

1. Historic Name (s) Gordon Wilson Hall  
 Original Owner Western Kentucky State Normal Sch  
 Present Name Gordon Wilson Hall

22. ADD/County Barren River/Warren   
 23. Zoning Classification  
 Magisterial District

3. Owner's Name  
c/o Owen Lawson, Administrator of Physical Plant  
 4. Owner's Address  
WKU, B.G. Ky

24. U.S.G. S. Quadrant (15'/75')  
Bowling Green South  
 25. UTM Reference  

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| <u>16</u> | <u>54851010</u> | <u>410934810</u> |
| Zone      | Easting         | Northing         |

5. Location  
Western Ky. U. Campus

26. Prehistoric Site  Object  
 Historic Site  Structure

6. Open to Public  Yes  No  
 7. Visible from road  Yes  No  
 8. Ownership  
 Private   
 Local   
 State   
 Federal

27. District Yes  No   
 Name:

10. Site Plan with North Arrow  
See Campus Map

11. Architect  
Brinton B. Davis  
 12. Builder  
Raymond Co., B.G.  
 13. Date  
1927  
 14. Style  
classical   
 15. Original Use  
various  
 16. Present Use  
various  
 17. Condition   
 Interior altered  
 Exterior excellent/altered

28. Significance Evaluation  
NR  
 29. Status   
 National Landmark  
 National Register  
 Landmark Certificate  
 Kentucky Survey  
 Local Landmark  
 HABS/HAER  
 30. Theme  
 Primary architecture   
 Secondary \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 31. Endangered Yes  No

18. Description  
3-story stone; 2-story Ionic order on rusticated podium-basement; steel and glass staircase block recently added on S.

32.  
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19. History  
Davis a Louisville architect (1862-1952) with major buildings in period c. 1905- c. 1940; FAIA; pres. state chapter AIA; Master Plan of WKU and 12 bldgs. Wa-B-203-214; also City Hall, Wa-B-55; 1909 Master Plan with Henry Wright, landscape architect.

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 Direction \_\_\_\_\_

20. Significance  
Significant structure in the career of an architect; particularly clear illustration of a common style.

33. Tape No. \_\_\_\_\_ Negative No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 34. Prepared by:  
KTG-JCH  
 35. Organization  
KHC  
 36. Date  
Spring 1978

21. Source of information  
Press Book of Ky., 1916; Courier-Journal obit., 28 June 1952; Riley Handy, Director Ky. Library, WKU; James P. Coruette, A History of Western Kentucky State Teachers College 1938

37. Revision Dates \_\_\_\_\_ 38. Staff Review \_\_\_\_\_