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archinfo

arch_weekly note

It was good run for K-State Basketball beating three ranked teams in a row. I am sad to know that we hurt KU's feelings.

March will be a big month for us all with Design Expo, student field trips and spring break. Check below to see what has been going on in the department.

Have a great week.

Matthew Knox AIA
Professor and Department Head

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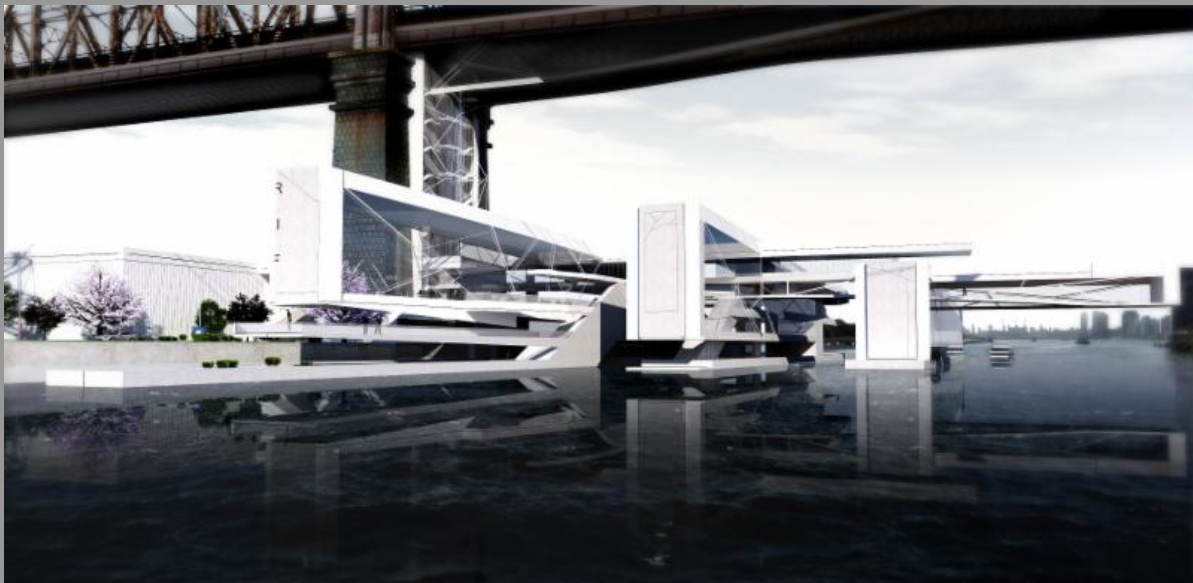


Image courtesy of Gabriel Traknyak.

Nate Petty's ADS 4 studio

This semester we are focusing on creative architectural approaches to re-thinking the strict division between water and land on the East River in New York City. Our platform for this investigation is the imminent expansion of enhanced ferry services to support the growing development along the waterfront in the aftermath of Sandy. As a kick-off exercise, we engaged in an immersive investigation that analyzed the history, population and existing parameters for design within each site. With this research, each of the fifteen studio members has been charged with designing a single terminal for one out of the twenty-six proposed and existing sites that are currently managed and operated by such entities as the Port Authority and the New York Economic Development Corporation. As a design model, the building's program is a hybrid mixture of mass transit functions along with community and leisure spaces. In addition to becoming a new amenity for each respective neighborhood, the linked terminals will create an interboro waterway network that will reconnect some of the city's densest areas with existing land-based circulation and LaGuardia Airport in a new and robust manner.



Site Fly Through video by Nate Petty

Program Impetus

http://www.nytimes.com/2015/02/04/nyregion/mayor-de-blasio-moves-to-expand-ferry-service-in-new-york-city.html?_r=0

<http://www.bloomberg.com/news/articles/2015-02-17/new-york-going-back-to-future-with-ferry-expansion-plan-cities>

