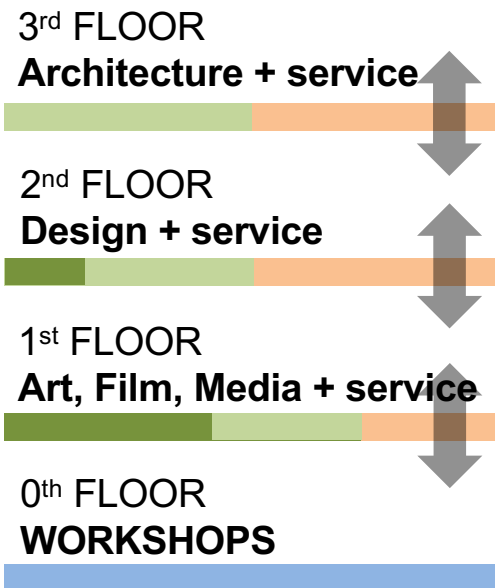


Väre Spatial concept



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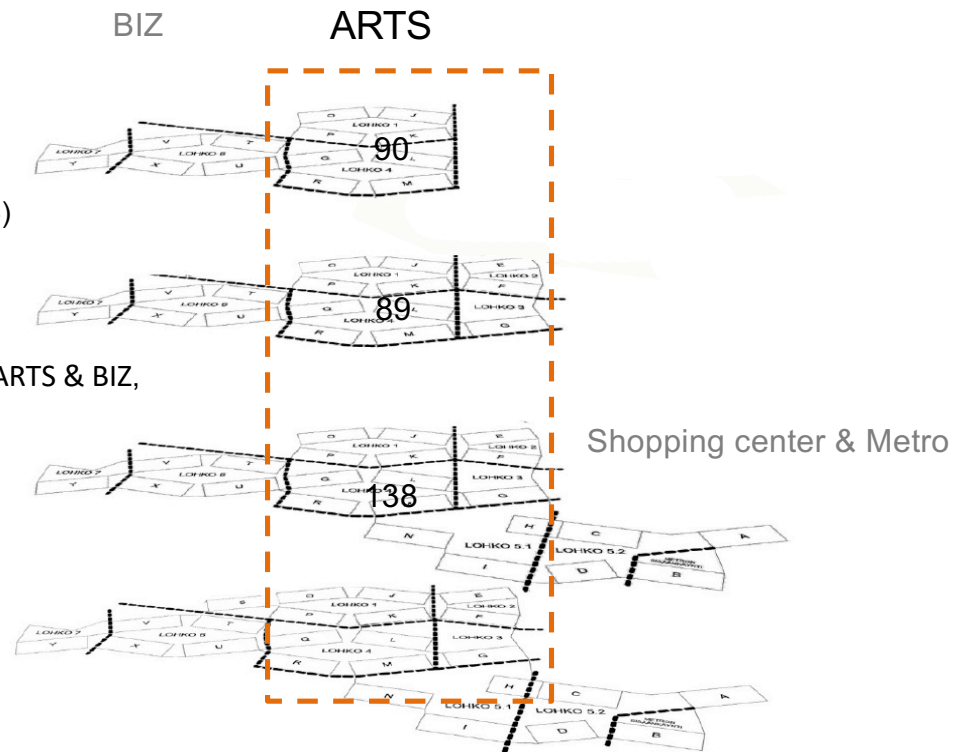
Departments location in Väre



