

# DESIGN/CONSULTING SERVICES









## **Expression of Interest to Provide Professional A/E Services**

# WV State University Davis Fine Arts Center Evaluation & Renovations

March 5, 2024 AEOI 0490 WSC240000001



**MECHANICAL / ELECTRICAL / ARCHITECTURE / COMMISSIONING** 

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# SECTION I.

# **Executive Summary Letter Project Goals & Objectives**





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March 5, 2024

West Virginia State University 5000 Fairlawn Avenue Ferrell Hall RM 301 Institute, WV 25112

The **ZDS** Team is proud to submit our Expression of Interest to provide Professional Architectural/Engineering Services for the **WV State University Davis Fine Arts Center HVAC, Sprinkler, Electrical, Roof, and associated Upgrades.** 

**ZDS Design/Consulting Services** was founded in 1994 and is in Scott Depot, WV, only minutes from the WVSU campus. The project will be assigned to **ZDS**' principal-in-charge of planning/design, who will follow the project from inception through Construction Administration and has full authority to execute a binding contract on behalf of **ZDS**:





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The ZDS Team will provide comprehensive Professional Architectural/Engineering Services for the proposed WV State University Davis Fine Arts Center HVAC, Sprinkler, Electrical, Roof, and associated upgrades. Our proposed Team of professionals has a history of successful projects, including many for higher education facilities within West Virginia and surrounding states.

**ZDS** has designed and coordinated upgrades for projects of all sizes, budgets, and schedules. We have successfully managed renovation projects through dialogue and proper planning with the Owners and Contractors for phasing the work successfully and minimizing the impact on the occupants' daily activities. We will communicate closely with the appropriate West Virginia State University representative(s) to ensure that our approach to the Project will address your needs and concerns. Realizing the similarity of our mission and the desire to serve West Virginia clients, we will be honored to work with you.

ZDS has previously teamed with IKM Architecture on many successful projects and will utilize their architectural services as necessary for the WV State University Davis Fine Arts Center Upgrades. IKM Architecture is an architecture, planning, and interior design firm in continuous practice since 1911, with offices in Pittsburgh and Cleveland. IKM's mission is to provide innovative and informed design solutions that



create enduring value in a changing world through leadership in understanding, exploration, and decision-making.

Carol Stevens, PE, F. ASCE, and President of CAS Structural Engineering, Inc., located in Alum Creek, WV, will provide any necessary structural engineering services. Carol has extensive experience working with the State of West Virginia, including many projects within the Capitol Complex and historical facilities. She was the first female engineer appointed to the WV Professional Engineers Board.

Chris Belcher, President of Pinnacle Environmental with offices in Beckley, WV, and Ohio, has teamed with ZDS for over 20 years and will provide environmental assessment for WVSU as deemed necessary. The age of this facility and observations made during a recent walk-through show that careful consideration of renovations should involve a well-executed plan to make the required changes while still adhering to the regulatory requirements for handling hazardous materials.

Facility Dynamics Engineering (FDE) engineers have teamed with ZDS since the 1990s and will provide commissioning assistance throughout the project, peer review of developed testing procedures, checklists, and completed documentation. Due to our team's vast knowledge and

expertise, we will distribute tasks to the individuals whose strengths are ideally matched to provide the most efficient and effective results coinciding with the tasks' timing. Having access to a solid team offers greater flexibility to have the appropriate staff involved as needed during the commissioning process.

### **Project Goals, Objectives & Approach**

GOAL/OBJECTIVE 1: Review existing plans and conditions as well as the operation of the facility and evaluate while communicating effectively with the owner to determine a plan that can be implemented to minimize disruption to the concurrent operation of the facility and meet all objectives.

**ZDS Team Response:** We provide assessments, compliance reviews, and preliminary studies to support project stakeholders in developing the project scope. We will review the existing roof, HVAC system, controls, electrical, fire protection systems, and other impacted building elements to make recommendations for immediate upgrades while planning for long-term upgrades. We review building reports and existing drawings and make recommendations for replacement.

ZDS has experience in phased approaches on many renovation projects with budgetary parameters to minimize disruption, including projects at the University of Charleston, WV State Capitol Complex, and the Kanawha County Commission for their Judicial Building, which was completed in 2023 for HVAC/Roof Renovations including upgrades to the building smoke control system. Other examples include providing master planning for the WVDHHR hospitals, several of which were historical, and assisting in implementing those plans over time. Master Planning and renovations to the Judicial Building HVAC/ Roof Renovations, Ben Franklin HVAC, Electrical, Roof Renovations, Riverside High School HVAC, Electrical, Roof Renovations, Laidley Towers, Chase Towers, the historical Robinson Grand Performing Arts Center in Clarksburg, Tyler County Courthouse, Tyler Consolidated School HVAC & Auditorium Renovations, and the WV Capitol Complex.









ZDS also understands the importance of creating conditions for an excellent learning environment and how the acoustics of the HVAC impact the use of the space. We have designed many theater spaces where acoustics, lighting, sound



systems, and HVAC must meet stringent requirements. Some examples include the WV Cultural Center at the WV Capitol Complex, the historical



Robinson Grand Theater in downtown Clarksburg, and Tyler Consolidated High School's auditorium renovations that brought it to meet today's performing arts standards. Refer to the project experience section for more details.

Our Team can provide a 3D Scan Survey to determine current built conditions and coordinate proposed modifications to the facility. 3D scanning is utilized to capture built conditions with high degrees of accuracy and is faster than traditional methods. We then have our design team review the 3D scan data and all existing documentation available to create the basis for what we know about the facility. Having high-quality information early in the process leads to a synergic design approach; our 3D Scan to BIM process is that proven approach. Our team will incorporate the 3D scan data to develop a 3D Building Information Model (BIM) to coordinate with all the stakeholders throughout the project's life.

Many facilities have often asked us for advice on challenging renovation projects due to our professional and forensic engineering background, which provides the skills to effectively communicate with others in a way that will help to identify and resolve the issues with coordination and integration of new systems and equipment with the existing infrastructure.

Our founding members have over six decades of MEP engineering experience in West Virginia, and we have a reputation for solving challenging engineering projects. We have worked on projects in 25 states, from the federal building in Hawaii to the LEED Gold Arboretum facility for Harvard University. Still, West Virginia is our home, with corporate offices minutes from your facility. Our extensive renovation experience includes many projects where we coordinated construction phasing to reduce the impact on the facility occupants. Our approach differs from the traditional role as we have actual operational and design experience and have provided commissioning services on many Mechanical/Electrical systems. By commissioning the systems, we assist in fine-tuning them to actual conditions and work with the Owner's personnel after occupancy to improve comfort, provide training, and reduce operating costs. We incorporate this experience into our design and include planning for long-term maintenance and operational needs.

Our founders have specialized in energy conservation design in hundreds of millions of dollars in renovations, new construction, and Performance Contracting heavily involving MEP systems, including obtaining grants for many projects and saving facility owners millions annually, with our designs often <u>saving 64% in operating costs</u>. Some projects include the new "Net Zero" Tyler County 911 Center, where the amount of energy produced is anticipated to exceed the amount of energy used by the facility, and 45 million dollars in phased renovations to William R. Sharpe, Jr. Hospital that was phased to allow the hospital to remain in operation throughout the construction process.

Our engineering designs have received the EPA's Energy Star® Certification, where these buildings perform in the top 25 percent of similar facilities nationwide for energy efficiency while meeting stringent ASHRAE standards. We met the facility requirements while providing very energy-efficient HVAC, lighting, and power systems.



**GOAL/OBJECTIVE 2:** As a portion of this process outlined in Objective 1, provide all necessary services to design the facilities described in this EOI in a manner that is consistent with West Virginia State University needs, objectives, current law, and current code; while following the plan to design and execute the project within the project budget.

**ZDS RESPONSE:** The Team includes IKM for architecture support, Facility Dynamic Engineering for Commissioning support, and CAS Structural Engineering, Inc. for structural engineering. Pinnacle Environmental, also part of the team, can assist in meeting hazardous materials' regulatory requirements if not provided directly by WVSU. Refer to the organizational chart on the personnel in this team.

This team utilizes Building Information Modeling (BIM) software as the foundation for tracking and managing the design process; design team members are experienced and proficient and believe in the value of BIM. We leverage BIM software to increase communication between all Team members and facilitate a higher level of coordination throughout each deliverable phase of the process. We believe this is the key to delivering an accurate and reliable project to the Owner with fewer errors and conflicts. We utilize cloud-based tools to keep design models linked together so that changes are effectively communicated when they occur live. Our tools and processes help to minimize unknowns, communicate changes in real time, and keep a highly efficient schedule.

ZDS' principals are "Legend in Energy" recipients from the Association of Energy Engineers, and we have LEED AP-certified staff as part of our proposed team. We have received awards for our energy-efficient design, with many projects being Energy Star Certified. We have the first "Net Zero" 911 facility in operation in West Virginia, which required an integrated design using geothermal, solar, and many max tech approaches to the project. ZDS has worked with many performance contractors where the results realized, and sometimes exceeded, the project goals.

Our staff has been active in ASHRAE, including serving as President of the WV ASHRAE Chapter, where we received the 1st place Technology Award from ASHRAE's Region VII, ASHRAE's Presidential Award of Excellence and Region VII's ASHRAE Community Sustainability Award. The College Planning and Management Magazine featured ZDS and our work at Ohio University for the performance contracting programs that have saved millions of dollars in energy and operating costs. Many ZDS-designed projects also qualify for EPAct, which requires buildings to use over 50% less energy than buildings designed using ASHRAE 90.1 by the 2005 Energy Tax Act. ZDS also received recognition by

qualifying for the first ASHRAE bEQ certified building in West Virginia and encompassing ASHRAE Region VII, including 11 states.

Renovations to Riverside High School HVAC, lighting upgrades, and roof replacement that <u>reduced the</u> <u>school energy costs by 64%</u> and received a 1<sup>st</sup> place

ASHRAE Technology Award for its design and performance to meet indoor air quality and comfort requirements. The construction occurred while the school was still operating. "*It is now comfortable for ALL, made for a better learning environment and significantly better Indoor Air Quality.*" Principal, Riverside HS.

The ZDS Team will carefully coordinate building upgrades,

whereas occupied areas will be identified and considered during the project scoping and development of project phases. ZDS has proven experience involving building renovations that required close coordination and, in some cases, phasing of the work to avoid conflict with the daily operations of the facilities. We realize the challenges of maintaining ingress and egress flow for the public and occupants within the buildings. ZDS most recently worked closely with the Capitol Complex personnel on the



proposed upgrades to the underground steam system vaults and piping. During the process, we identified and defined the specific criteria for the construction process to help minimize disruption to the Capitol grounds.

We have successfully worked with the WV State Purchasing Division to prepare documents to procure competitive bids from potential contractors and provided Construction Administration services through the completion of the projects. Governmental agencies we have experience with include, but are not limited to, the following: WV General Services Division, Kanawha County Commission, WV Dept. of Education, WVDHHR, WVDNR, WVANG, WVARNG, WV Higher Education Policy Commission, WV Public Service Commission, WV DOH, Dept. of Environmental Protection, US Department of Justice, PJKK Federal Building, many city government agencies, and most WV County School systems.

Our Team is recognized for our specialties in leading HVAC systems design, electrical design, sprinkler design, roof replacement, energy conservation/performance contracting, and commissioning services for Educational, Governmental, Commercial, and Healthcare facilities. We will field survey the existing systems to determine the extent of upgrades needed to meet today's criteria and standards.

ZDS provides all phases necessary for a successful building project. Many of our projects have been existing building renovations that were complicated phased projects and required continuous

operation while being constructed. The William R. Sharpe, Jr. Hospital involved comprehensive HVAC, Electrical, and Roof Renovations involving multiple bid packages and phased construction, allowing the hospital to operate and meet stringent healthcare requirements. The construction period was longer than the traditional period to permit the hospital to stay in operation.



We continue to have an excellent working relationship with the West Virginia State Fire Marshal and other agencies within the State of West Virginia. The State of WV adopted ASHRAE 90.1 Energy Codes, and our team has been an instrumental part of ASHRAE and helped teach the state energy codes while assisting governmental agencies to meet these codes. We also understand renovation projects have unique challenges and can assist in balancing energy efficiency with long-term benefits and initial costs.

**GOAL/OBJECTIVE 3:** Provide Construction Contract Administration Services with competent professionals who ensure the project is constructed and functions as designed.

**ZDS RESPONSE:** The Team utilizes digital technology for receiving, tracking, managing, and submitting documents during the construction administration. All construction administration documents are received and logged by our personnel and distributed to the Project Manager and applicable team members. The Project Manager, being most familiar with the project, will oversee and participate in all construction administration duties, both office and field. The ZDS Team creates and delivers quality projects by implementing these Quality Control Program strategies, including peer review by multiple design professionals and the principal-in-charge.

The Team has years of experience and the best expertise to provide the services to fulfill your specific project's needs. Our team's professional services efforts have been highly effective in the past by acting on our client's behalf to help bridge the new technologies and management methods into actual operating practices that have saved our clients substantial funds in construction and operating costs. We pride ourselves on being viewed as an extension of the client's staff and successfully incorporating

pertinent information about their facility into any proposed solution. While in the design phase, we work with contractors to check for constructability coordination and anticipated construction costs, which have been very successful for our final estimates to be very close to the bids received. The current supply disruption challenges are increasing our work to meet desired schedules, and we have been flexible in adjusting to this environment and improving the normal construction periods to give the bidder the confidence to provide better bids. Our 3D Scan-to-BIM can also be available to Bidders, which has been shown to reduce their bids from 5% to 15% due to the reduction of many unknowns common in renovation projects.

Commissioning of the HVAC systems plays a critical role in the construction process and is required by the state-adopted ASHRAE 90.1 Energy Codes. Our team has provided commissioning for over 25 years, and we have hands-on knowledge of optimizing the HVAC system operations while meeting the design intent. This also provides an excellent training opportunity for WVSU maintenance staff to understand how to operate their building for peak performance and to maintain comfort.

Fostering Teamwork and Cooperation from Contractors and Designers and Minimizing Adversarial Relationships: Our Team embraces the attitude that the primary goal of commissioning is to deliver (i) a high-performance and efficiently operating facility to the Owner, (ii) a well-trained Operations and Maintenance staff; and (iii) high quality and continually helpful documentation of the facility and the commissioning process. We approach our commissioning activities concerning the various parties in the design/construction process and their roles. Our approach strives to solve problems before they occur, working closely with contractors and technicians to identify and address them. While we most commonly work independently (directly for the Owner), we take pride that we are often referred to new clients by contractors whose work we have commissioned in the past. Please ask about our ability to communicate while working together to resolve the challenges that arise during the construction process.

