



Abigail Fiala, MLA 5th year, conducted research that informed a new design for a K-State childcare center. Read her report "[Nurture through nature: a comparative study between standard and nature-based play in outdoor preschool environments](#)".

## Landscape Architecture and Regional & Community Planning Student Connection 05.04.17

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### APDWest Move Out:

It is almost that time of year again to check out of APDWest. This year, all students must be out by May 13 at noon. Please put trash and recycling in their respective bins. You will need to remove all of your personal belongings by that time as well. See Jody, Seaton 302 or [jodyhodes@ksu.edu](mailto:jodyhodes@ksu.edu), with any questions.

**APDesign Scholarship Awards Letters for 2017-2018** will be sent out to APDesign students beginning in mid-May. The email will originate from Becky O'Donnell ([bdonnell@ksu.edu](mailto:bdonnell@ksu.edu)) and be sent out to students via their official ksu.edu email accounts with the subject line of "APDesign Scholarship Award". Please periodically check your ksu.edu account even after you have left campus in May and pay close attention to the deadlines set out in the award letters.

#### Come enjoy the sunshine in the Meadow!

Organizers are looking for your help to prepare the Meadow for beautiful seasonal growth of native wild flowers and other grasses. Two dates have been set aside for this opportunity to make a difference:

Friday, May 19, 10 am to 1 pm

Sunday, May 21, 1-4 pm

Feel free to pick a day and let us know how long you can lend a hand. You can sign up by sending a note to Riccardo Prudenti, [prudenti@k-state.edu](mailto:prudenti@k-state.edu)

#### Landscape Architecture Students:

You have two opportunities to enhance the reputation of your academic program! The participation of past students ensured that you are in a strong program with a great reputation (5th in the nation!). Now it is your turn. Please respond to these two surveys:

**DesignIntelligence**, the group that establishes national rankings, asks for your input in this survey:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/2017->

### EVENTS & DEADLINES

[2017 LARCP Calendar of Events](#), v011617

#### MAY

5 Classes end

6 PGSALA Awards Gala, Center for Architecture and Design, Kansas City

6-9 APA Conference, New York

**13 APDWest Move Out by noon**

13 Commencement

26-29 CELA, Beijing, China

### CONNECT WITH US

#### BLOGS

[Creative Placemaking Blog](#)

[The Meadow Blog](#)

[planpop: the City Planning & POP Culture Blog](#)

[Planning & Pop Culture Podcasts 2016](#)

### SOCIAL MEDIA

**ASLA Graduating Student Survey:** If you are graduating this spring or summer, please take a few minutes to tell ASLA about your post-graduation plans at: [2017 ASLA Graduating Student Survey](#). Complete the survey by June 15 for a chance to win a \$200 Amazon Gift Card. The 2016 survey results are available for review on [ASLA's Career Discovery page](#)

**A message from ASLA:**

ASLA is excited to introduce our new [Emerging Professionals Graduated Dues Program](#)! As an Emerging Professional, your voice matters to us. Under our new Graduated Dues system, membership is more affordable than ever. Membership dues will be determined by graduation date from a landscape architecture program and your first year post-graduation starts at \$65. Looking for a job after graduation? Visit [JobLink](#) to view the latest professional postings.

Non-graduating students:

Not graduating this year? Email Member Services, [membership@asla.org](mailto:membership@asla.org) with your anticipated graduation year so that ASLA can update its records.

Thank you for the help.

[LARCP LinkedIn Group](#)

**NEWS AND INFORMATION**

[K-State Website](#)

[LARCP Alumni eNewsletter](#)

[LARCP Page on KReX](#)

[LARCP Scholarship and](#)

[Fellowship Board](#)

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[Past LARCP Monday](#)

[Memos, Student](#)

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[Prairie Studies Initiative](#)

[Weigel Library Website](#)

## OUR CONTRIBUTIONS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

**Planning student and faculty activities at the American Planning Association conference in NYC, May 6-9, include:**

- **Chris Kutz, MRCP student, will present** his master's project and report, Fresno's BID for Downtown Revitalization, during the Poster Session, Monday, May 8, 1:30-2:30 pm.
- **The SMART Cats Team will present** their ideas to the APA Smart Cities Student Competition jury on Monday, May 9, 2:45-4:00 pm.
- **LARCP will host** an alumni reception with APDesign on the High Line at the IAC Building on May 8.