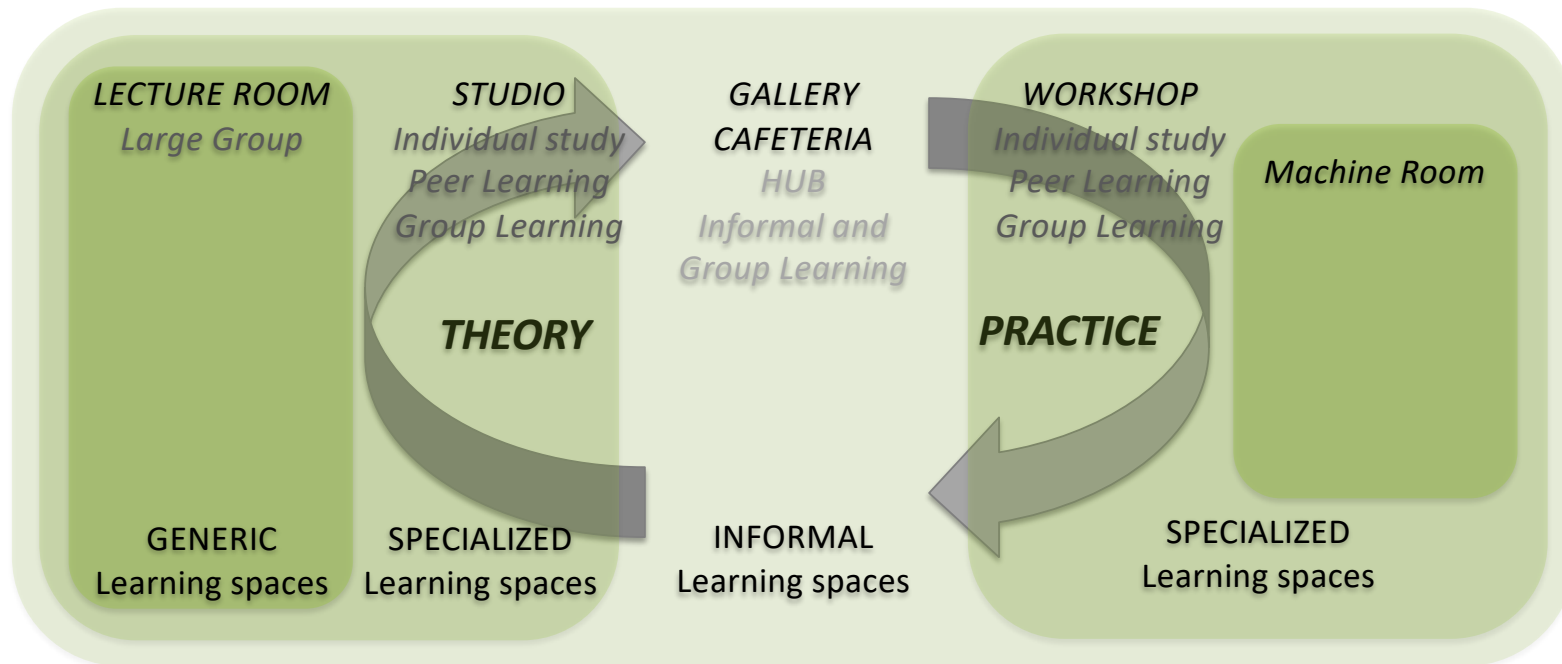
ARTS-BIZ Behavioral Lab,
U level service (Travel & RIS)

ARTS-BIZ learning spaces
Shared premises
Programme (Sustainability ARTS & BIZ,
IDBM, AGI)

ARTS-BIZ Shared
learning spaces,
IT service desk



Learning Spaces for Arts, Design and Architecture



There are two main types of specialized learning spaces at Aalto ARTS that are essential from the point of view of the generic learning model adopted by the school: **Studio and Workshop**.

