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Clark College at Columbia Tech Center satellite wins gold

The \$30 million Clark College at Columbia Tech Center, which opened in 2009, has been awarded LEED gold certification by the U.S. Green Building Council for the building's design, which conserves energy, lighting and water and resuses materials, LEED is the nation's preeminent program for the design, construction and operation of high performance green buildings. The college building's certification was the result of ongoing work by Clark College in partnership with Vancouver-based LSW Architects and Timothy Buckley of Greenstone Architecture, LEED consultant for the project. General contractor was Todd Construction Inc. The LEED certification recognizes efforts to make the building reduce its overall energy consumption, resulting in reduced costs for the college and contributing to the region's environmental stability.