



Quarterly Library Building Project Update

13 March 2019

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Agenda

- Guest: Michelle Guerra, Director of Campus Wellbeing Services
- Updates on Communication & Outreach
- Consultants and Firms –
 - Kick off meeting scheduled!
 - Special Collections Consultant
- Working Group Updates
- Questions?



Communications & Outreach

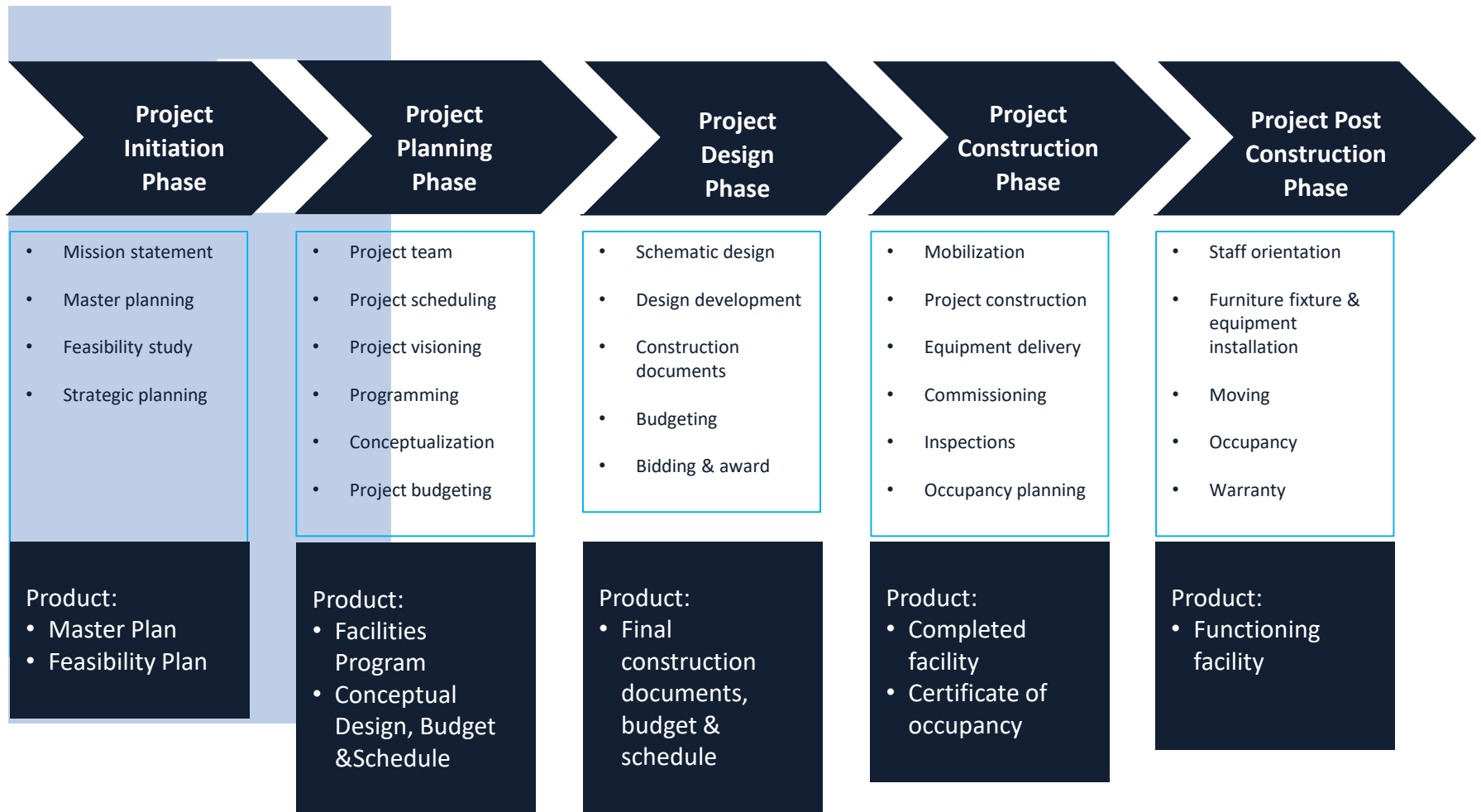
- Library: Monthly Updates, Quarterly Updates, etc...
- External: Project Website, *News-Gazette* article, *Friendscript*)
- Stakeholder Consultation:
 - Salons:
 - Faculty, Library Personnel, & Graduate Students
 - Other: 2018 Activities: <https://www.library.illinois.edu/library-building-project/2018/12/03/2018-meetings-with-dean-wilkin/>.
- Forthcoming:
 - 2019 Activities: <https://www.library.illinois.edu/library-building-project/2019/01/23/2019-meetings-with-dean-wilkin/>.
 - Charrettes for Library Personnel



Consultants and Firms

- Special Collections Operational Consultant
 - Special Collections Division recommended consultant and identified individual.
 - Kris Kiesling from the University of Minnesota (Dec. 4 – 7)
 - Report Received and posted: <https://www.library.illinois.edu/library-building-project/special-collections-building/>.
- Library Building Programming and Conceptual Design Firm
 - Johnson, Lasky, and Kindelin (JLK) Architects with BrightSpot
 - Contract signed on Feb. 22, 2019.
 - Kick-off scheduled for March 14, 2019.

Capital Delivery Process



Working Group Updates

- Programming the Main Library Building WG
 - “...information gathering and brainstorming....”
- Managing the Library’s Collections WG
 - “...preliminary data collection....”
- Special Collections WG
 - “draft charge in development....”
- Campus-Level Advisory Committee
 - “...Campus poised to make invitations....”
 - Late March/Early April



Questions and Discussion...

- In the spirit of information sharing...
 - Jeff has asked me about the potential benefit/interest in holding a couple brownbag sessions about the construction process, i.e., would there be interest among individuals in the library to attend something that discussed how the process worked?
- Other Discussion/Questions?

