

# CENTER FOR THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT

## Discovering Design

The Center for the Built Environment will serve as a collaborative space for architecture and facility management students, as well as visitors. The new building will provide lecture rooms, studio areas, office spaces, lounges, modeling and research spaces, and digital centers. The center will stand as a symbol of the School of the Built Environment, and will help to connect it, and the Granger and Automotive Centers to campus.

My design represents the Discovery of the Design Process, through the overlapping of planes, steps, and the collisions of geometry. The form of my building utilizes deep overhangs, and positive and negative spaces to demonstrate the complexity and overlap indicative of the design process. Through smart design strategies and thoughtful process, architects are making strides to a more sustainable future. The Center for the Built Environment will serve as an inspirational environment for students to discover the design process, and explore innovative and sustainable design.

