

# Blueprints

## VT 2016 STADIUM CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

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### CANADA

#### SASKATCHEWAN

##### REGINA

###### MOSAIC STADIUM

<http://newmosaicstadium.com>  
**CAPACITY:** Stadium—33,000 seats; 521,000 sq. ft.; **Suites:** 38  
**OPENING DATE:** 2017  
**COST OF CONSTRUCTION:** \$278 million  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** Architect: PCL Construction Mgmt., Inc./HKS Sports & Ent./B+H Architects/TD Securities  
**CONTACTS:** VP of Corp. Sales/Partnerships for SK  
**Roughriders:** Steve Mazurak, (306) 566-4228

### MEXICO

#### MEXICO CITY

##### LOS DIABLOS ROJOS DEL MEXICO BALLPARK

Manuel M. Ponce 87 1er. Piso, Col. Guadalupe Inn, Delegacion Alvaro Obregon, C.P. 01020, Mexico, D.F.  
**CAPACITY:** 13,000 seats  
**OPENING DATE:** 2017  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** Architect: Jahn and ADG; Sport Design Consultant: Populous  
**FEATURES:** Mexican League Ballpark.

### ITALY

#### ROME

##### AS ROMA STADIUM

Tor di Valle  
**CAPACITY:** 55,000  
**OPENING DATE:** 2016  
**COST OF CONSTRUCTION:** \$215 million  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** Architect: Woods Bagot; **Owner:** ASR SpA; **Management:** Grupo Parsitalia  
**CONTACTS:** AS Roma Pres.: Jim Pallotta  
**FEATURES:** Dan Meis, architect for Staples Center in Los Angeles, has been given the go-ahead to design a stadium for Serie A team AS Roma to be based on the Coliseum's design.

##### STADIO DELLA ROMA

Via dell'ippica, 00144  
**CAPACITY:** 60,000  
**OPENING DATE:** 2017  
**COST OF CONSTRUCTION:** \$400 million  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** Design: Dan Meis, FAIA  
**FEATURES:** Intended to evoke one of Rome's most beloved and iconic landmarks, the Coliseum, the

design for the venue incorporates a modern steel and glass stadium wrapped in a stone scrim anchoring a 365-day-a-year destination of shops, restaurants and bars.

### QATAR

#### DOHA

##### AL RAYYAN STADIUM

[www.sc.qa](http://www.sc.qa)  
**CAPACITY:** Stadium—45,000 seats; 2 million sq. ft.  
**COST OF CONSTRUCTION:** \$600 million  
**FEATURES:** One of the 12 stadia to be built for the 2022 World Cup in Qatar, the venue is designed to be built atop the lower bowl of an existing stadium, reusing as much as possible of the previous structure. Targeting LEED Gold certification.

##### AL WAKRAH STADIUM

[www.sc.qa](http://www.sc.qa)  
**CAPACITY:** Stadium—45,000 seats; 1.8 million sq. ft.  
**COST OF CONSTRUCTION:** \$750 million  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** Architect: AECOM/Zaha Hadid Architects  
**FEATURES:** One of the stadia designed for Qatar's World Cup 2022 bid. The venue is inspired by the Qatari dhow, a traditional sailing vessel. The sail features will not only provide an automatic shading device, but also create a dramatic skyline.

##### SORTS CITY STADIUM

**CAPACITY:** Stadium—47,560 seats, **Suites:** 116  
**OPENING DATE:** 2017  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** Architect: Woods Bagot; **Owner:** Qatar  
**FEATURES:** One of 12 stadiums being built for the 2022 FIFA World Cup. Qatar plans to spend \$57 billion preparing for the games. The multipurpose venue is designed to be one of the most sophisticated in the world, capable of transforming by disassembling and reassembling into seven various sporting configurations.