<http://www.reuters.com/article/2014/10/20/us-usa-new-york-airports-idUSKCN0I92CZ20141020>

arch_people

Name: Megan LaBarge

Title: Administrative Specialist in the Architecture Department

Hometown: Concordia, KS

Where did you go to school?: K-State

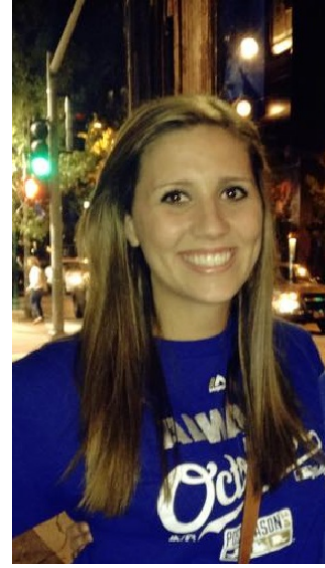
What has surprised you most about APDesign?: How busy the office is

What do you like most about your job so far?: Getting to interact with so many people!

What is your dream job?: Traveling the world

What do you do for fun?: I'm a HUGE K-State fan so I enjoy going to the games! I love traveling, baking, skiing, and going to the lake.

What is your biggest weakness?: CHOCOLATE



Selfie courtesy of Megan LaBarge.

arch_aias

There is an AIAS meeting today at 5.30 pm in the Pierce Commons. Those interested are welcome to attend. If you're interested in joining AIAS please visit: <https://aias.org/join/>

arch_kudos

Kudos to our fifth year student Kenneth Kasper for being chosen as a finalist for Photographer's FORUM College Photo Contest out of 17,000 photos submitted. Kasper's photo "was taken in mid July two years ago during the early morning sunrise, along a scenic spot in the Rocky Mountains."



Photo courtesy of Kenneth Kasper.

arch_department announcements

All fifth year students should plan to attend the mandatory graduation meeting this **Wednesday, March 4th at 5:30 pm in Seaton 63**. If you're interested in attending the *APDPro* event, please be advised that the graduation meeting will not take very long and you will be able to attend both events.

Upcoming *APDPro* events:

Wednesday, March 4

APDPro: Networking Tips

5:30 p.m., Pierce Commons

Not sure how to network? Learn some tips and tricks from Career & Employment Services, including how to work a career fair, as you prepare for Design Expo.

Enter the Houzz/AIA Future of Architecture Contest for students and emerging/new architects. Prizes include \$5,000 to accelerate your career and an expense-paid trip to the AIA Convention 2015 in Atlanta. It's free to enter and the deadline is noon on March 31, 2015. To learn how to enter [click here.](#)

The application deadline for the Eskew+Dumez+Ripple 2015/16 fellowship program has been extended. For the full details [click here.](#)

Mark your calendars for Design Expo, March 9th, in the Alumni Center from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. For more information on the firms participating [click here.](#) Students of all year levels are encouraged to attend.

TUESDAY, MARCH 3RD 3:30 PM
LITTLE THEATRE, KSU STUDENT UNION

The Design Homunculus: Mapping the human brain to the built environment

Public lecture by Professor Heidi Muenchberger
(BBehSc(HONS), MClInNeuro, PhD) Chair of
Healthy Design and Principal Research Fellow at
the Griffith Health Institute, Griffith University,
Brisbane AUSTRALIA.



There is a faculty meeting scheduled for tomorrow, March 3rd, at 2:30 pm in Seaton 208.

Faculty who have activity items for the February Provost Report should send them to Kari Lindeen (klindeen@ksu.edu) by Friday, March 6th.

arch_upcoming events

MARCH

- 3 Faculty meeting at 2:30 pm in Seaton 208
- 3 Dr. Heidi Muenchberger's Oz to Oz lecture at 3:30 pm in the Little Theatre
- 9 Design Expo
- 11-14 Second year field trip to Dallas
- 16-20 Spring break, student holiday
- 23-27 Third year study trip to New York

APRIL

- 1 ARCHE lecture by Nicole Dosso at 4 pm in the Little Theatre
- 7 Faculty meeting at 2:30 pm in Seaton 208
- 10 Spring PAB meeting
- 10 Open House
- 21 Faculty meeting at 2:30 pm in Seaton 208

MAY

- 8 Heintzelman + Kremer at 1:30 pm in the Pierce Commons
- 12 Faculty meeting at 2:30 pm in Seaton 208
- 16 Commencement

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