Welcome!



UW-Madison Libraries Facilities Master Plan

Town Hall | April 25, 2017





agenda

- 1. Introduction Ed Van Gemert (10 min)
- Master Plan Process brightspot (15 min)
- 3. Master Plan Scenarios Engberg Anderson (15 min)
- 4. Open Discussion (20 min)

introduction

A Vision for UW-Madison Libraries

master plan process

The Libraries have been on this path towards a 21st century library

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shift towards a 21st century library

The UW-Madison Libraries are moving from "a highly-decentralized library system to one that will maximize existing resources in order to provide appropriate levels of service and materials to support research, teaching and learning"

This kind of shift will be marked by:

- A movement from physical to digital collections
- An increase in collections acquisition, particularly electronic content
- An increase in access to and support of special collections
- A change in service needs brought on by changes in technology and pedagogies

UW-Madison Libraries' previous work

The Libraries at UW-Madison have undertaken numerous initiatives to address the current and future needs of patrons and staff.

- The UW-Madison campus Master Plan
- The UW-Madison campus libraries' Strategic Plan and Framework
- The Libraries Consolidation Report
- The campus libraries' Print Management Program
- Libraries Campus Collections Plan
- Resource Management Redesign project
- Service Delivery Model

consolidation plan

The Libraries have been working towards consolidating print resources and repurposing staff to reduce circulation points, improve service delivery, and address strategic goals (such as increasing electronic content).



Chemistry Library

No longer a circulation location

Transforming into an Information Commons



Wendt Commons Library

Print collection moving offsite

Adding new creation and instruction spaces, such as Data Visualization Lab

library spaces

Further to the goal of developing a 21st century library, the UW-Madison Libraries have been considering library spaces and how they might adapt to support research, teaching and learning.

- Libraries' spaces do not support users in how they're currently working within the library.
- The Libraries are at a disadvantage by allocating resources focused on managing space rather than collection development and services.





peer libraries

Responding to many of the same changes, peer library systems are engaging in the similar process of consolidation.







Transformed 16
departmental libraries and restructured services

Reorganized 15 specialized libraries into new structure focused on four broad subject areas

Consolidated seven science libraries into single science and engineering library

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what happens if we do nothing?

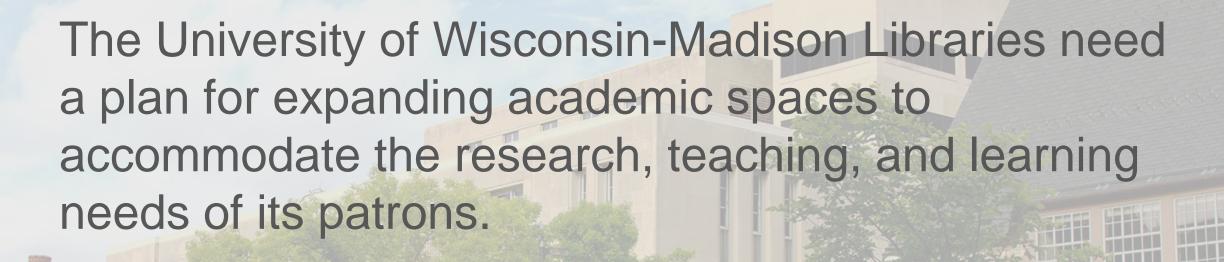
If the UW-Madison Libraries does not move forward with a consolidation plan and new service delivery model, the Libraries cannot function properly as a top research institution.

- Decreased ability to maintain collection acquisition comparable to peers
- Inability to provide more advance and specialized services

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why and how are we conducting a Master Plan?



The Libraries have been looking to create exemplary spaces, services, and experiences characteristic of a modern, 21st century library.

Enter brightspot strategy and Engberg Anderson Architects

about brightspot

we design engaging experiences that use learning to connect people to a purpose, a brand, information, and each other.

We partner with leading organizations to craft creative, achievable strategies for their spaces, services, and people.

Our engaging process combines stories and stats to shape how organizations and individuals grow and connect.



