal system design that will transform the industry. These team members, Dr. Yu-Feng Lin and Dr. Andy Stumpf, will assist the design team for the Campus Instructional Facility to create the most cost efficient installation possible, through the innovative techniques developed with SSC's previous support.

Additoinally, we propose that the students engage in this project at several points during the design, construction, and operation of the ground-source heat exchange system. During design, students can review the modeling processes and tools that allow the design team to achieve optimal performance within the project budget. During construction, we would like to stage safe distance site visits during the boring of the wells to allow the students to understand the process of installation and volume of displaced earth. We would also design the interface between the heat exchange system and distribution of the heating and cooling with the digital monitoring and control technology necessary to allow tours and real time energy and emissions savings display for further interaction with the heating and cooling systems post-occupancy. The students will also benefit from the comfort of the radiant system and the exceptional learning environment.

How will this project improve environmental stewardship at UIUC?

Embedded throughout the project, there will be moments of potential student engagement and interaction with high performance, healthy features — all visible and tangible to the students. However, we are well aware that invisible engineering strategies can have the highest impact on emission reductions. Our aim is to make as many of these invisible engineering strategies possible a visible teaching and learning opportunity.

We would like the operation of the Campus Instructional Building to be responsive, align and exceed the iCAP plan and overarching sustainability goals. Specific to emissions reduction, we are striving to reduce our energy use intensity with a suite of energy efficiency measures including a radiant heating and cooling system, high efficiency lighting and equipment, and passive dessicant humidity control. However, we will be able to realize the highest possible emissions savings by reducing dependance on the Abbott Power Plant and ask for your support to do so. The load of the radiant system for heating and cooling requires 210 tons (2,520,000 Btu/hour) of cooling capacity. With the \$375,000 requested, the project can take 30% of that load (about 63 tons) and utilize the ground-source system to provide the heating and cooling needed through a combination of the stored thermal energy and electrical energy. The implementation of efficient building systems will reduce source energy and carbon emissions by 35%, and the introduction of a portion of the ground-source system will reduce overall source energy and carbon emissions by another 8%. If the project can achieve a fully-sized ground-source system, the savings could reach 55% when compared against a typical, efficient building.

By significantly bending the carbon curve for the University of Illinois College of Engineering, we propose a new paradigm for campus construction that can inspire future campus improvement projects. You can imagine that similar ground source heat exchange systems could be installed throughout campus on other quads, creating a network that will drastically reduce energy reliance on the Abbott Power Plant.

How will this project inspire change at UIUC and beyond?

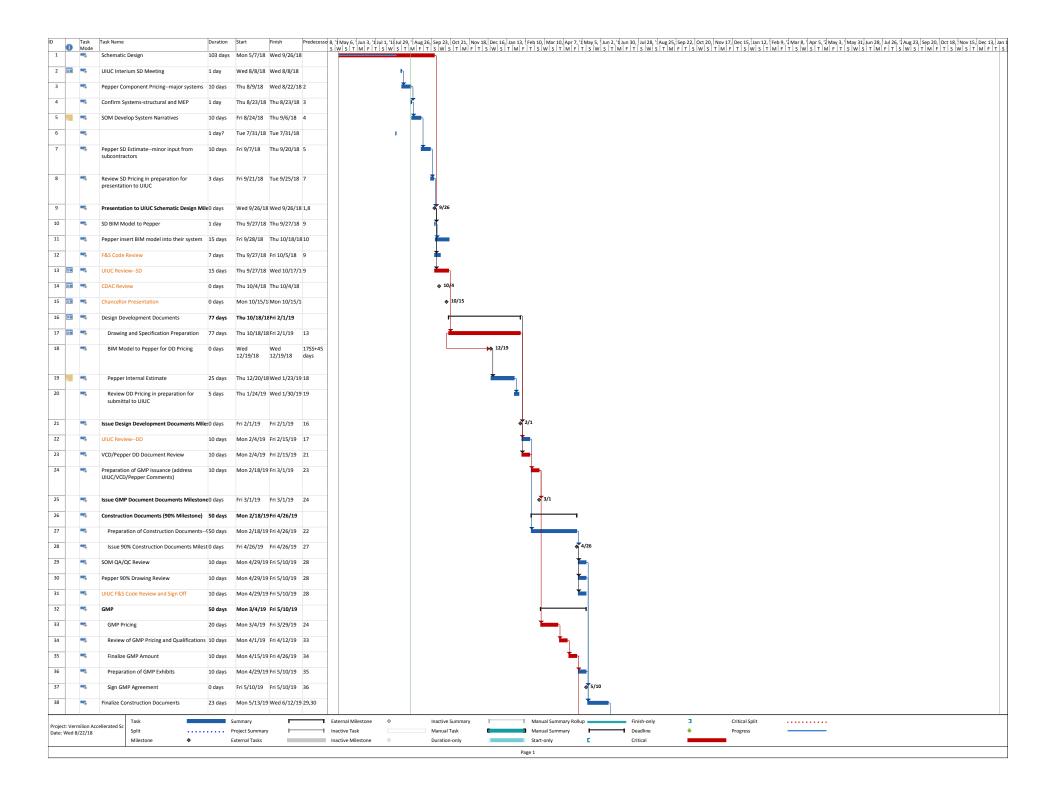
The U of I has a long and storied history of research and integration of science, art, and agriculture - all key areas of environmental knowledge. We have noted that the seal of the University includes the steam engine, a sign of innovation and engineering in 1867. We would like our project to also show leadership in engineering, specifically in the way it supplies clean thermal energy with the lowest entropy, utilizing renewable energy. We believe that UI, powered by the optimism of students, is at the forefront of transitioning to a clean energy future. We know that an installation of this scale will attract attention from the public and other universities; it can be an inspiration for others to follow. It is our hope that the largest attention that it attracts is from the student body. When students are inspired to integrate sustainability into every aspect of their life the world changes.