### RUSSIA

#### MOSCOW

##### VTB STADIUM & ARENA

[En.vtb-arena.com](http://En.vtb-arena.com)  
**CAPACITY:** Stadium—33,000 seats; **Suites:** 98; **Arena:** 12,000 seats; **Suites:** 82  
**OPENING DATE:** 2016  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** Developer: AEG; **Owner:** VTB Bank, state owned;

**Architect:** David Manica

**CONTACTS:** AEG Contact: Brian Kabatznick, 44 208 463 2190

**FEATURES:** To possibly include an NBA Club with a restaurant, children's play area, small gym and retail store.

### SPAIN

#### VALENCIA

##### NOU MESTALLA

[info@futuronestalla.com](mailto:info@futuronestalla.com)  
[www.futuronestalla.com](http://www.futuronestalla.com)  
**CAPACITY:** 75,000  
**OPENING DATE:** TBD  
**COST OF CONSTRUCTION:** \$600 million  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** **Owner:** Valencia CF; **Management:** Valencia CF; **Architect:** Reid Fenwick Associates; ArupSport  
**FEATURES:** Construction began in Aug. 2007, and work stopped in 2009 because of debts. Deal with Bankia to reduce the debt and finish the stadium fell through Sept. 2012, leaving a stadium shell.

### UNITED KINGDOM

#### LIVERPOOL

##### ANFIELD STADIUM

Liverpool Football Club  
 Anfield Road, L4 0TH  
 44 151 264 2236  
[Events.liverpoolfc.com](http://Events.liverpoolfc.com)  
**CAPACITY:** Stadium: 45,276 seats; **Suites:** 32  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** **Owner:** Fenway Sports Group; **Architect:** HKS Inc.; **Tickets-Primary:** In-house; **Concessions:** In-house  
**CONTACTS:** MD: Ian Ayre  
**FEATURES:** Since Liverpool Football Club was acquired by Fenway Sports Group in 2010, plans have been underway to redevelop the 19th century stadium into a 60,000-seat venue. Manchester

##### ETIHAD STADIUM (RENOVATIONS)

Etihad Campus, Etihad Stadium, M11 3FF  
 +44 16 1062 1894  
 Fax: +44 16 1438 7999  
[mcfc@mcfc.co.uk](mailto:mcfc@mcfc.co.uk)  
[www.mcfc.co.uk](http://www.mcfc.co.uk)  
**CAPACITY:** 55,097  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** Manchester City Council and Manchester City FC (Please note, as before, the Etihad Stadium is owned by the Council, not the Club)  
**FEATURES:** Iconic cable stayed roof

structure, tier 1 below ground level (put in place during the stadium conversion in 2002-03), expanded South Stand opened in August 2015 adding 6,000 new seats to the stadium, along with 1,500 new pitchside seats.

the South. The stadium will also feature a new large video board and dramatically upgraded Wi-Fi experience, providing every fan with in-seat access.

### CALIFORNIA

#### INGLEWOOD

##### LA RAMS STADIUM

**CAPACITY:** 70,240 seats, expandable by 30,000  
**OPENING DATE:** 2019  
**COST OF CONSTRUCTION:** \$3 billion (projected)  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** Tenants: LA Rams; **Architect:** HKS  
**FEATURES:** The venue is set 100 feet into the ground and with a 175-foot above-ground profile. The design calls for a roof with metal borders and an area over the playing field made of a transparent material called ETFE, which is as clear as a car windshield and believed to be strong enough to support the weight of a vehicle. The NFL approved moving the Stan Kroenke's team from St. Louis back to L.A. on Jan. 12, 2016.

### LOS ANGELES

#### L.A. SOCCER STADIUM

**CAPACITY:** 22,000  
**OPENING DATE:** 2018  
**COST OF CONSTRUCTION:** \$250 million  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** **Owner:** Los Angeles Football Club; **Architect:** Gensler; **Project Management:** Legends; **General Contractor:** PCL Construction  
**FEATURES:** Being built on the site of the existing Los Angeles Memorial Sports Arena, which hosted its last concert in 2015. To house a Major League Soccer expansion franchise. The project, adjacent to the Los Angeles Coliseum, will also include up to 100,000 sq. ft. of new restaurants, office space, a conference center and a soccer museum.

