



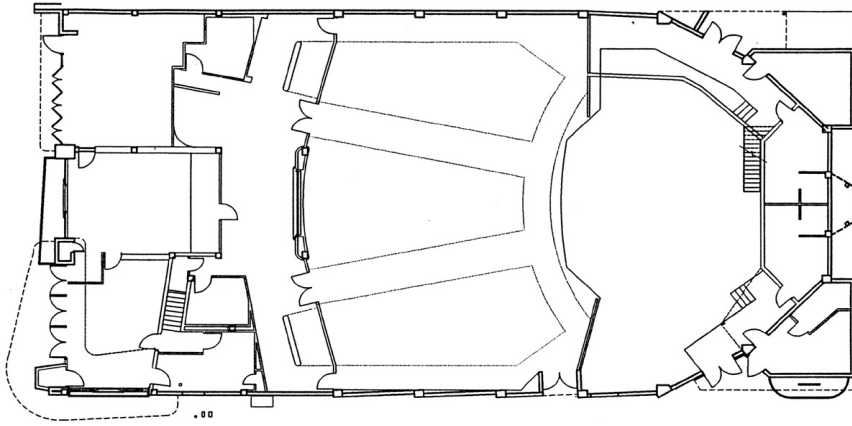
don & ann brown theatre at the cuillo centre west palm beach, florida

This project involved renovations to the former Burt Reynolds Institute for Theatre Training (BRITT), a 381 seat auditorium with a thrust stage space we designed for the teaching institution in 1996. The 2011 renovation required demolition of the steeply sloped seating risers and stage to existing grade and reconfiguration of the existing audience chamber into a 218 seat proscenium style theater to accommodate the users requirements. The reduced seat count allowed for additional program which included a costume shop, administrative offices and a meeting room. Minor modifications to the lobby and other existing spaces were necessary to satisfy recent code developments and new program requirements

The initial work also involved replacement of exterior glazing and entrance doors to new hurricane resistant glazing standards, and redesign of the existing marquee and other cosmetic improvements to both the interior and exterior help provide a new image and identity for the current organization. Other subsequent alterations included renovations to the box office and in 2016 we created the intimate 33 seat Diane & Mark Perlberg Studio Theatre out of a former 2nd floor rehearsal space. Designel designed an offsite production / rehearsal facility for Dramaworks as well, allowing for the creation of the Studio Theatre, its support spaces and additional offices with the shifting of the costume shop and rehearsal space offsite.

Project Information

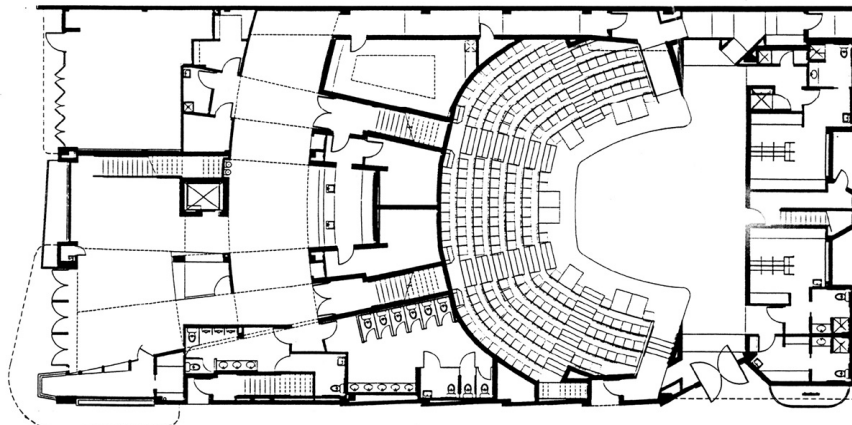
Area:	16,200 sq. ft. (2011 phase) Various for subsequent phases
Scope:	Renovations
Completion Date:	Phased November 2011 - April 2016
Client:	Palm Beach Dramaworks
Contact:	Sue Ellen Beryl 561.514.4042
Architect of Record:	Designel Architects (Michael Nelson - Partner)
Contractor:	BSA Corporation
Project Delivery:	CM at Risk
Construction Cost:	Various from \$100,000 to \$1.8 M



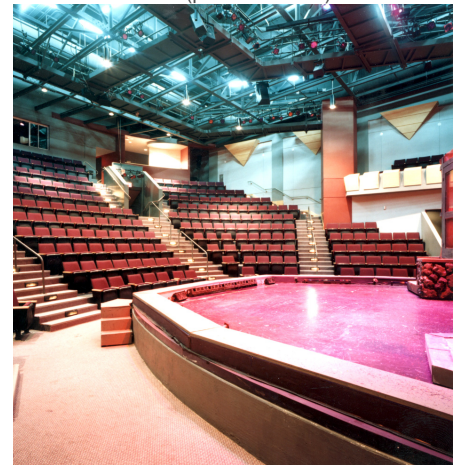
Florida Theatre Ground Floor Plan (prior to renovations)



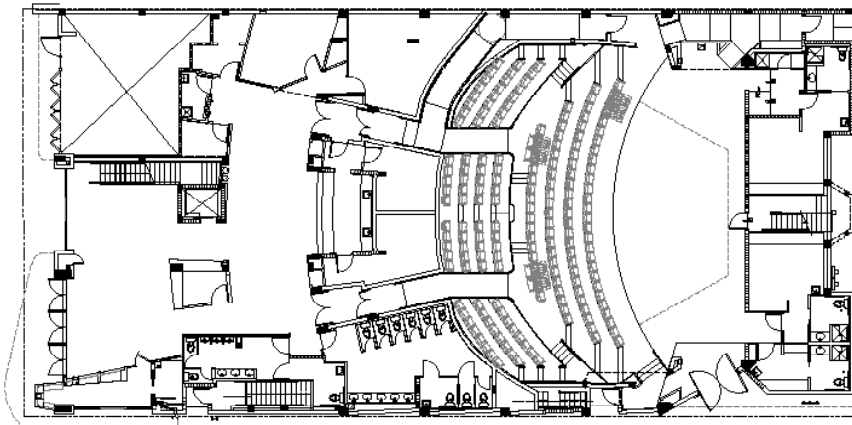
Florida Theatre (pre-renovation)



BRITT Ground Floor Plan



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Palm Beach Dramaworks Ground Floor Plan



Palm Beach Dramaworks Theater



Florida Theatre Exterior



Dramaworks Exterior



Studio Theatre