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our experience









































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brightspot project team

Our multi-disciplinary team brings together diverse professional skills and backgrounds including anthropology, architecture, business, engineering, organizational change, product design, graphic design, psychology, research, and service design.



Elliot Felix founder



Adam Griff director



Emily Kessler senior strategist



Alexis Cruzzavala strategist



Matt Burke project coordinator

Engberg Anderson project team

Our people are committed to creative planning and design innovation that improves the built environment for those who use and inhabit our projects nationwide.







Joe Huberty partner in charge







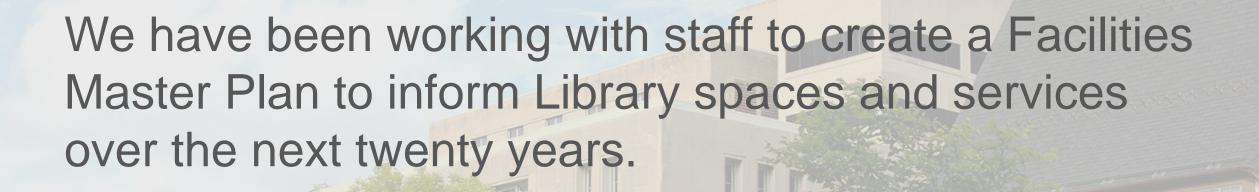






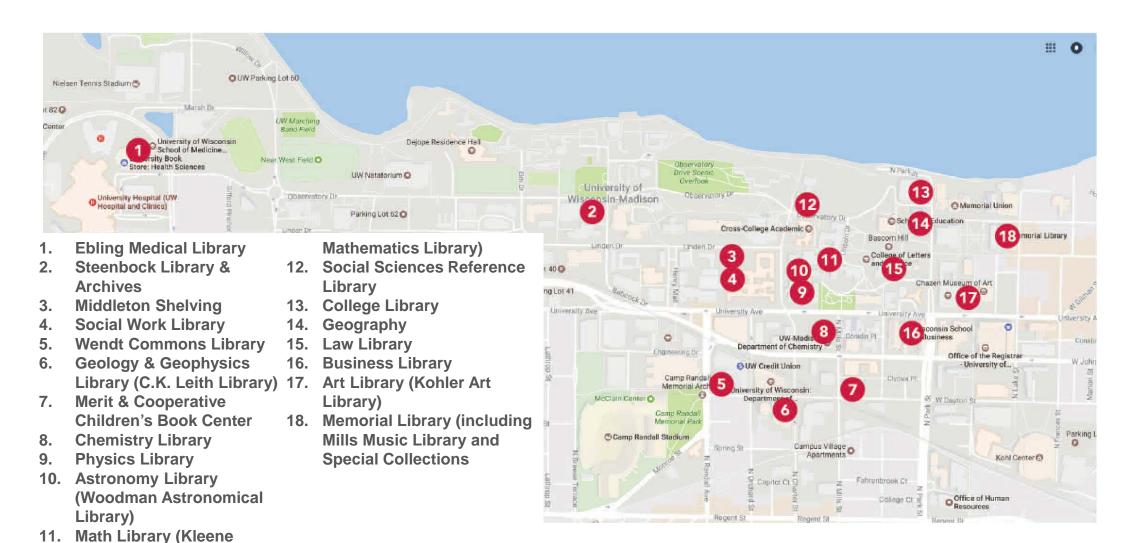






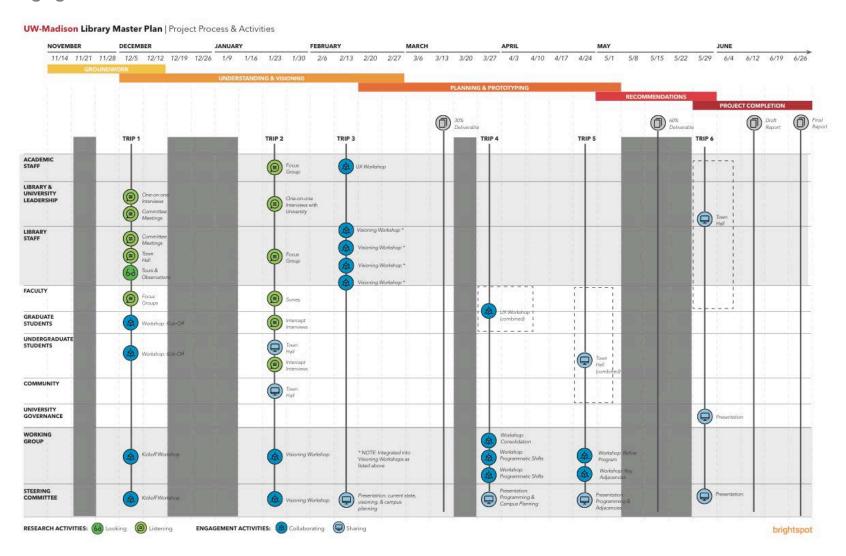
- To accomplish this, we have been:
- taking inventory of the current spaces,
- assessing the current patron and employee experience, all to
- generate a list of recommendations.

libraries included in this project



project engagement

Our project is occurring over 7 months and will include 6 trips to gather information and engage stakeholders.



who's been involved?

engaging students, faculty and staff

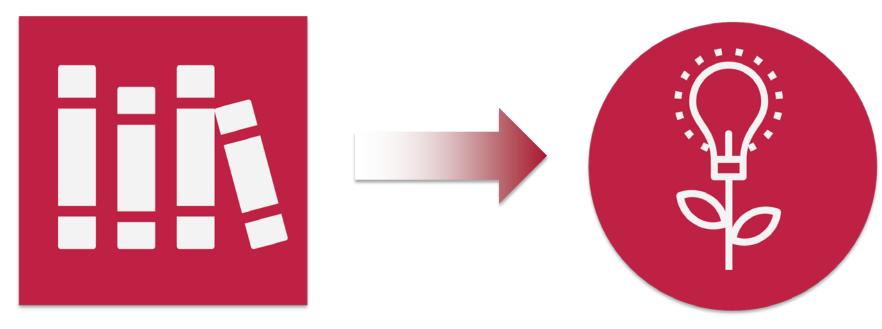


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what we're moving towards

the UW-Madison Libraries are shifting



departmental model

hubs of inter-disciplinary and complementary services

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hub libraries: key concepts

- enable and support interdisciplinary work
- provide more specialized spaces with greater access
- enable better connections between different services for more seamless support
- provide appropriate spaces for students and faculty to work
- support the lifecycle of your research and work



how you'll benefit

patron, staff and community benefits



Undergraduates



Graduate Students



Faculty



Library Staff & Leadership



Campus Leadership



Public Patrons

- Flexible spaces
- Better amenities
- Consistent & specialized services

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- Consistent & specialized services
- Increase in collections purchases
- Consistent & specialized services
- Flexible work spaces
- Collaborative work spaces
- Research
 library on par
 with peers
- Consistent & specialized services

how this fits into the Campus Master Plan

twenty+ year vision

Scenarios were developed to define a campus framework for the envisioned network of Hub Libraries. These are long term visions that are more specifically defined and created over time. Interim configurations align with resources, campus priorities, institutional goals.

