



HardHat Tour

Thursday, Mar. 16, 2017

GREER ENVIRONMENTAL CENTER
Tour begins from site at 3:30 and
Concludes at 5:00 pm

OWNER

Virginia Wesleyan College

ARCHITECT

VMDO Architects

LABORATORY CONSULTANT

Page/SST Planners

CONTRACTOR

Hourigan Construction

CIVIL ENGINEER

MSA, P.C.

PME ENGINEERS

Dunlap and Partners Engineers

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT

O'Shea + Wilson Siteworks

STRUCTURAL ENGINEER

Dunbar Milby Williams Pittman and

Vaughn. LLC

CONSTRUCTION COST

Not Provided

75% COMPLETE

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:



Under the leadership of former President Billy Greer, the Division of Natural Sciences and Mathematics (NSM) at Virginia Wesleyan College has flourished, and continues to under President Scott Miller. The Greer Environmental Sciences Building will support the continued growth of the NSM division with spaces to spark new research, engagement, and rigorous hands-on learning. The new building will be a catalyst for:

Interactive Learning

Four teaching labs corresponding to the Earth's four spheres (hydrosphere, atmosphere, lithosphere, biosphere) will provide space for advanced studies in Ecology and Marine Biology, Earth Science, Analytical Chemistry, and Atmospheric Chemistry, Oceanography, and Hydrology. The new teaching labs, along with active learning classrooms and a technology-rich geospatial imaging system (GIS) laboratory, will encourage collaborative learning. Group study spaces throughout the building will give students opportunities to engage in group projects and study together.

Interdisciplinary Research

With clusters of diverse, dedicated faculty research laboratories, the building will strengthen an existing culture of interdisciplinary research, publication, and instruction.

Science on Display

Fully glazed walls on the north of the learning laboratories will be visible from the main Quad, putting science and scientific exploration on display. Common space available to all students for study, group work, and non-science classes will give all Virginia Wesleyan students opportunities for a closer connection to the sciences.

LOCATION:

1584 Wesleyan Dr., Norfolk, VA 23502

WHERE TO PARK AND MEET:

Directions to the Hourigan Construction job site trailer for Greer Environmental Sciences Building:

- Come into the main entrance for Virginia Wesleyan College.
- Check In at the Guard Shack and tell them you're here for a tour with Hourigan Construction.
- Go to the stop sign & turn right onto Smith Drive.
- Continue along Smith Drive, then turn right at the second street.
- Turn left into the Parking Lot.



REGISTRATION:

At the AIAHR.org website

Events Calendar

Or to Lamonte Woodard, AIA, LEED BD+C

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