

William H. Gates Hall

University of Washington School of Law

Serves 703 JD and LLM students, 47 full time faculty, and over 50 staff

\$80 Million funded by:

- \$12 M gift from Bill Gates II, in honor of his father William H. Gates, Sr.
- \$34.3 M Private
- \$44.2 M Bond Sales
- \$1.5 M State Funds

200,000 gross sq. ft.

120,000 useable sq. ft.

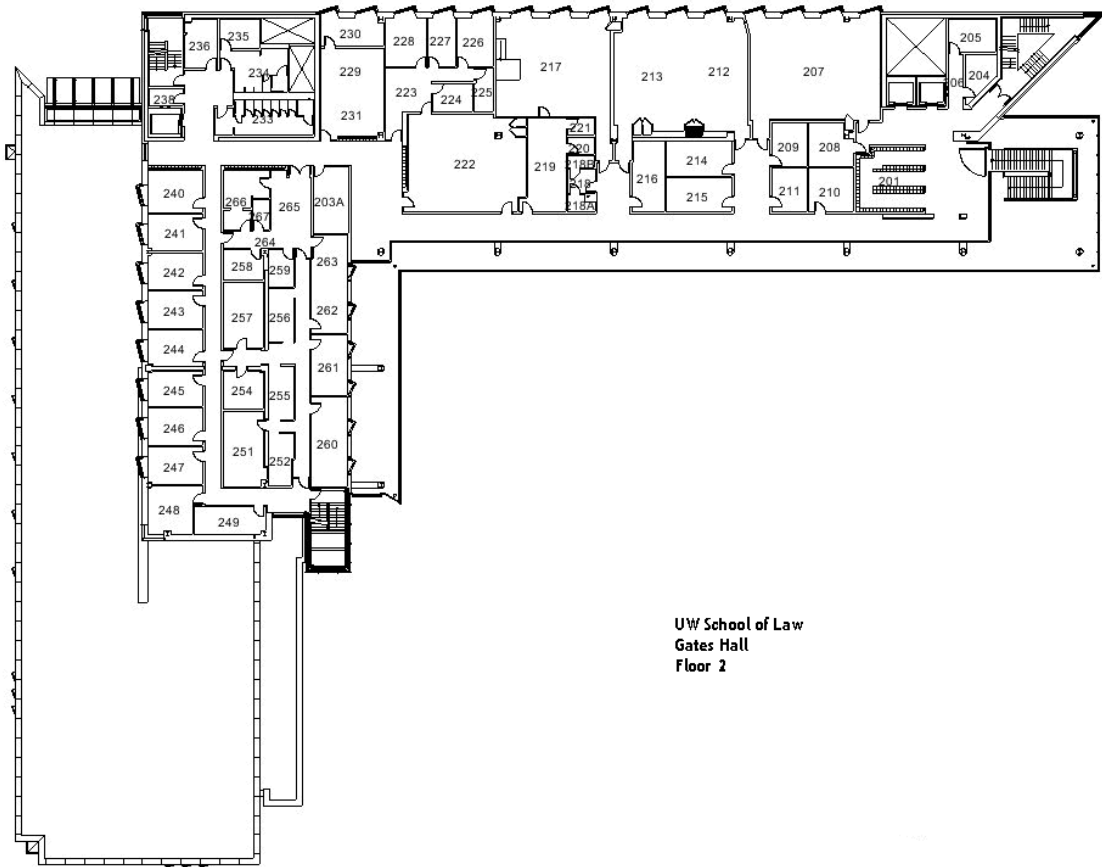
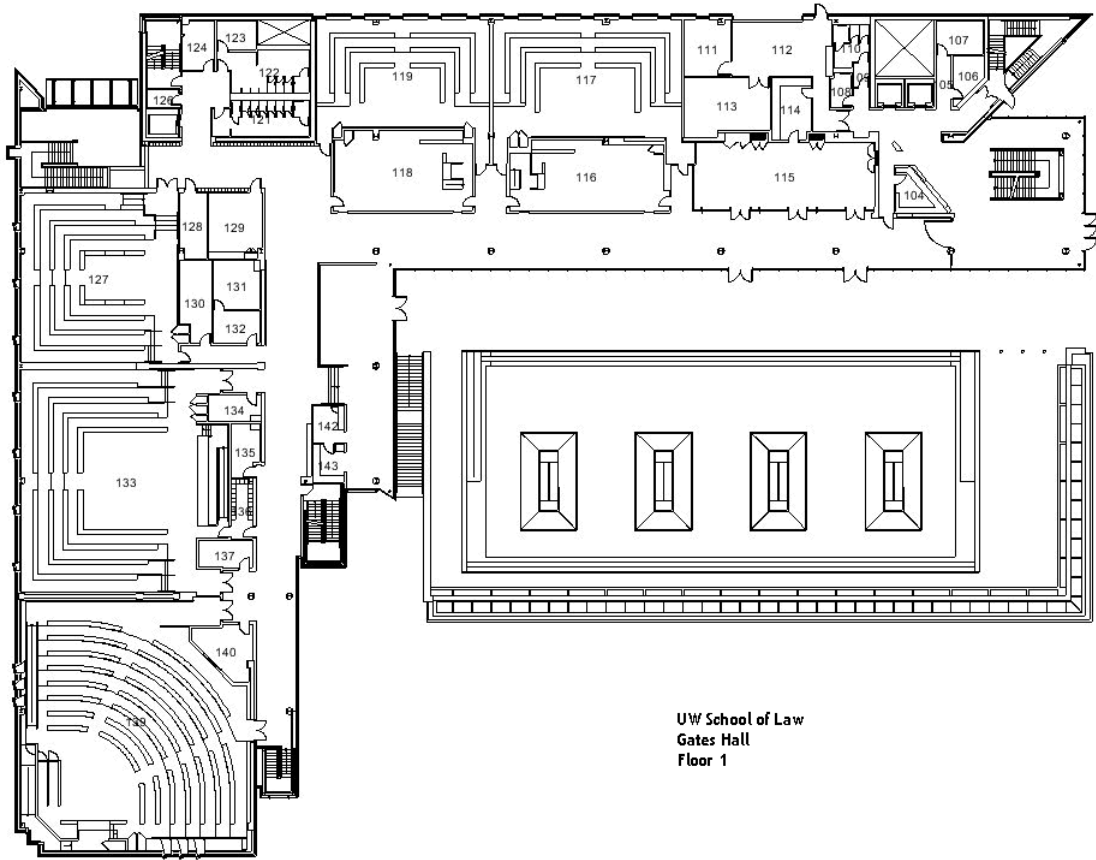
Work to plan and program the building began in 1992.

