On November 17, students from PLAN 640 exhibited urban design proposals as part of the Third Thursday event in Clay Center, Kansas.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Applications for 4-H Discovery Days is open. This year’s classes will be offered May 31-June 1. You may propose a class that is 90 minutes, 3 hours or all day in length. Please sign up here and, if you do, let Stephanie know about your plans. Tim Keane and Susan Lannou can share their experiences teaching for the event with you.

Be among the first to sign the New Landscape Declaration: https://lafoundation.org/news-events/2016-summit/new-landscape-declaration/

K-State has become a part of the Imagining America organization. Thank you to all who participated in hosting their director, Tim Eatman, on campus last spring. Stephanie is participating in a task force to shape the opportunities associated with K-State’s membership. Specific opportunities for faculty and students are forthcoming.

OUR CONTRIBUTIONS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

MRCP and MArch students in PLAN 640 Urban Design and Development led by Associate Professor Blake Belanger displayed urban design proposals as part of the Third Thursday event in Clay Center, Kansas on November 17. Approximately 50 residents, business owners, and civic leaders viewed proposals to enhance Clay Center’s visibility, identity, livability, and appeal. The posters will remain on display in the community and the Clay County Economic Development Group is conducting a preference survey to identify stakeholders and implementation priorities.

OF INTEREST

The CELA 2017 organizers are holding a logo design contest for their conference. Details are available here.

The Place and Displacement: A Marketplace in Refugee Settlements Competition for students is open for registration until December 3. Submissions are due by January 31. Information is available here.

The 54th International Making Cities Livable Conference on Public Places for Community, Democracy, Health and Equity will take place October 2-6, 2017 in Santa Fe, NM. Proposals are due January 31, 2017. The Call for Papers is available here.

The CLASS (California Landscape Architectural Student Scholarship Fund) is receiving proposals for their $25,000...
Research Award that is made each year to support a research project related to landscape architecture, horticulture, or landscape contracting in the following areas: sustainability; water quality, conservation or use; air quality; climate adaptation or global warming; community capacity building or development; urban land use; sustainable or alternative transportation; urban heat island or greenhouse gas emission impacts; social, cultural and environmental capital; performative landscapes; or green infrastructure. Proposals are due January 16, more information is available here.

Volume 18 of Planning Forum, the scholarly journal of Community and Regional Planning at The University of Texas at Austin, is accepting submissions. The deadline is January 9, 2017 and more information is available here.

Remarkable Objects, a new podcast about the intersection of nature and urban design, is available at here.

The Landscape Architecture Foundation has released the new Fellowship for Innovation and Leadership. The application deadline is December 1. Details are available here.

The National Park Service released access to their archive of Olmsted images. The announcement is available here.

The 2017 Garden and Landscape Studies Symposium at Dumbarton Oaks has announced its call for papers for "Landscapes of Pre-Industrial Cities". Click here for more information. Click here to read about grants available.

JAE has a call for papers for the issue 'Environments'. Deadline is March 1, 2017. Click here for more information.

UPCOMING PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY MEETINGS:

American Planning Association
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May 6-9, 2017
New York, New York

CELA 2017 conference information, call for abstracts
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May 26-29, 2017
Beijing, China

IMCL 2017
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October 2-6, 2017
Santa Fe, NM