### SACRAMENTO

#### SACRAMENTO REPUBLIC FC MLS STADIUM

2421 17th St., 95818  
 (916) 307-6100  
[www.sacrepublicfc.com](http://www.sacrepublicfc.com)  
[goal@sacrepublicfc.com](mailto:goal@sacrepublicfc.com)  
**CAPACITY:** 22,000 seats  
**OPENING DATE:** TBD  
**COST OF CONSTRUCTION:** TBD  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** Client: SAC Soccer & Entertainment Holdings, LLC; **Secondary Client:** Sacramento

Republic FC; **Prime Architect:** HNTB; **Project Development Manager:** Legends  
**FEATURES:** The exterior appearance and building structure is based upon Republic FC's logo: the star. The result is a stadium that could only be home to this team, showcasing the team's brand to the outside and supporting the fans in the stands. The stadium also pays homage to Sacramento's urban forests and famed canopies. From the concourses, tree-like steel support structures to support the roof canopy and seating bowl, grow from the stadium's perimeter. Materials used to build the stadium will reflect its location within the historic Railyards district. The seating bowl rake is designed to be the steepest in Major League Soccer (approximately 32 degrees) providing great sight lines and a unique and intimidating atmosphere that puts fans close to the action. The closed bowl will wrap around the pitch on all four sides and be continuous, with minimal breaks, further enhancing the apparent steepness of the stands, and surrounding the pitch on all sides with Republic FC fans. The proposed design for Sacramento Republic FC's stadium will have a roof that will wrap around the entire stadium, providing shade to the majority of the seats and further capturing and retaining fan energy and intensity.

**COLORADO**

**BOULDER**  
**UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO ATHLETIC COMPLEX/ FOLSOM FIELD (EXPANSION)**  
**CAPACITY:** 50,183  
**COST OF CONSTRUCTION:** \$181 million  
**COMPLETION DATE:** End zone and training facility complete in Fall of 2015; Indoor practice facility and outdoor practice fields to be completed in Spring 2016.  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** **Owner:** University of Colorado; **Architect:** Populous; **Contractor:** Mortenson  
**FEATURES:** Three new seating sections were added to Folsom Field; 40 private loge boxes and 550 club seats with a new indoor club in the end zone, and a new corner seating section with associated VIP indoor club. This was the largest renovation in the history of Folsom Field and Dal Ward Athletic Center. It will significantly improve the student-athlete experience by providing 380,000 square feet of enhanced amenities and state-of-the-art resources for students to train, develop and study. This facility will connect more

than 10 collegiate sports and athletic administration into one cohesive building which includes a new indoor practice facility, renovated academic center, football operations, athletic department spaces, Olympic sport locker rooms, Olympic sport training and weight room, and a 27,000 sf High Performance Sports Institute.

**FORT COLLINS**  
**COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY**  
 101 McGraw Athletic Center, 80523 (970) 491-4666  
 Fax: (970) 491-2353  
**CAPACITY:** 40,000 seats  
**OPENING DATE:** TBD  
**COST OF CONSTRUCTION:** \$226.5 million  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** **Architect:** Populous; **Contractor:** Mortenson Construction  
**FEATURES:** Will serve as an important step in recruiting top athletes and top students from beyond the Colorado borders. The design of the open-air stadium embraces Colorado, including the natural beauty, wilderness and visual connections to the Rocky Mountains from campus. The plazas on the north and south sides of the stadium provide space to continue important campus traditions and create future traditions to re-engage students and fans. Known for sustainable leadership, CSU has placed importance on achieving LEED Gold and the design reflects this.

**FLORIDA**

**MIAMI**  
**SUN LIFE STADIUM (RENOVATION)**  
 347 Don Shula Drive, 33056 (305) 943-8000  
**CAPACITY:** 65,326 seats  
**OPENING DATE:** 2016 (phase 2)  
**COST OF CONSTRUCTION:** \$400 million  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** **Architect:** HOK; **Contractor:** Hunt Construction  
**FEATURES:** Renovation upgrades include video boards in each corner of the stadium, additional suites, and an open-air canopy over the main seating area.

