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Title: *Still Looking for You: Building for Collaboration*

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Abstract:

Still Looking for You: Bethlehem's Place and Memory Project (SLfY) is a digital humanities project based in GIS that explores the intersections of place/built environment, identity, and memory in Bethlehem, PA. The project uses the built environment as a platform to tell stories about the peoples and histories of its community. SLfY was developed at Lehigh University in Bethlehem, PA, and the initial project team members were Jessica Aberle, Colin Foley, Julia Maserjian, and Scott Rutzmoser. The team worked together to create a platform that would enable faculty, students, staff, and community members to collect and share the histories of the community by locating pins on a map associated with a memory or a historical narrative and then collect those pins into a tour. For more information or to view the site, please visit: <https://memories.lehigh.edu/>.