Spatial concepts for Väre

LEARNING

GENERIC Learning spaces

- Lecture room

SPECIALIZED Learning spaces

- Studio
- Workshop

INFORMAL Learning spaces

- Gallery / Cafeteria

WORKING

Activity-based office spaces

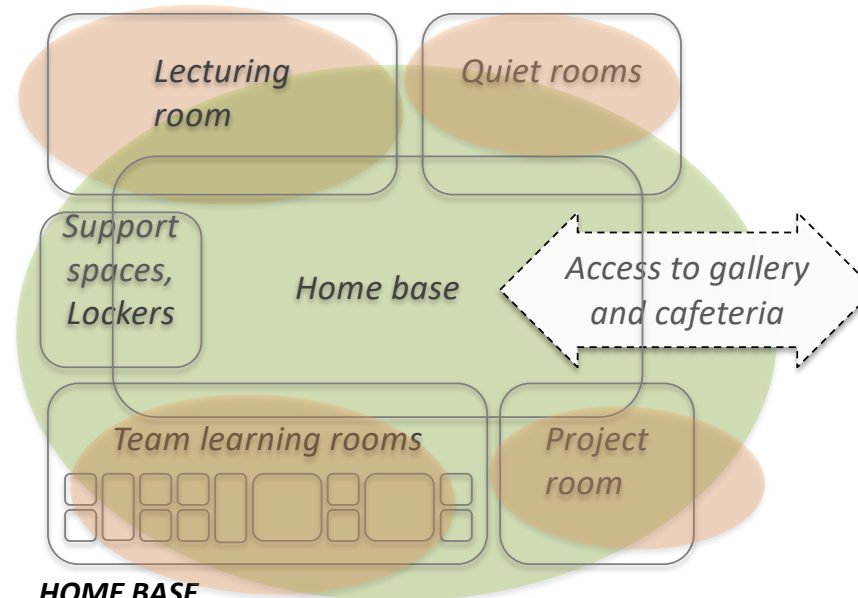
- Work café
- Team office
- Quiet rooms
- Meeting, brainstorming and project work
- Support spaces
- Shared researchers' offices

GENERIC Learning spaces

Lecture room

Lecture room learning is for a large group that is part of generic learning spaces. It serves the students and the faculty. It host numerous activities from individual to group work, critiques, tutoring and teaching.

Key learning facilities, such as the specialized learning premises are part of the group learning. The lecture room is well connected to the home base, workshops, project work rooms, quiet rooms and access to the gallery and the cafeteria.



HOME BASE

The set-up and furniture varies and does not necessarily include conventional desks.

Lecturing room

There are different sizes, types, and styles of meeting rooms such as 50,5-59,5m², 68,5 until to 93,5m².

Project room

There are different sizes, types, and styles of meeting rooms.

Team learning rooms

Small group teaching rooms, project rooms, meeting rooms.

Quiet rooms

Quiet rooms are designed with phone calls and online meetings in mind, either alone or in pairs.

Support spaces

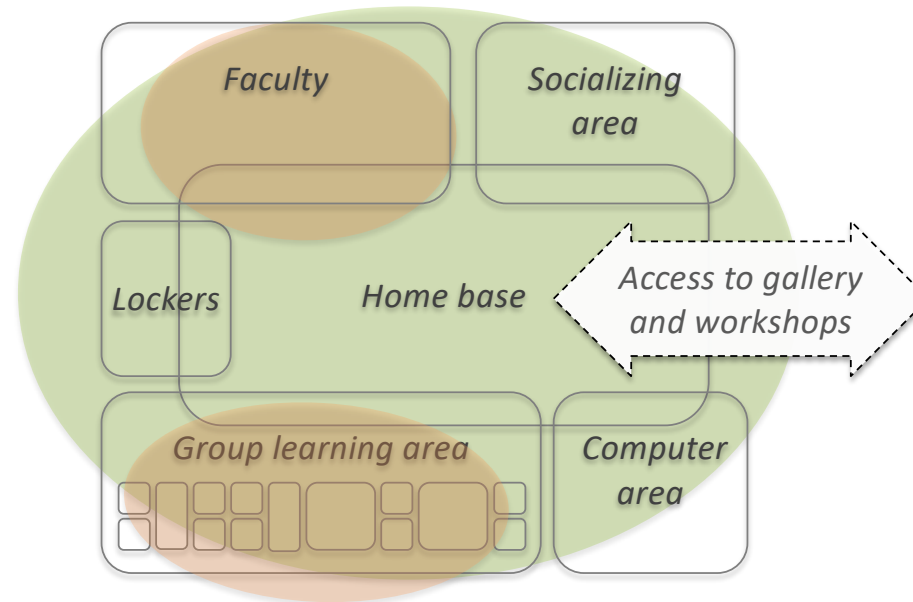
SPECIALIZED Learning spaces

Studio

Studio learning is an essential part of studying art, design or architecture. It serves as the home base for the students. It hosts numerous activities from individual to group work, critiques, tutoring and teaching.

