Dr. Tim Keane received the Commerce Bank and WT Kemper Foundation Distinguished Graduate Faculty Award from Dean Carol Shanklin during the December 9 Graduate School Commencement Ceremony.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Faculty Annual Evaluation and Post-Tenure Review materials are due in your OneDrive folder on January 13. Please schedule a time with Jody by January 13 to meet with Stephanie between February 1 and 10.

Reminder: K-State Online Classic will be retired January 1, 2017. You will no longer be able to access KSOL Classic after that date without submitting a request form. And, this is a good time to download this semester’s student work from Canvas so you don’t have to do it by individual student in the future.

Register now for the Faculty Exchange for Teaching Excellence mid-year workshop, Teaching Critical Thinking to College Students within the Logic of One’s Own Discipline, Friday, January 27, 8:30 am - 4:00 pm, Alumni Center. The department will cover registration costs (workshop and lunch) for all participating faculty. Provide Jody’s email in the billing instructions for registration.

LA Faculty: Interested in teaching in Italy or offering an Advanced Studio? Please reply to Stephanie:

- By December 12 – if you are considering application for teaching in Italy during Spring 2018. Definitive plans aren’t necessary—just the level of your interest.
- By January 5 – with your one page proposal for a Fall 2017 or 2018 Advanced Studio. Provide a description of the studio focus and anticipated assignments as well as its connection to the LA program mission and your RSCA agenda. Please specify if the proposal may be considered for both semesters.

OUR CONTRIBUTIONS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Two LARCP faculty received grants from the K-State Office of...
Associate Professor Huston Gibson received a $3,602 Faculty Development Award in support of his presentation, at the IACD Community Development Conference in Auckland, NZ.

Professor Lee Skabelund received a $4,900 University Small Research Grant to purchase Architecture, Planning and Design Research Green Roof Monitoring Equipment.

Associate Professor Katie Kingery-Page presented *Landscapes of Learning: Exploring the science of what landscape architecture can do for learning and health* in a K-State Presidential Lecture to 40 students at Manhattan High School.

Associate Professor Huston Gibson presented *The Importance of Planning in our Regions and Community: Past, Present and Future*, to 30 students at Maize South High School in the Wichita area on December 1.

**STUDIO AND CLASS EVENTS**

Seven student teams from PLAN 660: Community Development will present community profiles/development case studies Tuesday, December 13 from 9:30 am - 12:30 pm in Seaton Hall’s Chang Gallery. [Click here](#) for more information.

Associate Professor Jason Brody and Taylor Allen, MLA 5th year, traveled to Lisbon, Portugal, December 10-17 for meetings with 2017 Regnier Chair Goncalo Byrne and site visits for the Spring studio project at KCDC.

**OF INTEREST**

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

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 February 1 (chg’d from Dec 1). Submissions are due by February 1. [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 May 6-9, 2017  New York, New York
- CELA 2017 conference information, call for abstracts May 26-29, 2017  Beijing, China
- IMCL 2017 October 2-6, 2017  Santa Fe, NM