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2008 Teatro Thalia Lisboa Portugal-Goncalo Byrne Lecture TODAY!

#### **AROUND THE COLLEGE GONCALO BYRNE, ARCHITECT** Ekdahl Lecture -

TODAY Monday, November 9, 2015, 5:00PM

K-State Union Forum Hall

World-renowned Portuguese architect, Gonçalo Byrne, GCIH will present as part of the APDesign Distinguished Lecture Series at Kansas State University on November 9 at 5pm in the K-State Union Forum Hall. Byrne is responsible for a vast accomplishment of architectural work, and has been awarded with many national and international prizes. This lecture is free and open to the public.

#### Third Floor Tidbits Weigel Library

MORE THINGS YOU MIGHT LIKE TO KNOW ABOUT WEIGEL LIBRARY:

- You can request a book from Hale Library (or hundreds of other libraries in the country through Interlibrary Loan!) and it will arrive at Weigel with your name on it. Just ask a staff member to show you how!
- Weigel has a wide range of office widgets for your use and convenience scissors,

#### **EVENTS & DEADLINES**

#### **NOVEMBER**

9 Distinguished Lecture Series - Gonçalo Byrne, Architect, 5pm in K-State Union Forum Hall

11 Beaux Arts Ball -Kathouse Lounge, doors open at 9pm

12-14 Draw & Design Workshop - James Richards Hale Library Hemisphere Room and other Locations.

paper-cutter, tape, rulers, a pencil sharpener, paper punches and different varieties of staplers to name a few.

- There is no limit on the number of resources you can check out from Weigel Library. Just remember you are responsible for all of them!
- You don't have to whisper in Weigel! But polite and courteous conversation and indoor voices are expected, especially with the increased number of patrons utilizing Weigel!

While you're in Weigel don't miss the Goncalo Byrne display - either before or after you attend his lecture Monday, at 5 pm in the Union's Forum Hall. You just might like his work...

Speaking of displays - Weigel's two display cases are full of "mini" internship exhibits by six Weigel library assistants. Each student has a shelf to showcase their firm, their work and location and what the student did for fun! Check 'em out!

#### All-University Campaign

Please consider giving to the All-University Campaign by the Friday, November 13, deadline. Thank you to all who have given! To give, you may use the packet you received in campus mail or donate at <a href="http://www.found.ksu.edu/auc/designation/colleges-and-programs.html">http://www.found.ksu.edu/auc/designation/colleges-and-programs.html</a>. Just dick on our college name and you may select the LA or RCP Excellence Fund. Information about APDesign-brand gifts and the college outdoor ping pong table incentive is available here

#### Message From the Dean

Team APDesign (AKA: Faculty, Staff and Students), Design Matters! It says so all around Seaton!

#### CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

The Construction Fence is up and the scrim messages our mantra (see above) and partnerships with our design and construction teams! Construction has officially begun, the 'Notice to Proceed' having been issued near Halloween! While it may not necessarily look like we are deep into the project as the air is not yet filled with dust and noise, JEDunn is progressing through numerous 'make-ready' steps in anticipation of the major demolition activities. For those charting the progress and cognizant of the original projected start date in early October, you are likely wondering if we will indeed be in the building as projected. I have been assured by JEDunn and the design team that we are still on track for substantial completion in advance of Fall 2017, barring unforeseen circumstances. Heavy demolition began today!

Suffice it to say it is likely to get pretty crazy around Seaton and given that I am already taking plenty of heat for redirected circulation routes, disturbances and APDWest foibles, I suspect I will want to spend more time on the road raising our remaining contributions to the University's \$1 Billion Innovation and Inspiration Campaign! On that front we have raised over \$14 Million so far in the campaign, just over half of our \$28 million goal! Of the monies raised so far in the campaign, approximately \$7.5 million is for the building while the remaining monies target student, faculty and program support. The excitement of the project, appreciation for the ingrained quality of our faculty and programs, dedication to the growth our students and support of the State of Kansas and K-State Administration have all contributed to a renewed spirit of philanthropy amongst our base of alumni and friends. Each and every one of you is a part of this in one way or another.

