A portion of the ground level of the School of Social Work will be renovated for The Center on Global Energy Policy and the School of International and Public Affairs. The Center is dedicated to research and data-driven analysis on energy with the vision to be the premier energy policy center with a global perspective. The proposed program for the space will provide for private offices, workstations, conference rooms and support spaces.

### Construction Activities for the Weeks of March 16, 2015 and March 23, 2015

Although contractors carefully stage construction activities to minimize disruption, the nature of construction work is such that some disruptions will occur. The community should expect the following in the coming weeks:

#### What is Happening

- Continue plumbing and electrical roughing
- Sheet metal, HVAC piping, and slab installation
- HVAC ductwork
- Continue metal stud framing and drywall
- Sprinkler temporary loop installation and tie-in (tentative)
- Hot water (heating) tie-in completed 3/16
- Hot water (domestic) tie-in (weather permitting)
- Installation of piping and sleeves in ceilings in cellar classrooms
- Fire proofing steel
- Steel stairs and acoustical spray (tentative)
- Field layout for furniture

#### What to Expect

The community should expect the following in the coming weeks:

- Regular work hours: 7:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Some work may occur outside those hours consistent with New York City Department of Buildings regulations.
- Some noise due to construction-related activities
- Delivery of materials
- No weekend work

*Please note that all activities are subject to change based on weather and other field conditions.*

### Need More Information?

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