

# Stanford Law School

## Dynamic Campus Framework Plan



LOCATION Stanford, CA | DATES 2019 - Present | SIZE 200,000 SF

**Finding #8:** While there is consensus on the personality of SLS, the brand could be better reflected on campus as well as digitally, through the website and digital displays.

From User Experience

**Claude Harrington Student**

Claude is a second year student at SLS. Claude lives in Mungie and he finds himself in the Neukom Board room often, studying and seeing peers and friends.

**1. What They Do on Campus**

Go to class, study, eat, attend conferences & events, meet with faculty, receive career advice and go to student services

**2. What Spaces They Use**

Neukom study spaces, 2nd floor Isolation Zone, Law Lounge, Crocker, Cafe

**What Works:** Can reserve study space in Neukom, which is open, airy and professional

**What Doesn't:** Wants a student hub and a central place for announcements

**3. How Technology Supports Their Activities**

Uses website occasionally to find events, locate a faculty's office or use the room booking system

**What Works:** Room booking system works well

**What Doesn't:** Website hard to navigate, difficulty with classroom technology in some classes

**Shirin Sinner Faculty**

Shirin is an assistant Professor of Law. Her office is in Neukom, and a large chunk of her time is spent doing research, meeting with students, and teaching classes.

**1. What They Do on Campus**

Give lectures, meet with students in small groups or individually, conduct research, meet with other faculty, goes to Faculty Lounge

**2. What Spaces They Use**

Flat and tiered-seating classrooms, office conference & meeting rooms, Faculty Lounge

**What Works:** Common spaces to interact with other faculty and staff are important

**What Doesn't:** Art does not reveal the multi-cultural population and core mission at SLS

**3. How Technology Supports Their Activities**

Uses website occasionally for the room booking system, uses classroom technology & AV

**What Works:** Digital kiosks are a great way to broadcast current work

**What Doesn't:** Classroom technology set-up and use of whiteboard and projects simultaneously could be improved

**Mary McCutcheon Alumni**

Mary is an alumna at SLS. Living in the Bay Area, Mary comes to the Law School occasionally to give talks and lectures at the area events.

**1. What They Do on Campus**

Attends lectures as a guest speaker, comes to seminars occasionally and Alumni events, such as Alumni Weekend

**2. What Spaces They Use**

Flat and tiered-seating classrooms, Paul Brest Hall, Jones Courtyard

**What Works:** Paul Brest and area outside Mungie are nice, inviting places for Alumni events

**What Doesn't:** Locating events can be difficult sometimes, wayfinding lacking

**3. How Technology Supports Their Activities**

Uses website to find information on campus location, parking, alumni event information

**What Works:** Website has good information on alumni weekend - directory, hotel info, FAQ

**What Doesn't:** Digital kiosks on campus could be improved to help locate event and lecture spaces

## Defining the next era of planning and physical development

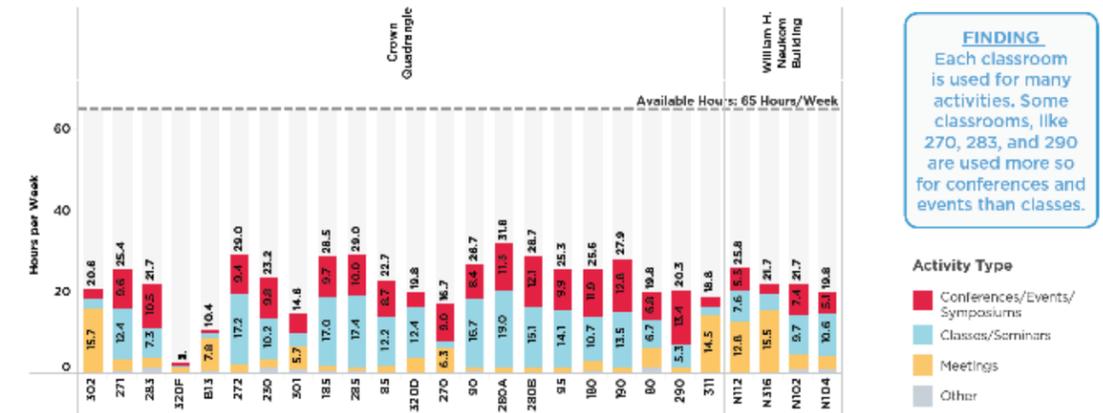
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- Data Analysis
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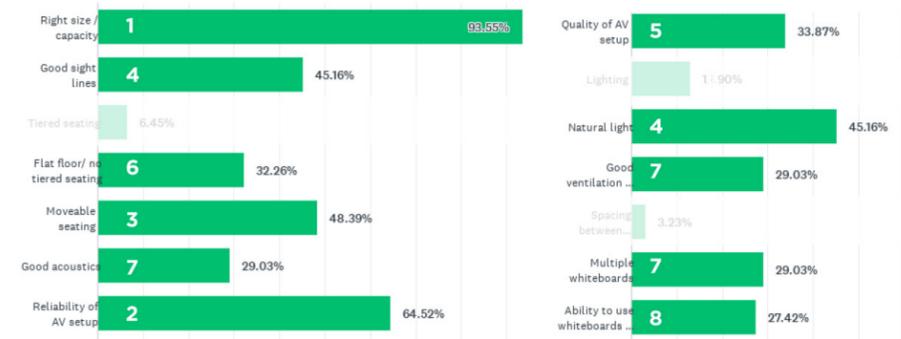
The 2020-21 year disrupted Stanford University's status quo notions about the nature of place in defining university campus life for students, faculty, and staff. Faced with new restrictions on campus growth and new policies limiting on-campus office assignments for staff, Stanford Law School wanted to explore innovative ways to capture room for student growth while addressing the evolving expectations of place within a smaller on-campus footprint -- during reopening and beyond.

