THIRD FLOOR TIDBITS - WEIGEL LIBRARY

Fall Break / Thanksgiving Holiday Hours

Hours of operation for Weigel Library for Fall Break: Weigel will close at regular time this Friday, November 21 at 5 pm.

Closed - Saturday and Sunday, November 22 and 23. Open - Monday and Tuesday, November 24 and 25, 8 am to 5 pm.

Closed - Wednesday through Sunday, November 26 through November 30.

Open - Monday, December 1, at 8 am with regular hours.

Travel safely to and from your destination. Enjoy your time with family and friends. See you in December for the final busy weeks of Fall Semester 2014!

HALO CANDLE-LIGHTING

Join HALO in honoring the 43 missing Mexican students from Ayotzinapa with a candle-lighting ceremony. Tonight, Nov. 20

UPCOMING EVENTS

Powercat Financial: Student Loan Repayment - Graduate Students [FINANCIAL PLANNING, SPECIAL TOPIC] Tuesday, November 18, 2-3 p.m., KSU Student Union Rm 207

Staying Safe Over the Holidays [SPECIAL TOPIC] Tuesday, November 18, 4:30 p.m., Leasure Hall 13

Mapping Manhattan Lecture: Kate Nesse (KSBN) [SPECIAL TOPIC, FALL
Hello to all,

My name is Elliott Joern, the Co-President of the K-state NOMAS Chapter and a Sub-committee National Rep. I am excited to release the 2015 New Orleans Competition to you and begin this amazing opportunity for you to develop design collaboration skills, team building, and become a representative of your school. Please read below about entering. Also, feel free to forward this to anyone interested in the competition. The last two years NOMAS has changed my life by providing friends and fellow students to help me build skills and experiences. This competition is a great way to experience and network with professionals and other students. If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to shoot me an email!

Please understand that rules for participation have changed and this year all that are interested in joining the competition team must abide to the following changes:

1) Fill the form attached and please email the form to ksunomas@gmail.com by Friday Nov. 28st (NEW DATE)... NO EXCEPTIONS

2) ALSO submit a digital copy to Professor Wigfall lbjw@ksu.edu (if you have not already placed it in her mailbox in Seaton)
3) Read everything!!!
4) A selection jury of APDesign faculty will interview ALL selected applicants

Remember if you are a part of another project or team within NOMAS, you are not allowed to participate in the competition... Only exception is if you finish that project/event then you are allowed to help, this still means you still need to fill an application out by Nov. 28th!

Thank you,
Elliott Joern
National Organization of Minority Architecture Students (NOMAS)
Chapter President
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**HOLIDAY SHOP HOURS**
Please be advised that the shop will be closed over Thanksgiving break. Happy Thanksgiving!

**AAUW FELLOWSHIPS**
Please note the following opportunity for women graduate students:

AAUW International Fellowships for women graduate students and postdoc, DEADLINE Dec. 1, 2014


**SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY**
There are a number of scholarship available to all APDesign students. [Click here](http://www.k-state.edu/today/announcement.php?id=10952&category=news&referredBy=K-State%20Today%20Archive) for guidelines on how to apply and receive scholarships for the 2015-2016 school year.

**PHOTO COMPETITION**
The Thomas A. Tyler and Answers Inc. APDesign Architectural and Environmental Student Photography Competition will take place January 2015 for the Chang Gallery exhibition running January 12 - February 6, 2015.
In this competition, professionals, will evaluate the five categories of competition: black & white, landscape, exterior architecture, interiors & architectural details, and other subject matter.

Entries are due to the Communications & Events Office (214 Seaton Hall) by 5 p.m. December 12.

All entries must be framed and accompanied by the attached form. Click here to download submission form.

SECURITY REMINDER

As we approach the holiday season, it is important for each of us to remember that while we all share good will towards everyone in our APDesign Community we must remain vigilant about protecting ourselves, and each other against damage and theft.

Even with the new security systems we must all do our part like making sure doors are locked, reporting suspicious activity, taking home computers or locking up computers when away for long periods of time is a simple but effective way of keeping possessions safe.

Some of the recent security enhancements include a
large number of security cameras that are live 24 hours a day to record any activity in our entrances, exits and corridors. Key card locks have also been added to many of the lab doors. Again, this is to protect the college and keep out unauthorized users.

We all sincerely hope that you have a wonderful and restful holiday and come back better than ever!

Please remember that technology and restricted access alone are not enough to avoid all criminal activity. In this case please lock all doors, secure all equipment and belongings, remove door stops, lock windows, avoid working or walking alone and be sure to report any suspicious activity immediately.

The K-State Police can be reached by calling (785) 532-6412 on in an emergency, do not hesitate to call 911.

IN ADDITION!
Please be sure to back-up your data to an external hard drive and do not leave this with your primary computer. Some data can be stored through your account on our servers. (We are working to increase this capacity.

The work all of you are doing here is significant and important. We raise this issue of safety not to cause fear, but to avoid the feeling of violation and loss of security that comes with thievery.

MCELWEE AWARD

Nominations are being accepted for the 2015 APDesign McElwee Faculty Teaching Award. Please submit a Notice of intent to nominate by letter or e-mail to lisash@ksu.edu by Friday, February 3, 2015. Refer to the Memo for more details.

SING A LONG
DECEMBER 5 IN THE PIERCE COMMONS AT 5:30

It is that time of the year when we start practicing for our annual sing-along. You are invited you to join Assistant Prof. Richter O'Connell and Associate Prof. Vibhavari Jani this year! We need your help in spreading cheer.

Practice will be tomorrow, Friday, November 21 at 12:45 in the IAPD Crit Room. Everyone is welcome! Please also ask your friends who enjoy singing or playing an instruments to join us. We feel it would be fun if there are more singers and players.
This year we also want to make this an event that represents the diversity of our student body. If you know songs in other languages, we would love to share it with others. So bring your instruments, bring your voices and let us spread some cheer!!!