The **ZDS** Team has an excellent track record of completing projects on time and within budget guidelines. We are ready and willing to start your project immediately. We are confident that our specialties will provide you with the best expertise to provide economical solutions for your facility. We look forward to discussing our qualifications. If there are any questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

Todd A. Zachwieja, R.E., CEM, LEED AP Principal, Chief Executive Officer



# SECTION II.

# **Company Overview**



# **COMPANY OVERVIEW**



### ABOUT ZDS DESIGN/CONSULTING SERVICES

In 1983, Todd A. Zachwieja founded ZECO Consultants. In 1994 **ZDS** Limited Liability Company was incorporated in West Virginia using dba **ZDS** Design/Consulting Services, and was founded to provide design and consulting services.

Each new project is assigned to a principal in charge who will follow the project from inception through commissioning. **ZDS** assigns the production staff according to the nature of the project and the work force necessary to meet the schedule. The principal in charge of that project determines if consultants are needed and coordinates all areas. After bidding, a principal of **ZDS** coordinates visits to the job site regularly, all the way through the post-warranty inspection. **ZDS** believes in the team approach when providing engineering design and consulting services. We start with our client as the number one member on our team. We listen to the needs and concerns of our client and that becomes the basis for our design.

### **COMPANY LEGAL NAME**

**ZDS** Limited Liability Company dba **ZDS** Design/ Consulting Services

### **LOCATION OF INCORPORATION** West Virginia

#### **FOUNDER**\$

Todd A. Zachwieja, P.E., C.E.O. Lori L. Zachwieja, C.P.A., C.F.O. Daniel H. Kim, Ph.D.

#### **FIRM LOCATION**

135 Corporate Center Drive, Suite 532 Scott Depot, WV 25560

#### **EMPLOYEE\$**

**ZDS** currently employs design professionals covering all aspects of our services.











### **RELEVANT CLIENT\$ & EXPERIENCE**

- Bluefield State University
- Cabell Huntington Hospital
- Charleston Area Medical Center
- Concord University Campus High-Voltage Upgrades Nick J. Rahall Technology Center
- Harvard University LEED Gold Certified Arnold Arboretum Weld Hill Research & Administration Building
- Marshall University Jomie Jazz, Smith Hall, and Harris Hall Renovations
- Ohio University Athens
  Chiller Water Master Plan
  Performance Contracting Campus wide
- Ohio University Chillicothe Stevenson Library/Bennett Hall ME Renovations Performance Contracting - Campus wide
- Saint Mary's Medical Center Huntington
- Southern WV Community & Technical College Logan Campus & Williamson Campus
- United Hospital Center
- University of California Davis Veterinary Medicine
- University of Charleston Innovation Center, Eddie King Gym

**ZDS** provides comprehensive design services. We have experience and specialties in indoor air quality, energy management and commissioning, along with traditional mechanical and electrical design experience dating back

as far as 1958. We offer a complete package. **ZDS** works with all levels of the client's staff: the building owner, budget supervisor, operating and maintenance staff and others impacted by the project. We recognize that the maintenance and operating staff live with the design long after the project's completion. We listen to and work with those who will continue to operate and maintain the equipment. We find that proper communication benefits the client throughout the design process and beyond.

The **ZDS** design team provides a total system evaluation for cost-effective selection, installation, and ease of maintenance for both new systems and retrofit of in-place systems. Design begins with our client. Our staff meets with our client to review their concerns, budgets and schedules. The **ZDS** design team reviews the entire picture, and ends with "A Total Design."

- Veterans Affairs (VA) Hospital Administration
- Washington & Lee University Master Planning, Campus Cooling Plant
- West Virginia University Campus Master Planning Cooling Clark Hall, Mountainlair, Stewart Hall, Wise Library & White Hall Computer Center
- WVU NASA Facility
- WVU Institute of Technology Davis Hall, High Rise Dorm, Engineering Classroom
- West Virginia Wesleyan College Rockefeller Center HVAC Upgrades Benedum Center Renovations
- WV Dept of Health & Human Resources Hopemont State Hospital Renovations Jackie Withrow Hospital Renovations John Manchin Health Care Center Lakin Health Care Center Retrofit Mildred Mitchell-Bateman Hospital Welch Community Hospital Retrofit William Sharpe Jr. Hospital Retrofit & Addition
- WV State Capitol Complex Cultural Center Renovations Campus Central Heating Plant Campus Master Planning Governors Mansion Renovations

The **ZDS** staff has the expertise with codes and standards. We have extensive experience in conducting engineering code surveys of existing facilities. Our staff has excellent working relationships with the West Virginia Fire Marshal's Office, West Virginia Department of Education and the West Virginia School Building Authority. In addition to comprehensive Engineering services from an experienced design team, another major consideration in the selection of your engineer and design staff should be their track record.

**ZDS'** organization has an unbeatable, long running, and well-known track record for meeting our clients' needs, on time and within budget, with outstanding quality. **ZDS** views these characteristics as the foundation of Quality. We look forward to the opportunity to discuss our ideas with you and assist you by providing solutions for your needs with a full range of services from Planning to Commissioning.

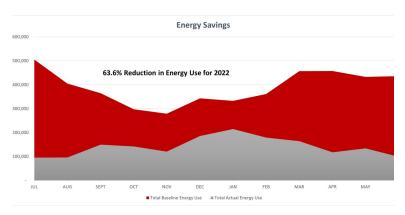
# **COMPANY OVERVIEW**



At **ZDS**, our engineering staff integrates energy efficiency into each project design to provide you, our client, with the added value that you expect and deserve. The **ZDS** team approach represents a tremendous amount of experience in designing energy efficient facilities. **ZDS** offers a comprehensive range of energy management services including:

- Providing detailed analysis of facilities
- Recommending sound and proven energy saving solutions
- Implementing energy management improvements
- Determining, quantifying and assisting in securing available Utility and Government grants

The **ZDS** team members take pride in the quality of their projects and have been responsible for designing and implementing numerous energy management programs. These programs are providing significant energy improvements and include optimizing central utility plant equipment, control systems, air handling systems, lighting systems, and other energy consuming equipment.



### **Recent projects include:**

- Design of <u>High Performance Buildings</u>
- Interconnecting boilers and chiller plant systems
- Designing Geothermal HVAC systems
- Optimizing HVAC equipment and operating sequences, including upgrades to variable speed operation
- Installing Direct Digital Control (DDC) Energy Management Systems
- Replacing inefficient lighting equipment with energy efficient systems
- Modifying air handling equipment from 100% outside air to return air operation
- Implementing heat recovery units into HVAC equipment
- Improving laundry, kitchen and other process application efficiencies





In addition to the energy management projects outlined above, the **ZDS** team members have extensive experience in identifying and implementing energy efficient operating and maintenance measures. These are typically low cost or no cost measures that include:

- Inspecting, calibrating temperature controls and adjusting outdoor air dampers
- Commissioning economizer cycle operation
- Testing steam traps and pressure relief equipment operation
- Enabling heating and cooling equipment only when required
- Retro-commissioning DDC control strategies

**ABOVE:** ZDS designed and implemented a geothermal system for *Riverside High School in Kanawha County* showing a *reduction in energy use of over 63% with an EUI of 30.8 from an EUI of 84.* 

# **3D Scan to BIM Services BIM Collaboration**



### Why 3D Laser Scanning is Better

3D laser scans can be beneficial with NEW construction projects by capturing concealed elements during construction before they're concealed. 3D laser scans also provide superior details with data that is more comprehensive.

"With the 3D laser scanning service, ZDS saved me countless hours communicating with all project team members, even those who work or live far away. Also, we now have an accurate record of the existing conditions that we can rely on for future projects." - Retired COO of WV DHHR

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Benefits

ofBIM

process

High Level of Flexibilit. .Conflict Detection

Risk Mitigation

-Optimization of Cost

High Level of Customization

3D allows facility owners to view and measure areas with others on their planning and construction team.

**Real-time**, anytime, anywhere access with co-authoring ability! Brings **teams** together for the highest level of collaboration.



**3D Laser** Scanning



# **About IKM Architecture**



### IKM AT A GLANCE

Year Founded in Pittsburgh, PA



Number of Employees

250+

Number of Higher Education Projects Completed

Number of Higher Education Clients

### **Discipline-Specific Services Provided in the Last 5 Years**

#### ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES

Site Analysis Program Development Ethnographic Analysis LEAN Analysis Human Centered Design Planning Workshops **Conceptual Design** Schematic Design **Design Development Bidding or Negotiated Pricing** Construction Documentation & Specification Sun Studies Zoning Analysis LEED® /Sustainability Analysis 3-D Image Development Animation Studies Building Information Modeling (BIM) Computer Aided Design & Drafting (CADD) Administration of Construction

#### Contract

Construction Site Observation Food Service Planning Detailed Cost Development Post-Occupancy Evaluation Virtual Reality Design Integration

### PLANNING SERVICES

Campus Master Planning Comprehensive City Planning Zoning & Annexation Studies Redevelopment Planning Strategic Planning Site Analysis, Evaluation & Selection Feasibility Studies Facility Assessments Transportation System Planning Participatory Planning & Conflict Resolution Urban Design

#### **INTERIOR DESIGN**

Interior Standards Conceptual Design Installation Documents & Specifications Computer Aided Design & Drafting Color & Finish Consultation Artwork & Plant Consultation and Specifications **Bidding & Negotiated Pricing** Administration of Furnishings Contract & Installation Furniture Evaluation Site Observation Custom Millwork & Furnishings Design Graphic Design & Signage Maintenance Specifications/Seminars Post Occupancy Evaluation



### FIRM BACKGROUND

# **COMPANY OVERVIEW**

### **COLLABORATION. INNOVATION. PERSISTENCE.**

### **FOUNDERS**

Lon Brightbill, PE Jay Santos, PE

#### WHEN WE OPENED 1989

#### WHERE WE ARE

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Local Presence in 16 states, 40 cities

### WHAT WE DO

Building Commissioning Controls Engineering Remedial Engineering Training Fault Detection Diagnostics

### CONTACT

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FDE was founded in 1989 to bridge the gap between construction and facility operation and to address the challenges of sustainable efficient facility operation. We have maintained that focus with our team of senior professionals who have extensive experience in systems design, construction, training, and operation of mechanical, electrical, and building controls/automation systems.

Our culture is to foster collaboration and inject our unique expertise to help the project team deliver successful facilities. As pioneers in the building commissioning industry, we have an unparalleled resume of successful highly complex facilities.

### THE TEAM

We believe, and our actions and history show, that it is essential for the commissioning engineer to be a collaborative and constructive team member. Our comprehensive approach combines analysis with state-of-the-art software to create a thorough, efficient, and superior building commissioning process.

Our highly skilled staff have complementary expertise in mechanical and electrical systems design, HVAC controls, electrical testing, systems balancing, training, operations and maintenance, and remedial system analysis. We believe in a process that actively includes our engineers and technicians.

### **"WE ARE GLAD FDE IS HERE"**

FDE embraces the attitude that the primary goal of commissioning is to deliver:

- High performance and properly operating facility to the Owner
- Well-trained Operations and Maintenance staff
- High quality and continually useful documentation of the facility and of the commissioning process.

Further, we approach our commissioning activities with the highest respect for the various parties in the design and construction processes and their roles. The words 'we are glad FDE is here' is heard often from contractors and owners alike, and we take great pride in compliments like this.



# **Company Overview**



### Firm Profile

**CAS Structural Engineering, Inc.** – CAS Structural Engineering, Inc. is a West Virginia Certified Disadvantaged Business Enterprise structural engineering firm located in the Charleston, West Virginia area.

Providing structural engineering design and/or analysis on a variety of projects throughout the state of West Virginia, CAS Structural Engineering has experience in excess of 30 years on the following types of building and parking structures:

- Governmental Facilities (including Institutional and Educational Facilities)
- Industrial Facilities
- Commercial Facilities

Projects range from new design and construction, additions, renovation, adaptive reuse, repairs and historic preservation (including use of The Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation) to evaluation studies/reports and analysis.

CAS Structural Engineering utilizes AutoCAD for drawing production and Enercalc and RISA 2D and 3D engineering software programs for design and analysis. Structural systems designed and analyzed have included reinforced concrete, masonry, precast concrete, structural steel, light gauge steel and timber.

Carol A. Stevens, PE is the firm President and will be the individual responsible for, as well as reviewing, the structural engineering design work on every project. Carol has over 30 years of experience in the building structures field, working both here in West Virginia and in the York, Pennsylvania vicinity. Carol is also certified by the Structural Engineering Certification Board for experience in the field of structural engineering.

CAS Structural Engineering, Inc. maintains a professional liability insurance policy.



Pinnacle Environmental Consultants, Inc. has been providing multi-disciplined environmental consulting services to a myriad of clients in the private and public sectors since 1994.

Our commitment to success is centered on building quality relationships, conducting our business honestly and setting the highest standards of professional integrity. Our mission is to be recognized as a leader within our fields of discipline by consistently exceeding our client's expectations in the areas of technical excellence, service and cost effectiveness.

The issues that our clients face are dynamic. Each is driven by regulations that are seemingly in a constant state of change. Through our strong working relationships with regulatory agencies and technical associations, we are able to keep abreast of new technologies and provide new perspectives on protecting our clients' best interests and minimizing their liability.

Pinnacle's seasoned management team consists of environmental professionals who offer a wide range of unique capabilities and experience. The full range of Pinnacle's environmental services are:

- >>> Environmental Audits and Assessments
- >>> Contaminant Identification
- >>> Asbestos Management Support Services
- >>> Analytical Capabilities
- >>> Indoor Air Quality and Microbial Growth
- >>> Industrial Hygiene Services
- >>> Lead Based Paint Management
- >>> Safety and Training Services

### **MISSION STATEMENT**

Our mission is to be a leader in the environmental, health, and safety fields by building quality relationships, conducting business honestly, and consistently exceeding our clients expectations in the area of technical excellence, service, and cost effectiveness, while continuing to establish the highest standard of professional integrity.







# SECTION III.

# Description of Project Experience

Additional Project Experience Brochures



# **Engineering for Universities**



# **West Virginia University**



ZDS designed a system allowing **West Virginia University** to optimize its operation of the campus chilled water system. ZDS personnel has also been involved in various projects for over 20 + years!

www.zdsdesign.com

# **Engineering for Universities**





### The Washington & Lee University

District Cooling project was fast tracked. ZDS designed and served as the construction manager for over 14 separate bid packages to complete the project under budget and on time.

