SCIENCE BUILDING

History

The Science Building was completed in 1985. The old science building, now the General Classrooms building, was grossly outdated. It housed 45% of the classes on campus, but had many problems. Several school officials and science faculty met at the state capitol where they discussed whether to build a new building or gut the old one. They decided to take a gamble and build a new building.

Fun Facts

- The two-headed cow formerly showcased in the lobby was a phenomenon that was actually born on the SUU farm!
- The student lounge located in the Science Building, is a great place for students to just hang out.
- Within the lounge area there are several exhibits of Utah wildlife. You will see a snake and other reptilian cages built into the wall.
- The 25 ft. mural in the lounge known as, "The Probe" is a three dimensional mosaic containing images that are symbolically related to the various areas of study in the College of Science.
- 86% percent of SUU students who apply to professional pharmacy schools are accepted. The American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy reports a national rate of 25%.
- SUU's Medical School acceptance rate is 80%, Dental School is 84% and the national rate is 38%.
- 100% of SUU students applying for admission into optometry, physicians assistant, and physical therapy schools are accepted.
- SUU grad Lex Allen was selected as the top student in this year's entering class at the U of U's Medical School.

Inside the Science Building

- The Biology Department
- The Mathematics Department
- The Physical Science Department
- The College of Science offices
- A computer/math lab where students can get free tutoring
- The Keck lab [for undergraduate research]
- The GIS lab
- Water lab
- Scanning electron microscopy lab
- Cadaver lab
- Greenhouses

Experiences with this building or departments I will use to Personalize My Tour.

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