NEW ACADEMIC FACILITIES
COMPLETED SUMMER 2017

Office of the Provost & Vice President for Academic Affairs and Facilities Management

School of Nursing
Mell Classroom Building at RBD Library
Pharmaceutical Research Building

Photo: GMC and Cooper Carry
"The Mell Classroom Building at RBD Library represents the important connection between the classroom experience and collaborative learning, and reshapes the lens through which our students view their academic experience."

Dr. Timothy R. Boosinger
Provost and VP for Academic Affairs

69,000 SQUARE FEET

3,000 STUDENTS USE MELL EVERY DAY

200 FALL SEMESTER CLASSES

166 SEAT LECTURE HALLS

26 ENGAGED ACTIVE STUDENT LEARNING CLASSROOMS

18 STUDY ROOMS
Students use the study areas in the Mell Classroom.

A faculty member uses an Engaged Active Student Learning (EASL) classroom to interact with students.

A student uses a glass board to draft her hypothesis.

EASL classrooms provide an environment for students to collaborate during class.

Technology within the new facility allows students to participate using their phones.

One of the two 166-seat lecture halls located within the facility.

View the Mell Classroom time-lapse video: https://youtu.be/Oj_RGET-3v8
“The School of Nursing can now increase its number of students and faculty, provide stability to the health-care industry, and increase Auburn’s ability to meet the primary care needs of Alabama’s citizens and beyond.”

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SCHOOL OF NURSING
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT

Students learn basic techniques in a simulation lab.

Nursing students collaborate in the main lobby before class.

A class watches a video projected on the monitors.

The lobby offers flexible space for students to complete assignments before class.

The second floor study area creates a quiet study space.

EASL classrooms provide faculty opportunities to work one-on-one with students.

View the School of Nursing time-lapse video: https://youtu.be/lqN9uUuqtVw
PHARMACEUTICAL RESEARCH BUILDING

37,000 SQUARE FEET

85 GRAD STUDENTS & POSTDOCS

34 PROCEDURE ROOMS

14 HIGH TECH LABORATORIES

14 RESEARCHERS IN THE FACILITY

“Combined with the high level of research activity that is housed in the building and campus-wide resources, we have one of the best environments in the Southeast to pursue graduate study in the pharmaceutical sciences.”

Dr. David Riese
Associate Dean for Research and Graduate Programs

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View the Pharmaceutical Research Building time-lapse video: https://youtu.be/Td1GUl1P9a8