

CAMPUS FACILITIES

Campus Development

During its earlier years, Youngstown State University had a number of homes. Starting in the old Central YMCA building, it occupied various sites on Wick Avenue until the completion of Jones Hall in 1931. Additional buildings have been constructed and nearby properties converted to University use so that today the campus extends through most of an area five blocks long and four blocks wide, covering almost 150 acres. The University also owns 118.4 acres in Hartford Township.

Stambaugh Stadium

The long-time home of the YSU Football program, the Arnold D. Stambaugh Stadium complex is one of the top FCS facilities in the country. The Penguins play all their home games on Beede Field, which features a state-of-the-art artificial-turf surface. The Stadium itself has a seating capacity of 20,630 and has a loge complex that houses 26 individual suites. The building is the location of the Jermaine Hopkins Academic Center, the Athletics Strength and Conditioning Complex, Athletic Training Room, Athletic Ticket Office, ROTC, a travel agency, racquetball courts, three full-length basketball courts, and numerous athletics offices. The locker rooms for the softball, soccer, baseball, and football programs are also housed in the building.

Atop the stadium and overlooking the city of Youngstown is the DeBartolo Stadium Club. The club provides meeting and dinner/party seating for more than 200 guests and is available to campus and community organizations or individuals. For reservation information, please contact the Athletic Department at (330) 941-2385.

Don Constantini Multimedia Center

The Don Constantini Multimedia Center, which was completed in Fall 2019, sits atop the east side stands of Stambaugh Stadium. The new facility houses a "Classroom of the Future" for the Department of Communications and hosts game day media activities for all Stambaugh Stadium events.

Beeghly Physical Education Center

The longest-standing on-campus athletics facility is the Beeghly Physical Education Center. The facility, which was first used in 1972, is home to the basketball, volleyball, and swimming and diving programs. The Department of Kinesiology and Sport Science, the basketball programs offices, and many YSU athletic teams are located in the building. The Beeghly Center court is named after longtime basketball coach Dom Rosselli. The arena has a seating capacity of more than 6,000 and serves as the home court for the volleyball and basketball teams. The natatorium features five diving platforms and an impressive swimming pool. Also in the new-look building is the Coaches Court, a room used by the YSU Penguin Club. Additionally, Beeghly Center houses faculty offices, four classrooms, laboratories for research and kinesiology, physical education for handicapped, a dance studio, a rifle range, and a fitness center.

YSU Softball Complex

The Youngstown State Softball Complex opened in the spring of 2014 and provides a full-time on-campus home for the Penguins. The facility is located on the west side of campus west of Stambaugh Stadium and just south of Farmers National Bank Field. The lighted complex has access to concessions and restrooms and has seating for more than 500 spectators.

WATTS

The Watson and Tressel Training Site opened in the fall of 2011. One of the more eye-popping buildings on campus, the WATTS is an indoor athletic facility containing a 300-meter competition track, a full-length football field, batting cages, a putting green, protective netting, and locker room facilities for the golf and track and field teams. Built at a cost of nearly \$14 million,

this facility allows for year-round training for all athletic programs, as well as a competition site for the track and field teams. Students are permitted in the facility at most times, the WATTS is open for public use in the evening during the winter.

Farmers National Bank Field

YSU's soccer and track and field programs call the Farmers National Bank Field home, located on the west end of campus across from Stambaugh Stadium. The full-length soccer field and eight-lane 400-meter NCAA regulated track is one of the best in the region. The facility opened in the fall of 2013 and is utilized by the campus recreation department for intramurals throughout the year.

Andrews Student Recreation and Wellness Center

The Department of Campus Recreation is located in the Andrews Student Recreation and Wellness Center. This state-of-the-art facility contains more than 140 pieces of strength and conditioning equipment. Located near the free-weight and cardio area is the Center's impressive rock wall, at 53 feet, Ohio tallest. Volleyball, basketball, and other activities are situated within the multi-purpose sports forum, which contains four courts. The spacious aerobic studios are home to many group exercise classes and are adjacent to the 1/8-mile indoor track, both on the top floor of the facility.