All of this even as we continue to work to overcome being uprooted and replanted in Seaton West and APDesign West. We continue to make progress on the new Shop Building at APDesign West and will soon be moving equipment into the space. We are making modifications to the main building to allow us to have our laser cutters and small model shop up and running. Our plotting capacities will continue to increase as we are able to get more equipment online. Our network connectivity continues to improve and we await the full capacity that will allow us to use wireless unimpeded.

I want to take this opportunity to thank critical members of our staff who have worked tirelessly in overcoming the obstacles put in our way by delay in finalizing funding at the State of Kansas level. (I should remind everyone that we would have been fully operational had we not had to wait on the legislature...even as we are thankful for the legislation!) Lisa Shubert, Richard Thompson, Sean Troyer, Don Crawford and Jermaine Glasper have spent the lion's share of their time over the past 15 weeks doing everything they can to get us to a level of full operation. In addition, many members of our departmental staffs, as well as K-State crews and specialists have made getting us situated their top priority. While we are not there yet, all things considered we could be in a lot less-capable state given the short timeline we had to work on all of this.

#### OPERATIONS UPDATE AND SOME THOUGHTS

Day to day operations are another matter. We continue to try and hone our processes for preparing spaces for differing activities, reserving rooms and hosting events. As is always the case, there are any number of hiccups along the way, regardless of our best planning,

16 Off-Campus Opportunities Meeting for all 3rd Year students at 6pm in S063

23-5 Ten Year Alumni Honoree Exhibit - Chang Gallery

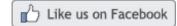
23-27 Fall Break

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yet each one helps us tweak the system to run more smoothly. While the dean's and departmental offices do their part, it should be noted that our student organizations are also forced to transform their operations and activities to navigate the transitional conditions of our existence. Perhaps nowhere is this more evident than with our Plot and Laser Clubs, which I remind each of you, are run by volunteers in service to their peers. I expect an extra measure of patience in understanding their difficulties in providing the level of service that you have become accustomed to over the years. There is not one ounce of blame that should go to them as they are doing the best they can in as timely a manner as possible. Keep in mind that Hell hath few deeper chasms than those reserved for individuals who besmirch volunteers, those individuals who by their gracious nature give their time to the greater good.

So on that note let's turn to baseball, to the 2015 World Series Champion Kansas City Royals. While not everyone is as big a fan of baseball as I am, anyone that knows the slightest bit about sports is aware that these Royals epitomize excellence through dedication to the whole over the individual. Yes, individual excellence is important and necessary, yet it is pursued not for individual recognition but in support of group achievement. Attainment of excellence is the result of shared, parallel individual motivation to contribute to the success of the team.

The professions we engage in are equally dependent on this selfless dedication to team success through bonded individual excellence. The education model we are involved in parallels this and our actions while here are a great indicator of the type of player we will be when the stakes are really high. Hopefully, rather than being content to pout about our personal tribulations sitting on the end of the bench, all of us aspire to springing around like crazed kangaroos near the mound in celebration of our combined achievements!

Let's be thankful of everyone's contributions to our success! All the best and, BE ROYAL, Tim

#### PS. And now for a rant....

We have received numerous complaints regarding the ever growing accumulation of cigarette butts in proximity to the entrance and emergency exits of APD West. Folks, cigarette butts are litter and in fact are the most littered item in the world! It is not acceptable to litter, period. Now you may ask me to purchase 'smokers poles' but I do not intend to promote this unhealthy and uncivil nasty habit. On the other hand, should you wish to enroll or attend tobacco secession programs my office will be more than happy to help you identify these. Besides the obvious health risks, we are concerned that exit doors may be propped open and undermining our security. This activity needs to stop now!