 PLANNING
 1 - 6 years
 7 - 12 years
 13 - 18 years

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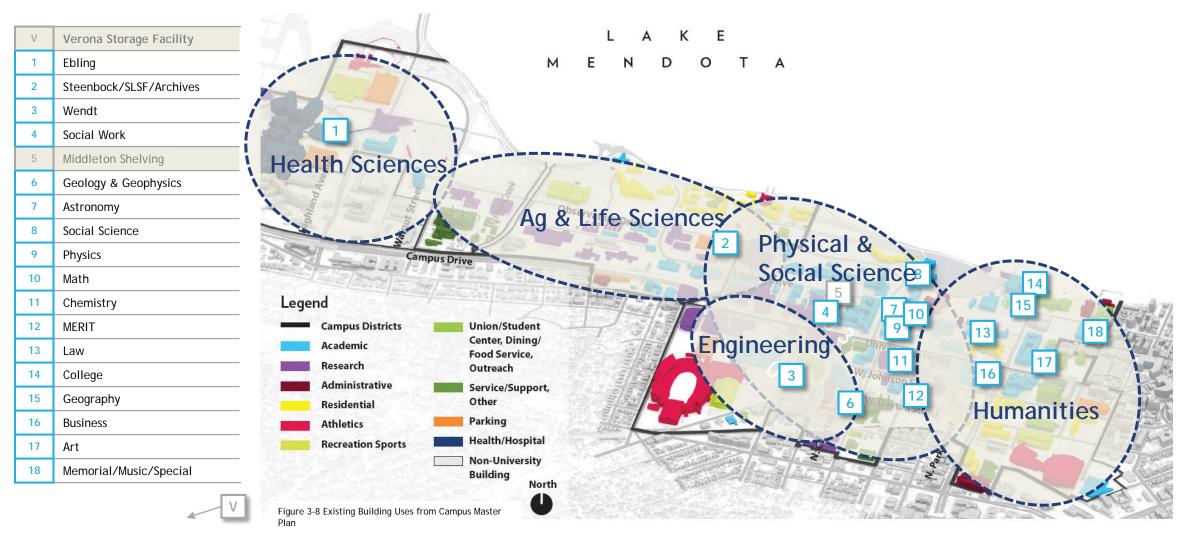
campus context

Scenarios were defined in the context of the 20 year Campus Master Plan



campus land use

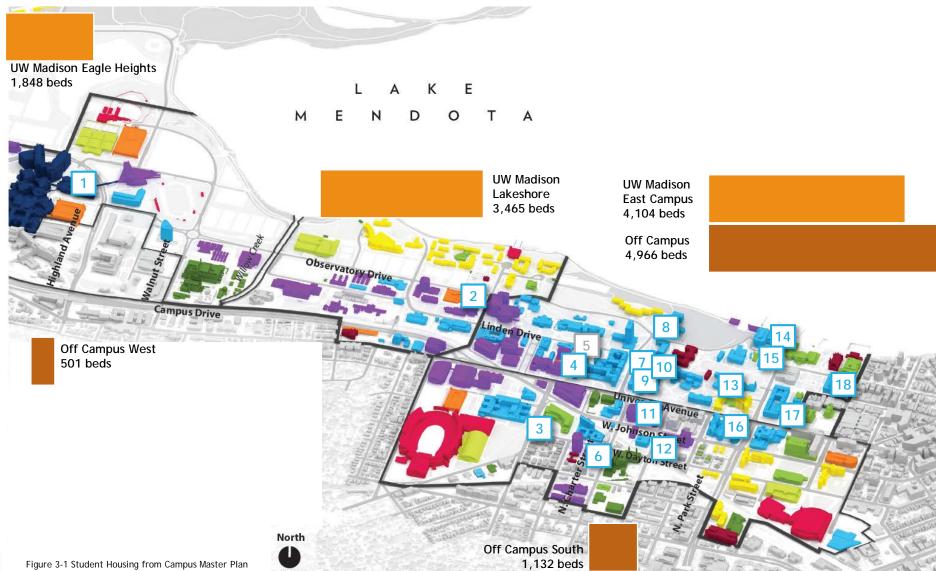
Zone of academic focus, while not rigid, do exist and continue to guide development