Building on its 2008 and 2018 campus master plans, which included cultural, operational, environmental, and physical campus needs and strategies. MKThink is working with the Law School to understand and integrate relevant learnings from 2020-21 so that its future build program is flexible over time for an evolving set of staff and student needs. This includes expanding the Law School's sense of community, and its vision for a "healthy campus" to include programs to support social emotional health, equity, and inclusion, improved indoor air quality, collaboration, innovation and intra-student and staff experiences both on and off-campus.

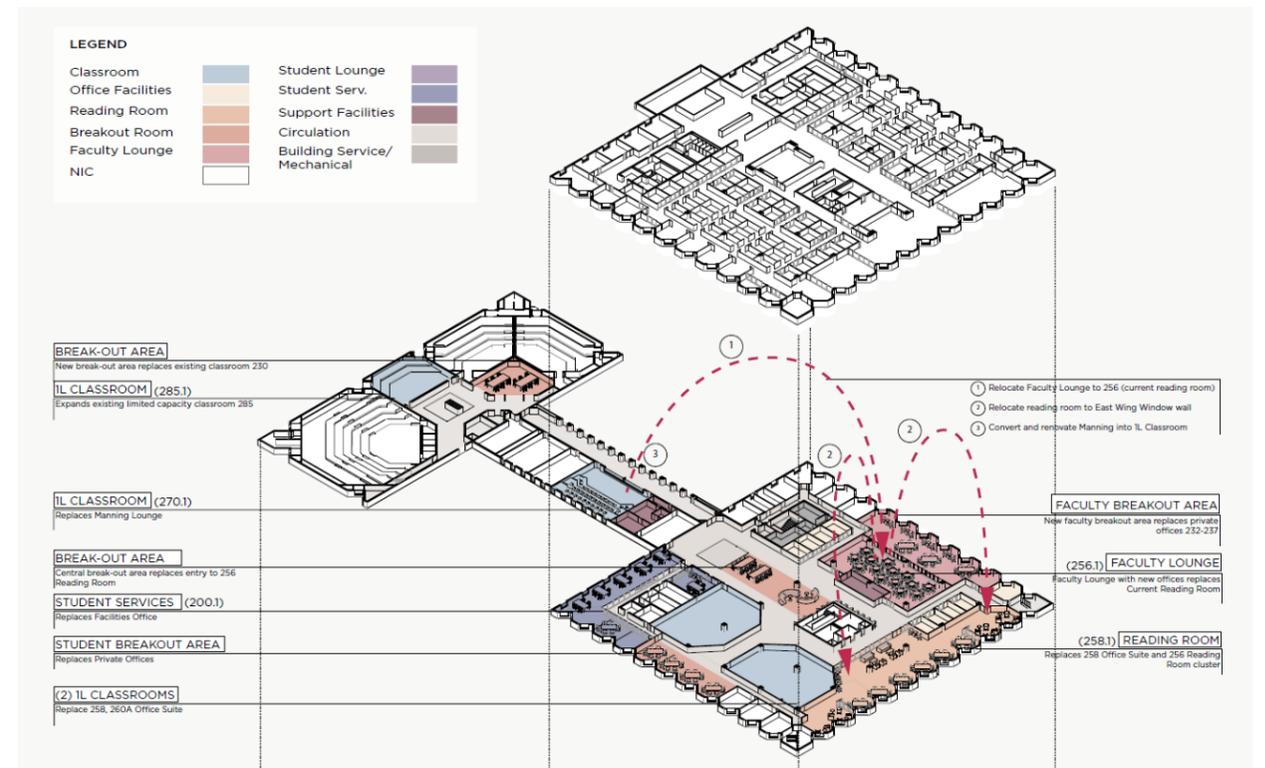
Before pushing forward to full scale design, MKThink is working with the Law School to prototype, test and measure select concepts that are envisioned to address increased demand for on-campus community life and collaboration for the upcoming 2021-22 academic year, while measuring the success and shortcomings of a hybrid and increasingly remote staff workforce.



SPACE AUDIT Classroom utilization by activity type.



SPACE AUDIT Most important attributes of a law seminar / lab classroom.



RELOCATION SCENARIOS Most important attributes of a law seminar / lab classroom.