### University of Charleston The Russell and Martha Wehrle Innovation Center





**ZDS** evaluated the University of Charleston's existing Eddie King Gym and adjacent Gorman Hall Mechanical and Electrical systems' infrastructure while using 3D scanning to capture "built conditions". The evaluation findings and recommendations were presented to UC prior to beginning the design phase of the proposed Project for decisions on phasing the project since the needs exceeded available funds. The Project consisted of major renovations to the Gvm to meet NCAA competition requirements, interconnection/reconnection of MEP systems impacting the Gorman Hall facility, and a 30,000 SF addition to the front of the facility that is known as the Russell and Martha Wehrle Innovation Center. The facility consists of classrooms, offices, flexible meeting areas, and a large two-story Innovation Center space. Mechanical work included new chiller and boiler plants with pumps, accessories, and distribution piping as well as air handling units, DDC Controls, new domestic and fire protection water services, new gas service, domestic water heating equipment, extensive plumbing fixtures/showers/lockers. Electrical work included new electrical service from the campus 12.5 kv distribution loop, switchgear, distribution, and branch panel boards, and new energy-efficient LED lighting systems.

Gary Boyd, Director of Facilities University of Charleston (304) 357-4871





Construction Cost: \$17,000,000





### **Robinson Grand Performing Arts Center**

Clarksburg, WV

**Renovations & Additions Area:** 45,000 ft<sup>2</sup> **Construction Cost:** \$17,000,000

# **EPAct Qualified renovations resulted in <u>over a 50% reduction</u> in energy over ASHRAE 90.1-2007 standards and an EUI <u>below</u> the national medium.**

The design includes Dedicated Outside Air Systems with energy recovery, coupled with VRF for optimal zoning to fit within very limited space supplemented with high performance condensing gas fired boilers and Variable Water Volume pumping. HVAC systems include comprehensive DDC controls with demand control ventilation, high performance fan wall system for redundancy/acoustic performance on VAV custom units serving stage/performance hall. LED lighting throughout provides uncompromised lighting quality. Energy efficient design recognized the envelope upgrades limitation due to the historical preservation grants while significantly reducing operating costs.



The historic Robinson Grand Theater was originally built in 1913 and eventually closed to the public in the year 2000. When the City of Clarksburg purchased the building in 2014, extensive renovations were needed to re-open the theater and **ZDS** was hired for planning and evaluation. This includes all **NEW** HVAC/Electrical/Plumbing/FP upgrades for the 45,000 ft<sup>2</sup> building. 3D-Scan-to-BIM of the existing facility was invaluable to develop the comprehensive existing conditions. Now called the **Robinson Grand Performing Arts Center**, this beautiful award winning historic theater has been brought completely back to life! Resurrection through adaptive reuse brings out the best the City of Clarksburg has to offer through the Robinson Grand Performing Arts Center.



# Kanawha County Commission Judicial Building & Courthouse







"No one else could identify the MEP problems even though many had tried. Yet, ZDS provided an excellent evaluation while working well with our Judges and staff for a very successful project. We use them for all our challenging work."

- Kanawha County Commissioner



**ZDS** assisted in identifying a phased approach to addressing and defining Indoor Environmental Quality (IEQ) issues and modifications for the Kanawha County Courthouse.

Total Judicial Bldg. Project Costs:\$13,807,000ZDS Team Project Cost:\$6,737,000Annex Project Size:118,400 ft² latest project completed 2023

**ZDS** has worked with the Kanawha County Commission on various projects since 1998. The most recent involved 3D Scanning, design/ commissioning for HVAC & Roof Replacement incorporating air cleaning technology into new energy efficient HVAC system, renovations to the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor and upgrades to the building smoke control system. All major HVAC equipment and the roof replacement work were completed in 2023 on time and in budget.

Other past work includes engineering planning, design, bidding and construction administration services for the renovation of the 95,400 ft<sup>2</sup> Judicial Building and a 23,000 ft<sup>2</sup> addition using the ground floor of the parking garage connected to the Judicial Building. The facility includes circuit courtrooms, jury deliberation, attorney conferencing, witnessing, court clerical staff, public research, adult probation, prosecuting, maintenance. voter registration, court administration, and all public areas. The addition included a new entrance, security checkpoint, and lobby to accommodate a building expansion for Juvenile Probation and Family Court.



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### Tyler County Commission New 911 Center Middlebourne, WV

Project Cost: \$4,090,000.00

Size: 4,260 ft<sup>2</sup>

Date Complete: 2021

### HVAC, Plumbing, Fire Protection, Lighting, Electrical and LV Systems

### **Client Reference:**

WYK Associates, James Swiger, President; (304) 624-6326, james@wykassociates.com



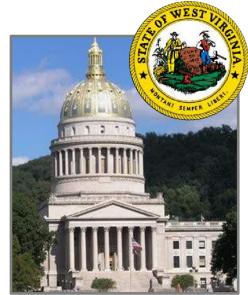
**ZDS** provided professional MEP engineering services for the preparation of construction documents on the new Tyler County 911 Center. Stringent Codes and standards for 911 facilities were researched and implemented into the MEP systems for the new facility. We designed a high performance geothermal well field that will serve the HVAC systems' equipment as well as a solar power panel array with equipment and components that is intended to provide all necessary electric power to the building. The electricity generated by the PV panels will exceed the needs of the facility and with the installation of an interconnecting system coordinated with the local utility the excess power will feed back into the utility grid for the County's use at the local Courthouse. The installation of the geothermal system coupled with the solar power generated will result in a significant overall reduction in energy costs to the Owner. The facility also has a propane-fired emergency generator to provide 100% backup for electrical needs in the event of a utility failure and an Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS) system sized for all critical loads in the Operations Center. State-of-the-art systems incorporated in our design included fire alarm, security, door access and vehicle entry gate openers. The building has a complete fire protection wet-pipe sprinkler system with the exception of clean agent dry suppression systems for the Server room and the Operations Center where sensitive electronic/data equipment is located.

### State of West Virginia Capitol Complex Charleston, WV

Project Cost: \$26,500,000 Size: 1,900,000 ft<sup>2</sup> covering 9 buildings Client Reference: Patrick O'Neil, GSD for recent work Builder Reference: Constellation Energy; Chuck Moeller (previously with Johnson Controls; (724) 584-3331)

Peer Review, Commissioning, HVAC Renovations, Fire Protection, Electrical Renovations, Consultant for

### **Performance Contracting**



Numerous design and renovation projects for the WV State Capitol Complex including engineering planning, design, supervision, preparation of construction documents, specifications, construction administration, and commissioning of HVAC systems, sprinkler systems, plumbing systems, electrical power, lighting, fire alarm, security, technology and communications for many facilities on the WV Capitol Complex: WV Division of Protective Services: Engineering master planning & design for specific life safety issues involving homeland security, fire alarm, sprinklers, emergency power, CCTV, intercom, mass notification and "giant voice" system for all State facilities on the Capitol Complex under a 10-year open-end contract. WV Division of **Culture and History Library:** Renovations addressing long-term HVAC and IAQ problems including fire alarm and fire protection upgrades completed in 2011. Renovations conserved energy without sacrificing comfort or indoor air quality. District Heating System: As a consultant to Johnson Controls under a Performance Contracting program to provide master planning and design for the district heating system for the WV Capitol **Complex.** The project included the Master Planning, IAQ evaluation, energy analysis, code analysis and Mechanical design involving more than 1,900,000 ft<sup>2</sup> of facilities including the Capitol Building, Buildings #3, #4, #5, #6, #7, Holley Grove, Governor's Mansion and the Culture Center and subsequent renovations to the steam systems. Recent work includes Bldg. #3 Hydronic Boiler Upgrades and Bldg. #4 Peer Review and Commissioning.





The Capitol Complex renovations are estimated to <u>save</u> <u>nearly \$2,000,000 annually</u> over the costs of operating the old systems.



## Kanawha County Schools Riverside High School HVAC/Lighting Renovations





Riverside High School, built in 1997, the academic wing's HVAC system consisted of four large Dual Duct custom Rooftop units and gas-fired packaged DX rooftop units to serve the other areas of the school. The Dual Duct HVAC equipment was unique to the County and the only school to have this HVAC system type, challenging the maintenance department. The school went through a Performance Contracting Program around 2011 when original pneumatic controls were retrofitted along with other upgrades; however, the utility usage for this school was still nearly twice the national average.

**ZDS'** goal for the design of HVAC, roof replacement, and lighting renovations was to reduce the overall energy usage by 50% while improving comfort and Indoor Air Quality. Many HVAC systems were analyzed and energy modeled, resulting in selecting a closed-loop geothermal HVAC system using indoor high-efficient heat pumps, eliminating the Dual Duct units, and replacing them with VAV Dedicated Outside Air Units (DOAS). Air cleaning technology was incorporated into the HVAC systems. The existing ductwork from the dual duct system was able to be reused and then VAV boxes were added with Demand Control Ventilation. Other HVAC systems included both water source heat pumps and packaged VAV Rooftop Units. The project included replacing and retrofitting the existing lighting systems with high-efficiency LED sources. The locker areas in the school were converted from heating/ventilation only to full HVAC. The project also included roof replacement concurrent with other renovations.

**ZDS** provided the design and assisted with the bidding and Construction Administration process. Work was designed/phased so construction could occur while the school was in use. In addition to energy savings, the systems are reducing long-term operating and maintenance costs.

High Performance Design using ASHRAE Advance Energy Design Guides saved **64% less energy for HVAC/Lighting systems** from the base years' usage and

#### Incorporates Air Cleaning Technology in HVAC System.

EUI reduction from 84 to 30.6 and Energy Star Certified!

Construction Costs: \$17,400,000 completed in 2023 School Size: 189,318 square feet Contact: Chuck Smith, Director/Support Services: (304) 348-6148





### Kanawha County Schools Ben Franklin Career Center HVAC/Roof Renovations

The **ZDS** team conducted an extensive study and performed a 3D Scan-to-BIM of the facility to develop comprehensive existing conditions and assist KCS with procuring SBA funds. The work was done in two (2) phases for the replacement of the aging HVAC equipment, ductwork, and piping and included electrical upgrades to accommodate the new equipment, new lighting throughout, roof replacement, and new exterior overhead doors for the shops. **ZDS** provided Design, Bidding, Construction Administration, and Commissioning services. Work designed and phased was SO construction could occur while the school was in use.



**ZDS** included Faculty/Staff specific current HVAC, Electrical needs and Future IT Expansions in the Design. Included was specialized custom energy-efficient HVAC to meet the challenging comfort and Indoor Air Quality needs for the Welding, Machine, Wood, Sheetmetal, HVAC, Diesel and Heavy Equipment Shops and school. EPAct qualified energy efficient design provided excellent longterm operating savings.

Project Costs: \$9,651,722 with SBA Funding \$6,992,759 School Size: 78,050 square feet Contact: Chuck Smith, Executive Director: (304) 348-6148 Charles Wilson, AIA, (Retired): (304) 533-6149 The project qualified for EPAct for energy efficient HVAC design while <u>using over 27.3% less energy for HVAC</u> and over <u>60% less energy for Lighting</u> than schools designed using ASHRAE 90.1-2007.

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### Piedmont Elementary School HVAC Renovations

**ZDS** performed MEP design, 3D Scan-to-BIM, bidding and CA services for the replacement of an existing custom multizone unit, associated DDC controls and refurbished other HVAC units that had failed and were in need of constant maintenance/repairs. The work included necessary electrical modifications to serve the new rooftop unit. Project was completed within the budget allocated by the County.

The project qualified for EPAct for energy efficient design while <u>using over 27% less energy for HVAC</u> than schools designed using ASHRAE 90.1-2007.

Project Costs: \$352,090, Project under budget! School Size: 31,500 square feet Contact: Chuck Smith, Executive Director: (304) 348-6148 Charles Wilson, AIA, (Retired): (304) 533-6149



### **Tyler County Schools** Tyler Consolidated Middle/High School HVAC Upgrades, Auditorium Additions/Renovations









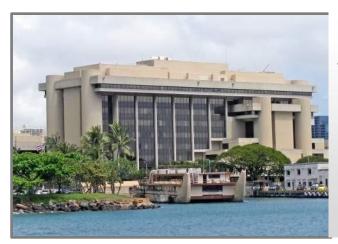
The project qualified for EPAct for energy efficient design, using **over 35% less energy** than schools designed using ASHRAE 90.1-2007.

**ZDS** provided professional engineering design, bidding, construction administration, and commissioning services for HVAC upgrades at the Tyler Consolidated Middle/High School to meet Indoor Air Quality and today's energy codes. The initial step in the project was to provide engineering investigations of existing conditions where **ZDS** performed 3D Scan-to-BIM for reliable and accurate 3D capture of "built" conditions to use in design, bidding, and construction. The demolition and new work to be included in **Phase I** of the project included two (2) new highly efficient chillers piped so they could be used even during winter months, three (3) new high-efficient condensing boilers, variable water volume hydronic pump system, VAV Air-Handling Units, VAV Blower Coil Units, Fan Coil Units, Energy Recovery Ventilators, DDC control upgrades, select new hydronic piping and ductwork for the equipment, exhaust fans, electric work associated with serving the new HVAC system equipment and new electrical panel-boards. **Phase II** work includes DOAS units for classrooms, air cleaning technology, and lighting upgrades to LED. Also, it includes renovations to the auditorium to performance hall standards, providing a highly efficient programmable lighting system and high-performance audio sound system, which is a showcase for the community and the best auditorium for a WV school.

Estimated Phase I Project Costs: \$4,796,903, SBA funding \$3,698,578 Estimated Phase II Project Costs: \$11,515,000 Date Completed: Phase I was completed in 2019; Phase II completion in 2024 School Size: 188,156 square feet Contact: Ms. Amanda Kimble, Dir. Child Nutrition, Facilities & Support Services (304) 758-2145 ext. 111, akimble@k12.wv.us



## COMMISSIONING



The Prince Jonah Kūhiō Kalaniana'ole (PJKK) Federal Building and United States Courthouse Honolulu, Hawaii



130th Airlift Wing at Yeager Airport, Phase I and Phase II: Aircraft Maintenance Fuel Systems Hangars and Shops

Awarded a **LEED Silver Certification** for each of the two phases

"ZDS's commissioning services were invaluable in helping us understand our facility and ensure the systems were installed as intended and optimized for long-term operating benefits. We would recommend them again!" - Captain Harry Netzer, WVANG Project Manager



- CAMC General Division, Memorial Division & Women & Children's Hospital
- ✓ General Motors (GM) of North America
- Maryland Calvert County Indoor Aquatic Center
- Montgomery County Departments of Correction and Police
- ✓ Roane General Hospital, WV
- Ohio University Chillicothe Campus, Stevenson Library and Bennett Hall

Harvard University Arnold Arboretum Weld Hill Research and Administration Building

### **LEED Gold Certified**

- Santa Ana Federal Building Renovations
- University of California, Davis School of Veterinary Medicine Instructional Facility
- Washington & Lee University
- ✓ William R. Sharpe Jr. Hospital
- WV Museum of Culture and Natural History
- WV State Capitol Complex
- WVU—Downtown Campus
- United Hospital Center



### St. Francis University Resinski Black Box Theater

Loretta, PA

COMPLETION DATE: 2017 PROJECT SIZE: 7,000 square feet DELIVERY METHOD: COST: \$3 Million

#### **PROJECT SCOPE:**

To develop new resources for student programs and provide diverse on-campus activities, St. Francis University retained IKM to undertake a study to redevelop an existing 7,000-squarefoot grounds/receiving building into a 150-seat state-of-the-art black box performance venue.

