

# Johnston Hall • Milwaukee, Wisconsin



When **Johnston Hall** opened in 1907, it was the entirety of Marquette University. It was designed to serve as a one-building university with a two-story library, an auditorium, science laboratories, classrooms and even Jesuit living quarters. Today, it's home to the J. William and Mary Diederich College of Communication and Instructional Media Center. The building honors Robert A. Johnston, a bakery executive and university benefactor.

The Marquette Historic Core project for Johnston Hall upgraded the infrastructure and technology at the building, including reinforcing stairwells and an increased bandwidth. Construction included the replacement of mechanical, electrical, plumbing and technology systems. Majority of the construction was completed during the summer session or approximately 12 weeks. The major renovation execution plan was strategically completed with pull planning that involved not only the design and construction team but many of the University departments that worked collaboratively to accomplish a tremendous amount of the program work in the 12 week period.

## Owner:

Marquette University – Historic Core Project

## Architect:

Korb + Associates

## Market:

Higher Education

## Building Details:

85,000 SF

## Website:

[www.marquette.edu/communication](http://www.marquette.edu/communication)



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