



Assistant Professor Alpa Nawre will be a member of the inaugural class of LAF innovation + Leadership Fellows.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The PGASLA Awards Call for Entries is out!

Submissions are due March 31. Information is available here. The Awards Gala will take place on May 6th at the Center for Architecture and Design in Kansas City.

Jon Champlain, MLA '10, Senior Associate at EDSA NYC, will make a presentation about his firm and their work on Wednesday, March 29, 4:30 pm, LARCP corner at APDWest. Don't miss this opportunity to hear about EDSA's work.

The 2017-2020 Mary K. Jarvis Chair application information is available [here](#). For your information, an example of associated student recruitment materials is [here](#) and the information provided to potential applicants is [here](#). These materials were on the LARCP website while recruitment was active. Intent to apply is due March 27. Applications are due April 10 and presentations are April 25, 6:00 pm. Please plan to attend the presentations.

STUDIO AND CLASS ACTIVITIES

Caroline Finck, MLA 4th year, is the recipient of the 2017 MESA Design Discovery Award. MESA makes a \$2,500 award allowing them to explore, learn, and broaden their design awareness while studying a specific topic. The award will support Caroline's master's thesis research focused on design of an integrated rural community that fosters acceptance and understanding of developmentally disabled population. She will travel to Geel, Belgium; Gould Farm in Monterey, MA; Broadway Communities in New York City; and, Spirit of Geel outside of Philadelphia.

MLA students will present posters at the K-State Graduate School Research Forum on March 30. Their posters will be on display 9:30 am - 4:30 pm in the K-State Union Courtyard:

- Abigail Fiala will present *Nature through nature: a*

EVENTS & DEADLINES

[2017 LARCP Calendar of Events](#), v011617

MARCH

20-24 Spring Break

27 Jarvis intent to apply due, 5:00 pm

30 LARCP Faculty Meeting, 12:30 - 1:30 pm, Chang Gallery

APRIL

1 Open House

6 LA Faculty Meeting, 12:30 - 1:30 pm, Edmond's Conference Room

10 Jarvis proposals due, 5:00 pm

13 RCP Faculty Meeting, 12:30 - 1:30 pm, Chang Gallery

15 Deadline for reporting Fall 2017 course material adoptions. see previous MMs for instructions.

20 LARCP Faculty Meeting, 12:30 - 1:30 pm, Chang Gallery

21 KS APA Spring Symposium

25 Jarvis presentations, 6:00 pm, Wahoo Fire and Ice Grill

comparative study between standard and nature-based play in outdoor preschool environments.

- Timothy Kellams will present *The mind, the narrative, and the city: drawing narratives of the city.*

Assistant Professor Alpa Nawre has been named one of the inaugural Landscape Architecture Foundation Innovation + Leadership Fellows. Click on the image above to learn about this distinguished honor and the work Alpa will undertake during the next year.

Associate Professor Blake Belanger attended The Creativity Workshop in New York City February 23-27. The workshop focused on developing creative thinking and expression through individual exercises, group activities, and homework assignments completed through firsthand experiences in the city. The session contributed to Belanger's ongoing scholarship on creativity, contributed to his teaching the course *Unlocking Creativity*, and expanded his personal creative potential. The trip was supported, in part, by an Academic Excellence Award from the university.

OF INTEREST

Online guide to Italian street types, [available here](#), shared by Katie Kingery-Page. **Be among the first to sign** the New Landscape Declaration: <https://lafoundation.org/news-events/2016-summit/new-landscape-declaration/>

The LA+ Journal invites speculations on the question of time. Abstracts are due April 1 and [information is available here](#).

The Biomimicry Institute and the Ray C. Anderson Foundation have launched the Biomimicry Global Design Challenge, open to both students and professionals worldwide. [Click here](#) for more information. Submissions are due April 30.

ASLA Design Competition Entries are due April 17 (Professional) and May 15 (Student). Information is [available here](#).

The LA+ Journal announces the launch of an open design ideas competition. Entries close June 2. [Information is available here](#).

University of Washington Professor Daniel Winterbottom is offering a landscape architecture design build program in China in collaboration with Guizhou Normal University, June 15 - July 15. Information is available here.

UPCOMING PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY MEETINGS:

[American 10-13, Planning Association](#) May 6-9, 2017 New York, New York

Alliance for Historic Landscape Preservation May 25-27, 2017 Calgary, Alberta

[CELA 2017 conference information, call for abstracts](#) May 26-29, 2017 Beijing, China

[ECLAS 2017](#) September 10-13, 2017 London, UK

[IMCL 2017](#) October 2-6, 2017 Santa Fe, NM

27 Green Roof Outreach
Event, 6:30 - 8:00 pm, Purple
Masque Theater

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