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.

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.

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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
COUNSELING AND PLAY THERAPY CENTER;
PSYCHOLOGY CLINICAL LAB;
ESPORTS OFFICE/ECAFE
- 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.
- Esports Office in Heskett 109; ECAFE in former cardio room

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 Alhambra Hall as a new advising and student services suite.

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING
AEROSPACE ENGINEERING WIND TUNNEL LABS:
- Renovated and modernized supersonic wind tunnel and 3’x4’ wind tunnel labs.

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.