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The next 6 days are very big for us. Our NAAB team arrives tomorrow in KC to look at our KCDC facility and the UMKC program. They will be on campus late afternoon on Saturday. Our Team Room is in the JE Dunn Center for Design Excellence. The room is off limits for everyone except the team until they leave next Wednesday. The Team will be visiting studios Monday afternoon. Students are invited to meet with the team at 4:30 Monday in Regnier Forum. Please attend. Students are also invited to the exit meeting at 10:30 next Wednesday.

So, if you see the team around the building or your studio, please welcome them. Also, if there is any empty pin-up walls outside your studio, please put some process work up. We want to make sure we look like the active and exciting program we are.

Thanks again to everyone who has worked hard to make this happen.

Best,

Matthew Knox AIA
Professor and Department Head

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10-Year Alumni Honoree, Gustavo Ramirez visits the College this Thursday and Friday

Gustavo Ramirez received his bachelor's degree in architecture from Kansas State University's College of Architecture, Planning & Design in 2007. Upon graduation, he worked for several practices in New York City collaborating on projects ranging from the local NYC fine dining restaurant scene to hotels in Morocco, Egypt, and Nigeria. Since 2010, he has been a team member at Rick Joy Architects where he has worked on a wide variety of projects including residences in The Turks and Caicos Islands, Mexico, California, Colorado and Florida. Other

projects at RJA include two hotels in Mexico's Riviera Nayarit and Austin, Texas as well as a large-scale mixed-use development in Tucson, Arizona. His current personal projects are comprised of a residence in the outskirts of Matera, Italy and a residence in Tucson, Arizona.

While attending Kansas State University, he was part of the architecture mentor program, helped with the construction of the basement renovation in Seaton Hall, participated in a study-abroad program in Castiglion Fiorentino, Italy, and received an honorable mention in the Heintzelman Prize.

Accreditation Visiting Team

Meeting with students 4:30 Monday, Oct. 30, Regnier Forum

Open to all architecture students, all year levels

As part of the accreditation visit this year, the NAAB team would like to meet with the students of the Master of Architecture program to gain insight into the program from your perspective. Please make a point of attending and giving feedback. Unless your studio is having a review that day, your professor should excuse you from studio to attend the short meeting.



Questions? Ask Todd Gabbard rtodd@ksu.edu 785-410-1791 or come by my office Seaton 2001.



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OCTOBER

26 Alumni Honoree Visit | Gustavo Ramirez

27-1 NAAB Accreditation Team Visit

NOVEMBER

3 Fuensanta Nieto | 18-19 Visiting Regnier Chair Lecture | 4:30 PM Regnier Forum

8 Ekdahl Lecture Series | Mogens Smed | 4:30 PM in Regnier Forum

10 Forum Talk with David Dowell | Regnier Forum 12:30 PM

20-24 Fall Break, no classes!

