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The building's design balances the organization's collegiate academics and athletics identity with the professional image associated with a corporate headquarters building. Its exterior design connects to a legacy of Chicago architectural styles through forms and materials, while at the same time extends those styles with a contemporary interpretation. Warm terra cotta is juxtaposed with the strength and crisp lines of expressed structure. At night, the transparency of two-story glass wall will showcase a Big Ten mural inside the building. The new headquarters building is also being sustainably designed to gain LEED certification.

## Big Ten Conference

Rosemont, IL

YEAR: 2013

SQ. FT.: 50,800

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