

BENDHEIM WALL SYSTEMS INC.
CASE STUDY | COMMERCIAL RETROFIT
3001 Orchard Parkway, San Jose, California, USA



AT A GLANCE

- ◆ **Description:** Bendheim rainscreen, drained and back-ventilated, featuring our Längle Wall-F fittings and several different types of white interlayer laminated safety glass
- ◆ **Architect:** MODULUS, San Jose, CA
- ◆ **Glazier:** Classic Glass, San Jose, CA

PRIMARY CONSIDERATIONS

- ◆ Contemporary, elegant aesthetic
- ◆ Budget-friendly: **Surface Area:** 5,000 ft² | **Budget:** < \$85 / ft² installed
- ◆ Avoid disturbing existing occupants
- ◆ Ease of installation and maintenance

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THE CHALLENGE

Modernize this non-descript 1980s office building into an attractive, distinctive property. Raise the profile of the building and increase its rent revenue potential.

THE SOLUTION

Bendheim Wall Systems' drained, back-ventilated Wall-F glass rainscreen system, featuring precision engineered Austrian compression fittings and various types of translucent white laminated glass.

FEEDBACK FROM THE ARCHITECT

"...The system proved to be a perfect match unachievable through any other avenue. Both its cost and ease of installation resulted in a newly transformed building garnering great attention and accolades throughout the technology driven Silicon Valley, with a façade and image unlike any other in the area. It was without question a huge success and we're anxious to use this product again in new and inventive ways." — *David Fenster, AIA LEED AP, MODULUS*

FEEDBACK FROM THE GLAZIER

"It was our first time installing these rainscreens, but hopefully not the last... The process was straightforward and surprisingly stress-free from start to finish, especially when you consider that tenants were in and out of the building while we were mounting the system. The Bendheim team was very responsive and a pleasure to work with. We are very proud of how the installation came out and of our part in this beautiful transformation." — *Christine Jacobs, Classic Glass, Inc.*



Bendheim Wall Systems' glass rainscreens can be a powerful transformational design element for new and old buildings alike. Contact us for more information:

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