**ORLANDO**  
**ORLANDO CITY SC DOWNTOWN STADIUM**  
 (855) ORL.CITY  
 Fax: (407) 480-4729  
 www.orlandocitysc.com  
**CAPACITY:** 19,000 seats  
**OPENING DATE:** 2016  
**COST OF CONSTRUCTION:** \$115 million  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** **Owner:** City; **Tenant:** Orlando City SC; **Architect:** Populous; **Contractor:** Barton Malow  
**FEATURES:** Orlando City SC's new downtown stadium will create a world-class soccer experience in

the heart of the City Beautiful. Integrated seamlessly along Church Street's emerging Sports Corridor, the design is intended to initiate development and activate the relationship between the city, citizens and spectators - both local and visiting. The stadium was designed to become a garden of activities for its users - on game days and non-game days alike. A variety of high-impact experiences on the stadium site, coupled with an iconic plaza, will create a year-round destination and incredible fan experience for OCSC supporters in the heart of the Parramore community.

**GEORGIA**

**ATLANTA**  
**MERCEDES-BENZ STADIUM**  
 441 M.L.K. Jr. Dr., NW, 30313  
**CAPACITY:** 71,000 seats  
**OPENING DATE:** 2017  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** **Architect:** HOK; **Associate Architects:** tvsdesign, Goode Van Slyke, Stanley Beaman & Sears; **Contractor:** HHRM JV; **Structural:** Buro Happold / Hoberman; **Project Manager:** Darden & Co.  
**FEATURES:** The architects drew inspiration from the Falcons' team logo and created a Falcon wing-like exterior that utilizes the latest in innovative and transparent building materials. With much of the exterior skin made up of glass or retractable panels, it will allow abundant natural sunlight to shine through the expanded general concourses and premium spaces, providing fans with an outdoor feel. The design process yielded a series of iconic fan-focused elements that will define the structure, including flexible capacity that expands up to 75,000 seats, a retractable roof, interior and exterior views, a 360-degree HD video halo board and an exterior fan plaza.

**SUNTRUST PARK**  
 2675 Cobb Pkwy SE, 30080 info@braves.com  
**CAPACITY:** 41,500 seats  
**OPENING DATE:** 2017  
**COST OF CONSTRUCTION:** \$672 million  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** **Owner:** Cobb County; **Tenant:** Atlanta Braves; **Architect:** Populous; **Contractor:** American Builders  
**FEATURES:** SunTrust Park is the new home for the Atlanta Braves. It will bring together a classic ballpark feel, modern amenities and southern hospitality, creating a fan experience unlike any other. An intimate seating bowl will maximize sightlines and a canopy will enhance fan comfort. The ballpark will be the first of its kind - a lifestyle destination that seam-

lessly integrates with an engaging, multi-use development that will be vibrant 365 days a year.

**ILLINOIS**

**CHICAGO**  
**U.S. CELLULAR FIELD (RENOVATION)**  
 333 W 35th Street, 60616 (312) 674-1000  
**CAPACITY:** 40,615  
**OPENING DATE:** 2016  
**COST OF CONSTRUCTION:** \$7.3 million  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** **Architect:** HOK  
**FEATURES:** Ongoing renovations to be completed in 2016 include three new video boards, including one about 8,000 square feet above center field.

