

The Collaborative Inc



Firm History

Founded in Toledo, Ohio in 1973, The Collaborative is a private corporation owned by six major shareholders (the Principals) and five minor shareholders (Associates and Senior Associates). The firm is managed on a day-to-day basis through six employee-run committees that focus on the areas of design, technology, professional development, process improvement, sustainability, and fun. Our services range from master planning to feasibility studies and programming; from design to construction observation. Our work has garnered more than 70 national, state, and local design awards.

The Collaborative's design capabilities, and 45-person staff, have allowed our practice to encompass many markets over the years including corporate, municipal, industrial, retail, recreational, social services, liturgical, educational, hospitality and medical. In addition, we assist our clients in identifying project objectives, and we are adept at assembling the design skills necessary for the project's successful completion.

Mission

The Collaborative Inc is a fellowship of diverse design professionals committed to: Creating environments of excellence and distinction which enrich the human experience; Exceeding client expectations; Thriving on team relationships; Fostering environmental stewardship, and Enhancing the value of the organization.

Sustainable Design

LEED CERTIFIED PROJECTS

LEED Gold Certified

Kent State University Harbourt Hall
ABLE Center for Equal Justice
Toledo Public Schools Hawkins Elementary
Lucas County Commissioners Huntington Center Arena

LEED Silver Certified

Alma College Hogan Center
United Way of Greater Toledo
Ohio Wesleyan University Meek Center
Bowling Green State Univ. Wolfe Center

LEED Certified

Edison CC Regional Center for Excellence
Lathrop Corporate Offices

LEED REGISTERED PROJECTS

Targeting LEED Platinum

LISD Center for a Sustainable Future

Targeting LEED Gold

Ohio Univ. College of Communication
Toledo Public Schools Beverly K-8
Toledo Public Schools Old Orchard K-8

Targeting LEED Silver

Kent State University Heer Hall
Lakeland Community College Building C
Siena Heights University Student Center

Targeting LEED Certification

Baldwin-Wallace Univ. Welcome Center
Centenary College Littell Center
Hollywood Casino Toledo
Lakeland CC Holden University Center
Wilmington College Science Center

“The Collaborative Inc will be nationally respected for teamwork, service, and design excellence.”



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