



## TRANSPORTATION & TECHNOLOGY HALL Auburn, Alabama

CLIENT: AUBURN UNIVERSITY

SIZE: 16 ACRES

SERVICES: MASTER PLANNING  
ARCHITECTURE  
LANDSCAPE

STATUS: PHASES 1 - COMPLETE

The Auburn University TTC integrates itself well into the overall campus framework. The landscape design fosters a unique duality between the traditional external appearance of the project and how it relates to the surrounding campus, while developing a more contemporary landscape internal to the project through a series of courtyards and a new campus green.



North of the project lies a bucolic, park-like landscape buffer fronting West Magnolia Avenue. This area closely resembles the traditional frontage treatments along the street and this stretch of the campus. Internal to the complex, a cloister-like formal outdoor space is sited to serve as an extension of the open building geometry. Seating areas are populated along the perimeter of the space just outside arcades. These courtyards are defined by bosques of river birch, planting plains, and low seating walls that shelter the spaces.



Recognizing the limitations for ongoing maintenance was critical to the development strategy. Native plant materials were utilized to minimize both water demands and costly ongoing maintenance.

The work described on this page was completed by David Robbins while working with the HOK Planning Group.