**EVANSTON**  
**LAKEFRONT ATHLETIC RECREATION COMPLEX**  
 Evanston, 60201  
**OPENING DATE:** 2018  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** **Architect:** Perkins & Will in association with HOK  
**FEATURES:** The consolidation of athletic facilities on the main campus allows for direct adjacencies of the new Sports Performance Facilities for Football and Olympic Sports, a new Sports Medicine and Athletic Training Center and a student athlete Training Table. The Natatorium will see significant improvements, including varsity locker rooms, lounges and dry and wet land training areas.  
**NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY ROCKY & BERENICE MILLER PARK**  
 Evanston, 60201 (847) 491-3205  
**OPENING DATE:** March 2016  
**PROJECT COST:** \$15 million  
**CONTACTS:** **Deputy Director for Athletics and Recreation Development:** Travis Goff, travis.goff@northwestern.edu  
**FEATURES:** A new press box (2,300 sq. ft.), clubhouse (6,000 sq. ft., featuring locker room and player's lounge), chair back seats, expanded dugouts, concessions and restrooms facilities, artificial turf and scoreboard. Providing baseball student-athletes with a state-of-the-art facility and home, as the clubhouse structure will serve, and a surface that maximizes playability was at the heart of the project. The new artificial surface will allow more home games earlier in the year and will also provide community use in the offseason.

**INDIANA**

**NOTRE DAME**  
**NOTRE DAME STADIUM (RENOVATIONS)**  
 Moose Krause Cir, South Bend, 46616

(574) 631-7356  
**CAPACITY:** 84,000 seats  
**OPENING DATE:** 2017  
**COST OF CONSTRUCTION:** \$400 million  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** **Architect:** HOK as consultant to architect of record S/L/A/M Collaborative; **Contractor:** Barton Malow  
**FEATURES:** Once the Campus Crossroads project is complete, an additional 3,000 to 4,000 fans will be able to cheer on the Fighting Irish. Enhancements to Notre Dame Stadium include outdoor club-level seating within the east and west buildings. Additionally, terraces will adorn each of these buildings, allowing for a view of both campus and the playing field. The most visible change will involve the addition of a video board at the top of the south end of the venue, along with ribbon boards along the east and west sides of the stadium. Just as at Purcell Pavilion and the Compton Family Ice Arena, there will be no advertising or commercials associated with use of the video boards. Seating improvements will include the addition of vinyl-clad benches throughout the stadium, replacing the wood bench seats, as well as an increase of the average space available for each fan from 16 inches wide to 18 inches. The additional video boards will allow for the removal of the north scoreboard in order to enhance the view of the Word of Life mural on the Hesburgh Library. Other enhancements include improvements to the Wi-Fi network and existing sound system within the stadium; renovation of restrooms, concession stands, lighting and signage; and an increase in the number of women's restrooms. The existing press box will be completely removed and replaced by additional seating. The press box will move to the east side of the stadium. NBC Sports will continue to broadcast home football games from the west side of the stadium, however. Enhancements to the south side of the stadium include a redesigned Frank Leahy Gate, creating a grand entrance to Notre Dame Stadium. No club-level seating is currently planned for the south side of the stadium.

**IOWA**

**IOWA CITY**  
**UNIVERSITY OF IOWA KINNICK STADIUM (NORTH EDZONE REPLACEMENT)**  
 825 Stadium Drive, 52240

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(319) 335-9320  
www.hawkeyesports.com  
**CAPACITY:** 70,000 seats  
**OPENING DATE:** TBD  
**COST OF CONSTRUCTION:** TBD  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** Client: University of Iowa, Prime Architect: Neumann Monson Architects; Sports Design Architect; HNTB  
**FEATURES:** Still in the early stages of design and planning, the Univ. of Iowa is looking to replace the current north endzone seating section with new, upgrades seats as well as new concessions and rest-rooms. Design details for the project are still under development and confidential.

**KANSAS**

**KANSAS CITY  
US SOCCER NATIONAL TEAM  
TRAINING COMPLEX**

**PROJECT COST:** \$75 million  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** Wyandotte County; City of Kansas City, Kan.;  
**Architects:** Populous; Tenant: U.S. National Team  
**FEATURES:** New national training complex for US Soccer that will house the National Training and Coaching Development Center, an elite athlete training and performance analytics campus and national youth soccer development programs. The high-performance campus will be the first of its kind and will introduce a vertically integrated system of intelligent, data-driven training.

