



A Campaign for a Stronger Agnes Scott







She's asked us for restoration. And we respond with all our heart.



Ourgoal: \$31 million

in total for the restoration of Agnes Scott "Main" Hall.

An investment in Main Hall is an investment in the mission of Agnes Scott.

Thinking deeply

Continuing our tradition of progress and preserving our past in order to shape a strong future.

Living honorably

Upholding our commitments to innovation and leadership and to our students and the community.

Engaging the challenges of our time

Shaping future leaders and empowering the next generation of Scotties. Long known as the heart of the college, Main Hall is the building that Scotties recognize as a marker of home. She is the brick-and-mortar symbol of our alma mater, the soul of the Scottiehood, and the pulse of our future.

A classic example of High Victorian Gothic architecture, Main is visible across campus and from downtown Decatur. Her white marble columns, Romanesque arches and terra cotta accents make her easily recognizable as a beloved landmark. Her iconic bell tower rises to the sky, ringing out in celebration as Scotties commemorate milestones.

Constructed in 1891, Main Hall is the most historic building on campus and is central to Agnes Scott's identity. Today, she is home to the president's office and other administrative spaces, while her upper three floors accommodate student housing. Main has been home to many generations of Scotties, and this campaign will ensure that she will continue to be home for generations to come. As student enrollment continues to grow, Main's restoration has become increasingly necessary and deeply urgent.

She's told us it's time, and we are ready.

A labor of love. The work of our future.

At Agnes Scott, our tradition of excellence has long been an expression of our founding mission. Main Hall's renovation is no exception. This renovation is intended to serve as a model of innovative and ethical stewardship in the preservation of historic buildings for Decatur, Atlanta and beyond.

A bridge between the past and the future.

When she was built, Main Hall set new standards in building innovation. Citizens of Decatur would gather to see the electric lights, the first in the city, illuminate the landscape. Today, we aim to give our students a housing experience that prepares them to live and lead. Our work will enhance the staircases that open into wide, light-filled hallways and her large windows that frame spacious rooms. Her iconic bell tower will once again be fully open, with a new skylight so students and alumnae can see the bell ringing above them. We'll also preserve the alumnae signatures, sprinkled like love notes across her tower, and create space for many more to come. The restored Main will join Rebekah Scott Hall as an accessible, innovative and sustainable building that further distinguishes the South Candler-Agnes Scott Historic District as a bridge between the past and the future.



Our centuries-old commitment to progress conveys a common truth that spans generations: Our dedication to excellence is unparalleled.

As we look forward, we recognize our responsibility to be stewards of Main Hall and of our campus. Fortunately, our renowned innovation is not limited to the classroom our goal is to be a carbon-neutral campus by 2037, and Main Hall will help us reach this milestone. Restoring this building preserves Agnes Scott's legacy and propels us forward.

It's a powerful vision of education, today and tomorrow.

She's our powerhouse.

Main is wise and storied, and it's vital that we remember the legacy of Scotties who have walked the halls before us. It's equally essential that we continue to uphold our commitment to current and future students, for quality and sustainable living spaces for today and for tomorrow.

Restoring her glory. Sustaining her heart.

The renovation of Main will respect her historical integrity, but also make her once again the standard-bearer for the campus — strong, accessible, and sustainable.

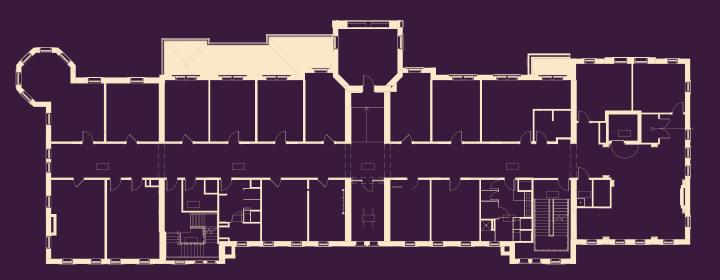
Over the years, Main has become increasingly fragile. Understanding how environmentally damaging it is to tear down old buildings, we have chosen, instead, to minimize the use of raw materials and renovate Main to meet standards of quality and efficiency. The restored Main Hall will embody a key Agnes Scott value — that envisioning the future can come from places that are deeply rooted in our history. And like her sister hall, Rebekah Scott Hall, Main will be LEED-certified.

