New Academic Building

**Location:**
Main Campus, Glassboro

**Status:**
Site selection and programming underway

**Forecast Project Delivery:**
Fall 2019

**Development Cost:**
$40 million

**Design Consultants:**
KSS Architects

**General Contractor:**
To be determined

**Project Planning & Development:**
Division of Facilities, Planning & Operations

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**Description**

Recent development on the Rowan Campus calls for a thoughtful and strategic approach to the planning and location of new facilities on decreasing developable parcels on campus. Rapid increases in the student population in 2016, and 2017 has put additional strain on limited academic space and forecasts for the future show that existing facilities will not be sufficient to absorb projected growth that includes a home for the New School of Earth and Environment.

The New Academic Building project consists of two parts:

The first is to assess and compare the feasibility of developable parcels on campus to decide on the optimum location for a new academic facility. Part of this assessment is the formulation and quantification of the projected programmatic needs for additional space.

The second is to design and construct a facility based on the findings of the first part, which at minimum will include additional laboratories, classrooms and permanent space for the staff and faculty of the School of Earth and Environment.