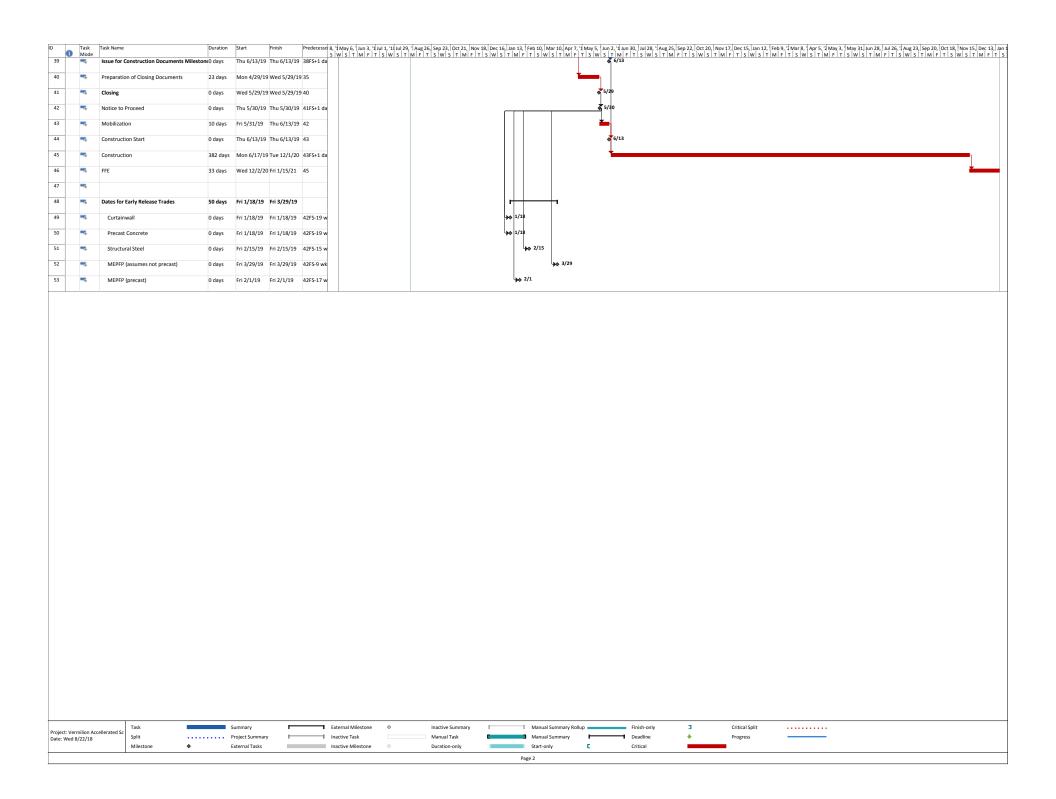
Please list the project timeline and any key milestones:

Please see the supporting project schedule. The ground source heat exchange system would be installed in conjunction with the construction of the College of Engineering Campus Instructional Facility, currently slated to break ground next spring.

