

*16-18 Wendell Street, Lesley University*



This extensive renovation of two historically significant houses (built 1853 and 1862) also included the design of a new, four-story addition at the rear, which connects the buildings into a unified residence hall for 42 students.

The addition contains an accessible main entrance facing the heart of Lesley's campus, common rooms, a shared kitchen, a new egress stair and a small



LU/LA elevator – as well as student rooms.

A fast-track schedule required accelerated design, permitting and construction – the entire project took less than ten months from programming through substantial completion of construction.

The project received a Historic Preservation Award, granted by the Cambridge Historical Commission.

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