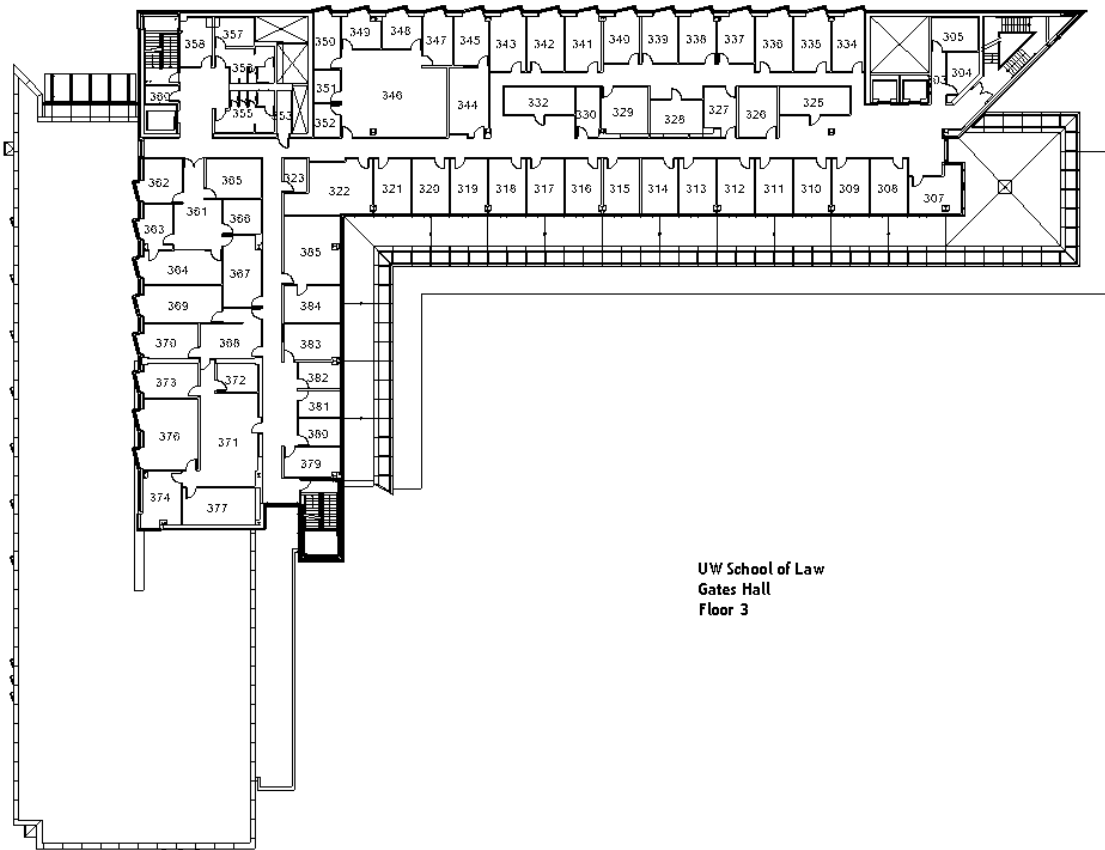
FACTS

- We hold over 569,000 volumes and volume equivalents
- Gallagher Law Library collection ranks 36/187 in collection size - we are the biggest law library north of San Francisco and west of Iowa
- The Law Library occupies about 50% of the building
- Staff of 32 provides wide-ranging services
- Open to the public; anyone can check out books and materials
- 2 floors
- One half of our collection is in compact moveable shelving, completely accessible
- Completely ADA compliant. The library is 28% bigger than in Condon Hall and 65% of that new space went to wider aisles in stack areas
- Open to the public 89 hours per week

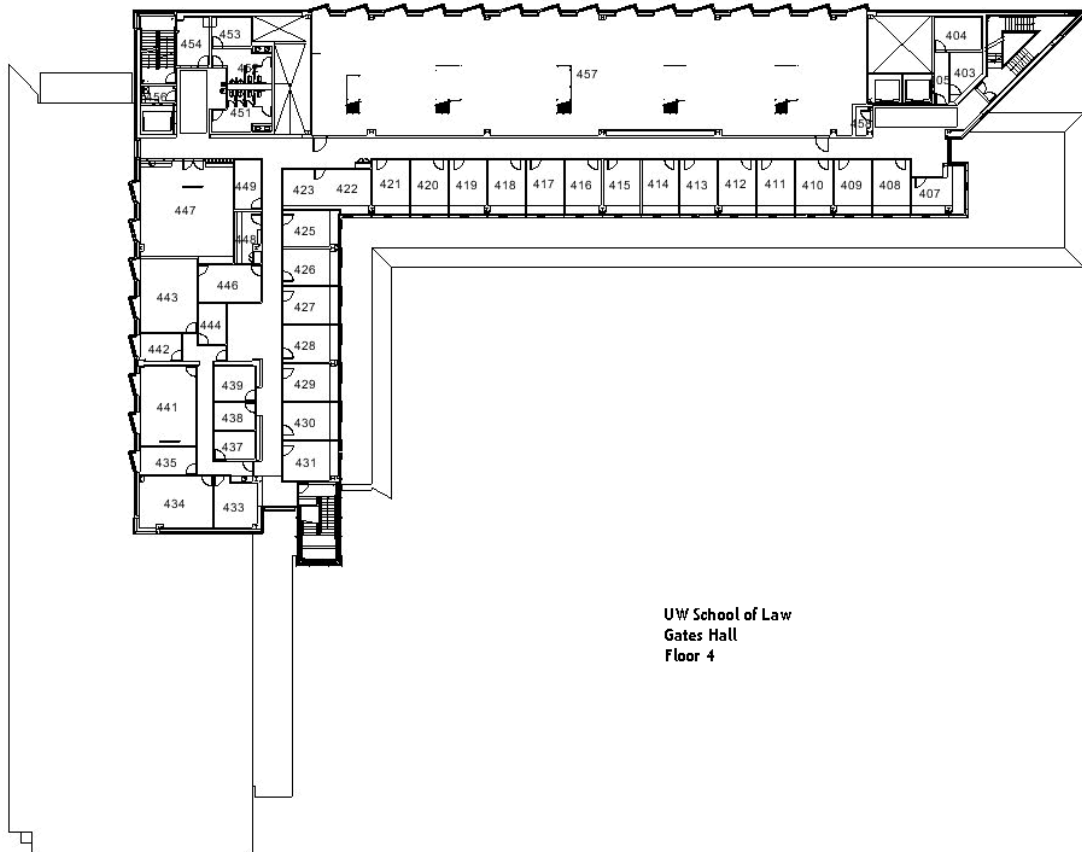
HIGHLIGHTS OF THE GALLAGHER LAW LIBRARY

- All areas in Gates Hall including the library have wireless access to the network (802.11 g)
- 25 public computer workstations with state of the art computing equipment throughout the library on L1 and L2
- Legal Research Training Center, L201/L202, 24 state of the art workstations
- 117 Study Carrels – L-Shaped with bookshelf, power, coathook, and desk lighting
- Four 18 foot crystals bring light into the library user spaces on L1 and L2 (L2 is completely underground)
- Bogle and Gates Law Student Lounge for 40 students has a mix of comfortable seating, tables, and carrels
- Spacious 15 sq. ft. of desk space per library user at all tables – seating for 138 on L1 and L2
- Reference Area contains 6500 of the most heavily used books in the library, all American law school periodicals on display shelving, and lower stacks for easy consultation of print resources
- 12 Law Student Study Rooms on L2 with DVD/Video playback for critique of trial practice work
- Stunning collection of art by Native American Artists throughout the library





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