St. Francis previously converted a former boiler house into a gallery, intimate performance space, and an adjacent grounds garage space into painting studios. This project aims to create a common identity for the entire precinct by linking all three venues with an exterior arts plaza that combines outdoor lounge areas, sculpture, and performance. An outdoor stage provides space for bands and performances. Translucent polycarbonate screening designed to conceal mechanical equipment on the building's roof doubles as a projection surface and converts the entire plaza into an outdoor movie venue.

A new lobby space supports pre- and postperformance activities during events but is also designed as a gallery space to display student works. Students can use the space during the day as a study lounge. A "beverage bar" doubles as a space to support small banquets or as a conferencing space for student groups.











### Pittsburgh Ballet Theatre Existing Building Roofing, Window, and Door Renovations

Pittsburgh, PA

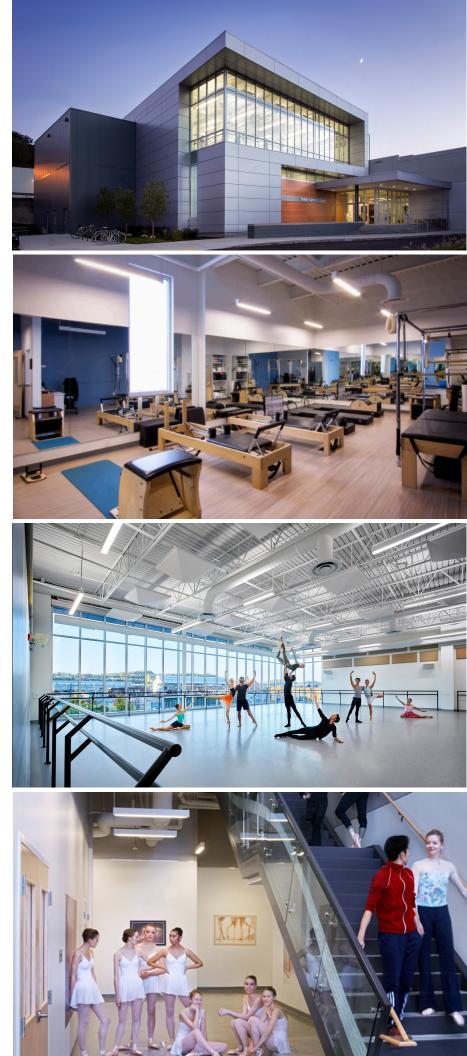
COMPLETION DATE: 2020 PROJECT SIZE: 26,600 square feet DELIVERY METHOD: CM COST: \$1.1M

#### **PROJECT SCOPE:**

The project included both new construction and renovation to the existing building. The focus of the new construction was a 14,000 SF, two and a half-story building to house the expanded program of educational and professional practice studios for the Pittsburgh Ballet Theatre.

The existing building, which houses administrative offices and five rehearsal spaces, was where the company's 30 full-time dancers rehearse and where the PBT instructs 1,000 students annually as part of its children's, student, pre-professional, and adult open divisions.

**IKM renovated the existing building to provide a weather-tight envelope** that allows the ballet to focus on production of their performances. Construction was split into two phases to account for the cold Pittsburgh winter. The roof was replaced in the warmer months of autumn, and the mechanical upgrades and window and door replacements occurred the following spring.





# IKM Architecture Roof Replacement Projects



- » Pittsburgh Public Schools Clayton School Roof Replacement
- » UPMC McKeesport Roof System Replacement
- » UPMC McKeesport Shaw Roofing Project Levels 1&2
- » UPMC WPIC Roof Replacement
- » UPMC Passavant Roof Replacement
- » Baum Blvd / UPMC Shadyside Roof Addition
- » AGH Roof Top Design Options
- » Conemaugh D&T Building Roof Replacement
- » WVUM Ruby Hospital NICU Rooftop Renovation and Expansion

- » West Penn Hospital 9E Partial Fire Proofing Replacement
- » Westinghouse Electric Company 301/302 Roof Replacement
- » Butler Area School District High School Roof
- » Butler Area School District Center Township & Northwest Roof Replacement
- » Midwestern Intermediate Unit IV Roof Replacement and HVAC Renovations
- » UPMC NHPSV Roofing System Replacement
- » UPMC Presby & Montefiore Roof
- » AVH Roof Replacement



**UPMC McKeesport Roofing System Replacement** 





### **PROJECT EXPERIENCE**

### Virginia Commonwealth University, The Markel Center

Richmond, VA

### **PROJECT DETAILS**

**SIZE** 43,000 SF

COST

\$41M

**DATE** 2012-2018

**LEED** LEED Gold

#### **PROJECT REFERENCE**

Virginia Commonwealth University Jaclyn McCormick Assistant Director of Construction Management (804) 827-3839 jmccormick3@vcu.edu



The Institute for Contemporary Art at the Markel Center is a visual masterpiece located at a welltraveled corner of Broad and Belvidere Streets. This memorable and remarkable design invites all eyes to see and appreciate this new landmark that inhabits the arts with its welcoming indoor and outdoor galleries and gardens that have unique exhibits throughout every year.

VCU's new institute for contemporary art, the Markel Center, is an open design housing both exhibition and programming spaces. The first floor contains a 4,000 sf gallery/café and a 240-seat auditorium. The second floor contains two galleries, an adaptive learning lab, and green roof with a publicly accessible terrace. The third floor houses a 33-foot-high gallery, administrative suites, and boardroom. The lower level houses additional offices, a green room, fabrication workshop, and catering kitchen.

The HVAC design was complex, including radiant floors and a total of 43 geothermal wells drilled to provide a heat rejection source for the building systems. The building was also designed with a three-story atrium with an active smoke exhaust system, and FDE provided special inspection service for the Plumbing, HVAC, Building Automation and Electrical Systems.

The project received LEED Gold certification.



### **PROJECT EXPERIENCE**

### Princeton University, Lewis Center for the Arts

Princeton, NJ

### **PROJECT DETAILS**

SIZE

137,000 SF

### **DATE** 2017

2017

**COST** \$200M

#### **PROJECT REFERENCE**

Ed Feeley Princeton University 609.273.3722 Facility Dynamics Engineering (FDE) was retained by Princeton University to provide consulting services for Design and Construction Phase Commissioning of the Lewis Center for the Arts Project. The building is composed of two large theater spaces, instrument rehearsal room, acting and dance studios and traditional office space. Unique features of the Lewis Center for the Arts include an in-floor radiant manifold heating and cooling, a daylight harvesting lighting control system and a geothermal heat pump heating and cooling system. A modular geothermal heat pump system was delivered with the capability to stage capacity as required to meet load and transition to back-up steam source in failure condition.

FDE's preliminary Cx responsibilities included providing review commentary of the design documentation, construction documentation and product data submittals relating to HVAC and other mechanical systems. Following the design stage, during the construction period, FDE was present for critical start-up milestones and coordinated events, such as: pipe flush of various heating/cooling loops, heat pump start-up and refrigerant monitor calibration. FDE maintained a presence onsite from April of 2016 through July of 2018. Plumbing Cx was limited to the domestic heating water system. Electrical Cx, included performance verification of the emergency generators, automatic transfer switches and various lighting control systems. FDE was onsite to witness and document deficiencies exposed when testing the atrium smoke exhaust system.

The building's efficiency and its design resulted in a performance integrated building equivalent to attaining LEED Silver certification.





## **PROJECT EXPERIENCE**

St. Mary's College of Maryland, The Nancy R. and Norton T. Dodge Performing Arts Center & Learning Commons

St. Mary's City, MD

#### **PROJECT DETAILS**

SIZE

67,000 SF

COST

\$66M

**DATE** 2018-2023

LEED Silver

#### **PROJECT REFERENCE**

St. Mary's College of Maryland Maurice Schlesinger Senior Project Manager 240.895.3077 mzschlesinger@smcm.edu Music and the performing arts is a vital piece of every community and St. Mary's College of Maryland knew how valuable this new facility would be to the campus and the community as a whole. The facility has proven to be a core space of the campus with its placement in the core academic district, but also its public availability for various concerts, recitals, and town halls.

The Dodge Performing Arts Center and Learning Commons was designed as the college's new home for the Music department. The center features a 700-seat, two-tier auditorium; a 125-seat recital hall; rehearsal and practice rooms; a collaborative student study; labs; cafe; green room, box office and classrooms. The building's two-story lobby, wrapped in glass, is used to host receptions and pre-event gatherings.

FDE provided commissioning services to the Plumbing, HVAC, Building Automation and Electrical Systems. There was extensive concealed ductwork associated with the auditorium, particularly beneath the stage and orchestra seating. Verifying proper installation, air balance, and sound attenuation was particularly challenging due to the tight quarters.

The project achieved LEED Silver certification.





### **ROBINSON GRAND THEATRE RESTORATION**

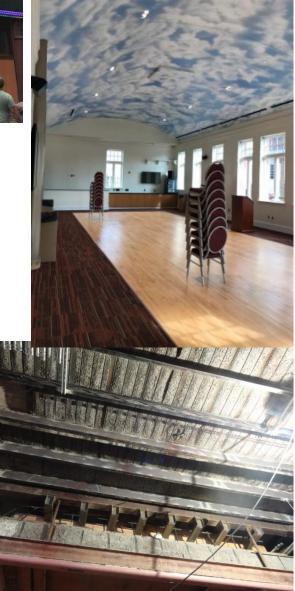
Clarksburg, West Virginia



Additional framing and reinforcing of the existing structure was installed below the ballroom on the second floor to comply with current building codes.



The design included a large two-story addition to the side to provide dressing rooms for performers on the 1st floor and conference space on the 2nd floor. Additional structural modifications and additions were included for accessibility and egress. This early 1900's structure was devastated by fire and partially re-built in 1939. The front portion of the building was salvaged, and the rear of the auditorium and stagehouse were reconstructed. This structure is listed on the National Register of Historic





### SHARPE HOSPITAL HVAC RENOVATIONS

Weston, West Virginia



The project included design of framing for piping enclosures, fuel tank foundations, generator foundations, cooling tower foundations and steel structure support, and other miscellaneous support designs and analyses for complete redesign of HVAC systems in existing facility.









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# SECTION IV.

## Proposed Team Staffing Plan

Team Certifications Team Resumes

## **Team Staffing Plan**





## Certifications





## Todd Zachwieja, PE, CEM, LEED AP

Todd has over 45 years of experience involving the analysis, design, construction management and specifications for mechanical engineering, heating, ventilating, air conditioning, plumbing, fire protection, electrical and lighting, as well as indoor environmental quality analysis, building system commissioning and forensic engineering for educational, governmental, military, commercial, industrial and health care clients. He is also recognized as a campus master planner for utility infrastructure providing master planning for the Technology Park in South Charleston and at many universities and hospitals, as well as the State of WV Capitol Complex.

Prior to starting a consulting engineering firm, Todd Zachwieja coordinated comprehensive energy conservation programs resulting in annual energy savings of millions of dollars. He has managed a profitable regional office for one of the country's largest energy companies that service the southeastern United States. Todd also developed computer modeling programs for building energy analysis and monitoring. He has been invited as an industry leader to present technical papers and speak at professional conferences both regionally and nationally.

Todd selected and designed the pilot project for one of the largest geothermal heat pump applications in the Eastern US including designing custom geothermal rooftop AHU's. He has retro-commissioned HVAC systems for millions of square-feet for facilities located in 10 states. He has been involved with many commercial, healthcare and industrial structures including high-rise building renovations. Todd designed renovations to many facilities which received *Energy Star Certifications* placing them in the nation's top 25% for energy efficiency. *The College Planning and Management Magazine* featured Todd and his work with a major university for the performance contracting programs that save millions of dollars in energy and operating costs. Most projects also qualified for EPAct which requires buildings use over 50% less energy than buildings designed using ASHRAE 90.1.

#### **GOVERNMENT/COMMERCIAL PROJECT EXPERIENCE**

- Bank One
- Bayer Material Science
- Calvert County Aquatic Center, MD
- Charleston Area Medical Center
- Chief Medical Examiners Office Retrofit
- Culture Center, HVAC & Fire Protection, WV State Capitol Complex
- General Motors Corp. Re-commissioning
- Harvard University Research Laboratory
- Hopemont Hospital, WVDHHR
- Jackie Withrow Hospital, WVDHHR
- Jackson County Courthouse Annex
- Kanawha County Commission: Judicial Annex additions/renovations
- Kanawha County Courthouse
- Kanawha County Public Library
- Kanawha County Schools
- Laidley Towers
- Marshall University
- Mercer County Courthouse Annex
- Mercer County Schools
- Olin Corporation
- Pocahontas County 911/EMS Center
- Public Service Commission of WV
- Rhone-Poulenc
- Roane General Hospital

- Robinson Grand Performing Arts Theatre
- Santa Anna Federal Building, CA
- Tyler County Courthouse
- Tyler County 911 Center Net Zero
- Tyler County Schools
- Toyota Motor Manufacturer, WV Inc.
- UC Davis Veterinary Medicine, CA
- Union Carbide/DOW
- United Center
- University of Charleston Innovation Ctr.
- William R. Sharpe, Jr. Hospital, WVDHHR
- Word Trade Center, MD
- WV Air National Guard including Cx Fuel Cell/Maintenance Hangars at Yeager Airport – LEED Silver Certified
- WV Army National Guard
- WV Capitol Complex Renovations
- WVDHHR—State-wide hospitals
- WV DOH Testing Lab
- WV Division of Natural Resources
- WV Division of Protective Services
- WV Higher Education Authority
- WV General Services Division
- WV State Capitol Complex renovations
- WVU Health System
- West Virginia University



#### PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATIONS

Professional Engineer:			
Florida			
Georgia			
Kentucky			
Maryland			
North Carolina			
Ohio			
Pennsylvania			
South Carolina			
Virginia			
West Virginia			

Fire Investigation Certification under the direction of Peter Vallas, Sr.

Certified Energy Manager (C.E.M.) National Certification No. 2205



CEM

LEED Accredited Professional, National Certification through USGBC No. 10083891

### **EDUCATION**

Masters of Science in Engineering Management from West Virginia University College of Graduate Studies.

> Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering from West Virginia Institute of Technology.



