



The original program for this project called for the design of a new home for the College of Information Sciences and Technology (IST) that would demonstrate the university's commitment to advancing technology as a bridge between the sciences and humanities. After careful evaluation of the program, site, and existing campus facilities, Rafael Viñoly Architects proposed a radical

reinterpretation that was subsequently adopted. Two sites were examined prior to the start of schematic design. The original brief for the project included the building for information technology and a pedestrian bridge over U.S. Route 322, connecting the building to parking lots and the engineering school campus.

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FACTS + FIGURES

Completion
2004

Size
17,450 gsm

Media Coverage
Architecture & Culture,
"The Architecture of
Science," May 2008
R&D Magazine, "Site Makes
Right: Choosing a Sustainable
Location," December 2008

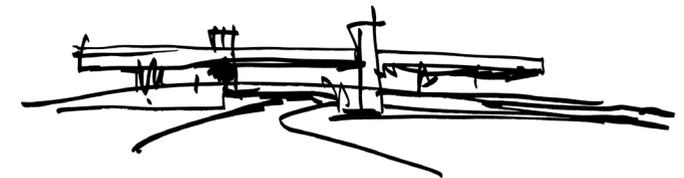
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