Additional comments (Optional)

For your information, please find attached the project schedule, cost estimate, and sustainability goals for the project.





UIUC COE CIF - Geothermal Option

Scope Alternate Estimate

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4	Alternate	Alternate	Item	Takeoff		Unit	Subs
Code	Code	Name	Description	Qty	Unit	Price	Total Note
230000			HEATING, VENTILATING, & AIR CONDITIONING (HVAC)				
230000	ALT021	Geothermal HVAC Solution	Geothermal Heat Pump	210.00	TN	2,000.00	420,000
230000	ALT021	Geothermal HVAC Solution	Geothermal Wells: 450' deep / 3TN/ea (includes loops, glycol, valves, grout, trench/bed/Bf/Ho)	210.00	TN	3,955.00	830,550
230000	ALT021	Geothermal HVAC Solution	Heat Exchanger, Plate and Frame: HW/CHW at radiant panels	-4.00	EA	25,000.00	-100,000
230000			HEATING, VENTILATING, & AIR CONDITIONING (HVAC)	Total	SF		1,150,550
310000			EARTHWORK				
310000	ALT021	Geothermal HVAC Solution	Silt Fencing	1,000.00	LF	3.50	3,500 200x200 field, 100x20 link
310000	ALT021	Geothermal HVAC Solution	Concrete Sidewalk Demo	237.04	CY	35.00	8,296
310000	ALT021	Geothermal HVAC Solution	Load, Haul & Dispose of Site Demo Debris	237.04	CY	35.00	8,296
310000	ALT021	Geothermal HVAC Solution	Strip Topsoil & Stockpile	740.74	CY	6.00	4,444
310000	ALT021	Geothermal HVAC Solution	Redistribute & Spread Topsoil	740.74	CY	6.00	4,444
310000	ALT021	Geothermal HVAC Solution	Sidewalk Grading & Stone Backfill, 6-inch Depth	426.67	TN	32.00	13,653
310000	ALT021	Geothermal HVAC Solution	Fine Grading Landscape Areas	42,000.00	SF	0.25	10,500
310000			EARTHWORK 1	Гotal	SF		53,135
321300			SITE CONCRETE				
321300	ALT021	Geothermal HVAC Solution	Concrete Sidewalks, 5-inch, Non-Reinforced	12,800.00	SF	6.00	76,800
321300			SITE CONCRETE 1	Γotal	SF		76,800
329000			LANDSCAPING				
329000	ALT021	Geothermal HVAC Solution	Turf, Sod	40,000.00	SF	1.25	50,000
329000			LANDSCAPING 1	Total	SF		50,000
330000			UTILITIES				
330000	ALT021	Geothermal HVAC Solution	Site Utilities - relocate existing to accomodate geothermal field		NI		not included
330000			UTILITIES T		SF		
			Grand Total	144,650.00	SF	9.20	1,330,485

Tariffs / Escalation	66,524
Subtotal	1,397,009
Contingency	76,836
Subtotal	1,473,845
SDI	18,423



UIUC COE CIF - Geothermal Option Sco	ope Alternate Estimate
Subtotal	1,492,268
CCIP	23,876
Subtotal	1,516,144
Payment & Performance Bond	7,581
Subtotal	1,523,725
Fee Fee	53,330
Total Estimate	1.577.055

UIUC CAMPUS INSTRUCTIONAL FACILITY
SUSTAINABILITY

21 SEPTEMEBER 2018



Design Goals

1. Honest

2. Integrity

3. Instructive

4. Flexible

5. Integrated

6. Sustainable

7. Efficient

8. Affordable

College of Engineering

College of Engineering Vision: "distinguished", leverage the "creation and management of systems and resources". and also an "appreciation of human and ethical values"



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Engineering, College of

Overview Office of Undergraduate Programs

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The College of Engineering prepares men and women for professional careers in engineering and related positions in industry. commerce, education, and government. Graduates at the bachelors level are prepared to begin the practice of engineering or to continue their formal education at a graduate school of their choice. The curricula provide a comprehensive education emphasizing analysis and problem solving and an exposure to open-ended problems and design methods. The courses are taught in a manner that fosters teamwork, communication skills, and individual professionalism, including ethics and environmental awareness. The classroom experiences, along with outside activities, prepare students for lifetimes of columbia learning and leadership. Thus, the engineering programs enable graduates to make significant contributions in their chosen fields while at the same time recognizing their responsibilities to society.

