





#### What is The Helix Innovation Center?

It is a building which will foster a environment for academia and industry collaboration. The Helix is dedicated to advancing research and education in heating, ventilation, air conditioning, and refrigeration technologies.

#### The Modules

The center will feature interactive real-world environments, or modules, designed to spur innovation and help advance the technology used in homes, commercial buildings, supermarkets, restaurants and data centers.



Home

Light Connected



Commercial Building



**Data Centre Thermal** Management



Food Service Operation



Supermarket Refrigeration







# **Designed for Collaboration and Teaming**







# Residential Connected Home

#### Module 1











- 2,000 sq. ft. home
- Fully operational kitchen & bathrooms
- Two complete air conditioning systems
- Environmentally controlled chamber

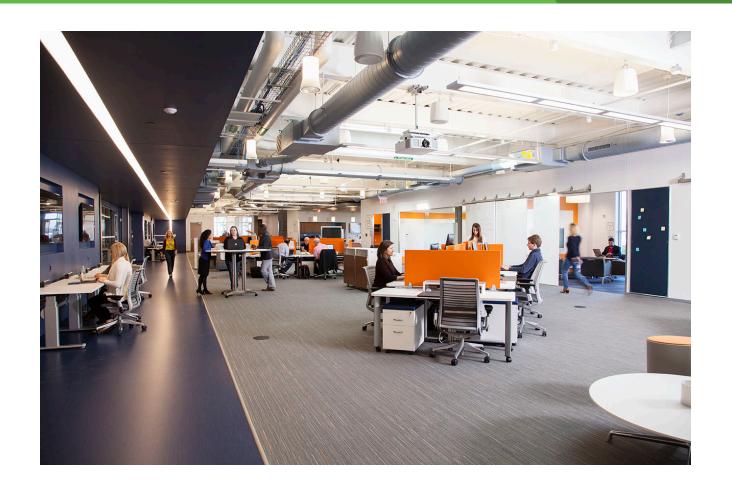
Temperature: -25 to 125 °F Humidity: 20 to 90%





# **Light Commercial Building**

#### Module 2





# **Features**

- 34,000 sq. ft. commercial building
- Low flow fixtures enable reduction in water usage
- Energy monitoring
- Reflective roofing materials which negate surrounding temperature impact
- 211 tons of construction waste diverted from landfills
- Environmentally controlled chamber

Temperature: -20°F to 120°F

Humidity: 20 to 90%



## **Data Center Thermal Management**

#### Module 3





- 1,000 sq. ft. data lab
- 400 KW Load
- 250 KW Cooling Refrigerant
- 120 KW can be free cooling
- Temperature 41°F to 135°F
- 12 wireless rack sensors
- 1 in-row high density CRV
- Cdd Isle Containment
- Configurable venting
- 2 DAO85 with PRE Downflow
- 1 PDX029 Downflow



# Food Service Operations

### Module 4





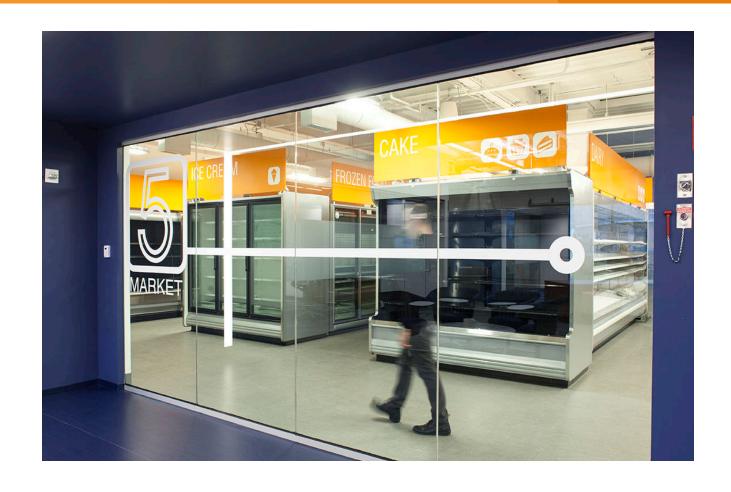
- 1,500 sq. ft., fully functional, highdensity kitchen
- Designed for modern American cuisine
- Capacity to serve 150 meals
- Independent temperature and humidity control
- Remote condensing equipment can be located in environment chamber
- Environmentally controlled chamber
  Temperature: -25 to 125 °F
  Humidity: 20 to 90%



**Climate Technologies** 

## **Supermarket Refrigeration**

#### Module 5





- CO<sub>2</sub> Transcritical refrigeration system
- 2,500 sq. ft. Supermarket / C-store
- Independent humidity and temperature control
- Remote condenser located in environment chamber
- Environmentally controlled chamber
  Temperature: -25 to 125 °F
  Humidity: 20 to 90%
- Full System Integration; Refrigeration
  & HVAC



### **Training**

## Natural Refrigerants











# R-744 & R-717 Training

- End Users, Contractors, Colleges, Consultants, Wholesalers, Utilities, Energy Managers, Internal Staff
- Types: (R744, R717, R290)
  - In Class Theory
  - Webinars
  - Hands On
- Industry Stewardship
  - > Handbooks
  - > "Did You Know" Social Medial
- Training Centers Located Globally
  - U.S., Canada, Latin America,
    Europe, Australia, India, China...



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