The Andrews Center also includes a tranquil meditation studio, full-functioning locker rooms, and the Wellness Resource Center. In addition to the Andrews Student Recreation and Wellness Center, the Department supervises programs in Beeghly Physical Education Center, Stambaugh Stadium and the outdoor complex. Participants must have a valid YSU ID card to use the facilities, equipment, services, and programs offered by the Department of Campus Recreation.

The Department of Campus Recreation provides creative and innovative, instructed or self-led wellness, and recreational programming to meet the diverse needs of our students and the YSU community.

For additional information about the Department of Campus Recreation, please contact (330) 941-3488 or visit Campus Recreation (<http://cms.yzu.edu/administrative-offices/campus-recreation-and-wellness/campus-recreation/>).

Cafaro Family Field

The new Cafaro Family Field on the north side of campus lies along Elm Street adjacent to the Cafaro House residence hall and is funded, in part, through a gift from the Cafaro family. The facility includes lighting, seating and restrooms, and is used for a variety of student recreational activities including soccer, lacrosse, rugby, Ultimate Frisbee and intramurals throughout the year.

Indoor Tennis Center

Construction was completed in March 2020 the indoor tennis center on the west side of campus, across Fifth Avenue. The new facility is houses six tennis courts, restrooms and locker rooms.

Off-Campus Athletics Facilities

While Youngstown State has some impressive on-campus facilities, programs still utilize areas off campus for events and competition. The baseball program plays all home games at Eastwood Field in Niles. Eastwood Field, a 6,000-plus seat stadium, is home to the Cleveland Indians' short-season Class A affiliate. The golf programs call Mill Creek Park's course its official home, but practice at various courses throughout the area.

Beeghly Hall

The four-story, 96,600-square-foot Beeghly Hall opened in the fall of 1998 to serve as the College of Education building.

On the main floor are the main north/south entrance and access, dean's suite, Wilcox Curriculum Resource Center, Child Study Center, and the 400-seat multi-purpose and multi-media Mckay Auditorium.

The Beeghly Hall houses:

- Teacher Education
- Counseling School Psychology, & Educational Leadership
- Center for Human Service Development
- Transition Opportunities in Post-Secondary Settings (TOPS)
- Project Pass
- Community Counseling Clinic

Bliss Hall

Housing the Cliffe College of Creative Arts and Communication, Bliss Hall, which was completed in 1977, was named in memory of William E. Bliss, a prominent area industrialist. Its facilities include:

- Judith Rae Solomon Gallery
- Student work space/art gallery
- Conference and seminar rooms

DEPARTMENT OF ART

- Photography computer lab with large format printers
- Photography studio lab with black and white enlargers
- Printmaking studio with large format lithography, etching/relief, and screen printing presses
- Fully equipped drawing, printmaking, sculpture and painting studios
- Art Education studio lab with SMART board technology
- 20 station Mac-based digital media computer labs (2) with 3d printers
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- Ceramics studios with gas, electric, raku, and salt kilns, throwing wheels, and hand building stations
- Woodworking studio lab with large stationary equipment
- Dedicated workspace with large 48-inch laser cutter
- Metals fabrication lab with welding and metal working equipment
- Casting foundry with induction furnaces for ferrous and non-ferrous metals and 2-ton overhead bridge crane
- Exterior 3000 square foot work area with one-ton jib crane
- Approximately 21,000 square feet of professional and student experimental gallery spaces
- Individual graduate student studio spaces
- 16 art faculty offices

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATION

- Full HD television studio
 - 800 sq-foot production floor
 - State-of-the-art LED light grid with ETC ColorSource lighting console
 - 4 JVC HD studio cam (2 on Vinten Osprey Elite pedestals, 1 on jib, 1 handheld)
 - Control room with NewTek 860 Tricaster, Allen & Heath QU-32 Digital audio console and LiveTex graphics work station
- Video editing suite (5 bays)
 - Full Adobe Creative Cloud Suite with Premier
 - 3 sound-proof editing booths
- Mobile Media Units

- 8 channel Mackie mixers
- Broadcast headsets
- H6 Zoom recorders
- Full Audio Theatre Production System
 - 16 channel Mackie mixer
 - Rode cardioid condenser microphones
 - Shure SM58 microphones

