

STUDENT SAFETY

CCNY SHUTTLE

○ 125th Street Shuttle
Stops:
125th / 138th (NAC)

○ 145th Street Shuttle
Stops:
145th / 138th (Marshak)

CAMPUS ESCORT SERVICE

In case it's late and Shuttles aren't available, give CES a call and they'll arrive at Spitzer to drop you off at the nearest train.
(212) 650-6911

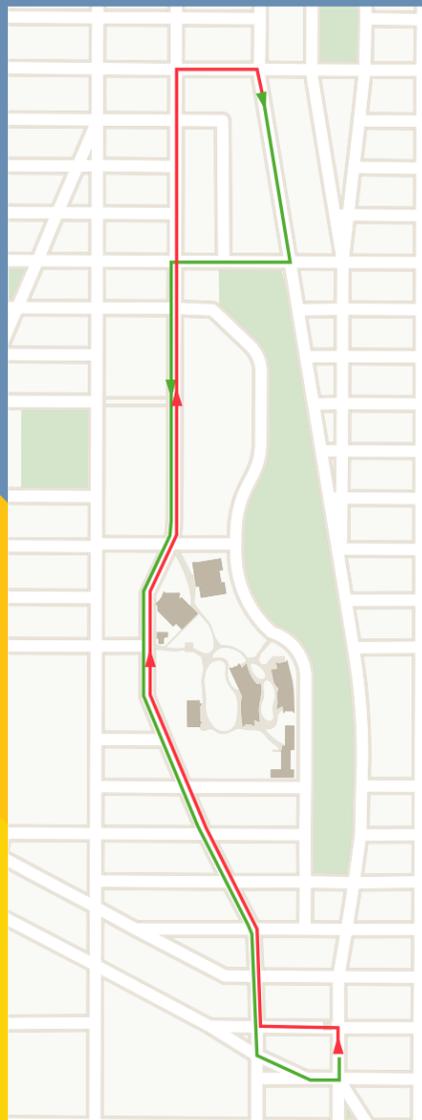
SAFETY TIPS

The CCNY Dept. of Public Safety provides 24/7 law enforcement, security, fire safety, and medical emergency services on campus.

In case of emergency, use the blue light emergency telephones across campus. They will connect you to the Emergency Dispatch Center.

Don't get distracted while walking! Limit phone and device usage when traveling.

The Public Safety Department is located in Room 4/201 in the NAC.



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The SSA Survival Guide

An Insider's Guide to the
Spitzer School of Architecture

2019 - 2020

SURVIVING SPITZER

Plan accordingly. Everything will take 2-4 times longer than you expect they will, it's hard not to escape it.

Record all your work! Take photos of sketch models and final models while they're in progress, and photograph all final work after your presentation. You'll thank yourself when it's time to create a portfolio. Need help? Ask us!

Always ask for advice. From your professor, a mentor, a friend, a classmate, anyone! But you don't always have to follow what others advise: Maintain a strong project objective and make decisions that support it.

Try explaining your project to someone outside of architecture. This will help prepare you for future presentations because you have to completely "dumb it down" to a short and concise explanation.

Make sure your studio time is ultra-productive. You'll do better work faster-then you can go home early!

Set aside some time every week to relax and take a breather from school work and studio, especially during midterms and finals. We like coffee dates with friends and visits to our favorite museums.

THE SPITZER FOODIE GUIDE

STUDENT PICKS FOR THE BEST NEARBY EATS

THE ROUTINE

You can't start the day on empty stomach. Make these your first stops of the day before heading off to class

- ① CAFE ONE
140th & Amsterdam
- ② CAMPUS DELI AND GRILL
139th & Amsterdam
- ③ SUHALI DELI
136th & Amsterdam
- ④ FRUCES JUICE BAR
134th & Amsterdam

THE TREAT

Make sure to shake it up a bit every now and then. You deserve something for your hard work <3

- ① GRILL ON THE HILL
140th & Amsterdam
- ② FUMO
139th & Amsterdam
- ③ CLOVE
139th & Amsterdam
- ④ MAISON HARLEM
127th & St Nicholas

THE BEV

Architects are 60% water, 25% Coffee, 10% wood glue, and 5% finesse

- ① THE CHIPPED CUP
148th & Broadway
- ② SUGAR HILL CAFE
145th & St Nicholas
- ③ MANHATTANVILLE COFFEE
142th & Edgecome Ave
- ④ DOUBLE DUTCH ESPRESSO
139th & Amsterdam



Congratulations!

Welcome to the Bernard and Anne Spitzer School of Architecture

A LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

First and foremost, on behalf of AIAS, the student body, and the school as a whole, I'd like to welcome you to Spitzer. Until your time here comes to an end, this will be your second home. Sometimes, it may feel like your first. The people that you meet here will begin to feel like family- embrace this and allow yourself to build new relationships based upon the foundations of curiosity and knowledge.

Over the course of your time here, you will learn plenty of things about architecture, but also about the importance of personal growth, self discipline, asking for assistance, and diversity. You will come to understand the world around you a bit more, but also realize how much you have never known. You will learn what it means when people say architecture is a truly interdisciplinary subject, but also realize how much you have left to learn. That is alright.

AIAS, along with other clubs, students, faculty, and administration, is here to help you along the way. We believe in the importance of creating a network of students, emerging professionals, and disciplines related to the field of architecture. Allow yourself to become part of this network, and use the resources made available to you whenever necessary.

