DIALOG

AMS STUDENT NEST: THE UBC STUDENT UNION BUILDING

The heart of the campus, beating with student pride

Higher Education



LOCATION

Vancouver, BC

CLIENT

UBC Properties Trust

COMPLETION

2015

COLLABORATORS

UBC Properties Trust

Phillips Farevaag Smallenberg

AME Consulting Group Ltd.

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DIALOG SERVICES

Architecture

Interior Design

Sustainability + Building Performance

Consulting

Purposefully situated, the Alma Mater Society (AMS) Nest is the social pulsing heart of UBC. The space considers both people and place, and the LEED® Platinum certified mixed-use facility – designed in collaboration with B+H – serves the environment, promotes socialization, and is economically self-efficient. The program represents a broad range of the student-operated food, beverage, and retail services that generate income. Atypical features include an art gallery, radio station, roof-top garden, climbing wall, and numerous unstructured learning spaces.