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I hope all had a great break and are energized to finish out a momentous semester inaugurating our new building. A lot is going on these last few weeks, so check below. Take a break this Thursday to watch the film Columbus. Chris Fein will give a brief intro on the architectural significance of Columbus, Indiana. I know third year students have a 10 pm due date. This should motivate you to finish early. We will offer a second showing during finals week, if not.

Best,

Matthew Knox AIA Professor and Department Head

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ADS 7 STUDY TRIP | SIEPL-COATES



The studio is pictured above in the courtyard of the College of Environmental Design at UC Berkeley

Shortly after the accreditation team visit, the studio spent five days in the Bay Area focusing on research related to this year's studio project: an investigation into the architecture of palliative care.

In addition to experiencing several possible project sites and their immediate contexts, the class toured various facilities, which - because of their architectural characteristics or their programmatic functions - could offer design insights and inspiration for the studio project.

Included among these visits were a few examples of Bay Area architecture, such as Bernard Maybeck's Faculty Club in the UC Berkeley campus; the Weston Havens House by Harwell H. Harris; and more recently completed structures such as the Boalt Hall Library and Café by Ratcliff architects, Richard C. Blum Hall by Gensler, Garden Village Hosuing by Saitowitz Natoma architects, all in Berkeley, and on the Stanford campus the Windhover Center by Aidlin Darling.

Along the way, students were given tours of three palliative care facilities: two in San Francisco and one, a children's hospice, in San Leandro. We also visited the recently opened Jacobs Center for Design Innovation and the Ed Roberts Campus, both designed by the San Francisco firm Leddy Maytum Stacy Architects, which was named the 2017 AIA Architecture firm of the year. Last but not least we were graciously hosted by the design studio of Walter Hood in Oakland.

Since the studio's return to campus, schematic design proposals are being finalized and final touches are being put on individual program briefs - to serve as the foundation for next semester's work of developing design propositions.

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KUDOS

Congratulations to Professor Chad Schwartz for being selected as the **2017 Outstanding Faculty Member** for the College of Architecture, Planning & Design! This honor given annually by the XIX Chapter of the Mortar Board Honor Society for one outstanding faculty member from each college at Kansas State University on the basis of their extraordinary contribution to student success and betterment of the university as a whole. Congrats Prof. Schwartz!



COLUMBUS MOVIE SCREENING

7:00 PM | November 30th in Regnier Forum

Professor Chris Fein will give a short talk about Columbus, Indiana and the many modern buildings within Columbus before the screening. Columbus is ranked 6th in the nation by AIA for its architectural innovation and design. Check out the movie trailer.

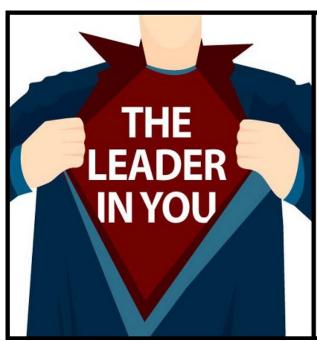
STUDIO DESKS - PUNCH LISTS - WINTER BREAK

APDesign as well as our building design and construction teams continue to work toward a fully secured building, but we still have a few issues that will not be resolved prior to winter break. Additionally, the college needs to switch out studio desks with issues as part of our punch list process with the desk manufacturer. With the significant activities ahead of us to prepare for the Spring semester, students are being asked to remove their possessions from the building during Winter Break. We know this is an inconvenience, but it is important to close out many open projects.

Please remove all personal materials and clean up (trash and recycling is to be bagged and placed in a designated area in the design lab) your studio space no later than Friday,

December 15, 2017 at 5:00 PM.

Lisa Shubert Assistant to the Dean



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Applications Due December 6th



PIZZA IN THE PIERCE IS BACK!

Weigel's Fall Semester Pizza Event is scheduled for **Tuesday, November 28**, in the new Pierce Information Commons. Pizzas, cheese and pepperoni, provided by K-State Libraries, should arrive after 9 pm.

Due to the tight budget K-State Libraries and the entire University are working under, please limit yourself to one piece until everyone has gone through the line.

Other snacks and beverages - coffee and donuts, chips, oranges, soda, and cupcakes, will be generously donated by APDesign student organizations. If other organizations want to contribute, please do so.

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OWMAN Design Discussions in the Flint Hills

Wednesday, December 6, 2017

1:30 p.m.–Regnier Forum, Presentation by Students

4:30 p.m.–Regnier Forum, Presentation by our Guests

Click on image to view the poster with more info.



MANKO DESIGN COMPETITION

Friday, December 8, 2017 1:30 PM - 5:00 PM Regnier Forum

PIZZA TO FOLLOW

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NOVEMBER

30 Columbus Movie Screening at 7:00PM in Regnier Forum

DECEMBER

- 4 President Myers + Provost Mason visit APDesign
- 6 Bowman Forum at 1:30 pm in Regnier Forum
- 8 Manko Design Competition at 1:30 pm in Regnier Forum
- 8 Fall 2017 Term Ends
- 11-15 Finals Week





