

Jones Graduate Tower

Herrick Archives Number 267

A. IDENTIFICATION & LOCATION

1. Name

1.1 Officially named "Jones Tower" by Board of Trustees on September 7, 1962. Changed to "Jones Graduate Tower" by Board of Trustees on May 12, 1966. In memory of Lawrence D. Jones.

1.2 Alternate names noted:

During planning referred to as "Student Housing, Unit Eleven" or "Student Housing, Building #11."

Built under architect's project number 6458. Name on drawings is "Jones Graduate Tower."

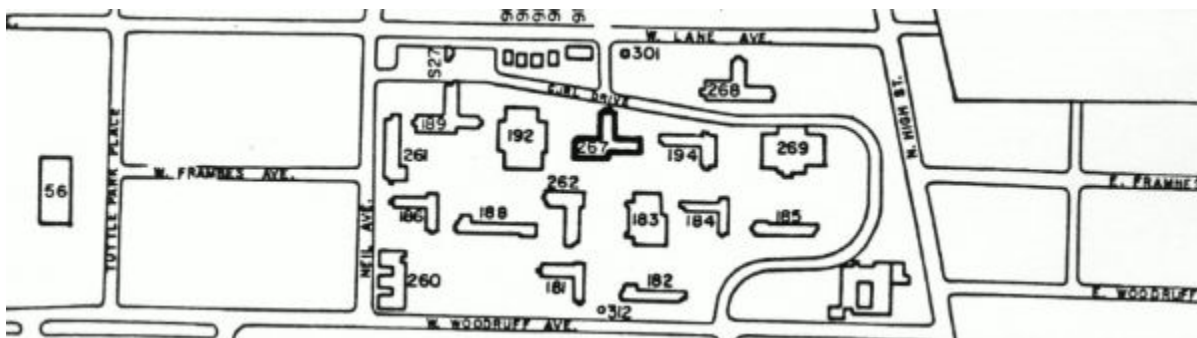
All of the dormitories north of West Woodruff Avenue are frequently referred to as the "North Dorms."

2. Location

2.1 Located at 101 Curl Drive. See map below.

See Addendum No. 1

2.2 For greater detail, see Sheet 71 in the book of campus maps in the University Archives.



For identification of other buildings shown, see Appendix A.

3. General Description

3.1 Type of construction:

Reinforced concrete frame with brick exterior.

3.2 No. of stories:

A ground floor (partially below grade), 13 floors for dormitory use, and one floor for mechanical use.

3.3 Increments of construction:

Swimming pool portion of the building delayed about 2-1/2 years. Otherwise, no addition to the building has been made.

3.4 Present area of building as shown in inventory records of Division of Campus Planning:

158,465 sq. ft. gross; 92,368 sq. ft. net assignable

See Addendum No. 2

3.5 Volume of building:

1,488,897 cubic feet (PP)

B. PLANNING & CONSTRUCTION—ORIGINAL BUILDING

1. On July 14, 1966 the Board of Trustees approved the plans and related documents prepared by Hollie W. Shupe, University Architect, and authorized the solicitation of bids by contractors.
2. Bids were received on March 16 and May 17, 1967 (T).
3. On June 8, 1967 the Board of Trustees awarded contracts to the following contractors:

General: Knowlton Construction Co.
Electrical: Mid-City Electric Co.
Heating, ventilating and air conditioning: Limbach Co.
Plumbing: Sauer, Inc.

4. Completion and occupancy:

The University Architect on August 14, 1969 released the building for use (P). It opened for the Autumn Quarter, 1969 (H).

C. PLANNING & CONSTRUCTION—SWIMMING POOL ADDITION

1. On April 10, 1969 the Board of Trustees approved the plans and related documents prepared by Hollie W. Shupe, University Architect, and authorized the solicitation of bids by contractors.
2. Bids were received on February 5, 1970 (T).
3. On February 12, 1970 the Board of Trustees awarded contracts to the following contractors:

General: Holzapfel Construction Co.
Electrical: CTH Electric Co.
Heating, ventilating and air conditioning: Farber Co.
Plumbing: L. R. Patrick, Inc.
Pool: Miller Anderson Pools

4. Completion and occupancy:

The pool was put into use on December 30, 1970 (L 1/13/71).

D. COST

Carried in Business Office reports at \$4,464,383.07.

E. MISCELLANEOUS

From its opening, this building has been used a coeducational dormitory for graduate students (H).

F. PHOTOGRAPHS

1. In Photoarchives:

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ADDENDUM NO. 1

The address of this building during construction was 101 West Lane Avenue.

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ADDENDUM NO. 2

Campus Planning records now show the net assignable area of this building as 92,425 square feet.

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