GRADUATE STUDENT HOUSING FACILITY PROGRAM 1988

MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY Cambridge, MA

THE PROJECT

A detailed facility program document guided MIT's renovation of a former industrial building for graduate student housing. The building's site is closely adjacent to the campus, near to both academic and student activity facilities. The program describes living units as well as commons areas and spaces for administrative and support functions. The renovation was proposed to take advantage of the building's configuration and generous floor-to-ceiling heights and to provide living space for 185 graduate students.

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GRADUATE STUDENTS RESIDENCE



This survey is designed to gather information to guide the renovation and construction of new MIT graduate student housing. Please assist us by checking the box adjacent to the appropriate answer; where required, please circle the appropriate response.

A. What is your graduate program? 35% M.S. 63% Ph.D. 10% Architecture/Planning 45% Engineering 6% Humanities/Social Science 10% Management 29% Science

1% Other

B. How old are you? 21 to 47 years; the average age is 27 years

C. Are you? 25% Female 75% Male

D. Current living arrangements:

E. Number of Children living with you, 5 years old or younger?

3% 1 child; 2% 2 children

43% Living with roommates 40% Married/Sharing

Number of Children living with you, older than 5 years?

3% 2 children

14% Living alone

F. What is your citizenship? 67% U.S.A. 30% Other If Other, please specify: 8% Belgium; 5% Brazil; 5% W. Germany; 11% Greece; 11% India; 5% Italy; 8% Korea; 8% PRC

G. If you live off campus, within which town do you reside? 7% Arlington; 7% Boston; 28% Cambridge; 12% Somerville; 26% others

How do you commute to campus? Walk Bicycle Car

.Subway Other

Bus

If you lived on campus, would you need a parking space? 63% yes; 21% no; 17% didn't answer

CLIENT SURVEY



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