

LEDDY MAYTUM STACY ARCHITECTS

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In all of our work, we are devoted to clarity of expression and sensitivity to the surrounding environment. Contemporary, rational, economic, and sustainable solutions result in enduring architecture that uses less of the world's resources and gives people more joy.

CLIENT FOCUSED

Client focus requires continuous partner involvement.

Principals William Leddy, Marsha Maytum, and Richard Stacy have been collaborating with each other since the 1980s. Hands-on involvement is our hallmark: for each project, one of the principals remains committed from beginning to end—even after occupancy. Our senior design professionals maintain the same continuity.

TECHNICAL AND COST MANAGEMENT

High-performance architecture on budget requires experience.

By involving key consultants early in the process and reviewing drawings at critical milestones, we keep our projects on budget without sacrificing design quality. Our work has received national and international recognition from civic organizations, professional groups, and sustainability advocates—as well as from an unusually high number of repeat clients.

COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS

Award winning design for a variety of clients.

With our cultural projects, we start by learning as much as possible about each institution's mission and history as well as its current and future needs. The design arises out of this understanding, resulting in a central idea that strongly organizes the space. At the same time, because needs will evolve over the long term, we look for ways to build in flexibility to support future changes. When integrating educational components, such as lecture rooms, classrooms, and multimedia centers, we draw on our experience designing academic buildings to create cultural environments that can both teach and delight.

SUSTAINABLE DESIGN

Sustainable design serves our clients and the environment.

Indeed, sustainable design is simply common sense. Well-designed buildings use less energy and cost less to operate over the long term, and they help occupants stay healthy and take pride in their homes. We have been advocates for sustainability for three decades, promoting green design to the building industry and incorporating environmentally sound practices into our work. In addition, our LEED-accredited staff is highly experienced in designing to the U.S. Green Building Council standards. But our goal is to move green design beyond metrics. We hope to create environments that encourage people to connect to both the built and the natural environment.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

High-performance architecture engages the community.

We welcome the public participation process. We listen without preconceptions. We look for the best ideas wherever they may be found, which is why we place a high value on dialogue—with our clients, with user groups, and with the community. Our role is to listen actively and distill everything into the best solution.