Weill Cornell Medical Research 413 East 69th Street





Occupant: Weill Cornell Medical College

Type: Laboratory/Research Facility

Size: 455,000 ft²

Number of Stories: Below Grade – 3

Above Grade – 18 + Penthouse

Cost: \$650 Million

Dates of Construction: 2010-2014

Delivery Method: Design-Bid-Build

Project Team

Architect: Ennead Architects
Structural Severud Associates

Engineer:

Mechanical Jaros Baum & Bolles

Engineer:

Laboratory Jacobs Consultancy/GPR

Consultant:

Construction Tishman Construction

Manager:

Architecture:

- Undulating glass sunshade curtain wall
- 13 floors of laboratory space
- 2 floor underground animal facility
- 2nd floor terrace connects to neighboring Lasdon House
- Doubles Weill Cornell Medical College's existing research space
- LEED Silver Rating upon completion

Structure:

- Foundation: Spread footing with rock anchors to resist water table uplift
- Floor System: Two way flat plate concrete slabs
- Lateral System: Reinforced Concrete Shear walls
- Concrete columns in various sizes with typical bays of 21'-0" (East-West) x 27'-7," 25'-0," and 16'-3" (North-South)
- Concrete beams in various sizes located as needed

MEP Systems:

- (13) Variable and control volume air handling units totaling 675,000 cfm; (4) Cooling towers on the roof totaling 1,228,000 cfm
- 265/460V electrical service brought to the building via four 4000A switchboards
- Fluorescent lighting throughout the building mostly at 277V



Structural Option