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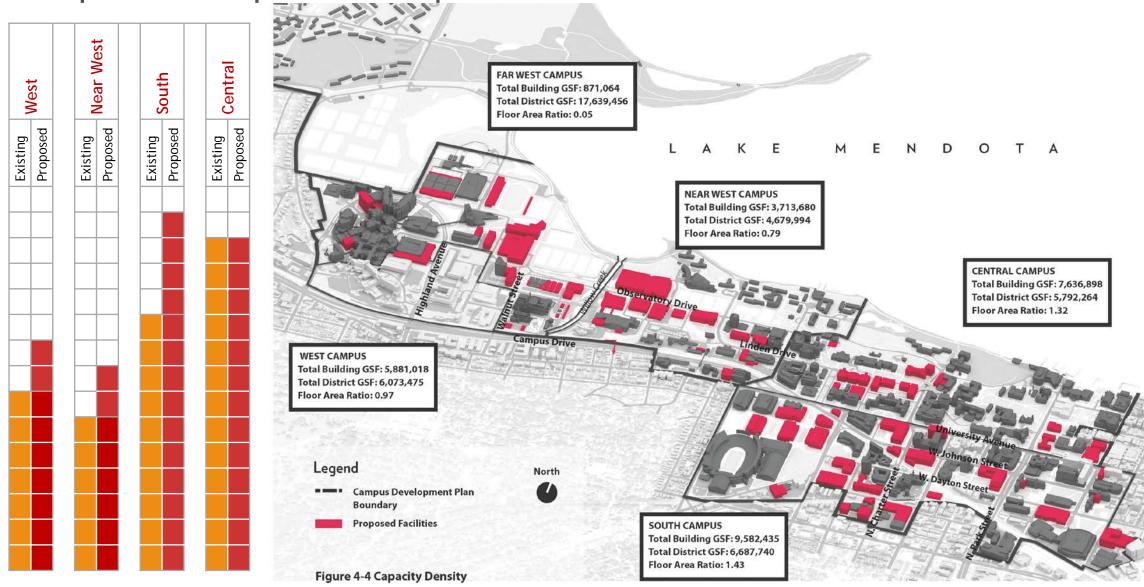
Housing

V	Verona Storage Facility
1	Ebling
2	Steenbock/SLSF/Archives
3	Wendt
4	Social Work
5	Middleton Shelving
6	Geology & Geophysics
7	Astronomy
8	Social Science
9	Physics
10	Math
11	Chemistry
12	MERIT
13	Law
14	College
15	Geography
16	Business
17	Art
18	Memorial/Music/Special





anticipated campus development



considerations

A wide range of parameters will influence the final physical form of the proposed system. Overarching University and Campus Master Plan goals are a reference. Location criteria influence primary structure of the Facilities Master Plan

Scenario Planning	Master Plan
	Availability
Location	Location
Access	Access
Size	Size
Suitability for Use/ Functionality/Flexibility	Suitability for Use/ Functionality/Flexibility
Adjacencies/Synergies/Fit with Quality of Life	Adjacencies/Synergies/Fit with Quality of Life
Sustainability	Sustainability
	Phasing
	Precursor Projects
	Cost

