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THESIS PRESENTATION OUTLINE

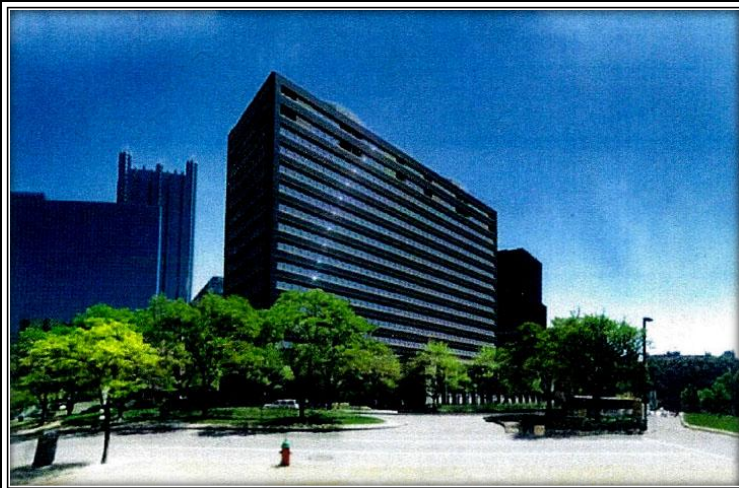
Presentation Outline and Sample Slides

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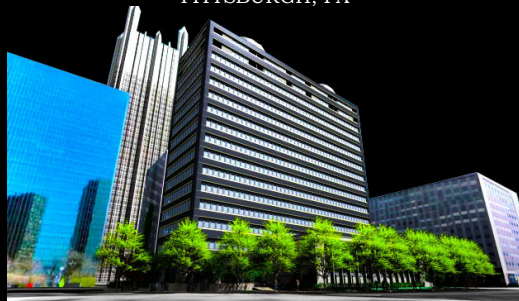


Thesis Presentation Outline

- I. **Introduction (2 screens)**
 - a. Self
 - b. Project
 - c. Outline of presentation/technical analysis and breadth topics
- II. **Project Background (2 screens)**
 - a. Location
 - b. Building type and function
 - c. General building statistics
 - i. Contract type and overall cost
 - ii. Project schedule
 - iii. Systems
- III. **Technical Analysis #1: Photovoltaic Glass Window System Implementation (10 screens)**
 - a. Problem identification and research goal
 - b. System design
 - c. **Renewable energy/Electrical breadth (Only Breadth presented in detail = 3 screens)**
 - i. Introduction
 - ii. Energy production
 - iii. Electrical system tie-in
 - iv. Results
 - d. Feasibility analysis
 - i. System Cost
 - ii. Rebates/Incentives
 - iii. Payback Period
 - e. Recommendation and conclusion
- IV. **Technical Analysis #2: Green Roof System Implementation (4 screens)**
 - a. Problem identification and research goal
 - b. System design
 - c. Structural Impact
 - d. Feasibility analysis
 - i. System cost
 - ii. Rent comparison
 - e. Recommendation and conclusion
- V. **Technical Analysis #3: 3D Laser Technology Implementation (5 screens)**
 - a. Problem identification and research goal
 - b. Summary of issues caused by as-built drawing inconsistencies
 - c. Overview of quality control
 - d. Cost comparison
 - e. Recommendation and conclusion
- VI. **Technical Analysis #4: Critical Industry Issue – Energy Management (Sensor System) (10 screens)**
 - a. Problem identification and research goal
 - b. Overview of energy management
 - c. Overview of occupant behavior
 - d. System design
 - e. Energy reduction
 - f. Feasibility analysis
 - i. System cost
 - ii. Rebates and incentives
 - iii. Payback period
 - g. Recommendation and conclusion
- VII. **Summary of All Recommendations and Conclusions (1 screen)**
- VIII. **Acknowledgements (1 screen)**

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PHOTOVOLTAIC GLASS WINDOW SYSTEM

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 - I. System Design
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- IV. Analysis #3: 3D Laser Scanning Technology
 - I. As-Built Drawing Issues
 - II. Quality Control
 - III. Cost Comparison
- V. Analysis #4: Energy Management (Sensor System)
 - I. System Design
 - II. Reduction
 - III. Feasibility Analysis
- VI. Recommendations and Final Conclusions
- VII. Acknowledgements



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PROBLEM IDENTIFICATION:

- Project achieving LEED certification through sustainable construction methods
- Few sustainable design techniques pursued in project
- High building electrical energy consumption

RESEARCH GOAL:

- Perform preliminary design of photovoltaic glass window system
- Determine financial feasibility of system
- Reduce electrical energy consumption



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RENEWABLE ENERGY/ELECTRICAL BREADTH



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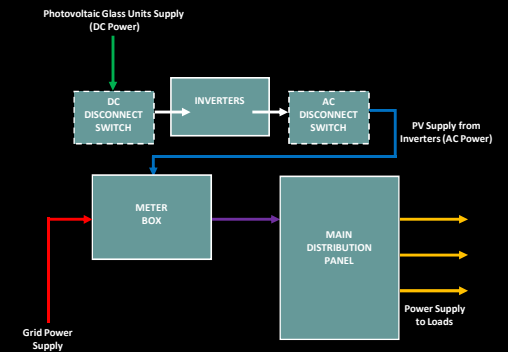


EXISTING GRID CONNECTION:

- PV glass window system too large for load-side interconnection
- Use supply-side interconnection

ELECTRICAL COMPONENTS REQUIRED:

- DC wire-run
- DC disconnect switch
- Inverter
- AC disconnect switch
- AC wire-run
- Service-tap meter box





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GREEN ROOF SYSTEM

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RESEARCH GOAL:

- Perform preliminary resident-accessible design of green roof system
- Determine structural impact on existing roof system
- Determine financial feasibility of system