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UIUC Master Plan

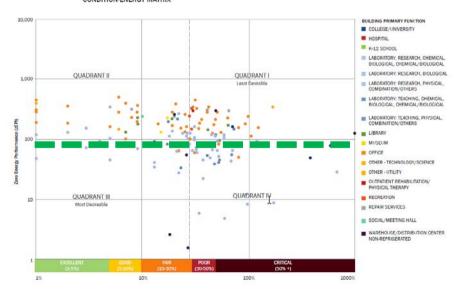
STUDENT-CENTERED CAMPUS

The intent of the Campus Master Plan is to provide a physical environment to support students' transformative learning; personal growth and development; global and cultural awareness; engagement and leadership; and, lifelong success. The University of Illinois at Urbana-

student life facilities including residence and dining halls, indoor and outdoor recreation facilities, the Illini Union,



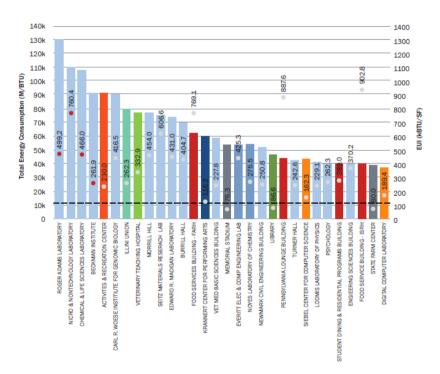
CONDITION-ENERGY MATRIX

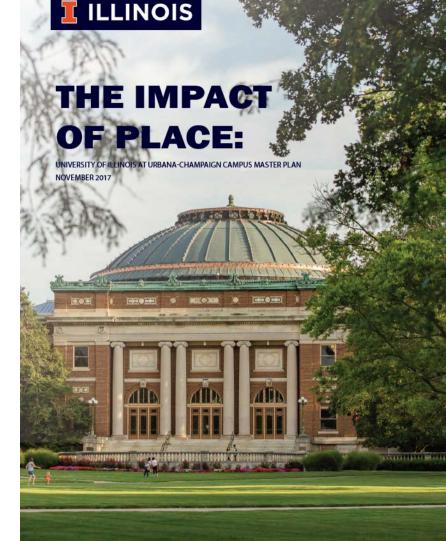


Faculty condition index (FCI)



UIUC Master Plan





2015 iCAP

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- Carbon neutral ASAP
- Not later than 2050
- Abbott Power Plant (CHP) 50% of campus energy

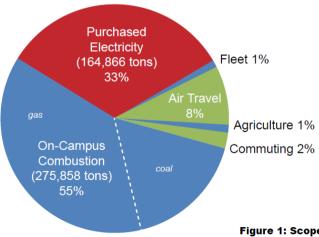


Figure 1: Scope 1, 2, and 3 Emissions.
Scope 1 (on-campus) emissions are colored
in blue, scope 2 (purchased electricity)
are red, and scope 3 (off-campus)are green.



2015 iCAP

Illinois Climate Action Plan

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

2015 iCAP

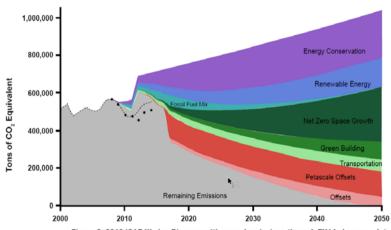


Figure 2: 2010 iCAP Wedge Diagram with annual emissions through FY14 shown as dots and reported emissions through FY14 shown as dotted line



2015 iCAP

Illinois Climate Action Plan

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Meeting with UIUC Sustainability Team (July 11, 2018)

- Covered bike parking
- Don't like solar or green roof
- Food waste capture
- Natural vegetation prevents flooding
- No Wind
- Geothermal
- Recycle
- Electric heat (heat pump)
- Low temp heating water
- District heat pump system for engineering quad
- Micro batteries
- 25% over ASHRAE as campus standard
- Funding opportunities

