

Student Center Patios
University of Indianapolis
Indianapolis, IN

The new building addition retained an existing lawn panel that currently connects the Schwitzer Center with the Lilly Center to the east. A concrete patio with low seat walls, shade trees and movable tables and chairs now face south to the green space and is a welcome outdoor café for students and faculty. Brick paving was used to make this outdoor café space different and special from the adjacent walks. A similar concrete patio space was provided on the north side of the addition facing the wooded green space to the north. This patio now has a more casual atmosphere and includes two low seat walls set in an arc and use the salvaged limestone cap from the existing seat wall that is being removed for new construction. The existing sand volleyball court and outdoor basketball court were moved away from the building and were rebuilt. Curving walks from the north patio around the wooded green space connects the Schwitzer Center to the ball fields to the north.



Odle McGuire Shook
ARCHITECTURE INTERIOR DESIGN
LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE ENGINEERING



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Construction

1 acre (amphitheater only)

Construction Cost

\$180,000

Completion Date

May 2003

Owner

University of Indianapolis

Reference

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Features

Provides benches near the student center
Provides a more private oasis of tables for study and leisure activities.

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