

# The Roberts Campus



A \$140 million gift from alumnus and Trustee George R. Roberts '66 P'93, will allow CMC to realize its Master Plan and double the campus footprint to more than 150 acres, with the entire area east of Mills Avenue to be known as the Roberts Campus. The gift will build improvements in the central and eastern areas of CMC, including 75 acres east of Claremont Boulevard across from the new Robert Day Sciences Center, set for completion in Fall 2024. With the opportunity to double our campus size, CMC will continue to envision and reimagine how we live, work, and play as a community, while retaining the defining characteristics of our academic, residential, and co-curricular experiences.

◆ **THE FIRST PHASE** begins with the Robert Day Sciences Center, home to the new Kravis Department of Integrated Sciences. Designed by world-renowned architectural firm BIG-Bjarke Ingels Group, the iconic facility's open and light-filled, innovative design is a metaphor for conversations between core disciplines and the integrated sciences program.

With a focus on robust residential, academic, and co-curricular spaces, Phase One also includes extension of the current North Mall; new academic and administration spaces; and preparing the 75-acre former gravel pit across Claremont Boulevard for its future park-like setting with athletic and recreational facilities.

◆ **DESIGN WILL ENCOURAGE "SOCIAL COLLISIONS"** through main pathways, like malls and transparent structures. Recently, the addition of public art and landscaping improvements have further deepened the intersection of the academic and social experience.

◆ **SPORTS BOWL** With the acquisition of the 75-acre former gravel pit across Claremont Boulevard from the existing campus, a newly envisioned, park-like Sports Bowl will be prepared for new athletic fields, starting with baseball, softball, golf, and soccer/lacrosse/rugby. Practice fields and a football track/stadium are also planned.

## 75

Acres in the Roberts Campus, doubling the campus footprint

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Main "malls" designed to encourage social collisions and engagement



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# ROBERTS CAMPUS



With the opportunity to double our campus size, we will continue to envision and reimagine how we live, work, and play as a community, while retaining the defining CMC characteristics in our residential and co-curricular experiences.

## PHASE 1

The Roberts Campus begins with Robert Day Sciences Center, an iconic facility, home to the new Kravis Department of Integrated Sciences and further expanding CMC's commitment to preparing future leaders. Designed by world-renowned architectural firm BIG-Bjarke Ingels Group, the center's open and light-filled design is a metaphor for conversations between core disciplines and the College's innovation of undergraduate sciences education.

Fulfillment of CMC's priorities for robust residential and co-curricular spaces continues with additional Phase One projects to extend the current North Mall to include academic and administration spaces, and the creation of a park-like setting east of Claremont Boulevard as a new home for athletics and recreational facilities.

Campus growth in future phases will focus on other elements of the Roberts Campus, including:

**A Diagonal Mall** connecting the Robert Day Sciences Center to Roberts Pavilion, with the opportunity for adjacent academic and administration buildings;

**A Commencement Green** to provide a beautiful and accessible space for graduation and other special events;

**A South Mall** from Roberts Pavilion to the Sports Bowl, with safe passage over Claremont Blvd;

**Expansion of the student apartments** to further enhance the Senior Year experience;

**Continued development of the Sports Bowl**, with additional opportunities for competition and play; and

**A new aquatics center** on the southeastern portion of the Sports Bowl.