**KENTUCKY**

**LEXINGTON  
UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY NEW  
BASEBALL STADIUM**

**CAPACITY:** 4,500-plus seats, including chairback seats, loge seats, club seats, suite seats and grass berm seating  
**OPENING DATE:** Feb. 2018  
**PROJECT COST:** \$31 million  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** University of Kentucky Prime Architect: Ross-Tarrant Architects; Sports Design Architect: HNTB  
**CONTACTS:** HNTB: Gerardo Prado, (816) 527-2600  
**FEATURES:** The new facility will include a 360-degree, wrap-around concourse enabling fans to walk around the entire stadium. An elevated level contains club seating and lounge, suites,

press/media facilities and coaches offices. A grass terrace and berm seating will be located along the outfield. A new team facility that will include team locker rooms and a new lounge, a sports medicine area, an equipment room, a 40-person meeting room, 5 batting/pitching tunnels and a full indoor practice facility with a baseball infield and drop-down batting cages.

**MINNESOTA**

**MINNEAPOLIS  
TARGET FIELD (CENTERFIELD  
SEATING AREA)**

1 Twins Way, 55403  
(612) 659-3400  
http://minnesota.twins.mlb.com/min/ballpark/  
**Capacity:** 39,504  
**Opening Date:** 2016  
**Cost of Construction:** N/A  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** Tenant: Minnesota Twins; Architect: Populous; Contractor: Mortenson Construction; **Concessions:** Aramark; **Management:** SMG  
**CONTACTS:** MFSA Exec. Dir.: Ted Mondale; Asst. GM: Jerry Goldman  
**FEATURES:** The venue will replace the Metrodome and is owned and operated by the Minnesota Sports Facilities Authority, a local governmental unit of the State of Minnesota. While the major tenant in the stadium is the Minnesota Vikings, the building was designed to provide a wide array of events for the community and state. It will host high school and college

**U.S. BANK STADIUM**

1010 S 7th St, 55415  
(952) 918-8599  
www.vikings.com/stadium/new-stadium.html  
**CAPACITY:** 65,000 seats; 1,500,000 sq. ft.  
**OPENING DATE:** July 2016  
**COST OF CONSTRUCTION:** \$1 billion  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** Owner: State of Minnesota; Architect: HKS Inc.; Contractor: Mortenson Construction; **Concessions:** Aramark; **Management:** SMG  
**CONTACTS:** MFSA Exec. Dir.: Ted Mondale; Asst. GM: Jerry Goldman  
**FEATURES:** The venue will replace the Metrodome and is owned and operated by the Minnesota Sports Facilities Authority, a local governmental unit of the State of Minnesota. While the major tenant in the stadium is the Minnesota Vikings, the building was designed to provide a wide array of events for the community and state. It will host high school and college

sporting events, including baseball and soccer. The new stadium can also accommodate large trade shows and concerts as well as smaller intimate events in the stadium's six state-of-the-art club spaces and locations throughout the building. With approximately 60 percent of the stadium's roof made up of transparent ethylene tetrafluoroethylene (ETFE), the new stadium will give fans an outdoor feel in a climate-controlled environment. One of the key design elements of the iconic stadium, is glass walls that offer fans views of the Minneapolis skyline and make up the five pivoting glass doors that open to the stadium's west plaza.

**MISSOURI**

**SAINT LOUIS  
NATIONAL CAR RENTAL FIELD**

St. Louis, 63101  
**Capacity:** 64,000  
**Opening Date:** 2019 (proposed)  
**Cost of Construction:** \$1.1 billion  
**Stakeholders:** Architect: HOK; Contractor: HCKL (Hunt, Clayco, Kai and Legacy Building Group)  
**Features:** National Car Rental Field is expected to be an open-air, 64,000-seat stadium on the edge of the Mississippi River. Plans include various fan amenities, tailgating areas and the incorporation of trails, natural habitat and park space on the St. Louis riverfront. The venue would replace the Rams current home, the Edward Jones Dome, which opened in 1995 and would help in preventing the Rams' return to Los Angeles.