**Professor and Head Stephanie Rolley will participate** in the Landscape Architecture Foundation Board meeting in Washington DC, May 3-5.

## STUDIO AND CLASS ACTIVITIES

**LAR 442 Site Planning and Design with Assistant Professor Alpa Nawre presented** proposals for design of the Manhattan riverfront at the Intergovernmental Luncheon on Monday, April 24. They also held a public workshop on the 1st of May at the Manhattan Area Chamber of Commerce. Students presented their work from 4:00-4:30 pm in a pecha kucha style and then the floor opened up for informal discussion until 5:30 pm.

**PLAN 699 and LAR 320 students, with Associate Professors Huston Gibson and Jessica Canfield and Assistant Professor Anne Beamish, held** a public meeting at the Emporia Public Library on April 29 to share proposals for the redevelopment of Peter Pan Park. Listen to KVOE sound bites for students and faculty at the public meeting [here](#).

**APDesign students in Orvieto participated** in Beautify Orvieto, [read about it here](#).

## INTERNSHIP/EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

**Schrickel, Rollins and Associates, Inc.,** Graduate Landscape Architect, [Information](#)

**Topeka Metro,** Transit Planner I, [Information](#)

**PLACE**, Summer Intern, [Information](#)

**AECOM**, Summer Design Intern, [Information](#)

**Arlington County-Virginia**, Planning Coordinator, [Information](#)

**Celebration Landscape Design**, Entry Level Landscape Architect, [Information](#)

**Missouri APA Job Link**, Multiple Positions, [Link](#)

**City of Memphis**, Municipal Planner, [Information](#)

**ARCTURIS-St. Louis**, Summer Internship, [Information](#)

**City of Columbus**, Project Planner, [Information](#), deadline is May 5

**City of Manhattan Kansas**, Entry Level LA-Park Planner, [Information](#), deadline is May 26

## OF INTEREST

**The Greater Manhattan Project needs your input! The project is a comprehensive effort to place Manhattan on a sustainable path to growth and prosperity. [Take the survey here.](#)**

**Applying Census Data for Transportation: 50 years of Transportation Planning Data Progress Conference**, [call for abstracts](#), due May 25, and [student paper competition](#), due August 1

**LAR806: Portfolio Design [online summer course](#)**

**CDPLN701: International Development [online summer course](#)**

***Photography: A Way of Seeing* [online summer course](#)**

**DLA's My 3D Landscape call for posters.** Information is [available here](#). Deadline is May 30.

**ASLA Design Competition Entries** are due May 15 (Student). Information is [available here](#).

**The LA+ Journal announces** the launch of an open design ideas competition. Entries close June 2. [Information is available here.](#)

**University of Washington Professor Daniel Winterbottom is offering** a landscape architecture design build program in China in collaboration with Guizhou Normal University, June 15 - July 15. [Information is available here.](#)

**The Vectorworks Scholarship** program offers two generous scholarships. Entries are due July 15. Information is [available here](#).

**Berkshire Botanical Garden's Center House Entry Garden Student Design Competition.** Registration form & \$50 are due April 17 by 5 pm EDT. Proposals are due May 19 by 5 pm EDT. [Information is available here.](#)

**Digital Landscape Architecture DLA call for posters: Student Poster Competition "My 3D Landscape"**, June 7-10, Bernburg, Germany. [Information is available here.](#)

## UPCOMING PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY MEETINGS:

<b>American Planning Association</b>	May 6-9, 2017	New York, New York
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<b>Alliance for Historic Landscape Preservation</b>	May 25-27, 2017	Calgary, Alberta
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<b>CELA 2017</b>	May 26-29, 2017	Beijing, China
ECLAS 2017	September 10-13, 2017	London, UK
IMCL 2017	October 2-6, 2017	Santa Fe, NM

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