## Todd Zachwieja, PE, CEM, LEED AP

#### PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY AFFILIATIONS

**Past President 2013-14, current Governor** - WV ASHRAE Chapter, Served as ASHRAE's Energy and Technical Affairs Chairman for six years. Recognized by ASHRAE Region VII in 2014 with the David Levine Award of Excellence, Presidential Award of Excellence

Recognized by the International Who's Who of Professionals Recognized nationally as West Virginia's Business Man of the Year Recognized by AEE nationally in 2007 as a Legend in Energy Recognized by AEE nationally in 2008 as a Charter Legend in Energy Charter Life Member of the Association of Energy Engineers Professional Affiliate Member of the American Institute of Architecture Associate Member West Virginia Society for Healthcare Engineering Member of the International Code Council Member of the National Society of Professional Engineers

#### **OTHER RECOGNITIONS**

Selected by WVU and the WV Division of Energy to train Code officials and the design community on ASHRAE 90.1 State Energy Code

Presented at regional and national conferences including the annual National System Commissioning Conference

Contributing editor and served on the Editorial Review Panel for "*The Handbook of Building Management and Indoor Air Quality*"

Contributing editor "Ventilation for a Quality Dining Experience"

Contributing editor and served on the Editorial Review Panel for *INvironment Professional, Power Prescriptions* and other publications and articles featuring Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) and MEP engineering systems

Energy Star Certified for facilities in the nation's top 25% of energy efficiency

1<sup>st</sup> Place 2014 ASHRAE Technology Award, Region VII

LEED Silver Certified WVANG Fuel Cell/Maintenance Hangar, Charleston, WV

LEED Gold Certified Harvard Arboretum, Boston, MA

First ASHRAE bEQ certified building in West Virginia, 2015

1st Place 2023 ASHRAE Technology Award, Region VII



























## Ted Zachwieja III, PE, CEM

Ted, a third generation engineer and Principal in the firm, has over 20 years of experience in building construction design industry that includes award winning designs including the first Net Zero 911 Center in WV and technology awards for design innovation in multiple facilities. Innovation in HVAC, Plumbing, Fire Protection, lighting design/controls, technology, engineering design, communication methods and management of the design process are the areas of his expertise. As a pioneer and a believer in technological processes, Ted has championed Integrated Design Practices and Commissioning that has become the fabric of ZDS's day-to-day operations.

Ted develops ZDS's 3D Scanning and BIM services which have assisted in collecting key existing conditions for renovation projects, forensic engineering, historical preservation, and high definition reality capture. Ted has in-depth experience on collection, registration, and scan to BIM processes. He has provided training and developed materials for best practices when using 3D scan data. Ted's 3D scanning experience includes governmental, educational, health care, industrial, and commercial facilities. He also has experience in speaking on how 3D laser scanning impacts our industry today.

Ted is the Engineer-of-Record for design projects. As Engineer of Record he is responsible for all aspects of the project and takes a hands-on approach to the overall management, design and construction of the project. He works well with all stakeholders involved throughout the entire project lifecycle.

As Chief Technical Officer Ted develops and deploys a strategy of forward thinking and strategic development for ZDS' Integrated Design Processes, research and development into new technologies for improving quality of services for our clients.

Ted's project experience includes design and commissioning for electrical, lighting, security, IT, A/V, heating, ventilating, air conditioning, plumbing, fire protection, and acoustical systems for educational, health care, industrial and commercial facilities. His experience encompasses working both on new construction and renovation projects. He also is experienced in historical facilities including theatrical. He has significant experience in designing, commissioning and implementing efficient lighting and HVAC systems for various commercial, healthcare and educational facilities.

Ted maintains an active membership ino the ASHRAE professional society and also has a lifetime membership in the Association of Energy Engineers. He maintains an active continuing education towards today's standards and codes as well as participates in ASHRAE at both a local and society level. He served on the Electronic Communications Standing Committee with ASHRAE. He has designed renovations to existing facilities which received *Energy Star Certifications* placing them in the *nation's top 25% of energy efficiency* facilities.





#### PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATIONS

Professional Engineer:

Florida West Virginia

Certified Energy Manager (C.E.M.) National Certificate No. 22411



### EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering from Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, NY

#### **AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS**

Awarded 2012 Legend in Energy by the Association of Energy Engineers

Awarded acceptance into ASHRAE's 2015 Leadership University

ASHRAE Blue Ribbon Award of Excellence Co-Author at Autodesk University

> 1st Place 2023 ASHRAE Technology Award, Region VII

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## Ted Zachwieja III, PE, CEM

#### RELEVANT PROJECT EXPERIENCE

- WV State Capitol Complex Bldgs. 1, 3, 5, 7, 8, & 9 Renovations and #3 & #4 Cx
- Kanawha County Judicial Building Renovations and Cx EPAct Qualified
- Office of Chief Medical Examiners Renovations and Commissioning
- CASCI Building electrical Renovations, Charleston WV
- WV Air National Guard Maintenance Hangar and Fuel Cell Hangar
- University of Charleston Virtual Dissection Lab, Innovation Center, Gorman Hall/ Eddie King Gym Renovations campus natural gas, medium voltage and water upgrades.
- Marshall University, Jomie Jazz, Harris Hall, Smith Hall Renovations
- WV Higher Education Policy Commission S. Charleston Tech Center Master Planning
- Ben Franklin Career Center Renovations EPAct Qualified
- Glade Middle School Energy Star Certified
- Kanawha County Schools County-Wide includes Master Planning, Renovations
- New laeger Elementary Schools Energy Star Certified
- Pendleton Co Middle/High School, North Fork Elem Renovations EPAct Qualified
- Pocahontas County 911/EMS Center
- Princeton Middle and High School HVAC Renovations Energy Star Certified
- Raleigh County Schools County-Wide
- WVDHHR Master Planning, renovations, for seven healthcare facilities
- William R. Sharpe, Jr. Hospital Additions/Renovations & Cx EPAct Qualified
- Riverside High School HVAC/Lighting Renovations Energy Star Certified
- Tyler County 911 Center Net Zero
- Tyler County Courthouse Additions, Renovations and Commissioning
- Tyler Consolidated Middle/High School HVAC Renovations EPAct Qualified
- Meadowbrook, Servia, White Sulphur Springs Rest Areas for WV DOT
- World Trade Center, Renovations, MD
- West Virginia University Renovations
- WV DHHR Healthcare Facilities master planning, additions/renovations, lighting renovations *EPAct Qualified*

#### **OTHER RECOGNITIONS**

Presented and co-authored at regional and national conferences

Energy Star Certified for facilities in the nation's top 25% of energy efficiency for many facilities

1<sup>st</sup> Place 2014 ASHRAE Technology Award, Region VII

First ASHRAE bEQ certified building in West Virginia, 2015

1<sup>st</sup> Place 2023 ASHRAE Technology Award, Region VII

ASHRAE Blue Ribbon Award of Excellence

2012 Legend in Energy by the Association of Energy Engineers

2015 ASHRAE Leadership University Recipient







### Professional Affiliations

Member of ASHRAE WV Chapter

Prior Membership Promotions Chair WV ASHRAE Chapter

> Prior Chapter Secretary WV ASHRAE Chapter

Lifetime member of the Association of Energy Engineers

> Associate Member WV Society for Healthcare Engineering











The Association of Energy Engineers

## **Jim Watters**

Jim has over 50 years of experience in design and implementation of lighting, HVAC, plumbing and electrical systems including nine years in the construction industry. He has a comprehensive knowledge of construction documents, contracts, and development of cost estimates, budgets and schedules. Jim's strengths reside in his ability to manage projects and people in an organized and cost-effective manner. Jim has been involved with the design and production of mechanical and electrical drawings including HVAC, plumbing, fire protection, lighting, electrical power, fire alarm and specialized systems. He has worked with and managed engineers in projects for healthcare, educational and commercial buildings in the states of West Virginia, Florida, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Kentucky, Virginia, Georgia, New York, Arizona, Illinois and Massachusetts.

Jim has extensive experience in energy savings' programs for lighting, HVAC, plumbing and electrical systems in state and government office buildings, hospitals, school systems, and manufacturing facilities, as well as managing performance contracts for a large facility's campus in Georgia that included the conception, design and construction administration for the installation of a 1.5 Megawatt emergency generator to provide peak shaving/load shedding to save on the campus utility costs as well as provide emergency power to the facility. Through the years, Jim has researched and implemented into practice International Building Codes, NFPA Codes, National Electrical Codes, Life Safety Codes, IES standards, AIA Guidelines for Design and Construction, and ADA guidelines. His involvement in construction through the years has been mainly from the design side of the industry with a 9 year stint working for a contracting firm at the turn of this century. His experience includes coordinating with Architects, Owners and Agencies including an excellent relationship with the office of State Fire Marshal.

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#### GOVERNMENT/COMMERCIAL PROJECT EXPERIENCE

- **Bluefield Area Transit Authority** Administration and Maintenance Facility
- Kentucky Judicial Center, Boyd County
- CAMC Various Labs
- **Chief Medical Examiners Office** Lodox Renovations
- Coal Heritage Highway Authority
- Chase Towers (formerly Charleston National Bank)
- Culture Center Fire Alarm/Sprinklers, WV State Capitol Complex
- Department of Transportation Rest Area prototype
- **Department of Transportation Welcome** Center prototype
- Fenway Park Lightning Protection/ Grounding Study, Boston
- **Glenville State College**
- Hopemont Hospital, WVDHHR
- Jackie Withrow Hospital, WVDHHR
- Jackson County Libraries Renovations
- Kanawha County Commission Judicial **Annex Renovations**
- Laidley Towers
- Meadowbrook Rest Areas
- Morgantown Welcome Center
- Pocahontas County 911/EMS Center
- Redmond House, WVDOT

- Rhone-Poulenc New Admin. offices
- Robinson Grand Performing Arts Theatre
- Sacred Heart Pavilion and Daycare Ctr. •
- St. Patrick's Church
- Shawnee Park Clubhouse
- **Stonewall Jackson Marina Renovations**
- **Tucker County Board Office Boiler**
- Retrofit
- **Tucker County Courthouse Tyler County Courthouse**
- Tyler County 911 Center Net Zero
- University of Charleston Innovation Ctr
- William R. Sharpe, Jr. Hospital, WVDHHR
- World Trade Center, MD
- WV Air National Guard including Cx \$45M Fuel Cell/Maintenance Hangars at Yeager Airport – LEED Silver Certified
- WV Children's Home, WVDHHR
- WV Department of Military Affairs, Public Safety Maintenance Facility, Eleanor
- WV Department of Transportation Burnsville Rest Area and Domestic Water Pumping Station - AIA Merit Award Recipient
- WV State Capitol Complex Renovations to Buildings 1, 3, 4, 5 & 7
- White Sulphur Springs Welcome Center





#### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

Member of the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)



Member of the Health Care Section of the NFPA

Past Member of the Illuminating Engineering Society (IES)

Past member of the American Society of Plumbing Engineers (ASPE)

> Past member of the Institute of Electrical Engineers (IEE)

#### **OTHER RECOGNITIONS**

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## Paul O'Dell, PE

Paul has 30 plus years of engineering experience involving the analysis, design, project management, specifications' writing and construction management on many projects throughout the region. This experience includes heating, ventilation, air conditioning (HVAC), plumbing, electrical systems and lighting for governmental, commercial, educational, healthcare, industrial and military facilities. He also has knowledge and experience with indoor environmental quality assessment, recommended remedial work and design of the necessary modifications in various types of buildings.

Paul assisted in the design and implementation of the pilot project for one of the largest geothermal heat pump systems in the mid-Atlantic region. He has also been involved in the design of facilities that have received the Energy Star Certification placing them in the nation's top 25% in energy savings for similar buildings and systems as well as his contribution as part of a large team effort performing mechanical systems' retro-commissioning at numerous automotive manufacturing facilities in North America.

His project experience is wide-ranging and includes the development of scope, design criteria and budget conscious designs. Working with other design professionals and through rapport with the clients, he has conducted design peer reviews, construction budget and project schedule overview, Construction Administration and closeout of projects.

#### **GOVERNMENT/COMMERCIAL PROJECT EXPERIENCE**

- WVARNG Armory/Annex Bluefield
- WV Capitol Complex Central Bldg. #3 Renovations and Campus Central Boiler Plant
- Bruceton Bank
- Bank One
- Culture Center, WV State Capitol Complex
- Cuissets Residence
- Camp Dawson Barrack/Mess Hall
- DOT Huntington District II Headquarters Renovations
- Yeager Airport Terminal Expansion/ Renovation
- DOH Testing Lab
- GMC Assembly Plants in Lordstown OH, Janesville WI, Pontiac East MI, Bowling Green KY, Arlington TX
- Harrison County Bank
- IMC Office Bldg.
- Riverside High School Renovations
- Chief Medical Examiners Lodox CT Scanner Renovations
- Pocahontas County 911/EMS Center

- Kanawha County Commission, Judicial Annex Renovations
- Mercer County Courthouse
- Tyler County Courthouse Additions/ Renovations
- Tyler County 911 Center *NET ZERO*
- Appalachian Tire
- Laidley Towers
- Robinson Grand Performing Arts Theatre
- USDA Forestry Building
- University of Charleston Innovation Center Additions/Renovations
- World Trade Center, MD
- William R. Sharpe, Jr. Hospital Additions/Renovations, WVDHHR
- WV Capitol Complex Bldg. #3 Central Boiler Plant Additions/Renovations
- Numerous K-12 School Renovations including Clay, Grant, Harrison, Kanawha, Marion, McDowell, Mercer, Pleasants, Pocahontas, Putnam, Raleigh, Summers, Tucker, Tyler, Upshur, and Webster County Schools.





#### **PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATIONS**

Professional Engineer: West Virginia

#### **EDUCATION**

Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering from WV Institute of Technology, Montgomery, WV (Graduated Cum Laude)

#### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

Member American Society of Mechanical Engineers

Member ASHRAE

### AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS



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## Mark Estep, PE

Mark has over 33 years of experience and is responsible for the design of commercial, institutional, and industrial mechanical and electrical projects including Bldg. #35 Diamond Building **Renovations in 1999.** He works with architects, civil and structural engineers to coordinate design and construction documents. He is responsible for project specifications and submittal review. Mark holds Degrees in Engineering and Architectural Technology which provide more than engineered solutions. He designs solutions that incorporate essential and functional needs, as well as aesthetic, life-safety, and constructability considerations.

Before joining ZDS, Mark was the President and Principal Engineer of another firm where he provided mechanical and electrical engineering design and analysis for commercial construction projects and was responsible for acquiring new projects. He analyzes systems to determine best value solutions. He evaluates contractor equipment and material submittals as well as conducts on -site review of construction progress and quality.