**NEVADA**

**LAS VEGAS  
UNLVNOW**

University of Nevada-Las Vegas P.O. Box 450003, 89154-0003  
www.unlvrebels.com  
**Capacity:** Multi-Purpose Stadium-52,000 seats  
**Opening Date:** 2017  
**Cost of Construction:** \$800 million  
**Stakeholders:** Owner: Majestic Realty; Architect: Woods Bagot  
**Features:** This venue is the start of a campus-type property, including housing, entertainment and retail near UNLV. The university will provide the land but the school and its students will not be

providing funds. A 100-yard-long video screen will be featured.

**NEW YORK**

**FLUSHING MEADOWS  
UNITED STATES NATIONAL  
TENNIS CENTER (GRANDSTAND  
STADIUM, SOUTH CAMPUS  
RENOVATIONS), ARTHUR ASHE  
STADIUM (ROOF)**

Flushing Meadow-Corona Park, 11368  
(718) 760-6200  
Fax: (718) 592-9488  
**CAPACITY:** Grandstand Stadium - 8,000 seats; South Campus - 5,000 seats; Arthur Ashe Stadium - 22,500 seats  
**OPENING DATE:** Grandstand Stadium + South Campus Renovations, August 2016; Arthur Ashe Stadium Roof, August 2017

**COST OF CONSTRUCTION:** Grandstand Stadium - \$80 million; South Campus Renovations - \$60 million; Arthur Ashe Stadium Roof - \$100 million

**STAKEHOLDERS:** Owner/Management: United States Tennis Association; **Designer/Architect:** Rossetti; **Construction:** Hunt Construction/AECOM; **Structural Engineer:** WSP; **LEED Consultant:** EcoEvolution; **Concessions Consultant:** Levy Restaurants  
**CONTACTS:** COO: Danny Zausner, Zausner@dusta.com; **Managing Director, Corporate Communications:** Chris Widmaier, (914) 689-7284, widmaier@dusta.com

**FEATURES:** The strategic transformation, which began construction in 2014 and is slated for 2018 completion, will cement the US Open's reputation for marrying history with innovation. The new retractable roof over Arthur Ashe Stadium will be complete for the 2017 US Open, and the grand finale, a new Louis Armstrong Stadium, is on the books for a 2018 opening.

**OREGON**

**CORVALLIS  
OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY -  
VALLEY FOOTBALL CENTER  
(RENOVATION) & RESER STADIUM  
(NORTH END ZONE)**

**CAPACITY:** 43,400 seats  
**OPENING DATE:** August 2016

**COST OF CONSTRUCTION:** \$35 million  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** Client: Oregon State University; Prime Architect: HNTB, Structural Engineer: KPFF  
**FEATURES:** The project scope includes new North End Zone premium seating above field level team locker room, sports medicine area and equipment area. The new North End Zone provides pedestrian connections east and west sides over field access ramps. The project will also add new loading dock areas and new team auditorium as well as renovation of existing Valley Football Center building, which includes Hall of Fame, coach's locker room, team meeting rooms and football administration.

**SOUTH CAROLINA**

**COLUMBIA  
SPIRIT COMMUNICATIONS PARK**

Bull Street  
**CAPACITY:** 8,000 seats  
**OPENING DATE:** 2016  
**PROJECT COST:** \$37 million  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** Architect: Populous; Contractor: Barton Malow  
**FEATURES:** Spirit Communications Park will be a minor league ballpark and state-of-the-art entertainment venue - considered the most significant project to take place in the city in decades. When complete, the ballpark will serve as a public gathering space with uses for both indoor and outdoor events, as well as a design that creates connectivity between the venue and surrounding development currently being conceptualized.

**TEXAS**

**SAN ANTONIO  
ALAMODOME (RENOVATION)**

100 Montana Street, 78203  
(210) 207-3663  
**CAPACITY:** 72,000 seats  
**OPENING DATE:** 2017  
**PROJECT COST:** \$41 million  
**STAKEHOLDERS:** Architect: Populous, Marmon Mok  
**FEATURES:** Renovation to the Alamodome will make the facility in San Antonio ready for the 2018 NCAA Men's Final Four basketball championship, and allow San Antonio to compete with major cities to attract marquee events.

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