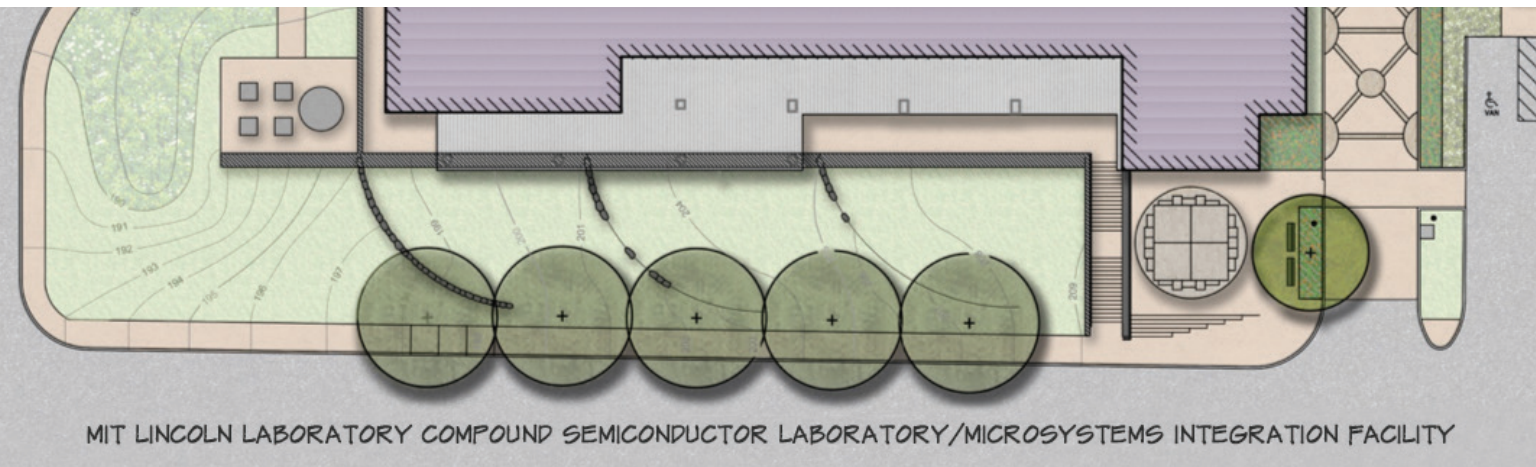


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The Collaborative is an award-winning urban planning, landscape architecture, engineering, and communications firm.



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Enhancing Municipal Services

Sandy Springs, Georgia

In 2005, the City of Sandy Springs privatized its municipal services, from communications to parks and recreation to public works. Since 2011, the Collaborative has managed contract services for the Departments of Community Development, Economic Development, and Communications.

Our staff support planning and zoning, land development, and the building department. We help existing and new businesses to grow and locate in the City. And our communications team conducts information campaigns to foster a more vibrant community.



Planning and Design for Stronger Communities

Mattapan Station

Our landscape architects and planners are providing site design services in support of a transit-oriented mixed-use development project at Mattapan Station in Boston. The 130-unit development provides housing, retail, open space, construction jobs, and long-term employment opportunities.



The Collaborative provides thoughtful expertise and creative thinking as they assist the City in our community development and communications programs.

— Eva Galambos, Former Mayor, Sandy Springs, GA



Campus Planning and Design

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

The Collaborative's experience includes the creation of a master plan for 18 acres of MIT's main campus, in Cambridge, MA. The plan sparked one million SF of building development, along with a system of pathways, lobbies, and open spaces that bring people together and support the interchange of ideas. A major objective was to create buildings that could learn, consistent with MIT's philosophy of designing buildings that are capable of being scaled up or down to meet the the Institute's changing needs.

Photo of MIT Koch Biology Building



Turning Brownfields into Parklands and New Neighborhoods

Atlanta BeltLine

The Collaborative is providing master planning services in support of Atlanta's BeltLine. The BeltLine is the most comprehensive transportation and economic development effort ever undertaken in Atlanta, ultimately connecting 45 neighborhoods via a new transit network, multi-use trails, and parks. Our plans aim to clean up and connect abandoned rail lines, create new neighborhood centers, and increase affordable workforce housing, public art, and jobs.

Image Credit (above): Ryan Gravel's original vision for BeltLine



Emmy Award-Winning Communications

Local, State, and Federal Clients

The Collaborative's government communications work ranges from the production of Emmy-award winning television programs to leading nationwide public information campaigns for such Federal agencies as U.S. DOT, NASA, and EPA.

Services include the design and execution of multimedia products and programs reaching millions of people via Facebook, Twitter, and other social media channels. Staff are experts in the development of mobile applications and web sites, creation of animated infographics and other IT and digital-based communication products.



The Collaborative is a consulting firm of planners, designers, engineers, and communications professionals. MIT-trained city planners Joe Brevard and Ed Shoucair began the firm to make a positive change in the world by applying thoughtful analysis and rigorous insight to the many and varied challenges of public facilities planning and design.

The firm is a Federal Small Disadvantaged Business and is certified as a DBE and MBE in over a dozen states.



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