

Brown University GeoChem Building

Owner Reference:

Brown University
156 George Street
Providence, RI 02905
David LaPlante



General Contractor:

Bond Brothers
145 Spring Street
Everett, MA 02149



About the Client

Brown University's vast campus stretches over 146 acres; and is situated on the historic residential hill overlooking downtown Providence. There are over 40 academic departments offering nearly 2,000 courses each year. Brown is an independent, co-educational Ivy League institute that was founded in 1764.



Scope of Work

The GeoChem renovation project was Brown's first ever Cat6A/10Gig cabling project which was also a design-build partnership with SyNet, Inc. Throughout the duration of this project the GeoChem building was an occupied office and lab environment.

SyNet installed over 293,000 ft. (45 miles) of Cat6A throughout the six floor facility comprising of over 800 locations.

SyNet used four cable support systems for the arteries of GeoChem's hallways — Basket Tray, Surface Raceway, Cable Tray and J-Hooks. Additionally, a fiber optic / copper backbone was installed to the building's MDF.



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