Technology Building Renovation

FUNDING
- Nearly $13.6 million (exact: $13,590,894 renovation collaboratively funded by the State of Maryland Capital Improvement Program, Allegany County Capital Improvement Program, and ACM.
    - Approximately $9 million from the State.
    - Approximately $4 million from Allegany County.
    - Nearly $500,000 from ACM.

FACILITY
- 56,127 gross square feet
- Phase I (October 2017-November 2019)
    - Upgraded critical infrastructure and made the building ADA compliant.
    - Installation of an elevator and a new chiller/boiler system.
- Phase II (April 2020-April 2021)
    - Renovated and upgraded the two separate wings of the building.
    - Addition of a flex conference center.
    - Upgraded lecture hall.
    - Creation of lounge, lab and collaboration spaces for student use.
    - Installation of modern technology and equipment.

EDUCATIONAL IMPACT
- Houses computer technology, criminal justice and legal studies, forest technology, multimedia technology, data analytics, and social media marketing programs, technologies for Allied Health programs, and Pathways in Technology Early College High (P-TECH) program.
- Offerings include:
    - Anatomage Table (3D virtual dissection)
    - Audio Recording Studio
    - Computer Lab
    - Criminal Justice Lab
    - Distance Learning Lab
    - Esports & Other Clubs Gaming Room
    - Faculty, Adjunct, and Staff Offices
    - Flex Classrooms
    - Flex Conference Center
    - Forest Technology
    - Forestry Equipment and Work Rooms
    - GPS Base Station
    - Hackathon Room
    - High Tech Nursing Clinical Sim(ulation) Lab
    - High Tech Respiratory Therapist Clinical Sim Lab
    - Huddle Rooms
    - IT Help Desk
    - IT Workroom
    - Mac Lab
    - Mock Courtroom
    - P-TECH Classroom
    - Recharge Lounge
    - Sky Lounge
    - Speech Study Lab
    - Tiered Lecture Hall
    - TV/Photography Studio
    - Vista Lounge
    - Z-Space Lab (immersive AR/VR technology)

COMMUNITY IMPACT
- Serves as the new home of the Western Maryland Center for IT Excellence.
- Offers a classroom space for Allegany County high school students continuing in the P-TECH program.
- Provides flex conference center space for community and state agencies, councils, and businesses.