If a slide rule for rapid mathematical calculations is an essential tool of engineers and scientists, no less important to their education is the provision of a second kind of slide rule—one that evaluates and equates the human elements that surely will enter into every technological activity they will ever undertake.

Beyond its basic engineering educational task, the goal at Technology Center is to develop the student into a socially conscious individual able to make a fruitful adjustment to the manifold human problems with which all phases of social activity are enveloped. To carry out this objective, the Institute is expanding its Division of Liberal Studies. The Liberal Studies program is also organized to help equip Illinois Tech men to cope with today's industrial problems by training in industrial management, labor laws, and industrial psychology.

Not only is the Institute concerned with the educating of socially conscious engineers, but it also provides the opportunity for men and women to graduate with major fields of academic concentration in Liberal Studies.

Construction of a Liberal Studies Building will afford the opportunity for all liberal studies activities to be concentrated on one campus for the first time in the history of the school. Home Economics at present is functioning in a downtown office building, and girls majoring in that field are deprived of the academic stimulation provided by interdepartmental liaison and the benefits of participation in campus life.

Cost of Liberal Studies Building:

\$600,000