

J.M. Wilkerson Construction Co., Inc. served as the General Contractor for the Chemistry Annex Building at the University of Georgia in Athens, GA.

The annex building houses the Computational Quantum Chemistry and the Computational Center for Molecular Structure and Design. The site was steeply sloped with multiple underground utility and pedestrian crossings. The structure was constrained by the need to match floor levels of an existing building. The architect's solution for this was to raise the building above the interference on six large concrete columns. The unique geometry and exposed structure posed a challenge in construction. The design is a reinforced two and a half story concrete structure, encompassing a total of 20,800 sq. ft. The exterior skin of the building is primarily an aluminum glazed storefront.

Client

Board of Regents - University System of Georgia

Architect

Lord, Aeck & Sargent
Joe Greco
404.872.0330
1201 Peachtree St. NE, Suite 300
Atlanta, GA 30361

Start Date

January 1997

Completion Date

September 1997

Contract Amount

\$3.3 Million

Award

1997 First Place ACI Award
Mid-Rise Category



Building for Generations