Department of Architecture
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Message from the Department Head

I hope everyone had a restful holiday weekend. It was nice of the Sunday thunderstorm to add a little extra excitement.

The new Oz is out contains articles from Genevieve, Peter, Carlos, Kevin Rooney and our local alumnus Ed Thompson giving it a tint of local flavor. Please give Ray some well deserved congrats for his leadership on another fantastic journal (volume 36 by the way).

Last week teaching my class in 208, I was once again tangled in cords from my cheap portable speakers and suffering from low fidelity. Walking home it occurred to me that we should get

EVENTS + DATES

SEPTEMBER

5 David Lewis Bryant lecture at 4pm in Forum Hall
Architecture Evening at 7pm at the Beach Museum

8 Manko Kickoff at 1:30pm in the Pierce

10 Architecture Forum at 4:30 pm in Seaton 063

Vol 36 of the Oz Journal is now available:  http://www.ozjournal.org/
one of those awesome sounding Bose bluetooth speakers for faculty to check out for seminars, etc. It has a 14 hour battery so all you need to do is carry the speaker with you and pair it with your computer, smart phone or tablet. No wires or cords and lots of tasty sound. You will be able to check it out from the office.

Don't forget Arch Evening this Friday. See you there.

Matthew Knox AIA
Professor and Head

**Department Announcements**

David J. Lewis of Lewis Terumaki Lewis Architects will deliver the Bryant Lecture on Friday, September 5th, at 4:00 pm in Forum Hall. Check out their work here: [http://ltlarchitects.com/](http://ltlarchitects.com/)

Architecture Evening will also be held Friday, September 5th, from 7-9 pm at the Beach Museum of Art. There will be a cash bar and hors d’oeuvres from Harry’s Uptown.

Please send activity information for the month of August to Kari for the Provost Report by Friday, September 5th.

Please send your slides and photo to Kari for the Architecture Forum no later than September 8th. The Forum is scheduled for September 10th at 4:30 pm in Seaton 63.

Find the faculty retreat meeting minutes attached [here](#).

The department has purchased a Bose speaker with bluetooth capabilities for faculty to reserve as needed. Come by the office and check it out.

KCDC currently has an exhibit in the Chang through September 12th. When you have a free moment, walk through and see the Washington Square Park Project.

**University News**

K-State Libraries are launching First Friday Data Workshops to better serve faculty, researchers and graduate students. The first session is this Friday, September 5th at 1 pm in 301 Hale Library on "Mastering National Science Foundation's data management plan." Dan Andresen, an National Science Foundation CAREER award winner who has secured more than $30 million in funding, will share his insight. To see other first Friday topics, visit this [link](#).

**Competitions**

The American Institute of Steel Construction is calling for entries for the IDEAS 2 awards, or innovative design in engineering and architecture with structural steel. For deadlines and entry details please visit [www.aisc.org/ideas2](http://www.aisc.org/ideas2)