Design Expo is this Friday. ALL students should make their way to the Hilton. Even if you don't have a portfolio you need to go just to say hi to a firm and pick up a business card and some free swag. Then you will have a contact person for the future. Networking is so easy.

Have a great week and see you at Design Expo. Saturday will be a crazy day in Manhattan, so please stay safe.

Have a great week.

Matthew Knox, AIA
Professor and Head

Last year's Design + Make Studio was featured in the February edition of Interior Design Magazine for their Preston Outdoor Education Station at Camp Wood YMCA in Elmdale, KS. Check out the article here.
Brandon Wlosinski from BNIM will be lecturing TOMORROW, March 8th at 4:30 pm in the Purple Masque Theatre.

With a formal architectural education, Brandon Wlosinski serves as an Information Services Specialist at BNIM. His knowledge of architecture and deep understanding of technology combine in this role to support BNIM's presence as a cutting-edge national design firm. Brandon helps to support day-to-day technological needs at BNIM, but more importantly, he keeps his finger on the pulse of what is new and emerging in the arena of design technology. Brandon received his Bachelor of Architecture from Iowa State University in 2013.

**BIM Forward in the Agile Age**

In the last decade and looking forward, the profession of architecture is facing a paradigm shift that is expected to change the entirety of how we as designers create spaces. While many of the concepts that are taking hold mainstream are not new, they are being applied in ways to our profession that before existed in the realm of science fiction. With the advent of BIM, parametric, and computational design, we look at a BIM-forward world that embraces change and technology. This lecture looks at how some of these concepts came to be, how architecture and BIM have been affected by rapid development of technology, and what the future holds for those getting ready to join the field. This will highlight several projects produced by BNIM Architects and focus on topics like building analytics and human purposed integrated design (HP.id).
Everyone (meaning all, not just fifth year students) is encouraged to attend this event and meet the 70 firms that are coming to visit with APDesign students about career opportunities.

Dress code_ Business or design professional. More info about dress can be found here.

Impress_ Be able to express your strengths, academic preparation, related experiences and skills. Bring your K-State ID with you and have copies of your resume ready to handout. Have a portfolio available for employers to view (if you have one). Click here for more helpful tips.

Shuttle_ will run from the Union Courtyard to the Hilton Garden Inn every 20 minutes. Students who wish to drive on their own are instructed to only park in the parking garage at the corner of 4th St. and Ft. Riley Blvd.

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KSU Agronomy | Ashland Bottoms Barn

There has been interest in an interdisciplinary collaboration of students and faculty from Architectural Engineering, Architecture and Construction Science in a restoration project of the KSU Agronomy Barn at Ashland Bottoms. This structure dates back to 1875 and is currently used by the Department of Agronomy for the storage of equipment.

Local architects assessed the project and felt it would be a great learning opportunity for students and faculty to take on. Click here for images of the barn. If you are interested in this project, please contact Megan LaBarge, meganlab@ksu.edu.

Also don't forget to check out the employment page for new postings!

arch_dates + events

MARCH
Now - March 17 Faculty/Staff show in the Chang Gallery
8  BNIM Lecture | Brandon Wlosinski at 4:30 pm at the Purple Masque Theatre
10  Design Expo | Hilton Garden Inn 10 am - 3 pm
12  Daylight Savings Time (spring forward)
13  Goncalo Byrne, Distinguished Regnier Chair - visits K-State this week
15-18 Second year student field trip
20-24  Spring Break
26-31 Third year student field trip
28  Faculty Meeting at 2:30 pm in the Chang Gallery
30-31 Spring Meeting | Professional Advisory Board

APRIL
1  Open House
5  Short Films on Design | Screening | 5:30 pm APDWest
10  Goncalo Byrne, Distinguished Regnier Chair - visits Kansas City this week
11  Faculty Meeting at 2:30 pm in the Chang Gallery
13  Lecture | Goncalo Byrne, Distinguished Regnier Chair - Kansas City Central Library
17  Lecture | Fran Silvestre, 2017-18 Distinguished Regnier Chair lecture in Forum Hall
27-29 AIA Convention in Orlando, FL

MAY
5  Heintzelman + Kremer | Purple Masque Theatre
8-12 Final exams week
12  Graduate School Commencement at Bramlage Coliseum
13  APDesign Commencement 10:00 am McCain Auditorium