### PERSONAL COMMERCIAL/GOVERNMENTAL PROJECT EXPERIENCE

- The Diamond Bldg. Renovations (Bldg. #35), Charleston
- Toyota Manufacturing Facility; multipurpose addition containing office spaces, medical treatment area, and weight room
- Berkeley County EMS; New Facility .
- **Buzz Food Processing Facility; New** 12,000 sf processing facility includes offices, refrigeration, and abattoir spaces
- Princeton War Memorial; HVAC Renovations
- Brickstreet Insurance Headquarters; 86,100 sf renovation
- Beckley PSD; 3 Water Storage Tanks; Sweeneysburg Water Treatment Plant
- Shops at Kanawha Plaza; extensive renovation and tenant fit-up project of 195,000 sf shopping center
- Huntington Museum of Art; HVAC . Renovations
- New Automobile Showrooms; two new showrooms with office and/or repair facilities
- First Bank of Charleston; New Building .
- Hargis Laundry Facilities; laundry facility renovations
- Harley Davidson; Store Renovations
- Shawnee Sports Complex; Six multi-. purpose fields and four baseball field complex with amenities
- Charleston Housing Authority; Lee • Terrace Boiler; Jarrett Terrace HVAC; Lee Terrace HVAC; Carroll Terrace Boiler; Little Page Boiler; Washington Manor Boiler; Switzer Center
- Clay County PSD; Water Storage Tank; Water Treatment Plant
- Upshur County Commission; Upshur **County Courthouse Addition**

- Putnam County Courthouse Complex; HVAC Replacement at the Sherriff's Office Building and the Main Courthouse Building
- Trans Canada: New Control Building
- Willow I & II and Elk Village Senior Centers; Three new two-story senior apartment buildings in multiple locations
- Raleigh County Airport; Runway Lighting Upgrade
- **Oglebay Lodge Renovations**
- Huntington Housing Authority; New 50 Unit Apartment Building; Administration **Building Renovations**
- Maranatha Fellowship Church; New • Annex Building
- Mount Olive Correctional Facility; Foundation Verification
- State of West Virginia Bioterrorism Lab; Upgraded existing mechanical and electrical systems to Bioterrorism facility to current federal standards
- Tyler County Courthouse Additions/ • Renovations
- WV Department of Transportation
- Kellys Creek Bridge Replacement, Cedar • Grove
- Marmet Pony Truss Bridge Replacement •
- WV Water Development Authority; New • Facility
- Dunbar Housing Authority; Dutch Hollow **HVAC** Replacement
- WV Hygienic Lab; HVAC & Electrical Upgrades
- WV Division of Motor Vehicles; Kanawha City
- Chief Medical Examiners Office Lodox Renovations





#### **PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATIONS**

**Professional Engineer:** 

West Virginia

#### EDUCATION

**Bachelor of Science Mechanical Engineering** WV Institute of Technology

**Bachelor of Science** Architectural Engineering Technology Associates of Science Mechanical Engineering Technology Fairmont State College





## David Cotton, PE, LEED AP BD +C





#### **PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATIONS**

**Professional Engineer:** West Virginia Maryland Virginia Ohio Pennsylvania

LEED AP BD+C Professional Accreditation **NCEES Record Certificate** 

### EDUCATION

**Bachelor of Science Mechanical Engineering** WV Institute of Technology

### **MEMBERSHIPS**

WV ASHRAE, Past President

National Fire Protection Association

WV Society of Healthcare Engineers

David is a professional Mechanical Engineer with over 18 years of experience in the design and construction of over 500 projects having construction values up to \$35 million. His commissioning/ design experience ranges from commercial, industrial, institutional, healthcare, education, restaurant, retail, government, airport, and recreational facilities.

David collaborates well with fellow engineers, architects, owners, contractors, code officials and vendors to meet the goals and objectives. As a project manager he successfully manages projects from start to finish in design, bidding, and construction administration.

#### PROJECT EXPERIENCE

- **Tyler County Courthouse** • Additions/Renovations
- Tyler County 911 Center Net Zero •
- New Clendenin Elem Commissioning
- Mabscott Elem Renovations/Cx .
- Independence Middle HVAC/Roof **Renovations and Commission**
- Harrison County 911/EMS Center
- Shady Spring Middle School . HVAC Renovations & Cx
- Maxwell Hill Elementary School . **HVAC Renovations & Cx**
- Braxton County 911/EMS Center .
- Saint Marys K-8 School Renovations •
- Tyler Consolidated MSHS Commissioning •
- Dominion Office Building LEED Gold
- Mon General Hospital Echo Renovations •
- Mon Health LTAC for Acuity
- **United Hospital Center POB** • 4th Floor Renovations
- Clarksburg Comprehensive . **Care Clinic Renovations**
- Jerry Dove Medical Office Building .
- Medbrook Building HVAC Replacement
- Pocahontas County 911/EMS Center •
- Mylan Pharmaceuticals
- **Beckley Police Station** .
- Doddridge County Athletic Complex •
- Boy Scouts of America, Rex W. Tillerson Leadership Center
- White Hall Public Safety Building
- Webster County 911/EMS Center

- Beitzel/Pillar Innovations Office Building
- Percival Hall Absorption Chiller and **Cooling Tower Replacement**
- Tyler Consolidated MS/HS Renovations and Commissioning
- Thrasher Engineering Office Building, Bridgeport
- Upshur County 911/EMS Center
- WVU Creative Arts Center Rehearsal Hall
- WVU Towers Dining Hall Renovations •
- WVU Athletic Performance Center
- HP Hood Addition/Renovations, • Winchester, VA
- Dominion Office Building, Delmont, PA •
- University of Pittsburgh Softball Practice Facility
- Westmoreland Community and Technical College, Indiana, PA
- WVU Biomedical Research Facility
- WVU Milan Puskar Locker Room Renovations
- NOAA GOES-R Supercomputing Center, Fairmont, WV
- WV Capitol Complex Bldg. #3 & #4 **Renovations and Commissioning**
- **Renaissance Academy** Morgantown, WV
- City of Bridgeport WWTO
- VA Medical Center; Audiology Task Lab Clarksburg, WV

- WVU Alumni Center

## Vineel Busa, PE, MSME

Vineel is a professional Mechanical Engineer with a Masters Degree in Mechanical Engineering and over 7 years experience in HVAC & Refrigeration. He is a technically sophisticated engineering professional with a solid history of effective integration, and deployment of HVAC systems and significant experience in designing, commissioning and implementing efficient HVAC systems for various commercial, healthcare and educational facilities.

Vineel is knowledgeable on HVAC systems, Heat Transfer, Refrigeration and Thermodynamic specializing in HVAC heating and cooling load calculations, Psychrometric and hydronic analyses and Energy modeling. He has applied that foundation in the MEP industry, manufacturing industry and the commercial industry. Vineel has a comprehensive knowledge of mechanical systems, principles and applications.

He is experienced hands-on in designing Variable Refrigerant Flow systems, Steam Systems, hydronic systems, Geothermal systems and Building Automation Systems. He is also proficient in Revit, AutoCAD, IESVE, Navisworks, and Autodesk Recap. Vineel is experienced in utilizing point clouds in the development of Scan to Building Information Modeling (BIM) and performing 3D scanning. Vineel is well-versed in technical specification writings and development of construction drawings. He has hands-on experience in performing Functional Performance Testing in leading Commissioning projects.

#### **PROJECT EXPERIENCE**

- WV Chief Medical Examiners Lodox CT Scanner Renovations, Commissioning
- WV Capitol Complex Campus Heating System Renovations Buildings #1, #3, #4, #5 and #7 over multiple phases
- WV State Capitol Complex Bldg. #3 Renovations & Bldg. #4 Commissioning
- Roane General Hospital Commissioning
- Veteran Administration Clarksburg Hospital Mechanical BIM
- Veteran Administration Huntington Hospital Mechanical-Electrical BIM
- Kanawha County Judicial Building Renovations/Commissioning EPAct Qualified
- Marshall University—Jomie Jazz HVAC Renovations
- New Bluefield Elementary School Commissioning
- Clay County High School Commissioning EPAct Qualified
- New Clendenin Elementary Commissioning
- North Fork Elementary School HVAC/Roof Renovations, 3D Scanning, Scan-to-BIM and Commissioning *EPAct Qualified*
- Pendleton County Middle/High School HVAC/Roof Renovations, 3D Scanning, Scan-to-BIM and Commissioning - *EPAct Qualified*
- New 911 Center high performance "Net Zero" facility and Commissioning
- Tyler County Courthouse Additions/Renovations and Commissioning
- Riverside High School HVAC/Lighting Renovations Energy Star
- New Spencer Middle School Commissioning
- New Clendenin Elementary School Commissioning
- WVARNG Brushfork Armory HVAC Renovations EPAct Qualified
- St. Marys High School Renovations
- Raleigh County Schools: 4 Schools Renovations & Commissioning
- New Stratton Elementary School Commissioning

Pocahontas County 911/EMS Center



#### **PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATIONS**

Professional Engineer: West Virginia

#### **EDUCATION**

VIT University Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering

University of Cumberlands

Working on PhD in Project Management

#### AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

Certified by ASHRAE in

HVAC Design Essentials & Applications





## Mike Chancey, PE, LEED AP

Mike has over 35 years of experience in electrical design and project management for industrial, commercial, residential, institutional, educational and recreational facilities. Building system design includes lighting, site lighting, power distribution, communications, surveillance, access control, and fire protection. Past accomplishments include design and construction administration of health care facilities, schools, municipal, sports, commercial and retail facilities.

#### PERSONAL PROJECT EXPERIENCE

- Jefferson Co., OH Courthouse Courtroom Renovations
- Mon Co. Courthouse Entry Plaza
- Morgantown Public Safety Building
- Whitehall Public Safety Building
- Pocahontas Co. Courthouse Lighting Upgrade
- Davis & Elkins College Hermanson Center Renovations, Elkins, WV
- Clarksburg Aquatic Center, Clarksburg, WV
- Harrison County Recreation Complex 4-H Center, Bridgeport, WV
- East Marion Pool Renovations, Fairmont, WV
- WVU Mountaineer Station Phase II, Morgantown, WV
- WVU Wrestling Locker Room
  Renovation, Morgantown, WV
- WVU Milan Puskar Stadium Ad Board Upgrades, Morgantown, WV
- WVUH Residential Treatment Center at Mylan Park, Morgantown, WV
- WVU Milan Puskar Stadium (AD) Athletic
  Director's Suite Renovations, Morgantown, WV
- WVU Marina Tower Fitout, Morgantown, WV
- WVU Honors Dormitory, Morgantown, WV

- WVU CAC Rehearsal Hall, Morgantown, WV
- WVU Visitor's Resource Center, Morgantown, WV
- WVU College Park Apartments, Morgantown, WV
- Boy Scouts of America, Rex W. Tillerson Leadership Center, Glen Jean, WV
- Mountaineer Medical Office Building, Bridgeport, WV
- Morgantown Event Center, Morgantown, WV
- Morgantown Event Center Parking Garage, Morgantown, WV
- The Health Plan, Wheeling, WV
- West Virginia State Police, Fairmont, WV
- White Hall Public Safety Building, White Hall, WV
- Pocahontas Co. Courthouse Lighting Upgrade, Marlinton, WV
- Mon County Extension Building, Morgantown, WV
- Beckley Police Department, Beckley, WV
- Beckley Fire Station # 3, Beckley, WV
- Morgantown Public Safety Building, Morgantown, WV
- Mon County Courthouse Plaza, Morgantown, WV





#### PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATIONS

Professional Engineer: West Virginia 013460 Maryland 44965 Virginia 0402057390 Ohio 61654 Pennsylvania PE080088 LEED Professional Accreditation

#### **EDUCATION**

Bachelor of Science Electrical Engineering WV Institute of Technology

#### **MEMBERSHIPS**

National Society of Professional Engineers WV Society of Professional Engineers WV American Institute of Architect



**EDUCATION** Boston Architectural Center Bachelor of Architecture

Williams College Bachelor of Arts

#### EXPERIENCE

40 years

#### PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATIONS

- Architecture: PA
- LEED Accredited Professional
- National Council of Architectural Registration Boards (NCARB)

#### MEMBERSHIPS

- American Institute of Architects
- Chair Board of Appeals, Pittsburgh
  Department of Permits, Licensing, and
  Inspections
- Facilities Committee and Board Member, Carnegie Libraries of Pittsburgh
- Design Review Committee, Riverlife
  Pittsburgh
- Buildings and Grounds Committee, The Frick Pittsburgh

### Joel Bernard AIA, LEED AP, NCARB

Principal, CFO

Mr. Bernard began his professional career in 1984. He is currently a principal architect in the firm. He has worked on a broad range of project types, including renovations and new construction for universities, and roof replacements and renovations for civic, workplace, and k-12. In addition to being an active member of the Pittsburgh Chapter of the American Institute of Architects, Mr. Bernard also holds National Council of Architectural Registration Boards (NCARB) certification and is a LEED Accredited Professional.

#### Pittsburgh Ballet Theatre, Byham Center for Dance - Existing Building Roofing, Window, and Door Renovations | Pittsburgh, PA Project Completion: 2020

Role: Principal in Charge

IKM renovated the existing 26,600 SF building to provide a weather-tight envelope that allows the ballet to focus on production of their performances. Construction was split into two phases to account for the cold Pittsburgh winter. The roof was replaced in the warmer months of autumn, and the mechanical upgrades and window and door replacements occurred the following spring.

#### Duquesne University - First Floor Administration Renovations | Pittsburgh, PA Project Completion: 2023

Role: Principal in Charge

Phase II of the Duquesne Admissions project is an extension of Phase 1, which IKM also completed, that adds spaces for group discussion, private discussion and one on one interactions. Masonry bearing walls were removed and replaced with a glass entry to create a strong visual connection within the department making a perfect space for pre and post event gatherings. The spaces are designed to make it easy for the staff and student volunteers to organize and convey information about the university.

#### Westinghouse Electric Company 301/302 Roof Replacement | Pittsburgh, PA

Project Completion: 2012 Role: Principal in Charge Programming and design services for 27,000 square feet of a series of relocated laboratories associated with reactor life cycle testing of components. Labs included Chemistry, Furnace Creep, Electron Optics, Testing and Balance, Autoclave, and a full-service machine shop. Critical to the project scope was full window replacement and thermal/vapor building envelope for stabilization of critical lab environments.

#### Butler Area School District High School Roof Butler, PA

Project Completion: 2023 Role: Principal in Charge New construction for a classroom addition and renovation to the existing building consisting of roughly 34,000 SF.

#### Butler Area School District Center Township & Northwest Roof Replacement | Butler, PA

Project Completion: 2023 Role: Principal in Charge IKM performed on-call A/E Services which included a roof replacement study.

#### Pittsburgh Public Schools - Clayton School Roof Replacement | Pittsburgh, PA

Project Completion: 2005 Role: Principal in Charge IKM performed a study for Pittsburgh Public Schools for a roof replacement of the Clayton School.