Studios are flexible and user configurable. Interior surfaces are preferably unfinished.

Key learning facilities, such as the specialized workstations are part of the studio. The studio is well connected to the workshops to enable students to easily move their work between the workshops and the studio.



Home base

This is the heart of the studio. The set-up and furniture varies and does not necessarily include conventional desks. The space can be easily re-configured by its users. Student lockers are located within the space.

SOCIALIZING AREA

Kitchen / coffee shop area, living room and space for ad-hoc meetings

GROUP LEARNING AREA

Small group teaching rooms, project rooms, meeting rooms.

COMPUTER AREA

Specialized workstations with software specific to the area of study.

SPECIALIZED Learning spaces

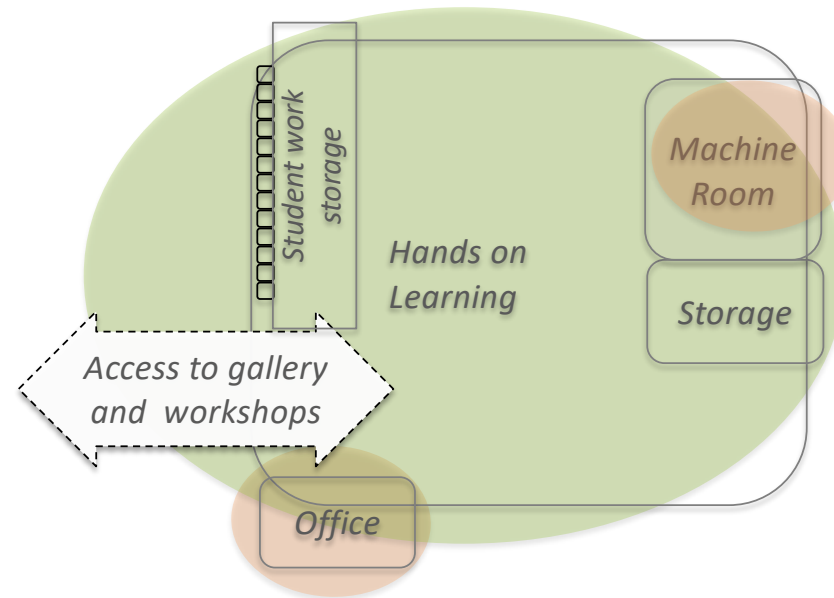
Workshop

The workshop structure comprises of 13 dedicated workshops that are used by the departments of the school. Several workshops serve also needs of other schools.

Each workshop consists of three zones. Ideally the Public zones of several workshops should be merged.

Minimum height 3,5-4 m (floor-ceiling) in all workshops.

All workshops require occasional changes of machinery/equipment.



Hands on learning

- Equipment that can be used without supervision.
- Includes storage space for unfinished student work.
- Induction required for access. Open 24/7.