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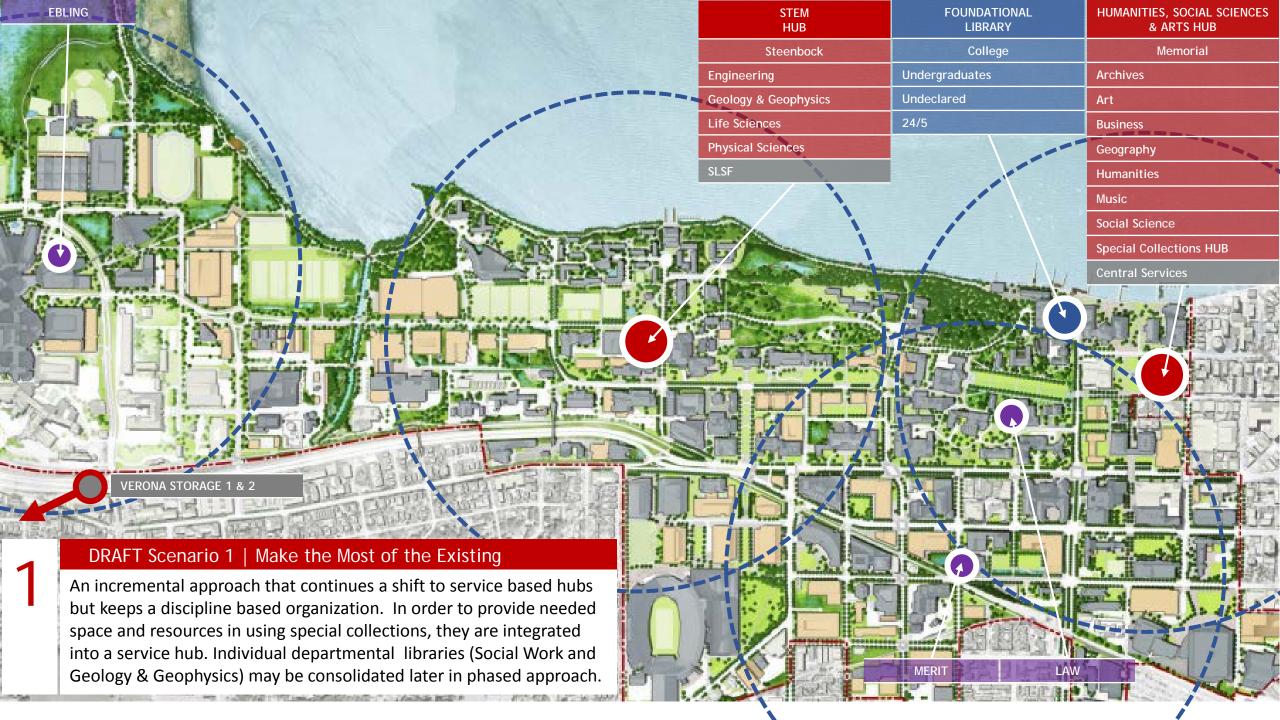
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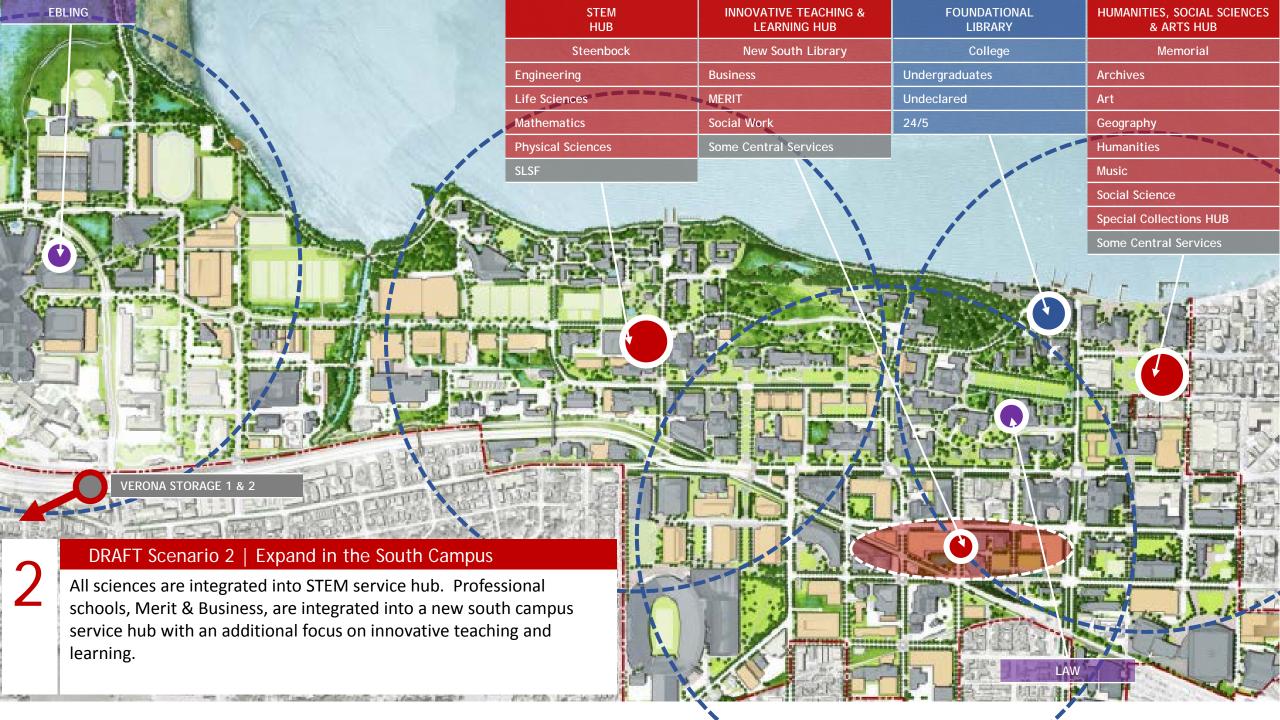
current network of facilities

