MEETING NOTES

Meeting Date: February 4, 2009  Project: UO Lewis Integrative Science Building

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Re: Neuroscience / Life Science User Group Programming Meeting – Session 2 - Dry Labs

Present:

User Group Members
Lou Moses - Psychology
Paul Dassonville - Psychology
Helen Neville - Psychology
Mike Wehr - Psychology/ ION
Ulrich Mayr - Psychology
Scott Frey - LCNI / Psychology
Margaret Sereno - Psychology

UO Campus Planning
Fred Tepfer
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Consultants
Chuck Cassell - HDR, lab planning principal
Regina Filipowicz - HDR, lab planner
Becca Cavell - THA project manager

Summary Notes

1.1 It was pointed out there is a space disconnect between the current program and the program that was created by the Planning Office.

1.2 In terms of offices the program reflects the following:
   • Faculty Office – dedicated
   • Post Doc Office – (2) Post Docs per office
   • Grad Student – Bullpen Area outside faculty offices

1.3 Design team requested to indicate which offices houses Post Docs and Grad Students.

1.4 Design Team to explore the need for different module size for Cog Neuro.

1.5 Cog Neuro faculty would prefer to be clustered, but away from Post Docs and Grad Students.

1.6 When siting offices, Post Docs should not be ‘thrown in’ with Grad Students as they are more like faculty and require privacy at times for ‘office hours’; Grad Student offices can be varied.

1.7 Data Analysis spaces should be more contiguous and not separated as currently shown in the program diagrams.

1.8 Design team to look at width of Data Analysis labs – are they too wide?

1.9 There was a question as to whether the Run Rooms can be clustered in a suite; design team to explore.

1.10 In the Run Room areas two waiting rooms need to be provided, one for adults and one for children.

1.11 There was a discussion on whether the Run Rooms could be accessed via a public corridor as the idea of a ghost corridor is not appealing, but it was determined that a public corridor would not work due to privacy issues and other concerns.

1.12 It was determined that knowing the total number of grad student ‘bodies’ would be helpful in laying out the spaces accurately. Lou Moses to gather this information.

Homework:
• Design team to: 1) Indicate which offices houses Post Docs and Grad Students; 2) Look at width of data analysis labs; 3) Explore whether Run Rooms could be clustered in a suite
• Lou Moses to gather total number of grad students

END OF NOTES

NOTE: Attention Attendees! Please review these notes carefully as they will form the basis of future work on this project. If you feel that anything is incorrect or incomplete, please call the author at 503-227-1254.