

On the Grounds

This sculpture, featuring a propeller centered over a set of spread wings, adorns the top of a doorway somewhere on campus. Enter the door to find labs and facilities that are very much in line with the artwork, more than 80 years after the completion of the building. Although the laboratory's original wind tunnel and water channel have been replaced and updated, researchers in the building still focus on aeronautics. Given the sculpture's depiction of the progression from a bird's wings to a flying machine, the artwork is also appropriately situated on the building that is home to the Center for Bioinspired Engineering. Where can you find this carving?



Answer: The sculpture is perched above the service door on the south side of Guggenheim Laboratory.