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The Enid oil man Harold Hamm is the diabetes center's largest contributor, biggest promoter—and also one of its first 3,000 patients.

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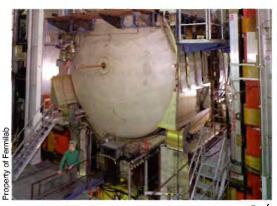
The collaborative learning environment envisioned by those who drafted the College of Engineering's strategic plan was the impetus behind the new Devon Energy Hall.

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