**EDUCATION** *Carnegie Mellon University* Bachelor of Architecture

#### EXPERIENCE

56 years

#### **PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATIONS**

- Architecture: PA
- LEED Accredited Professional
- National Council of Architectural Registration Boards (NCARB)

#### **MEMBERSHIPS**

American Institute of Architects (AIA)

### Fred Watts AIA, NCARB, LEED AP

QA/QC Specialist

Mr. Watts brings extensive experience with distinguished firms in the Pittsburgh Region to his practice. With over 55 years in the Industry, he has a vast knowledge of multiple disciplines including higher education, K-12 education, public facilities, and historic preservation.

#### Butler Area School District High School Roof Butler, PA

Project Completion: 2023 Role: QA/QC Specialist New construction for a classroom addition and renovation to the existing building consisting of roughly 34,000 SF.

#### **UPMC NHPSV Roofing System Replacement** *Pittsburgh, PA*

Project Completion: 2022 Role: QA/QC Specialist Renovation to the existing building which included a roof replacement.

## **UPMC WPIC Roof Replacement** | *Pittsburgh, PA*

Project Completion: 2020 Role: QA/QC Specialist Roof replacement including window washing davits.

#### **Carlow University Curran Level 2 Renovations** *Pittsburgh, PA*

Project Completion: 2020 Role: QA/QC Specialist Renovations to the space including finishes, plumbing, electrical, and AV coordination.

#### Carnegie Mellon University Wean Lobby Renovations | Pittsburgh, PA

Project Completion: 2018 Role: QA/QC Specialist A lobby renovation project that transformed a secluded and imposing entry into a fresh and vibrant student portal used heavily by students to connect to other buildings.

#### Duquesne University - First Floor Administration Renovations | Pittsburgh, PA Project Completion: 2023

*Role: QA/QC Specialist* Phase II of the Duquesne Admissions project is an extension of Phase 1, which IKM also completed, that adds spaces for group discussion, private discussion and one on one interactions. Masonry bearing walls were removed and replaced with a glass entry to create a strong visual connection within the department making a perfect space for pre and post event gatherings. The spaces are designed to make it easy for the staff and student volunteers to organize and convey information about the university.

#### Pittsburgh Ballet Theatre, Byham Center for Dance - Existing Building Roofing, Window, and Door Renovations | *Pittsburgh*, *PA*

Project Completion: 2020 Role: QA/QC Specialist

IKM renovated the existing 26,600 SF building to provide a weather-tight envelope that allows the ballet to focus on production of their performances. Construction was split into two phases to account for the cold Pittsburgh winter. The roof was replaced in the warmer months of autumn, and the mechanical upgrades and window and door replacements occurred the following spring.



EDUCATION

Kent State University Master of Architecture Bachelor of Science

#### **EXPERIENCE**

17 years

#### **PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATIONS**

- Architecture: PA
- National Council of Architectural Registration Boards (NCARB)

## Jason Shymoniak RA, NCARB

**Project Architect** 

Mr. Shymoniak is a Project Architect with 17 years of experience working on a variety of projects from initial planning and design through completion of construction. He has experience working with various clients including higher education. In addition, he collaborates effectively with engineering consultants to execute a successful project.

#### **UPMC NHPSV Roofing System Replacement** *Pittsburgh, PA*

Project Completion: 2022 Role: Project Architect / Project Manager Renovation to the existing building which included a roof replacement.

## **UPMC WPIC Roof Replacement** | *Pittsburgh, PA*

Project Completion: 2020 Role: Project Architect Roof replacement including window washing davits.

#### Carlow University Curran Level 2 Renovations Pittsburgh, PA

Project Completion: 2020 Role: Project Architect Renovations to the space including finishes, plumbing, electrical, and AV coordination.

#### Duquesne University - First Floor

Administration Renovations | Pittsburgh, PA Project Completion: 2023 Role: Project Architect Phase II of the Duquesne Admissions project is an extension of Phase 1, which IKM also completed, that adds spaces for group discussion, private discussion and one on one interactions. Masonry bearing walls were removed and replaced with a glass entry to create a strong visual connection within the department making a perfect space for pre and post event gatherings. The spaces are designed to make it easy for the staff and student volunteers to organize and convey information about the university.

#### Avonworth School District Middle School & High School Renovations | Pittsburgh, PA

Project Completion: Ongoing Role: Project Architect A 26,500 SF addition and 12,500 SF renovation to the existing building. A twenty-classroom addition to the combined campus of the middle school and high school allows 6th graders previously housed in the elementary facility to join 7th and 8th grade students.

## RESUMES

## **David Rush** PE

MECHANICAL ENGINEER

#### **EDUCATION**

University of Maryland, College Park Masters of Science Systems Engineering

University of Maryland, College Park Bachelor of Science Computer Science

Lehigh University Bachelor of Science Mechanical Engineering

#### **REGISTRATIONS**

Professional Engineer, MD



Since 2005, David Rush has served as a Project Manager / Senior Mechanical Engineer with the Facility Dynamics Engineering team on multiple projects throughout the Baltimore/Washington corridor. His focus has been on educational institutions extending from K-12, higher education facilities including science buildings, cancer research, and laboratories.

He brings his 27 years of experience in Facilities Management/Engineering and Controls Engineering to every project along with a dedicated attention to detail and fiscal project approach. As a former steward of public monies in his role as a Senior Mechanical Engineer for the UMCP Department of Facilities Management, he values where dollars are spent on projects and understands the importance of doing every task with purpose and intent.

David has performed Analysis and Remedial Engineering of building HVAC and control systems for clients to determine if the systems are operating properly and complying with industry standards & local/national codes. He also assists colleagues with drawings, shop drawing review, field surveys and field testing as needed.

### **RELEVANT EXPERIENCE**

#### Mountain Valley Elementary School, Green Valley, WV

David, with ZDS Design, has led the Cx specification development and the Final Cx Plan for this Mercer County School.

#### Tyler Consolidated Middle/ High School, Sistersville, WV

David, with ZDS Design, has started the commissioning process for this Tyler County school with the development of CACEA, the Controls and Commissioning Engineering Application that FDE utilizes to execute Cx projects.

#### Ben Franklin Career and Technical Center, Dunbar, WV

With ZDS Design, David completed functional performance testing and finalized design PFCs for this adult educational center for high school students and adults.

#### Anne Arundel County Public Schools, Annapolis, MD

David has led the commissioning of 12 different replacement K-12 schools in the County including Lothian Elementary School and Annapolis High School.

#### Baltimore County Public Schools, Baltimore, MD

David has led the commissioning of seven different replacement K-12 schools in the County including Victory Villa Elementary School, Lutherville Elementary School and Lansdowne Elementary School.

## Mike Furst, PE, LEED AP

SENIOR MECHANICAL ENGINEER



#### **EDUCATION**

University of Maryland, College Park Bachelor of Science Mechanical Engineering

Johns Hopkins University Master of Science Environmental Sciences and Policy

#### **REGISTRATIONS**

Professional Engineer, MD

LEED Accredited Professional



With over 17 years of experience in the HVAC/Building Automation industry, Mike has provided mechanical commissioning services at a variety of facilities, including: detention facilities, laboratories, office buildings, educational institutions and hospitals.

Mike has AUTOCAD experience developing design and construction documentation with an emphasis in automatic temperature controls. His commissioning responsibilities have included, but are not limited to the following; design review commentary, submittal review commentary, specification development, functional testing of mechanical and plumbing systems and granting approval for final completion status.

He also has extensive experience working on LEED projects.

### **RELEVANT EXPERIENCE**

#### West Virginia University

Facility Dynamics Engineering has been a part of the West Virginia University projects since 2005, with over 20 projects. Mike Furst has directly commissioned the Puskar Center Renovation, the Hodges Hall, the College of Business and Economics, the Art Museum, and the Agricultural Science Building. Morgantown, WV

#### Princeton University

Mike provided commissioning services for the Lewis Center for the Arts, a three building complex that honors the role that the arts has on the campus. Mike commissioned from the design phase, through to the construction, acceptance and occupancy phases. Princeton, NJ

#### Swarthmore College

Mike served as the Project Manager for the commissioning of the Biology, Engineering and Psychology Building (Singer Hall). The 158,000 SF building served as an anchor for the north side of the campus and was recently completed in 2020. Washington, DC

#### American University

Mike served as the Project Manager for multiple projects including the East Campus Re-Commissioning, Spring Valley Building Renovation, the Washington College of Law. Washington, DC

## Carol A. Stevens, PE, F.ASCE

**Structural Engineer** 



#### **EDUCATION**

West Virginia University, BSCE, 1984 Chi Epsilon National Civil Engineering Honorary The Pennsylvania State University, ME Eng Sci, 1989

#### **PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATION**

P.E.	1990	Pennsylvania
P.E.	1991	West Virginia
P.E.	1994	Maryland
P.E.	2008	Ohio
P.E.	2010	Kentucky
P.E.	2013	Virginia

#### **BACKGROUND SUMMARY**

2001 – Present	President, Structural Engineer
	CAS Structural Engineering, Inc.
1999 – 2001	Structural Engineer
	Clingenpeel/McBrayer & Assoc, Inc.
1996 – 1999	Transportation Department Manager
	Structural Engineer
	Chapman Technical Group, Inc.
1995 – 1996	Structural Engineer
	Alpha Associates, Inc.
1988 – 1995	Structural Department Manager
	Structural Engineer
	NuTec Design Associates, Inc.
1982 – 1988	Engineer
	AAI Corporation, Inc.

#### **PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**

American Society of Civil Engineers National Society of Professional Engineers American Concrete Institute American Institute of Steel Construction West Virginia University Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering Advisory Committee West Virginia University Institute of Technology Department of Civil Engineering Advisory Committee

#### **EXPERIENCE**

**West Virginia, WVU Woodburn Hall:** Structural repairs to clock tower of 1870's building on Downtown Campus at WVU. Clock tower was moved from Martin Hall in 1910. Building is on the National Register of Historic Places.

West Virginia, WVU Martin Hall: Structural repairs to wooden octagonal cupola of 1870 building, the first building constructed at Woodburn Circle at WVU. Building is on the National Register of Historic Places.

West Virginia, Marshall University Morrow Library: Performed evaluation of existing structural floor system and developed options to upgrade system.

West Virginia, West Virginia State University Phase II Housing: Designed foundations and roof framing for new university housing unit.

West Virginia, Sharpe Hospital HVAC Renovations: Designed framing for piping enclosures, tank and generator foundations, cooling tower foundations, steel structure support and other miscellaneous support designs and analyses for complete redesign of HVAC systems in existing facility.

#### West Virginia, Robinson Grand Theatre Restoration:

Completed analysis and design for complete restorations of historic theatre. Project also included design of large two-story addition for dressing rooms and conference space. Another two-story addition included a stair tower and electrical rooms. Both additions were supported on deep foundations and grade beams with structural slabs. Building is on the National Register of Historic Places.

West Virginia, Logan Middle: Structural analysis for HVAC upgrades.

West Virginia, Western Greenbrier Middle School: Structural analysis for HVAC upgrades.

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West Virginia, Logan High School: Structural analysis for HVAC upgrades.

West Virginia, Smoot Elementary School: Structural analysis for HVAC upgrades.

West Virginia, Chamberlain Elementary School: Structural analysis for HVAC upgrades.

West Virginia, Hamlin PK-8 School: Structural analysis for HVAC upgrades.

West Virginia, Mabscott Elementary School: Structural analysis for HVAC upgrades.

West Virginia, Maxwell Hill Elementary School: Structural analysis for HVAC upgrades.

West Virginia, Shady Spring Middle School: Structural analysis for HVAC upgrades.

West Virginia, Independence Middle School: Structural analysis for HVAC upgrades.

West Virginia, Geary Elementary School: Structural design for modifications for new safe school entry.

West Virginia, Duval PK-8 School: Evaluation of structural elements of school for repairs or replacement.

West Virginia, Elkins High School: Structural evaluation report.

West Virginia, Chapmanville Primary School: Structural analysis for HVAC upgrades.

West Virginia, Mountain View Elementary HVAC: Structural analysis for HVAC upgrades. West Virginia, Mabscott Elementary School: Structural analysis for HVAC upgrades.

West Virginia, Maxwell Hill Elementary School: Structural analysis for HVAC upgrades.

West Virginia, Independence Middle School: Structural analysis for HVAC upgrades.

**West Virginia, George Washington High School:** Structural design of additions including 3-story classroom addition, new commons area and auxiliary gymnasium.

West Virginia, Sissonville High School: Structural design of auxiliary gymnasium for Kanawha County Schools.

West Virginia, Herbert Hoover High School: Structural design of new gymnasium for Kanawha County Schools.

West Virginia, Nitro High School: Structural design of new gymnasium for Kanawha County Schools.

West Virginia, South Charleston High School: Structural design of new gymnasium for Kanawha County Schools.

West Virginia, Logan Elementary School: Repairs to roof structure from wind damage.

West Virginia, Spencer Middle School: Structural design of new middle school.

West Virginia, Pendleton County MS/HS: Structural analysis for HVAC upgrades.

West Virginia, Chapmanville Middle School: Structural analysis for HVAC upgrades.

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#### EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science, University of Charleston, 1987

#### CERTIFICATIONS

Building Inspection Procedures & Management Planner, University of Cincinnati (AHES Certification, Ohio Department of Health)

Contractor/Supervisor, Asbestos Abatement Practices, University of Cincinnati

Asbestos Abatement Project Designer, University of Cincinnati (Project Designer Certification, Ohio Department of Health)

NIOSH 582 Method, Sampling and Evaluating Airborne Asbestos Dust, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

## christopher a. belcher

### PRESIDENT

Mr. Belcher's primary responsibility is ensuring that the operations of Pinnacle Environmental Consultants, Inc. are accomplished in a professional and efficient manner. As president of Pinnacle, Mr. Belcher provides guidance and leadership to Pinnacle's technical staff. His input is required when evaluating new technologies, or other significant changes to Pinnacle's current operating methods. Mr. Belcher has thirty-six years of project design and project management experience in the environmental consulting industry.

Other day to day responsibilities include building inspection procedures, asbestos abatement monitoring protocols, preparing job proposals, new account development, strategic planning, client base analysis, sales administration, presenting seminars, and technical editing of reports and related documentation.

Mr. Belcher has been involved with the inspection, design and monitoring for removal of largescale asbestos abatement projects, mold remediation projects, lead-based paint abatement, PCB remediation and mercury decontamination. Mr. Belcher's expertise is identifying the scope of work, relating the scope of work to bidders and managing the project for large or complex projects.

Mr. Belcher has developed and continually monitors administrative systems which allow for the efficient management and tracking of project related data, from inception of the contract through completion of project reports and billings. In addition, Mr. Belcher often provides innovative and unique input towards solutions to situations pertaining to personnel, market evaluations, and project planning.

