

arch_weekly note

It has been great to see faculty hanging around in our now smaller world of Seaton Hall this week. All of them have that look of focused intensity as they run around getting ready for next week. With so many students gone this spring on exotic adventures, APD West will have more room for places to work on models and meet in groups. There will be several readjustments taking place so don't be surprised if things are still in transition when you return. We may need your help to quickly rearrange.

I am glad they sealed off the door to my old office, just east of my current office, as the first step would not be good. See pic.

We now have food trucks in Bosco Plaza. I sampled the Vista food truck today and it was tasty. Not too many customers today, but next week should be a crush. It would be nice if this leads to a food truck culture in Manhattan.

I look forward to seeing everyone next week. Please stop by and say hi to Kari, Megan, Rebecca and myself when around. It has been a little lonely the last several weeks.

Best.

Matthew Knox AIA Professor and Head



Second floor of Seaton looking down into the old Plot Room, photo courtesy of Becky O'Donnell.



Photo of Prof. Knox's old office door in Seaton and the end of the line of construction, photo courtesy of Becky O'Donnell.

arch_spring semester

Studio rosters will be posted at APD West for second and third year students at noon on Friday, January 15th. Students may begin moving into their designated studios at this time.

APD West closed on December 19th and is schedule to reopen on January 13th at 8:00 am. Faculty, staff, and master's project students may access the building over break during normal business hours by contacting the Dean's Office at 785-532-5950. For the

full building schedule visit the APDesign APD West page.

The spring term will begin on Tuesday, January 19th.

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Faculty, please be reminded that the spring faculty retreat is scheduled for Wednesday, January 13th from 11:30 am to 4:30 pm at the Alumni Center in Banquet Room C. Annual reports for tenured and tenure track faculty are due January 13th as well.

Mark your calendars for Clemente
Jaquez's Distinguished Young Alumni keynote
Monday, February 23rd at 4:00 pm in the Little
Theatre. Jaquez, a native of Garden City, Kansas, is the
design director for Hoefer Wysocki Architecture in Dallas,
Texas. He graduated from K-State in 2008 with a master's
degree in architecture and has been recognized as an
outstanding practitioner and community advocate. While at
K-State, Jaquez was an active member of Mortar Board
Senior Honor Society, National Organization of Minority
Architecture Students and Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society,
among other roles. He was also a Rhodes Scholar national
finalist, K-State Alumni Association Anderson Senior Award



recipient, president of Sigma Lambda Beta fraternity and the Sigma Tau Delta Architecture student of the year.

The College of Architecture, Planning and Design offers a number of scholarships to students each year. All scholarships consider academic performance and some require financial need as a basis for consideration in addition to academic performance and other considerations. Students with a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better are strongly encouraged to apply. Last year over 170 students in the College received some form of scholarship support. For more information click here. Applications due February 1.

The **2016-2017 Study Aboard pre-application** deadline is 5:00 p.m. Friday, February 5, 2016. Complete your pre-application online at http://www.k-state.edu/studyabroad/ Contact Becky O'Donnell, Project Coordinator in Seaton 212 if you have any questions at 785-532-5047.

Faculty interested in participating in the **K-State 4-H Summer Discovery Days** this summer can <u>apply here</u> and proposals are due by February 15th. Typically classes are only one day for 90 minutes. Kansas 4-H Discovery Days is an opportunity for young people to explore potential careers, degree programs, personal development, hobbies, sports and other interests. The time faculty invest has great potential to impact these young people across Kansas for their entire lives. If you have any questions about the process, please contact Sarah Keatley at 785-532-5800 or by e-mail at keatley@ksu.edu.

Interested in becoming active in K-State's chapter of **Alpha Rho Chi**? Email the architecture department at architecture@ksu.edu. <u>Alpha Rho Chi (APX)</u> is the national fraternity for architecture and the allied arts. Our brotherhood unites men and women for the purpose of fellowship and lifelong friendships and our mutual interest in professional development. This is exemplified by the fraternity's motto: Fidelitas, Amor et Artes or

"Fidelity and Love of the Arts."

Gensler in Detroit, MI is looking for summer interns! Find the job ad and application requirements online here.

arch_upcoming events

January

- 13 Spring faculty retreat 11:30 am to 4:30 pm in Banquet Room C, Alumni Center Tenured and tenure-track faculty activity reports due
- 15 Studio rosters posted at APD West at noon

January intersession courses end

- 17 Residence halls open
- 18 University holiday, university closed for Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- 19 Spring term begins
- 23 K-State APDesign Career Exploration day, Seaton Hall
- 25 Last day for students to add a class without advisor and instructor permission

February

- 1 K-State Engagement Benchmarking Tool survey doses: CECD survey regarding engaged work/research Scholarship applications due
 - Domestic graduate school applications due (PBMARCH and MSARCH)
- 2 Faculty meeting at 2:30 pm in room 207, K-State Union
- 5 Study abroad pre-applications due at 5:00 pm
- 8 Last day for students to receive 100% refund for a regular session course
- 15 Last day for students to receive 50% refund for a regular session course
- 16 Faculty meeting at 2:30 pm in room 207, K-State Union
- 19 Fall 2016 course schedule posted online
- 23 Clemente Jaquez's Distinguished Young Alumni keynote at 4:00 pm in the Little Theatre
- 23 Last day for students to drop a regular session course without a W being recorded

March

- 1 Faculty meeting at 2:30 pm in room 207, K-State Union
- 4 Design Expo 10:00 am to 3:00 pm at the Hilton Garden Inn and Convention Center
- 14-18 Spring break, student holiday
- 17-19 ACSA Conference in Seattle, WA
- 21-25 Student field trips (second and third year)
- 21 Enrollment for summer/fall 2016 courses begins
- 22 Faculty meeting at 2:30 pm in room 207, K-State Union
- 28 Last day for students to drop a regular session course

April

- 1 Approval to schedule a final exam ballot due to Graduate School (thesis/non-thesis/dissertation defenses)
- 5 Faculty meeting at 2:30 pm in room 207, K-State Union
- 7 PAB Symposium at APD West (time TBD): PAB members will offer sessions on topics relating to architecture and the profession for students and faculty to participate in.
- 8 PAB spring meeting 9:30 am to 11:30 pm at APD West
- "Ask an Architect" lunch and learn with the PAB at noon at APD West
- 16 K-State Open House
- 19 Faculty meeting at 2:30 pm in room 207, K-State Union
- 22-23 Dean's Advisory Council spring meeting
- 22 Final exam ballots due to Graduate School (thesis/non-thesis/dissertation defenses)
- 25 Clare Cooper Marcus lecture 4:00 pm in the Little Theatre

May

- 3 Faculty meeting at 2:30 pm in the Chang Gallery, Seaton Hall
- 6 Heintzelman + Kremer Jury 1:30 to 5:00 pm
 - KSIS graduation application closes for spring candidates
- 9-13 Final exams week
- 13 Graduate School Commencement at Bramlage Coliseum
- 14 APDesign Commencement 10:00 am McCain Auditorium
 - Residence halls dose
- 19-21 AIA Convention in Philadelphia, PA

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