

Plan for the Future of the Salem Academy Building

ACADEMY BUILDING TASKFORCE

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TASK FORCE GOALS & TIMELINE

Non-negotiables:

- * Retain the building for Salem's use
- Find a partner consistent with Salem values who will respect our history
- Find a project that will benefit our community
- ❖ Find a project that will be consistent with Salem goals

June 2023 - September 2023

• Established our non-negotiables and explored partnership opportunities

October 2023 - January 2024

• Evaluated partnership opportunities

January 2024 - February 2024

• Reviewed partnership proposals including financial pro formas

February 2024 - April 2024

• Conducted a feasibility study funded by Twin City Development Foundation

May 2024

• Made a recommendation to the Board of Trustees for the June 2024 board meeting



PROPERTY DETAILS



Constructed 1930



80,000 Square feet



7 Acres



3 Wings



INTRODUCING THE ACADEMY HOTEL





PROJECT DETAILS











86 Boutique Hotel Rooms – suitable for short and long-term stays

Onsite Restaurant and Bar

Library Lounge

280-Person Auditorium Space

Meeting Rooms and Classroom Style Spaces – perfect for conferences and weddings

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GUEST ROOM CONCEPTS











RESTAURANT CONCEPT











OPPORTUNITIES

Sets a new standard for buildings on our campus

Diversifies Salem's revenue streams

Brings strong local partners and experts to our campus

Creates opportunities for alumnae to return to this historic building

OUTCOMES

Annual profit generated will fund student scholarships









FUNDING NEEDS

Gifts at this stage will inspire
others to follow your lead and
ensure the Academy building has a
new life.

In this challenging landscape where institutions serving girls and women are increasingly rare, this project helps ensure the building's future and helps financially secure Salem's future as well.





THE ACADEMY HOTEL

\$2.5M to allow for the Academy Building to be reopened and restored to its former glory.





PROJECT TIMELINE

Historic Tax Credits

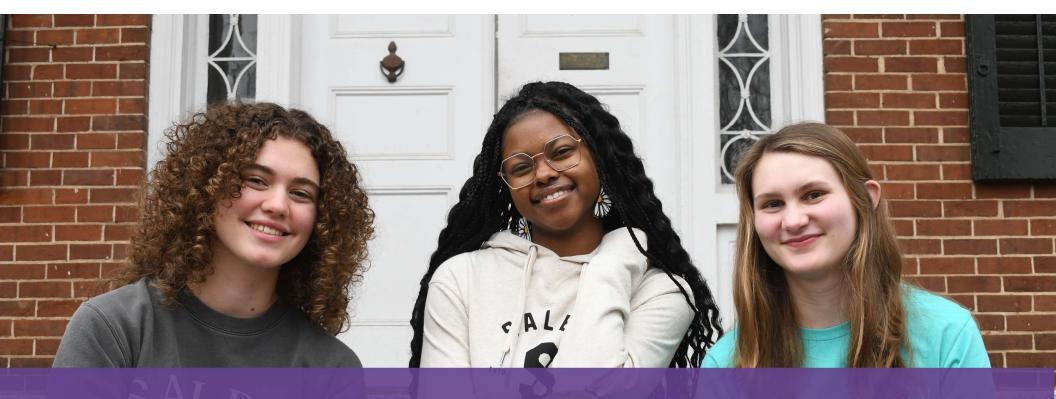
• 12-18 Months

Construction

• 12-24 Months

Potential Opening

• 2028



HOW CAN YOU HELP?

1. Share with Others 2. Build Enthusiasm
3. Make a Commitment 4. Consider a Naming Opportunity

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Are you ready
to stay
overnight at
the Academy
Building?

WELCOME HOME!