#### RELEVANT PROJECT EXPERIENCE

#### University of Charleston - Innovation Center renovation project

Comprehensive pre-renovation asbestos inspection, project specifications and contractor bidding, coordination of work between asbestos abatement and general contractor, project oversight and management.

#### Kanawha County Public Library – Major renovation project

Comprehensive pre-renovation asbestos inspection, project specifications and contractor bidding, coordination of work with KCPL, owner's representative and general contractor, project oversight and management.



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#### **EDUCATION**

Associates Degree of Science, Community College of the Air Force, 1986

#### CERTIFICATIONS

Building Inspection Procedures & Management Planner, University of Cincinnati (AHES Certification, Ohio Department of Health)

Contractor/Supervisor, Asbestos Abatement Practices, University of Cincinnati (AHAS Certification, Ohio Department of Health)

## michael d. strine

### VICE PRESIDENT

Mr. Strine's Primary responsibility is insuring that Pinnacle Environmental Consultants, Inc. operations are accomplished in a professional and efficient manner. As Vice President of Pinnacle, Mr. Strine provides guidance and leadership to Pinnacle's technical staff for the successful completion of specific project requirements. His input is required when determining personnel assignments based on the requirement of a particular project.

Mr. Strine is responsible for evaluating building inspection procedures and asbestos abatement monitoring protocols, preparing job proposals, new account development, and assisting the President with strategic planning. Responsible for the management of Pinnacle's administrative support personnel.

Mr. Strine has extensive experience managing projects involving asbestos, lead and PCB-related issues a wide variety of industrial, commercial and privately owned facilities for thirty-six years. Projects have included work in schools, public buildings, and high rise structures, both occupied and vacant. Development and implementation asbestos inspections of numerous multi-facility sites, including inspection and sampling strategies designed to provide the most cost effective and efficient evaluation of the sites. Conducted OSHA required training programs for compliance lead and asbestos construction standards.

Mr. Strine has significant experience with presentations of information related to environmental concerns to owners, property managers, and media representatives. Experienced in managing a crisis scenario, which involved presentations of information to large audiences charged with high levels of anxiety regarding the safety and health of their children.

#### RELEVANT PROJECT EXPERIENCE

#### University of Charleston - Innovation Center renovation project

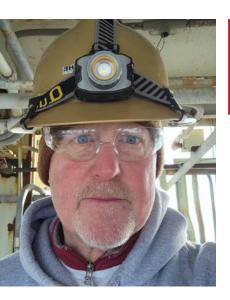
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#### Kanawha County Public Library – Major renovation project

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#### **EDUCATION**

B.S. Geology, The College of William and Mary in Virginia, 1985

CERTIFICATIONS OSHA HAZWOPER certified

Building Inspection Procedures & Management Planner, University of Cincinnati (AHES Certification, Ohio Department of Health)

Contractor/Supervisor, Asbestos Abatement Practices, The Inservice Training Network (AHAS Certification, Ohio Department of Health)

## stephen I. brenner

### PROJECT MANAGER

Mr. Brenner has thirty-three years of experience as a Geologist/Field Project Manager with training and experience in Environmental Site Assessments, Hydrogeological Investigations and contamination Exposure Assessments. His field experience includes UST removal and closures, drilling oversight and well installation; soil, groundwater, wastewater and air emissions sampling; and subsurface remediation pilot testing. His project management experience includes Phase I and II Environmental Site Assessments, Contamination Assessments and Corrective Action Plans. Mr. Brenner also has experience in remediation system design and installation; analytical data review, air emission assessments; exposure assessments and compliance permitting issues.

Mr. Brenner has performed Phase I and Phase II pre-acquisition site assessments on industrial facilities, commercial complexes, undeveloped property, fill sites, and residential properties. The Phase I assessments have involved on-site inspections, photo-documentation, aerial photo inspection, Sanborn map reviews, historical data collection, soils surveys, geologic map review and regulatory database searches according to ASTM Standard E–1527. The Phase II assessments have involved the collection of soil, groundwater, sludge, and waste samples.

Mr. Brenner has performed complex asbestos inspections at large industrial, commercial and professional sports stadiums. The industrial sites range from power plants to vacant manufacturing plant buildings and the commercial experience is high-rise towers, former manufacturing buildings being converted to housing and schools. In addition, Mr. Brenner has provided on-site project management during large-scale asbestos abatement projects that involved contractor compliance with the project specifications and regulatory requirements, asbestos and lead exposure assessments and final visual inspections and final clearance air sampling.

#### RELEVANT PROJECT EXPERIENCE

University of Charleston - Innovation Center renovation project

Comprehensive pre-renovation asbestos inspection, project specifications and contractor bidding, coordination of work between asbestos abatement and general contractor, project oversight and management.

#### Kanawha County Public Library – Major renovation project

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# SECTION V.

## References

**Client Testimonial Letters** 





## **ZDS** Design/Consulting Services

<u>Gary Boyd</u>, Director of Facility Services, *University of Charleston & WVU*: (304) 357-4871, garyboyd@ucwv.edu; worked on projects at both WVU and University of Charleston involving MEP systems since 1990's.

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**Ron Adkins,** Director of Construction, WVDHHR, (304) 957-0205 or (304) 634-9379. Former Construction Manager for WVANG and current Construction Mgr. for many projects with WVDHHR.

<u>Bill Elswick</u>, MBA, CEO, former Dir. of Facilities Planning and Mgt, *WVU-Tech, Ohio University, Washington & Lee University, CAMC*, (304) 542-8877

IKM Architecture <u>Rob Dobish</u>, Executive Director Facility Manager, *Duquesne University*, (412) 396-4781, dobish@duq.edu. Ron Leibow, Director, Capital Project Management, *University of Pittsburgh*, (412) 383-1284, rel11@pitt.edu.

David H. Williams, Director of Physical Plant, St. Francis University, (814) 472-3107, dwilliams@francis.edu.

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### Facility Dynamic Engineering

**<u>RobJacly McCormick</u>**, Ast. Director Construction Mgt, Virginia Commonwealth University, (804) 827-3839, jmccormick@vcu.edu.

Ed Feeley, Princeton University, (609)-273-3722

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### **Pinnacle Environmental Services**

<u>Gary Boyd</u>, Director of Facility Services, *University of Charleston & WVU*: (304) 357-4871, garyboyd@ucwv.edu

Scott Whitewer, QHSE Manager, APG Polytech, LLC, (304) 576-4077

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## Boyd, Gary MA, CEFP

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To Whom It May Concern

With well earned respect I would like to recommend ZDS as a high quality MEP design firm.

I have had multiple opportunities to work on highly technical projects with Todd Zachwieja and his team of skilled engineers. The first project that I had the opportunity to work with ZDS was a WVU project that connected several older chillers to develop a chilled water loop on the downtown campus. The project included piping through congested areas, load calculations, differential pressure and pump control, and load balancing. This project was designed to become a phased approach to a central chiller plant which is now in operation. The project was efficiently managed and the performance exceeded expectations. As the system changed and older chillers were removed from the loop, Todd always responded to questions and concerns to insure a positive outcome for the overall objective.

At present I am working with ZDS on a University of Charleston project constructing a new Innovation Center and Athletic Complex. ZDS has accommodated many twist and changes to this project. We are on track to open the new facility in December of this year. I have found Todd and his team to be highly responsive and professional.

Sincerely,

Dany X. Bay

Boyd, Gary MA, CEFP Director of Facilities University of Charleston



Michael Pickens 172 Oak Street Dunbar, WV 25064 (304) 400-9993

#### **RE: ZDS Design/Consulting Services**

I have had the privilege to work with ZDS Design/Consulting Services' principals and many of their staff since working at the School Building Authority in the 1990's in my roles at the School Building Authority to my current role as Executive Director of the Office of School Facilities at the West Virginia Department of Education.

When an emergency issue arose, they would immediately make themselves available to help. ZDS's principal, Todd Zachwieja, did not hesitate to board a helicopter during a weekend to help assess the damage to the State's school facilities when damaging floods occurred. Helicopters were the only way to reach many of the facilities because the roads had been washed away or were impassible. Anytime a challenging issue has arisen that no one knew how to resolve, ZDS has stepped up to solve the challenges. Their extensive engineering knowledge of energy efficient systems, HVAC, controls, lighting, power and plumbing systems has always been at the leading edge in the industry, providing innovative solutions that also minimize energy and operating costs. I have always considered their approach in engineering design and commissioning for buildings to be the best and would highly recommend them to anyone.

Their ability to work with the State Fire Marshal and other agencies – while guiding everyone to a practical design approach – always provided each project with the best value. They are much more than excellent design engineers; they also understand the importance of operating and maintaining equipment and have hands-on knowledge to troubleshoot and also commission to ensure our projects were a great success. Their combined engineering design and commission skills prove to be invaluable.

ZDS Design/Consulting Services was also selected to help the WV Department of Education and the School Building Authority in writing new codes and standards to raise the bar for the entire State. They were chosen because their projects were a success while we were having challenges with others. Todd Zachwieja was also asked to teach school facility staff members, and his reference books continue to be used today. I would always think of ZDS first whenever a challenge would occur, knowing I would get the best results possible.

I trust ZDS's staff in their technical expertise and their approach in solving challenging engineering issues and believe that anyone who uses them will be as satisfied as I have been. They are worth it!

Sincerely,

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Michael E. Pickens



### **ELSWICK & ASSOCIATES, LLC**

To Whom It May Concern:

I am distinctly honored to provide this letter of recommendation for ZDS Design/Consulting Services to your organization. I have known ZDS's principals and many of their staff since working with Ted and Todd Zachwieja at West Virginia Institute of Technology located in Montgomery, WV, from the 1970's, while I was the Physical Plant Director there. That relationship continues through today. Their knowledge of energy efficient systems related to Heating, Ventilating, and Air-Conditioning (HVAC), Building Automation Systems (BAS), lighting, power distribution, and plumbing systems has always been at the cutting edge of the industry. They have routinely provided innovative solutions to complex design challenges while minimizing energy and operating costs and enhancing maintenance efficiency. I have always considered their approach to engineering design and commissioning systems first for higher education, hospitals and schools to be superior and I would recommend them to anyone.

Throughout my career I have continued my working relationship with Ted and Todd Zachwieja and Jim Watters while I was Director of Facilities Management at Charleston Area Medical Center (CAMC), General Division, located in Charleston, WV. During that time, they provided mechanical, electrical, and plumbing (MEP), engineering, and construction administration services for all areas of CAMC's facilities. Their knowledge of health care code and practical design approach always provided the uniqueness required for the scope of the work. They understood the importance of operating and maintaining equipment and used their hands-on knowledge to ensure all our projects were on schedule and within budget. As a matter of fact, Todd led the first energy services performance contract in West Virginia. Through Todd's leadership, CAMC saved in excess of \$800,000.00 annually in energy costs and those savings were used for mechanical, electrical, and infrastructure upgrades at all three CAMC divisions. Ted, Todd, and Jim also assisted in many other projects at all CAMC divisions, including commissioning the work implemented as part of the energy savings program. Their combined engineering design and commissioning skills proved to be invaluable.

I also worked with ZDS Design/Consulting Services while I was Director of Facilities, Planning and Management at Washington & Lee University in the 1990's. They designed, acted as the construction project manager and commissioned the campus chilled water plant and distribution system to address the needs of the growing campus while fast tracking the project from start to finish in just nine months. I would always think of ZDS first whenever I was faced with a challenge, knowing that I would get the best technical expertise available.

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Likewise, ZDS helped establish one of the first performance contracting programs in the State of Ohio's higher education system for Ohio University, saving the Athens campus millions annually while the savings were used for the mechanical, electrical and building automation improvements to generate the savings.

I have the utmost confidence in the technical expertise, the collaborative approach and ethical standards of ZDS Design/Consulting Services. Furthermore, these individuals are truly honorable professionals. In this regard, if you have questions or need additional information, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

C.C.

Bill Elswick, MBA, CEO



# SECTION VI.

## Attachments

State of WV Agency Expression of Interest

**Signature Certification** 





#### State of West Virginia Agency Expression of Interest Architect/Engr

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#### **BID RECEIVING LOCATION**

WEST VIRGINIA STATE UNIVERSITY 5000 FAIRLAWN AVENUE FERRELL HALL RM 301 INSTITUTE WV 25112

#### VENDOR

Vendor Customer Code: 000000208495

Vendor Name : ZDS Limited Liability Company dba ZDS Design/Consulting Services

Address : 135 Corporate Center Drive, Suite 532

Street :

**City : Scott Depot** 

State : WV

**Country : USA** 

Zip: 25560

Principal Contact : Ted (Todd) A. Zachwieja

Vendor Contact Phone: (304) 755-0075

Extension: 1001

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT THE BUYER Jerry D Rush 304-766-3009 jerry.rush@wvstateu.edu				
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#### **Extended Description:**

Expression of Interest Request

West Virginia State University is soliciting proposals for architectural/engineering design services and construction contract administration for renovations to be completed at Davis Fine Arts Center located at West Virginia State University, Institute, WV per the attached specifications and terms and conditions.

#### SIGNATURE/CERTIFICATION

DESIGNATED CONTACT: Vendor appoints the individual identified in this Section as the Contract Administrator and the initial point of contact for matters relating to this Contract.

Ted (Todd) A. Zachwieja, CEO, Principal (Name, Title)

(Printed Name and Title) <u>135 Corporate Center Drive, Suite 532, Scott Depot, WV 25560</u> (Address) (304) 755-0075, (304) 755-0076 (Phone Number) / (Fax Number) todd.zachwieja@zdsdesign.com (email address)

CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE: By signing below, or submitting documentation through e-mail, I certify that: I have reviewed this solicitation in its entirety; that I understand the requirements, terms and conditions, and other information contained herein; that this bid, offer or proposal constitutes an offer to the Commission/Institution that cannot be unilaterally withdrawn; that the product or service proposed meets the mandatory requirements contained in the solicitation for that product or service, unless otherwise stated herein; that the vendor accepts the terms and conditions contained in the solicitation, unless otherwise stated herein; that I am submitting this bid, offer or proposal for review and consideration; that I am authorized by the vendor to execute and submit this bid, offer, or proposal, or any documents related thereto on vendor's behalf; that I am authorized to bind the vendor in a contractual relationship; and that to the best of my knowledge, the vendor has properly registered with any State agency that may require registration.

By signing below, I further certify that I understand the Commission/Institution is requiring the vendor to follow the provisions of WV State Code 5A-3-62 which automatically voids certain contract clauses that violate State law.

ZDS Limited Liability Company, dba ZDS Design/Consulting Services

(Company) Principal, CEO (Authorized Signature) (Representative Name, Title) Ted (Todd) A. Zachwieja, Principal, CEO

(Printed Name and Title of Authorized Representative)

March 5, 2024

(Date)

(304) 755-0075, (304) 755-0076

(Phone Number) (Fax Number)