

The Need for a Campus Plan

Exciting and significant changes have been taking place on the Brock University campus recently that continue to build on the original vision for the campus. Alan Earp Residence, located on the eastern end of the campus, opened in 2001. The Walker Complex, opened in 2002, exemplifies much of what the original campus plan envisioned for campus development - a low-rise building containing a central courtyard with elements of the setting incorporated into it that can be experienced from the internal walkways surrounding it. Planning and design work is currently underway for the University's next student residence, to be ready for occupation in 2003.

The way forward for the next phase of campus development is no longer as clear as it was during the planning for these projects. The original plan is essentially "built out", offering the opportunity to review the original campus plan, evaluate the successes and departures to date and determine the best way for Brock University to move forward and embrace the physical changes the campus will undergo in the future. Together these initiatives have defined the need and opportunity to prepare a new campus plan.



The original campus plan is essentially "built out", and new strategies need to be found to guide and coordinate the next round of street, parking lot and building development.



Opportunities to increase the amount of space at the heart of the campus needed to be found, for initiatives like the expansion of the Bookstore.