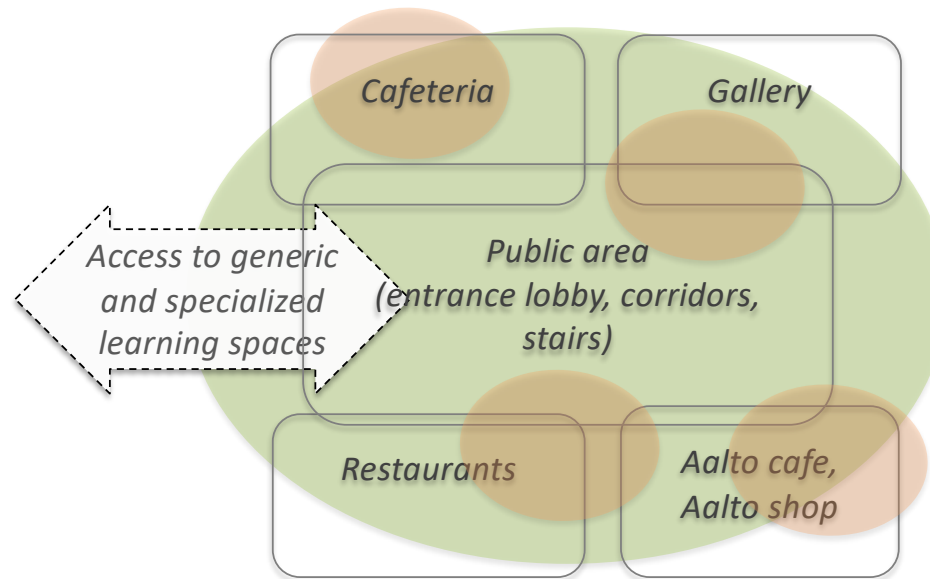
Machine room

- Equipment, materials and machinery that require supervision and special focus on workplace safety.
- Induction that is required for access. Open 5 days a week, including evening hours.
- Access to materials storage space.

INFORMAL Learning spaces

Gallery / Cafeteria

Informal learning spaces support ad-hoc meetings among students, professors, researchers, lectures, colleagues and peers.

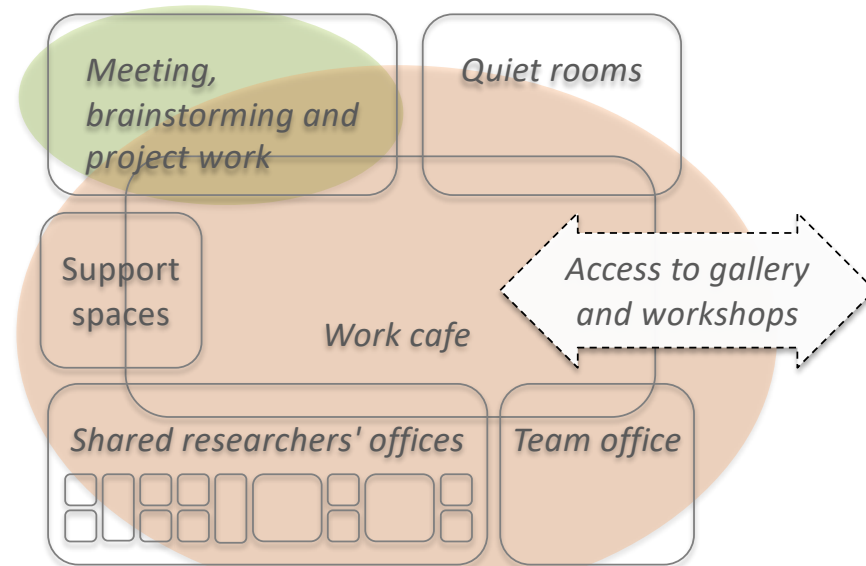


Public area (Informal and Group Learning)

- Lounge and gallery area. Furniture for ad-hoc meetings. Laptop working area.
- Common public area such as entrance lobby, corridors, stairs.
- Easy access to generic and specialized learning spaces.

Activity-based office

Activity-based office contains different types of spaces and places intended to meet the needs of various forms of work. The workstations in the new Aalto ARTS office spaces are located in shared team offices, but it is also possible to work in many other spaces too. Over the course of a working day in a activity based office, an employee is able to choose the best spaces to support the different types and stages of the work modes and tasks at hand.



Work cafe (Informal and Group working)

The work cafe is the social heart of the office. It has to be multifunctional and Flexible. It will be located in a central area, preferably alongside an entrance or traffic hub.

Team office

The personnel workstations are located in the team rooms. The team rooms consist of 4–8 workstations and the nearby storage facilities.

Quiet rooms

Quiet rooms are designed for phone calls and online meetings.

Meeting, brainstorming and project work

There are different sizes, types, and styles of meeting rooms in the office area (2–4 people, 5–7 people or 8–12 people).

Support spaces

Shared researchers' offices

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