Updates include:

Collaborative working and living spaces

2 High-efficiency lighting and plumbing for water and energy conservation

On-campus solar array to power an estimated 40 percent of the building



4 Updated landscaping with native plants and controlled irrigation

Fully upgraded bathrooms and bedrooms

Improved connectivity and accessibility, including a new elevator

A beloved building. With community at her very heart.

In Main, residential spaces sit alongside administrative ones. This is unusual for most university buildings, but it's one of Main's great strengths. Here, life intersects and intermingles and, ultimately, deep relationships are formed.

It's a beautiful picture of what community looks like at Agnes Scott.

This is where leaders rise and Scotties find their stride.

We are in the business of creating leaders. That's significant.

Buildings like Main Hall make transformational education possible. Main is a space of innovation and connection and ultimately a platform on which Scotties find remarkable futures.

From these halls, Scotties walk into a future of their own making.

Surrounded by signatures of those who came before them, students are prepared to change the world.

At Agnes Scott, Scotties are given a supportive environment so they can develop into distinctive, global leaders who think deeply, live honorably and engage with the challenges of their times. This is why the college was founded, why we invest in innovation and why we embrace our acclaimed curriculum, SUMMIT. Here, students have the opportunity to thrive so they can become the leaders that Atlanta and, ultimately, the world truly need.



Statistics from Agnes Scott class of 2018

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For Main Hall. For Agnes Scott.

As our enrollment continues to grow, we urgently need housing that reflects our highest ideals and our commitment to the success of our students, both current and future. We're also committed to intervening in restoration efforts before Main is beyond repair. As we move toward a more sustainable future, we seek to be the best stewards of this illustrious and historic landmark. She is an icon of Scottie education, central to the future of global leadership, and the heart of Agnes Scott.

And her time is now.

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Top Performer on Social Mobility among national liberal arts colleges* No. 4

for Best Undergraduate Teaching among national liberal arts colleges*

* U.S. News & World Report, 2020 Best Colleges

For our future. For our Main.

We are ready to make this vision for Main Hall a reality. We invite you to invest in Main because of what she means to Agnes Scott, to our students, to the community and to you. Help us write this love letter to her future.

Ways to Give

Make an outright gift or multi-year pledge at a leadership level (\$25,000 or greater).

Secure a naming opportunity with a gift of \$50,000 to \$2 million.

3 Create your legacy in Main with your designated estate gift through your bequest, life insurance, charitable gift annuity or appreciated stock, or via an IRA - qualified charitable deduction for donors who are 70½ or older.

Naming Opportunities

There are many naming opportunities available as part of Main's renovation, including gathering spaces, bedrooms and offices.

For more giving options or to invest in Main, please visit **www.agnesscott.edu/givetomain**

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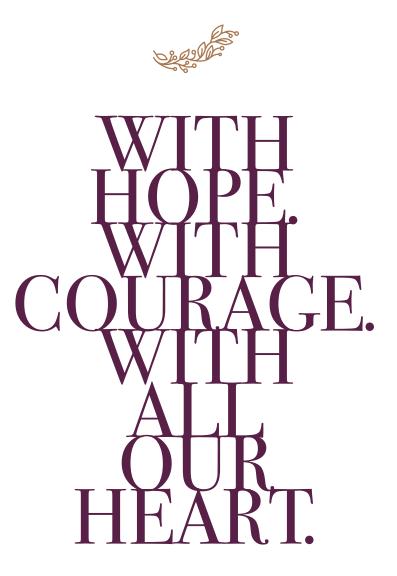
by December 2020.



Agnes Scott is receiving more applications than ever before, but we have to ensure that incoming students have a place that they can call home. We need to provide an environment where these students can grow, thrive and reach their full potential. We are ready to go, but we need all of you.

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