

# West Shore Community College

## Arts and Sciences Center

Scottville, Michigan



### Client Challenge

West Shore Community College's Arts program did not have a dedicated location for its disciplines (graphics, digital photography, traditional art, music, performing and language arts). Classrooms and faculty offices were also scattered throughout campus.

### TowerPinkster Solution

This expansion and remodel of the Arts and Sciences Center unifies the program in a single location, providing renovated and new classroom and lecture space, and expanded faculty offices and conference capabilities.

The former campus library (now located in the LEED-Certified Student Center which was designed by TowerPinkster) houses large art studios and features an adjacent gallery to display student work - also visible to theatre patrons. The existing theater was renovated to serve dual-functions as a performing arts space, as well as a 60-seat tiered lecture hall. Acoustics, lighting and audio-visual systems were updated to accommodate multiple purposes. Adjacent to the theatre, new music rooms with higher volume spaces to enhance acoustics were added along with a separate piano lab and practice rooms.

**Size: 46,200 SF (renovation)  
and 18,000 SF (addition)**

**Firm Role: Architecture, Engineering,  
Interior Design and Landscape  
Architecture Services**  
**LEED Status: Gold**

