Don't forget to check out the Bowman presentations this afternoon and the Manko on Friday. My sneak peeks foretell good things. Congrats to our students in the photography competition–nicely done.

As you prepare for break remember to follow the instructions below on what to do with your stuff in studio. If you are in fifth year, please talk with your studio professor about arrangements as I know many of you will continue working.

Best of luck to all on your final projects and exams.

Best,

Matthew Knox AIA
Professor and Department Head

BUDAPEST FROM AIR, LAND AND WATER
Three graduate students, Hanna Collins, Taylor Hiltgen and Minghao Bian, from the studio of Professor Magyar, visited Budapest, Hungary during the week preceding the Thanksgiving break. They visited the site of the two-semester-long final project at the area of the Castle District of Budapest, and will share their firsthand experiences and the large number of photos and sketches with the other members of the studio, who selected the same project.

In addition to the several site-visits, there were other activities, which - in spite of the short time - gave them more insights in the life and culture of the beautiful Capitol of Hungary. They even participated in a short exercise at the Technical University of Budapest with the students of the English language program, had a buffet lunch on a boat on the Danube River, and visited the Headquarters of the Association of Hungarian Architects, where the group of "Hello Wood" had an exhibition.

They visited two other exhibitions as well, one in the Palace of Arts, where just a few days earlier Professor Magyar’s one month long "Roots of Infinity" exhibition closed. Furthermore, the Sport Complex, which was designed by Professor Antal Lazar and Professor Magyar, opened finally just a year ago after a long hibernation, and gave the students an opportunity to evaluate critically one of their teachers’ ideas in reality.
All members of the group (who covered the full expenses of the trip) hope that they can transfer the essences of these rich impressions to the whole studio, and that the quality of their work will reflect the benefit of their travel.

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The Bowman Design Forum will be held Today, Wednesday, December 6th at 1:30 pm in the Regnier Forum, showcasing the best third year work. The students nominated to present are:

Kazem Namazi | Gibson studio
Jason Ingram | Sachs studio
Jaasiel Duarte-Terrazas | Ornelas studio
James Jones | Coates studio
Roger Clark | Grogan studio

The guest jurors include John Carney, FAIA and Andy Ankeny, AIA. They will deliver a public lecture at 4:30 pm.

The Manko Design Competition will be held Friday, December 8th at 1:30 pm in the Regnier Forum showcasing the top work of the fourth year of the summer and fall. The students nominated to present are:

Kasey Holle | Baudoin Studio
Stephen Bregande | BNIM Studio
Jacob Coombes | Gabbard Studio
Dylan Schoenfeldt | McGlynn Studio
Chandlor Wilson | Simic Studio
Kaden Beilman | Wrightsman Studio

Guest jurors include Scott Schuster of Echo Architecture, Dru Schwyhart of Semple Brown and Erik “Rick” Sommerfield of University of Colorado Denver. Winners will be announced at 5:20 pm in the Regnier Atrium and pizza will be served after!

Thomas A. Tyler/Answers Inc. Architectural & Environmental Photo Competition
Orange Guardrail - Winner of Best in Show submitted by fifth year student, Bradley Gollwitzer

Congratulations to all who placed in the competition!

**Bradley Gollwitzer** - Best in Show "Orange Guardrail"; 1st place interiors (same pic)
**Christina Sanchez** - 2nd place landscapes "Little Wile Horse Canyon"
**Camila Rivera** - 2nd place other subject matter "Urbanidad"
**Karl Ndieli** - 2nd place black & white "Raw Power"; 1st place landscapes "Cypress Dreams"; 2nd place exterior "Sand Swept"
**Jiayi Wang** - 1st place exteriors "Attract"; 1st place other subject matter "Ocean and Fire"

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**PREFERENCING**
Second and third year students will preference for spring studios Monday, December 11th through Friday, December 15th. More information to be sent soon.

**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.

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6 Bowman Forum at 1:30 pm in Regnier Forum
8 Manko Design Competition at 1:30 pm in Regnier Forum
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