



Creating a New Discourse around the Arts and Technology at Virginia Tech

Virginia Tech's Creativity and Innovation District (CID) proposes a transdisciplinary nexus that draws students, faculty, and external partners together from a broad range of disciplines to create a new discourse around the arts and technology. Providing facilities, resources, tools, and technologies that enable this district to thrive, the CID residence hall serves as a cross-cutting living-learning community (LLC) that encourages residents to collaborate in uncommon ways that blur boundaries and disciplines.

Informed by Virginia Tech's Beyond Boundaries Master Plan, three key goals were embedded in the design of this signature destination for interdisciplinary collaboration on campus: **Invest in people and partnerships;** **Create campus collisions;** and **Express institutional missions.**