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MEETING MINUTES

MEETING DATE	July 11, 2018	PROJECT	UIUC COE Instructional Facility
TIME	10:30am – 12:00pm CT	PROJECT#	218353-00-CH
LOCATION	UIUC, Engineering Hall, Room 312, 1308 W Green St, Urbana, IL 61801	SUBJECT	Sustainability Discussion
PREPARED BY	Rachael Frank, Dan O'Riley	MEETING #	UIUC 004

ATTENDEES

Liang Liu Associate Dean of Facilities Project Planning Architect Doug Reddington Morgan White Director of Sustainability Scott Willenbrock Professor, Cross-Cutting Physics

DEVELOPMENT

Chris Dillion President, Campbell Coyle Kerry Dickson Managing Director, Vermilion Development

Brian Lee Partner

Dan O'Riley Associate Director

James Mark Associate Director & Project Manager

Rachael Frank Assistant Project Manager

These notes record the discussions and reflect the current status of the project. If you have any comments or corrections, please notify SOM in writing within 10 days.

ITEM	SUBJECT	ACTION			
1.1	Project Overview				
	The meeting began with an overall introduction from Chris Dillion/Campbell Coyle and Liang Liú/UIÜC.				
	 UIUC stated LEED Silver is a starting point for the state. Chris Dillion/Campbell Coyle stated the project goal is for this project to be LEED Cold 				

Sustainability Wish List

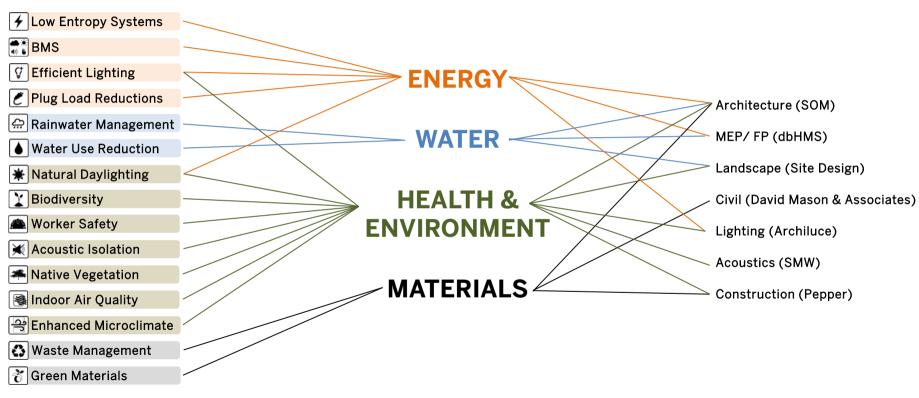
UIUC stated they aspire to include the following elements into the project if

Covered Bike Parking

High Performance, Low Entropy Design

Honest, Simple Systems

High Performance Design



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ENERGY

- Campus heating and cooling plant
- Radiant slab heating
- Chilled beam cooling
- Displacement ventilation
- · Energy dashboard
- Net Zero readv
- LED lighting
- Lighting control
- Big data
- Future weather provisions

♦ WATER

- Sump Pump water reuse
- Condensate recovery
- Fountain water waste reuse
- Sponge Site (Evaporation + Onsite Storage + Permeable Landscape >80% of storm water)
- Water on emergency power

HEALTH & ENVIRONMENT

- Natural Daylighting
- Indoor Air Quality
- Healthy Outdoor Space
- Circadian lighting control
- · Natural ventilation
- Big data
- Plants and pets
- Enhanced acoustics

MATERIALS

- Local materials
- Healthy Materials
- Construction waste management

- Heating and cooling plant on site
- Passive House
- Ground source heat pump/Caisson loops
- Solar wall
- Piezoelectricity
- Electrochromatic glass
- Lighting powered by digital infrastructure
- R40 Walls
- Photovoltaic Array

- · Stormwater reuse
- No water for irrigation
- 98th % of rainfall retention / detention

- Enhanced Daylighting with North side clerestory for atrium daylighting
- Increased vegetation /
 Phytoremediation with
 plant wall
- Thermal comfort app
- Monitor particulates during construction

 Healthy Materials⁺, no red list, higher % of HPD and FPD

Early Focus Areas

- L&T + SS
 - free/cost effective strategies
- Water, Energy, Indoor Environment
 - A/MEP integration requirements and cost implications

