C.K. Choi Building: UBC’s first green structure, featuring recycled building materials, energy efficiency, reduced water consumption and composting toilets. It has attracted international attention including an award from the American Institute of Architects.

The Nitobe Memorial Gardens: A beautiful green space for quiet walks and contemplation.

First Nations House of Learning (Long House): Based on the Coast Salish model out of respect for the Musqueum people who historically inhabited the Point Grey peninsula. Its four major components: a resources centre, the Great Hall, the Longhouse and the Spirit Renewal Hall.

Aquatic Ecosystem Resource Laboratory (AERL): Awarded LEED Silver rating. Natural ventilation and less sheet metal ducting reduced the use of both materials and energy. This building also features passive solar lighting and heating, natural materials, and renewable wood sources.

Sustainability Street: Showcasing emerging concepts in sustainability research.

Fred Kaiser Building: Awarded LEED Silver rating. Features water conserving washrooms, non-toxic wood products, recycled building materials and natural ventilation. Photovoltaic panels on the rooftop generate electricity from daylight, helping reduce the building’s energy use to 45% of a regular building’s.

Life Sciences Centre: Awarded LEED Gold certification for its responsible construction practices, use of recycled materials as well as energy and water efficiency. Over 50% of the open area has been restored with planting, of which 87.5% is of native or adaptive species.