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As you may know I just returned from a two week absence. In the first week I was in the Loire Valley in France for my son's wedding. See picture. We stayed at an amazing Chateau and the wedding was beautiful. Last week I was in Orvieto, Italy visiting with the 15 architecture students there this fall with Professor Magyar. The second photo is from my decent into the Pozzo Di San Patrizio in Orvieto. This amazing well is a double-helix allowing people and animals to ascend and descend without crossing paths. Finished in 1537 it goes down nearly 200 feet. I didn't find any or our students down there, but I did see them hard at work in studio. Everyone was in great spirits, which is not hard considering the beauty of the city and the ever so tasty food. I was amazed at how many Italian restaurants they have. OK, that was a joke.

Anyway, I am so happy to return to find that our new life at APD West is actually working out pretty well. While networking should be working at the end of the week, a big bummer, many students told me it was nice to be able to see other studios and departments and the new possibilities for collaboration.

Thanks to Kari and Megan for keeping the office running smoothly in my absence. It is good to be home.

Matthew Knox AIA
Professor and Department Head

Images courtesy of Knox.

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The Architecture Student Advisory Board (ASAB) is looking for applications from second year students in the department of architecture who would like to be involved in the college as leaders of their class!

As a member of ASAB, you would act as a representative of your class and directly
communicate with the Department Head in an effort to increase communication and promote an effective, high-quality academic culture. The ASAB identifies and resolves student-faculty issues, increases awareness of professional development opportunities for students, and disperses administrative information to students.

If you are interested in this opportunity, email Kari Lindeen (klindeen@ksu.edu). Please include:

1. why you would like to be on the board
2. what your interests are
3. what you have to contribute to the team

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Good luck to Lanting Su and Jacob Kelly-Salo who will compete tomorrow in the AIA Kansas Student Design Competition!

Breakwater Chicago is calling for creative designers to enter in their design competition for a floating entertainment island for Lake Michigan. Register by October 23rd for a chance to win $5,000! Participation is free and registration can be completed by visiting this link: [http://www.arcbazar.com](http://www.arcbazar.com). You'll need to either create an account there or log in with your Facebook account to register in the design competition.

The Architecture Professional Advisory Board (PAB) is offering **two $1,200 awards** to 2nd through 4th year students to attend the AIA National Convention May 19th through 21st in Philadelphia. Applications are due September 25th via email to klindeen@ksu.edu at the attention of the Professional Advisory Board. To see if you are eligible and to review the application guidelines [click here](#).
Architecture Evening is Friday, September 25th from 7 to 9 pm at the Alumni Center. Be sure to stop by for a chance to win some APD swag in the ASAB raffle, grab some good food and have a drink (if you are of legal drinking age, of course).

Lisa Heschong will deliver the lecture "Daylighting Frontiers" on Monday, September 21st at 5:00 pm in the Leadership Studies Building Town Hall (room 114). Heschong will review how the growing demand for more daylight in our workplaces intersects with building design: from architecture, to interior design, energy system engineering, landscape design and urban planning. Heschong spent 30 years as a registered architect and is author of Thermal Delight in Architecture. This lecture is funded by the Advanced Distinguished lecture Series sponsored by the Office for the Advancement of Women in Science and Engineering (KAWSE).

The ULI Hines Student Competition is an urban design and development challenge for graduate students. The competition engages multidisciplinary student teams to devise a comprehensive development program for a real, large-scale site. Teams of five students representing at least three disciplines have two weeks to develop solutions that include drawings, site plans, tables, and market-feasible financial data. Click on the image on the left for more information.

Don't forget, the APDesign Golf Tournament is next Friday. Click on the image for information on how to register.
Mark your calendars...

**Thursday, September 17**  
APDPro: Signage & Wayfinding Workshop  
6 p.m., APDesign West, Rm 119  
Learn about signage and wayfinding with Assistant Professor Donna Fullmer in preparation for a design charrette on the weekend for the WWI Museum & Memorial signage. Don't miss this opportunity! MUST ATTEND WORKSHOP TO GO TO DESIGN CHARRETTE! This will fulfill a Special Topic Event requirement for APDPro.

**Sunday, September 20**  
APDPro: WWI Memorial & Museum Design Charrette  
1-4 p.m., APDesignWest, Rm 119  
**RSVP REQUIRED**  
Help design signage for the WWI Museum and Memorial in Kansas City. Signage includes vehicular, pedestrian, maps, interior and exterior. Must attend Thursday workshop to be eligible for the design charrette. This will fulfill a Special Topic Event requirement for APDPro.

**Monday, September 21**  
Surviving the Professional World: A guide from A-Z Answering Your Questions About How to Navigate the Design Field  
6:15-7:15 p.m., Seaton 063  
Come to hear an interdisciplinary panel of design professionals share experiences of practice! This event is sponsored by the Women in Design and the APD Dean's Office. It will fulfill a Special Topic Event or Transition to Career requirement for APDPro.

**Thursday, September 24**  
APDPro: Portfolio Basics  
6 p.m., APDesign West, Rm 116  
Learn how to create a portfolio that will get you noticed by future employers. With Mock Interviews in October, it’s definitely a good idea to attend! Katie Kingery-Page and Mark O'Hara of HOK will present. This event is a requirement for 2nd year APDPro students and will fulfill a Special Topic or Portfolio Basics requirement.

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**SEPTEMBER**

16-18 AIAKS/AGC/ACEC KanStruct Conference in Wichita, KS  
21 Lisa Heschong "Daylighting Frontiers" lecture at 5pm in the Leadership Studies Town Hall  
25 APDesign Scholarship Golf Tournament at MCC  
25 **Architecture Evening @ 7:00 pm Alumni Center Banquet Room C**  
25 PAB Student Development Award applications due to klindeen@ksu.edu by 5PM  
29 Faculty meeting at 2:30 PM at the K-State Student Union room 206  

**OCTOBER**

4 AIAS College Field Day at APD West
9 Architecture Professional Advisory Board meeting at MCC
13 Faculty meeting at 2:30 PM in Seaton room 224
20 Tenured faculty meeting at 2:30 PM location in Seaton room 224
27 Tenured meeting at 2:30 PM at the K-State Student Union room 206