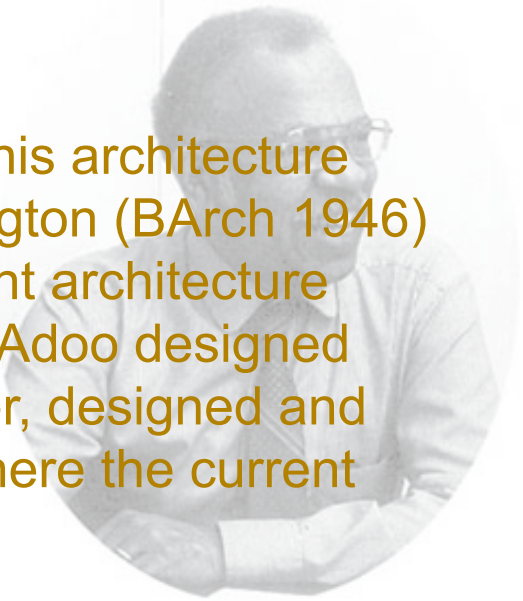


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BENJAMIN F. MCADOO, JR. (1920-1981)

The first African American to receive his architecture degree from the University of Washington (BArch 1946) and the first to operate an independent architecture practice in Washington, Benjamin McAdoo designed the original UW Ethnic Cultural Center, designed and constructed 1970-1972 on the site where the current ECC now stands.



Ben McAdoo also played an active role in the community, serving as president of the NAACP Seattle chapter and offering social commentary via his weekly radio broadcast. Early on, he advocated for the advancement of low-income housing. The Benjamin F. McAdoo Building, still located at 1718 Olive Way in Seattle, housed the McAdoo firm.

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON SAMUEL E. KELLY ETHNIC CULTURAL CENTER

Design Began: March 2009 | Completion: January 2013

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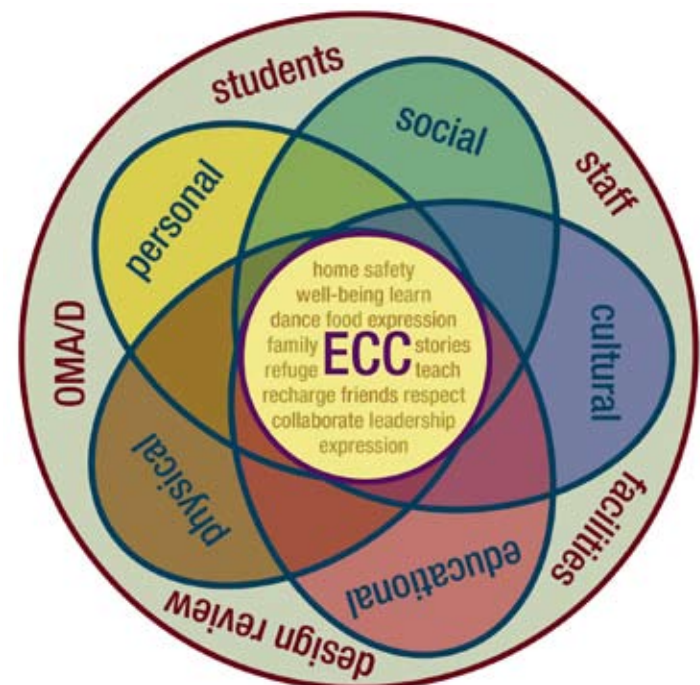
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