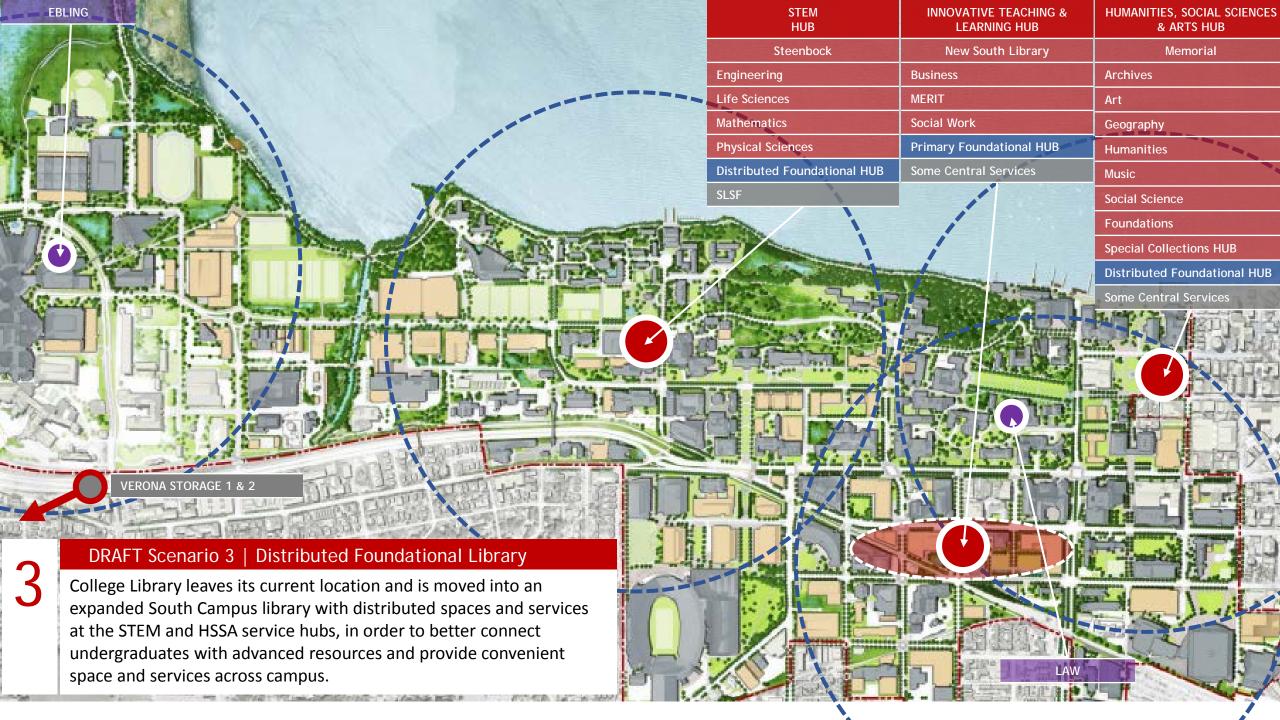
GLS, non-GLS, and departmental resource centers of various types constitute the existing framework. Rearrangements, shifts, consolidations are in progress.



draft scenarios







comments, questions, concerns

more info at: go.wisc.edu/LibraryMasterPlan

including a link for questions or comments

thank you!