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# 2020 Project Update

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Campus Construction (2002)

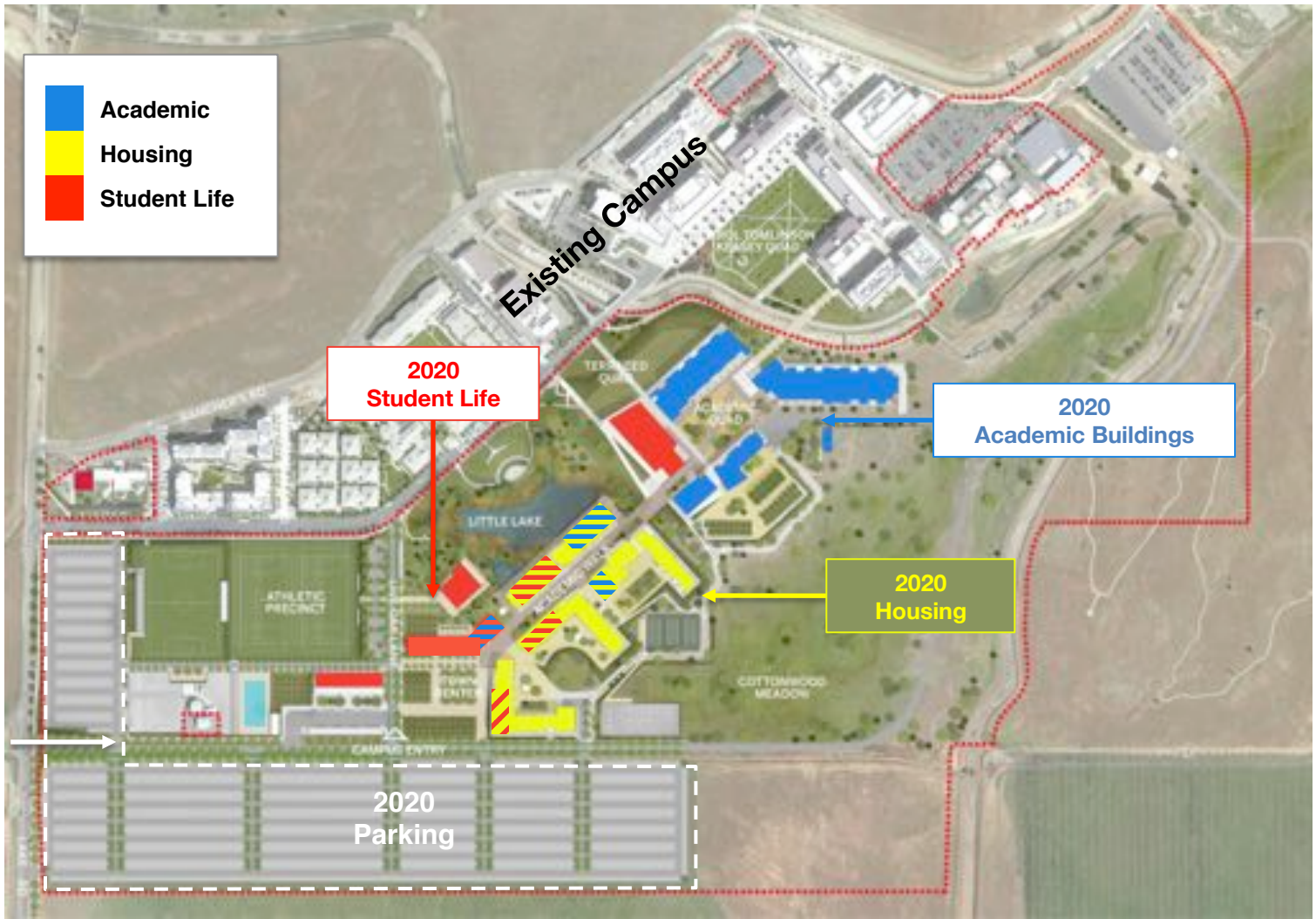
# UC Merced Today

1.4 million gross square feet, 2,000 beds and 6,700 students

- Academic
- Residential
- Student Life/Athletics
- Campus Operations



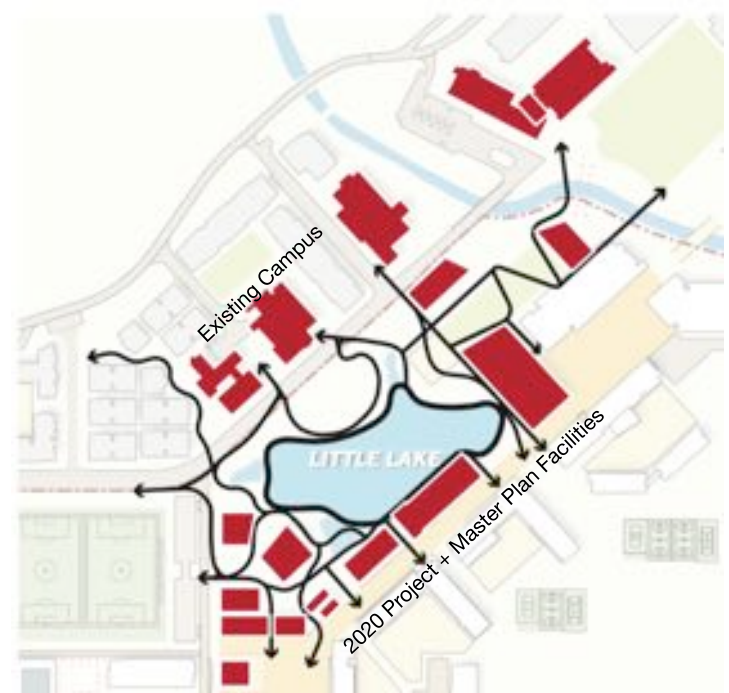
**The 2020 Project will almost double physical capacity**  
1.2 million gross square feet addition  
1,700 new beds and 1,500 net new parking spaces  
\$1.3 billion design and construction budget



# Little Lake will be framed as the social heart of the campus



Northeast view across Little Lake



Central relationship of Little Lake to post-2020 campus

## 2020 Project facilities are physically integrated with existing campus buildings



Physical Capacity  
for 10,000  
students

- Teaching
- Research
- Residential
- Student Life

## New “Academic Quad” gives form to the Research Enterprise



Northeast view of low-water landscaped Academic Quad

New faculty offices, classrooms and research labs are arranged around new quadrangle adjacent to the existing campus

## New “Academic Walk” will be the Central Connective and Pedestrian Circulation Feature



Mixed-use corridor programmed with classrooms on the ground floors and 1,700 student beds on the upper levels



## What to expect this semester

Significant preparatory construction activity

- Placement of Construction Management trailers south of Bellevue
- Temporary parking lot construction for contractors near North Bowl Lot
- Preliminary construction of intersection at Bellevue and Lake
- Construction Fencing
- Construction updates will be posted at [2020project.ucmerced.edu](https://2020project.ucmerced.edu) and via email announcements



# Online Resources

## 2020 Project website

<http://2020project.ucmerced.edu>

- Program Details
- Maps
- Latest News
- Contact information
- Signup for email updates

## Construction Team email

[construction2020@ucmerced.edu](mailto:construction2020@ucmerced.edu)



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2020 Project + Master Plan