

Spaces for learning

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Learning is no longer linear—it's about making connections, not just memorizing facts. Whether students are interacting with people, information, or experiences, flexibility enables students to curate their space to support how they learn best.

More and more students are drawn to places designed around them—spaces that allow them to interact, focus, and learn alongside each other. Informal social spaces between office and instruction areas become hotspots of activity and curiosity. Environments that encourage learning outside of class allow students to collaborate, build relationships, and feel part of a community.

The right place for focus and preparation can help instructors do so much more. Similarly, when faculty pair personal offices with collaborative hubs, casual interactions and meaningful relationships can help instructors connect with students and create a better environment for learning.

Let's imagine education spaces for people

After decades of experience and conversations around the future of education spaces, we have designed solutions that enable the right amount of adaptability to support students and faculty alike. We hope this lookbook will offer inspiration for your next education project, showcasing case studies from across the United States to help you imagine education spaces for people.

Café +
common areas

Learning +
classroom

Library +
study spaces



Obeya flexible framework, Hinchada modular lounge, Boost ottoman, Kosa occasional

Café + common areas

Places to connect to other students, faculty, friends, and communities support a holistic learning experience for students. Common areas are the heart of learning spaces, creating environments where students and faculty can authentically create community. We believe we are better together, so here is some inspiration to help you create places that empower people to connect.



Gathr modular lounge, Heya pull-up table, Kaleid media, Noé bench by Carolina



Top: Coact lite lounge, Rowen table, Bistro guest, The Acoustic Lounge by ROOM
 Bottom: Puzzle occasional, Rowen pull-up table, The Acoustic Lounge by ROOM, Room S by ROOM
 Left: Obee modular lounge, Tobee table, Hydra planter



Obee modular lounge, Harpin guest, Tobee table, Tobee pull-up table



Left: Heya lounge, Intermix planter, Wyre occasional, Coact lounge
Right: Coact bench, Boost ottoman, Heya lounge



CASE STUDY

Café + common areas

University of North
Dakota Nistler Hall



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LEARN WITH PASSION | DISCOVER WITH PURPOSE | CREATE LASTING VALUE | TRANSFORM LIVES | BEHAVE ETHICALLY | PRACTICE INCLUSION

CAFÉ

Coact lounge, Harpin guest and stool, Haya lounge, Mention rocker and ottoman, Nineteen20 table, Intermix planter



Top: LeanTo lounge
Bottom: Hinchada modular lounge
Right: Heya lounge



CASE STUDY
Café + common areas
University of Miami
Whitten Center



CASE STUDY

Café + common areas

University of Montana
Hyalite Hall

Hinchada modular lounge, Lona lounge



Learning + classrooms

Education is where a student's most formative learning happens, and spaces that enhance a diversity of learning modes can play a key role in a student's success. The right places have the power to ignite discovery. We believe discovery is a fundamental human need, because the places that inspire us to discover help us imagine new ideas, information, and ways of thinking — changing the way we approach our lives and putting us on a path to become a lifelong learner.



Left: Boost ottoman
Right: Hex ottoman, Heya pull-up table, Kaleid screens/partitions





Gathr modular lounge, Hex lounge, Roo occasional, Heya pull-up table



Top: Obeya flexible framework, Sorta multi use by Carolina
Bottom: Gathr modular lounge, Boost ottoman, Heya pull-up table, Kaleid screen/partition
Left: Kaleid collaborative, Fleet stool, Coop work tool



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Learning + classrooms

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Applause training table, Harpin guest and stool



Top: Acen multi use, Applause training table
 Bottom: Harpin guest, Nineteen20 table, Coact lounge
 Right: Genus task, Agile power distribution



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 Learning + classrooms
 University of
 North Georgia



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Applause training table, Sleek executive/conference

Libraries + study spaces

Whether planning a lesson or writing an essay, places to focus provide both instructors and students with a chance to balance collaboration with individual work. Libraries and study spaces create environments for either individual focus or collaboration, enabling us to get things done. This means drawing together people, ideas, and information to better understand for the future. When we bring things together we can work “in the zone” and solve problems we otherwise couldn’t.



Coact Ilte modular lounge, Staks casegood, Room S by ROOM



Left: Ramble collaborative, Riggs screen, Fleet stool, Cate lighting
Right: Obee modular lounge, Nineteen20 table





Gathr modular lounge, Boost stool, Heya pull-up table, Rory stool, Kintra table



Top: Heya mobile and footstool, Kaleid screen/partition, Hydra planter

Bottom: Heya lounge

Right: Heya workstation, Genus task





Obee modular lounge, Obeya flexible framework, Harpin guest, Tobee table



Left: Coact lounge, Nineteen20 table, Coact bench, Boost ottoman
Right: Coact lounge, Nineteen20 table



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Libraries + study spaces

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Left: Cosima lounge

Right: LeanTo lounge, Raya lounge, Nineteen20 table, Bistro guest



CASE STUDY

Libraries + study spaces

Arizona State
University Wilson Hall



