### Net Zero Emerging Leaders Internship

Energy Use Intensity Feedback and Integration of Energy Modeling

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and this is Otak.

### Sustainability at Otak



## NZEL Internship Objectives

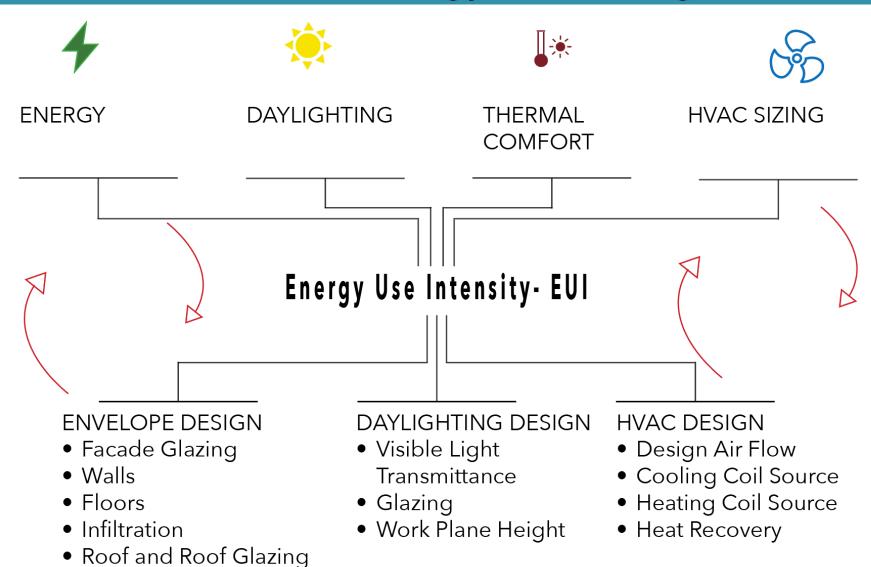
worked on energy modeling and analysis through Sefaira Architecture...

2 used troubleshooting techniques to understand and navigate best tool practices for optimal use...

3 contributed data to building performance feedback loop to better inform design...

established paths of integration and use for further energy modeling integration..

### What is Energy Modeling?



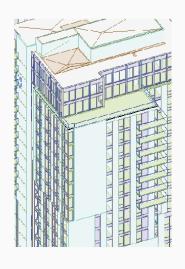
# Using Sefaira For Energy Modeling

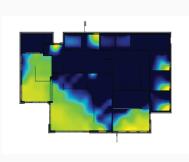
#### Sefaira Architecture

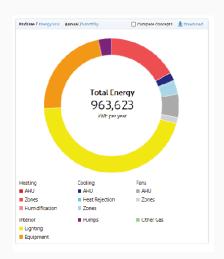
- Explore design options and understand impacts on building performance
- Analyze building envelope, HVAC Systems and on-site renewable energy potential
- Test effectiveness of current or compared energy conservation strategies

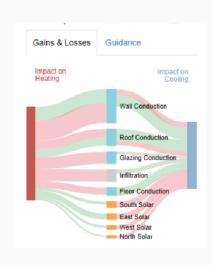
#### Impacted Design Process Phases

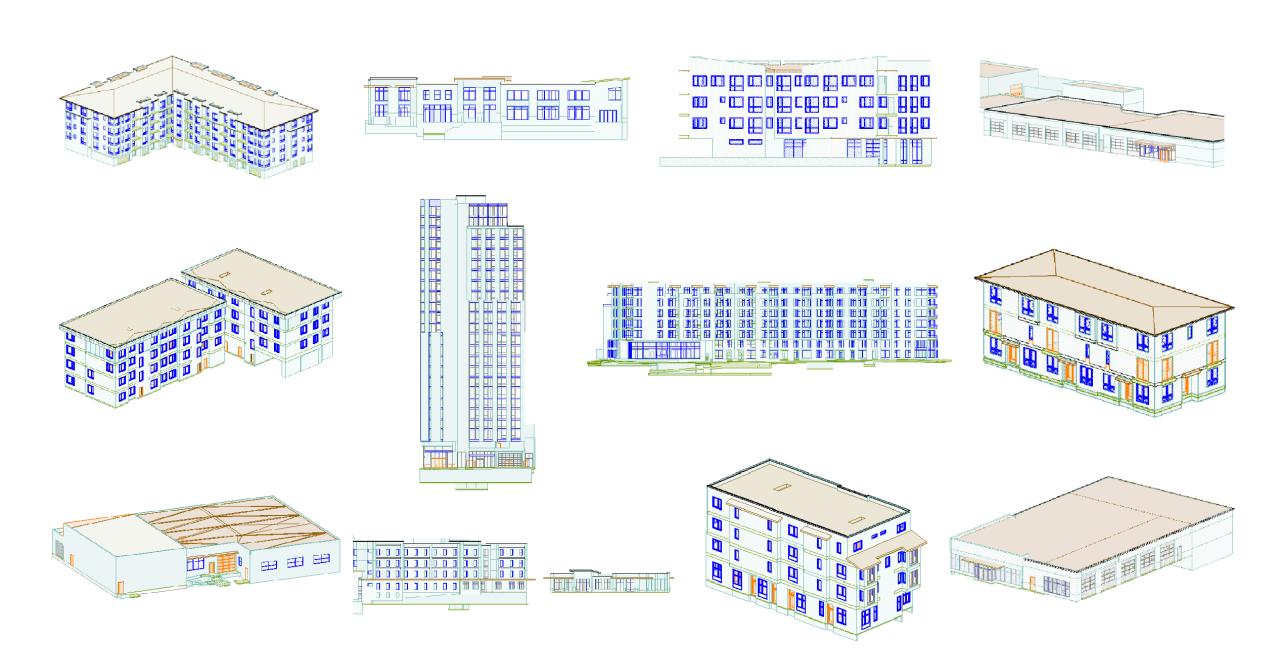
• Project Win/ Kick Off; Concept Pre-Design; Design Development











