Lighting Proposal Memo

The spaces I propose working on for my thesis are as follows:

Recital Hall: 36' x 31', ranging in height from 2 to 3 stories. In this space, there is a stage with raked seating and angular walls and ceiling panels. Recitals and concerts would be given on the stage for the students of the music school, with instruments including keyboard, strings, winds and vocal performances of solo artists or small groups. Additionally, there might be times when a speaker might come in to give a large lecture, and it would be held in this space. In the drawings, this space is the one colored green.

Grand Foyer / Reception: 72' x ~50' (longest spans), with balcony area on north side. The two-story Grand Foyer wraps entirely around the Recital Hall acting as an acoustic barrier and reception area for the recital. The Foyer has steps up in the rear (west side) of the building to a lounge and piano terrace. The Grand Foyer would be used for pre- and post-concert events such as refreshments and chamber music. The front of the Grand Foyer is a floor to ceiling window that is about 38' long. In the drawings, this space is the portion colored blue.

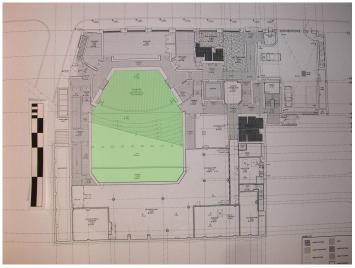
Library: 15' x 22' with enclosed study/listening carrels. The library would be used on occasion for group instruction, but typically as a resource center for reading or research. There are enclosed listening carrels for reviewing recordings or for private study. The shelves have enclosed counter tops for reviewing materials before returning to the desks or for display. In the drawings, this space is the one colored red.

Roof Terrace: 32' x 36', enclosed by the rest of the building. The roof terrace would be another gathering space or recital space that would be used for private parties, receptions, or other special events. The terrace is opened to the sky without any covering and it is surrounded by windows looking into the Academy. In the drawings, this space is the one colored orange.

Building Façade: The North side of the building is connected to the adjacent building. The East side of the façade has a three-story, curved window in the center as well as the entrance. The South side has a walkway that is partially covered by the third story of the buildings and enclosed by its columns. The West side of the building is a less dramatic side of the building with a garage door and a continuation of the punched windows that are typical of the rest of the building.

Scale used in the following drawings:

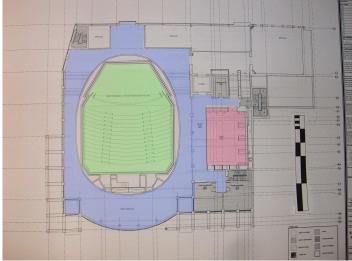




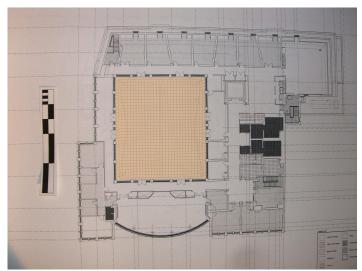
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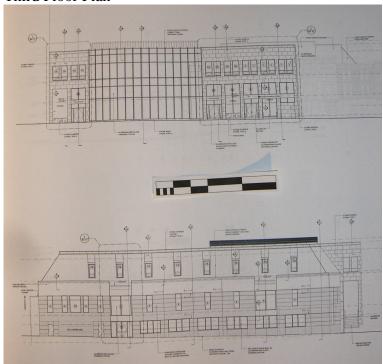
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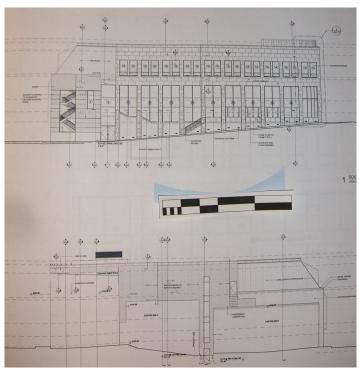
Second Floor Plan



Third Floor Plan



East and West Elevation



South and North Elevation