

## Jones Lang LaSalle Construction chosen for Kessler Group 28,000 s/f buildout: design for 855 Boylston St. office provided by Gensler

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The Kessler Group has named Jones Lang LaSalle (JLL) Construction the general contractor for the redesign of their headquarters office space at 855 Boylston St. The 28,000 s/f interior on floors 8 and 9 includes all new executive areas, finishes and materials throughout.

Designed by Gensler, the build out also features refinished conference rooms, a new reception area, and interior offices. Finishes include custom millwork. The project is scheduled to be completed by early spring 2013.

"We built The Kessler Group's space when they first moved here, and we're pleased to have been hired again for the redesign," said JLL senior vice president and project executive Dana Griffin. "We're currently working closely with them and Gensler on various design iterations. Our team is focused on delivering a unique, work environment that reflects their collaborative culture."

Joining Dana on the JLL Construction team is: senior superintendent Kevin Mealey, senior construction manager Brendan Boyle, and senior chief estimator Chris Hardiman.

855 Boylston is a 145,500 s/f Class A office building is located across from the Prudential Center in the Back Bay. Built in 1986, the 11-story building has a marble floored lobby, high speed elevators, 24-hour security, and underground in-building parking. Amenities include retail at street level, on-site management, energy saving lighting, and shower facilities for tenants.

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