### Building Type Use

Otak 2018 Portfolio Oregon Projects

Through the AIA 2030 DDX, the primary building use types offer a look at Baseline EUI comparisons for projects and allows Otak to look at the diversity of our portfolio.

1 Hotel/Lodge

2 Office- Medium

1 Fire/Police Station

**9** Multi Family, 2 to 4 units

**31** Multi Family, >5 units

1 Retail Store

**3** Vehicle Repair Service

**Building Projects** 

\* Building Type Source from AIA 2030 DDX Firm Reported Levels

#### Energy Modeling Case Study: Hyatt Place Portland, Oregon



This mixed-use building on Northwest 12th and Flanders represents a new kind of sustainable design for hospitality and housing in Portland, informed and planned around elegant design challenges to comply with new building codes and the needs of a dynamic, developing city.

#### Energy Modeling Case Study: Hyatt Place Portland, Oregon



Development Phase Use Type: Lodging - Hotel 199,801 Gross Square Feet 23 Floors

National Average EUI: 94.0 kBtu/sf/yr

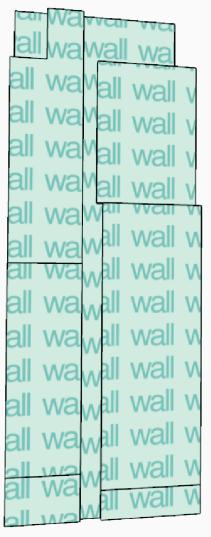
Zero Tool Baseline EUI: **69.3** kBtu/sf/yr

AIA 2030 Goal EUI: 20.8 kBtu/sf/yr

Sefaira Predicted EUI: 18 kBtu/sf/yr

**76%** Percent savings for the project energy consumption

#### Energy Modeling Case Study: Hyatt Place Portland, Oregon



SketchUp Mass Energy Model



SketchUp Energy Model



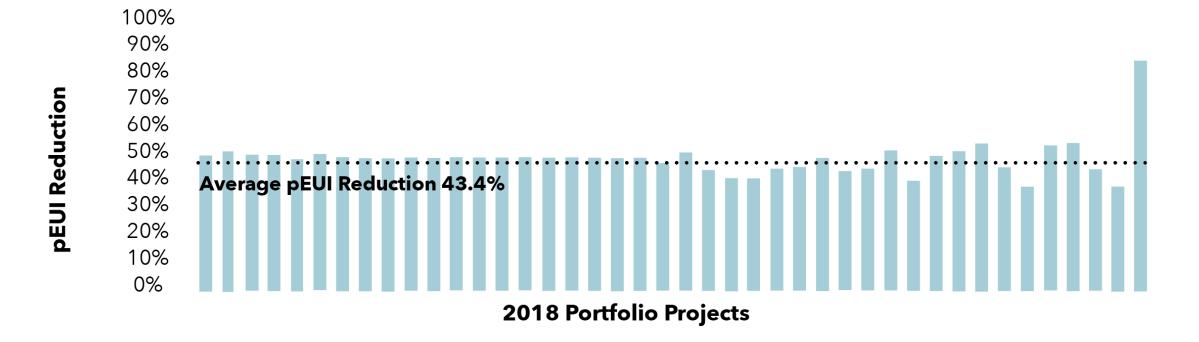
Revit Energy Model

#### Results

For 2018, Otak submitted **41** project buildings, providing over **1,063,791** gross square feet of building envelope and energy analysis.

100% of our submitted projects were energy modeled using Sefaira.

Building analysis average reflects a 43.7% predicted EUI reduction in relation to the 70% reduction for the net zero challenge goal.



### Moving Forward

#### Integration of Energy Modeling at Otak

- Early Communication and Planning
  - Sustainability Action Plan
  - MEP Team
  - Client
- 2 Standardize Practice within Design Process
  - Create and implement the use of designated energy modeling resources and sharing space
- **3** Create a Path to Assist Further Analysis
  - Data Driven Design
  - Building Performance Assessment for Comparison
  - Daylighting Analysis and Concept Stage
  - Climate Design Evaluation
  - Informed Energy Code Compliance