DANA SCHOOL OF MUSIC

- 248-seat Bliss Recital Hall with a Schlicker performance organ
- 80 acoustically controlled music practice rooms equipped with Steinway studio or grand pianos
- Two organ practice rooms with Flentrop practice organs
- 30 faculty office-studios that may be utilized for music instruction
- Multiple music ensemble rehearsal facilities
- Dana Recording Studio features a
 - .12 core Intel Mac tower running Avid Pro-Tools 11, MOTU Digital Performer 7.24, and Apple Logic DAWs software
 - Universal Audio Apollo interfaces and a Tascam DM4800 fully automated mix surface
 - Outboard Kurzweil and Roland keyboards, controllers, and synths
 - Reason 7 and the Native Instruments Komplete 10 software package
 - Shure Large Diaphragm Condenser mics, Audio Technica SDC mics, Shure Beta 58s and 57s, and a matched pair of Cascade Fathead II ribbon microphones
 - Genelec 1031 monitoring system with 7050b Sub

DEPARTMENT OF THEATRE & DANCE

- Ford Theatre, 400 seat proscenium stage
- Spotlight Arena Theatre, an experimental theatre with flexible seating for up to 250
- Costumer design studio
- Scenic design and construction studio equipped with advanced scenic technology
- Lab theatre/rehearsal studio
- Theatre design studio
- Film screening room
- Makeup and dressing rooms
- Green room
- Box office
- Front-of-house facilities
- Video editing and production suite

Cushwa Hall

Opened in 1976, this structure houses the Bitonte College of Health and Human Services, as well as the Peace Officer Training Academy, Janitorial Services and Recycling, and the Office of Environmental Occupational Health & Safety (EOHS). One of the largest buildings on campus, it contains 28 classrooms, 40 laboratories, 172 offices, and two lecture halls. In summer of 2013, the building underwent a \$2.2 million renovation. Various medical artifacts from the Rose Melnick Medical Museum are currently displayed throughout Cushwa Hall as well.

DeBartolo Hall

First occupied in 1977, DeBartolo Hall, home to the College of Liberal Arts, Social Sciences & Education, houses:

- Department of Economics
- Department of Philosophy & Religious Studies
- Department of Political & International Relations

- Department of Psychology
- Department of Sociology, Anthropology, Gerontology
- Department of History
- Department of World Languages and Cultures
- English & Poetry Center
- Islamic Studies
- Africana Studies
- American Studies
- Gender Studies/Women Studies
- Peace and Conflict Studies
- Dr. James Daze Ethics Center/Rigelhaupt Pre-Law Center
- Center for Judaic & Holocaust Studies.

In this six-story structure are more than 172 offices for faculty and staff, five student lounges and study areas, 15 classrooms, 13 laboratories, a computer terminal room, a 200-seat lecture hall, and special varied laboratories for the Department of Psychology. Building renovations took place in the summers of 2013 and 2014.

Fedor Hall

Fedor Hall is located on the west side of Elm Street. It was constructed in 1949 and purchased from the Youngstown Board of Education in September 1965. A major renovation should be completed by Fall of 2020, which houses Wee Care Day Care Center and the Rich Center for Autism.

Historic Buildings

Listed in the National Register of Historic Places in recognition of their representing important eras in Youngstown's development, these two buildings are in the Wick Avenue Historical District. Renovation efforts were dedicated to maintaining the visual, architectural and physical character of these structures while recognizing, identifying, and preserving their heritage.

Fok Hall

The Honors College is housed in the oldest building on campus, built in 1893 and originally the home of the Myron Israel Arms Family. It is located on the corner of Wick Avenue and University Plaza.

Coffelt Hall

This two-story brick building, located on the north side of University Plaza, was constructed in 1933 and renovated in 2010 to house the College of Graduate Studies.

Jones Hall

One of the oldest buildings on the present campus is Howard W. Jones Hall, a limestone structure of conventional Tudor style on the northwest corner of Wick and Lincoln avenues. Built in 1931 and long the institution's "main building," it was renamed in 1967 to honor the man whose energy and acumen, during his 36 years as president, brought an embryonic college to membership in the state university system.