Value your time, your work, your beliefs, and find your own voice in design. Be curious about the world out there and ways to help it, and never forget the importance of sensitivity and integrity in design. Do not be discouraged by the vastness of the issues which we face, but find comfort in knowing there are others out there trying to help design a better tomorrow as well. Be willing to listen, to study, to do, to fail, to work, but most importantly, be willing to try.

Architecture is a field that benefits tremendously from diversity of thought, action, and background. Understand the value of who you are and what you do, but do not ignore the value of those around you. Realize that there is a tremendous amount of knowledge to be had in this world, and it is your responsibility to try and extract as much of it as possible. Remember there is value in all sorts of education, no matter the source.

On behalf of Spitzer, I wish you the best of luck and hope you have a fantastic semester full of curiosity.

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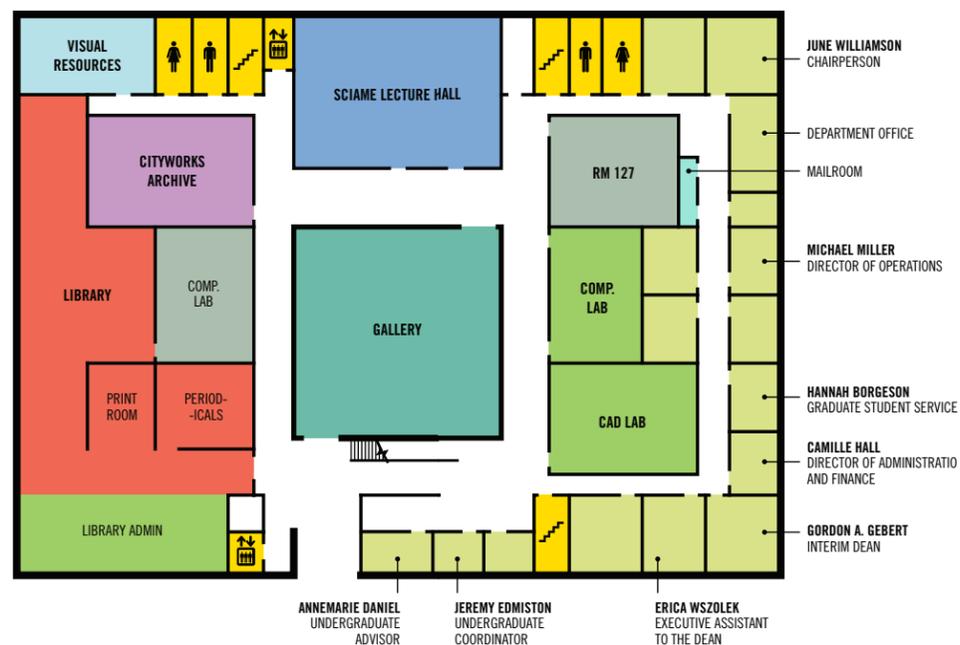


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Graphics Chair



XIAO LIN
Social Media Chair

SPITZER FIRST FLOOR MAP



SPITZER RESOURCES

LASER/3D PRINT LAB
Monday - Thursday: 10:00am - 6:30pm
Friday: 10:00am - 4:30pm

ARCHITECTURE LIBRARY
Monday - Thursday: 10:00am - 9:00pm
Friday: 10:00am - 6:00pm
Saturday: 12:00am - 5:00pm

iBEAN CAFE
Monday - Thursday: 8:30am - 5:30pm
Friday: 8:30am - 4:30pm

FABRICATION SHOP
Monday - Thursday: 10:00am - 6:30pm
Friday: 10:00am - 4:30pm

CAD LAB
Monday - Friday: 10:00am - 6:00pm

ROOF POD
Check for Open Days

SPITZER ADMINISTRATION



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125th & Frederick Douglas Blvd
(212) 222-7000

JANOFF'S STATIONARY
2870 Broadway
111th & 112th St
(212) 533-2444

HOME DEPOT
400 Exterior St - Bronx
(718) 401-2520

ROSENZWEIG LUMBER & PLYWOOD
810 E 135th St - Bronx

CANAL PLASTIC CENTER
345 Canal St
(212) 925-1032

ARTIST AND CRAFTSMAN
34-09 Queens Blvd - Queens
(718) 599-1799

MICHAELS
808 Columbus Ave
100 W & Columbus Ave
(212) 865-0813

NHS HARDWARE
345 Broadway
(212) 234-1341

COMPUTER TIPS

It's important to make sure you have the best tools and technology to create your projects. A slow laptop means longer nights and inefficient workflow. The IT Department at SSA has recommended laptops with appropriate specs and fair pricing.

Check them out at:
<https://www.dell.com/ssastudents>

You'll need the best software to make your architectural ideas come to life. Here are a couple of programs you should begin to get familiar with:

- Rhino 3D + Grasshopper
- Google Sketchup
- AutoCAD
- Adobe Photoshop
- Adobe Illustrator
- Adobe Indesign

MEMBERSHIP BENIFITS INCLUDE:

CONFERENCES & FORUMS



QUAD in Philly



FORUM in Toronto

ACCESS TO LOCAL EVENTS



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Special Events

RESOURCES AND INFO



NCARB Info Sessions



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10% Discount



Professional Workshops

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