

Building Systems Class Builds Shelters

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Students in Associate Teaching Professor Michael Goldschmidt's Building Systems class are carrying on a tradition for the annual True/False film festival. Each year in class, students submit designs for temporary bus shelters that are used during the festival. Winning designs are built by the class and then assembled for the festival. Each shelter is a fully functional shelter but also is a creative display of themes of the festival. Students are required to build each shelter for less than \$50 and to maximize the use of sustainable and recycled building materials, and the shelter must be structurally sound for inclement weather. Each shelter must also be assembled in 30 minutes or less.