The structure was enlarged in 1949 by the addition of the C.J. Strauss Memorial Auditorium, named for the then president of the Strouss-Hirshberg Company, a friend and trustee of the University. In 1978 the interior was completely remodeled to accommodate administrative offices. Jones Hall currently houses the Division of Student Success, Payroll, Controller's Office, International Programs, Multicultural Affairs, Upward Bound/Scope/Academic Achievers, Procurement Services, Accounts Payable/Purchasing, Associate Provost Student Success, and division of Academic Affairs.

Kilcawley Center

Since its opening in April 1974, the Kilcawley Center has served as the heart of campus. This not only refers to its central location on campus, but also

to the many services, conveniences, programs, and amenities it provides to the University community. The Center's casual atmosphere, comfortable lounges, and attractive dining areas focus on making free-time activity an integral part of a YSU education. Through cultural, social, and recreational programming, the Kilcawley Center provides for rich and diverse experiences for YSU students. Visit the Kilcawley Center for details on services, hours of operation, staff directory, and the daily calendar of events.

Offered in Kilcawley Center:

- Accessibility Services
- ATM banking
- Catering Services
- Conference Services (with sixteen seminar rooms and a large multi-purpose room)
- Graphic Services
- Penguin Pantry
- Penguin Xing (YSU IDs [Y Card], information center, lost & found, campus locker rentals, and meal plans)
- Recreation and Lounge Space
- Resch Academic Success Center
- Rookery Radio
- Student Activities
- Student Counseling Services
- Student Government
- Student Media

Dining on Campus

The Kilcawley Center offers diverse choices in dining including YSU Wendy's, Jamba Juice, KC Food Court, Dunkin', Hissho Sushi, and Pete's Treats (convenience store). Visit Dine On Campus to learn more about dining, catering, and meal plans.

Lincoln Building

The Lincoln Building houses the Department of Mathematics and Statistics, the Math Assistance Center, the Office of Distance Education and the Office of College Access & Transition, as well as 14 classrooms and 3 laboratories, and 82 faculty and staff offices.

Maag Library

The University's six-story William F. Maag, Jr., Library, completed in 1976, provides an attractive and comfortable environment for study and research. A member of the Online Computer Library Center (OCLC), Maag Library provides reference and inter-library loan services, CD-ROM as well as online database searching, access to government documents, and other services necessary to the needs of the University community. The University Archives are housed on the fifth floor, and the Tech Desk is located on the fourth floor. The lower level of Maag houses the Writing Center, Testing and the English Language Institute.

Melnick Hall

Located on Wick Avenue, the YSU Foundation, WYSU-FM, and the Office of Research, External Affairs, Government Relations and Economic Development are housed in Melnick.

Meshel Hall

Meshel Hall, dedicated January 1986, houses expanded facilities for academic and administrative computer use that broaden Youngstown State University's educational programs. The state-of-the-art center is for instruction, research and application in advanced computer technology that serves the entire University community.

The four-story steel, concrete, stone and glass structure contains 90,100 square feet of space and is located to the west of the Wick Avenue Parking Deck with its main access and entry by the Stavich Family Bridge over Wick Avenue. The building contains 5 classrooms, 13 specialized computerized laboratories, and 89 faculty & staff offices. The Office of University Bursar, the Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships, the Office of the Registrar, the Penguin Service Center, and the Office of Records are located on the second floor.

The first floor of Meshel Hall was recently renovated to include digital speech capture labs, team innovation lab, media production labs, public speech tutoring center, and a state-of-the-art, 50-Seat multimedia communication classroom.

The Department of Computer and Information Systems is located on the third floor. The majority of the fourth floor houses the University's main computer facilities and Computer Center staff.

John J. McDonough Museum of Art

The McDonough Museum of Art, founded in 1991, is the University Art Museum for YSU and the Valley's premier Center for Contemporary Art. Housed in a twenty thousand square foot facility designed by internationally known architects Gwathmey Siegel & Associates, the Museum stands as a testament to High Modernist design. The Museum features changing exhibitions, installations, performances and lectures by regional, national and international artists, and also functions as public outreach for the Cliffe College of Creative Arts and Communication and the Department of Art, exhibiting work by students, faculty and alumni. In addition, the Museum offers free lectures, performances and programs organized in collaboration with varying departments on campus and the community at large.