#### APD West Fall Break Info

In consideration of the needs of the students/faculty, Dean de Noble has made an adjustment to the APD West building schedule over the Fall Break. On Sunday, November 29th, the building will open at 8 am to begin a 24-hour open period. The building will now be open the Saturday after Thanksgiving, November 28th, 10 a.m. to 1 a.m. however, SHUTTLE SERVICE WILL NOT BE IN OPERATION.

#### Beaux Arts Ball

See beliow for ticket info, dress code and more for the Beaux Arts Ball

## BEAUX ARTS BALL TICKETS

for sale Oct. 28th - Nov. 11th -ALL THAT YOU NEED TO KNOW-

Find a representative or wait for them to find you in order to buy a \$10 ticket. AIAS members purchase a ticket for \$5! Proof of membership required.

1st Year: Gabe Tackitt, Jaasiel Duarte, Alexandra Mesias 2nd Year: Ashton McWhorter, Regan Tokos, Kathryn Zieno, Scott Pfeifer, Katie Eberth

3rd Year: Ashley Brunton, Taylor Hiltgen, Peter Syzonenko, Morgan Brown

4th Year: Alex Booth, Ryan Gustafson, Tara Sears

Respresentatives will be selling tickets (\$10) from October, 28th up until the dance on November 11th. The dance is hosted at Kathouse Lounge in Aggieville and doors open at 9pm and close at 2am. Each ticket gets a complimentary drink (for 21+) and professors gain admittance for free.

'he Beaux Arts Ball is the annual formal dance hosted by AIAS for the College of APDesign for all disciplines. This years theme is the Manhattan Expo: The Spirit of Progress, which is simply formal wear inspired by Art Deco and the idealistic bright and technology filled future. The era lasted from the 1920's until the 1940's.

While AIAS does not actively promote the dance outside of APDesign, you are allowed and encouraged to bring your best friends or significant other, even if they aren't in our college! Ve want you to have fun! Card games, a pool tournament, and giant Jenga will be available.

AIAS is looking for a photographer to take pictures of attendees of the Beaux Arts Ball. Compensation can be discussed. Please email Alex Booth @ acbooth@ksu.edu for further information.

# Need a Ride Home from Beaux Arts?

## **No Worries!**

Simply wait in front of Mojos & Cozy Inn Hamburgers for a free ride home! Cars will be marked for convenience.

Service available 11pm-2am

### Drivers: Jarrod Booth Josh Tryon

#### LECTURES Distinguished Lecture Series - November 9



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#### James Richards to present Design Drawing Lecture and Workshops

T H F B S

November 12,13,14, 201 Hale Library Hemisphere Room

Thursday 4pm presentation in the Hemisphere Rm, Hale Friday class visits and 1 - 4pm workshop at the BMoA Saturday 10 am - 2 pm workshop at the BMoA

#### THERE ARE STILL SPOTS AVAILABLE!

(sign up\* by Nov. 6th) \* Sign-up by joining APDPro and selecting the workshop of your choice. Contact

Lorn Clement (<u>lacjr@ksu.edu</u>) or Danna Voegeli (<u>dvoegeli@ksu.edu</u>) for assistance. <u>Click here for more information.</u> APDPRO UPDATE

UPCOMING APDPRO EVENTS APDesign Lecture: Gonçalo Byrne [FALL LECTURE] Monday, Nov 9, 5 p.m., KSU Student Forum Hall

Kat Chats: Non-Violent Communication [SPECIAL TOPIC] Tuesday, Nov 10, 4-5 p.m., 13 Leasure Hall

Walk-in Wednesday (CES) [SPECIAL TOPIC] Wednesday, Nov 11, 12-4 p.m., Holtz Hall

James Richard Lecture [FALL LECTURE] Thursday, Nov 12, 4 p.m., Hemisphere Room in Hale Library

Design Drawing Workshop: James Richards (RSVP Required) [SPECIAL TOPIC] Friday, Nov 13, 1-4 p.m., Beach Museum of Art Education Classroom

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