Moser Hall

Moser Hall, a five-level structure completed in 1967, houses the College of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics. In addition to 71 research and scheduled laboratories, 8 classrooms, 2 research and development rooms, 7 conference rooms, and 76 offices, it contains the 200-seat state-of-the-art Schwebel Auditorium. A \$6,873,000 renovation project was completed in fall 1996. Moser Hall also houses the Clarence R. Smith Mineral Museum.

Phelps Building

The Phelps Building, located on the corner of Lincoln Avenue and Phelps Street on campus, houses the Department of Geography, and Institutional Research and Analytics.

Service Buildings

The buildings at various locations on campus that house specific services include:

SALATA COMPLEX

Salata Complex, located on Rayen and Wood Streets, houses University planning and construction, maintenance, administration staff, Grounds Department staff and equipment, Central Receiving, Key Control, Motor Pool, various repair shops, Printing Services, and Mail Room.

CENTRAL UTILITY PLANT

The Central Utility Plant is located south of the new WATTS Center on the north side of campus and produces steam and chilled water for University needs that is distributed through a system of underground tunnels and direct-burial utility lines.

Smith Hall

Parking Services has been moved to this new location at 275 Fifth Avenue (southeast corner of Rayen and Fifth Avenues).

Sweeney Hall

Sweeney Hall—formerly Dana Hall—a classic one-story building located at the corner of Bryson Street and University Plaza, was constructed in 1908. The building houses the Sweeney Welcome Center and the Office of Admissions.

Tod Hall

The University's main administrative offices are in Tod Hall, a former library building built in 1952 and thoroughly renovated in 1978. These offices include:

- Office of the President
- Office of the Provost
- Office of the Vice President for Finance and Business Operations
- Office of the General Counsel
- Division of University Relations
- Alumni and Events Operations
- Marketing and Communications
- Human Resources
- Office of Equal Opportunity and Policy Development
- ASECU Credit Union
- YSU Board of Trustees' meeting room

Veterans Resource Center

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The Carl A. Nunziato Veterans Resource Center, located at 633 Wick Avenue, houses the Office of Veterans Affairs (OVA) which serves as a central location to discuss issues, questions, or concerns current and prospective military and veteran students may have regarding their enrollment, various DOD, VA, Federal and State funding options and academic success.

The Veterans Resource Center (VRC) is a 6,000 square foot, fully handicap accessible facility that is the first of its kind at any university in Ohio. The VRC features lounge space, a computer lab, meeting rooms, a community/class room, kitchenette, and much more. The VRC is open to all student veterans, currently serving military members, and military dependents who are using veteran's education benefits.

Students and all interested parties can contact the OVA by visiting ourOVA#website or emailing us atveterans@ysu.edu. Individual person-to-person meetings are available and encouraged.

Ward Beecher Hall

This building houses the departments of Biology, Chemistry, and Physics and Astronomy. The five-story original unit was constructed in 1958, a major addition was built in 1967, and a small addition comprising chemical storerooms was completed in 1997. It was built with funds contributed by Mahoning Valley Industries and area industrialist Ward Beecher. Presently the building contains 26 laboratories, including a planetarium and a greenhouse, 8 classrooms, 71 academic offices, 56 faculty-research rooms, and a conference-seminar room.

Williamson Hall

Opened in fall 2010, Williamson Hall houses the Williamson College of Business Administration offices, including:

- Office of the Dean
- Center for Student Services and the Professional Practice Program
- MBA program
- Lariccia School of Accounting and Finance
- Department of Management
- Department of Marketing

In addition, the building houses 14 classrooms, a Financial Services Lab, a Professional Sales and Business Communication Lab, interview rooms, a 200-seat auditorium, and a conference center. WCBA student organizations share office space in the building, and students have access to eight student team rooms, three networked computer labs, a quiet study lounge, and collaborative areas. Williamson Hall is also home to:

- Center for Nonprofit Leadership,
- Williamson Center for International Business,
- Nathan and Frances Monus Entrepreneurship Center,
- Ohio Small Business Development Center at YSU
- Executive-on-Campus office

The Gallery of Industry, Business, and Entrepreneurship, a spacious sky-lit atrium and café are also part of the 110,000 square feet facility.

LEED-certified by the US Green Building Council, Williamson Hall is the first "green" building on the Youngstown State University campus.