Terin Waters, Associate Director of the Alumni Foundation and fellow alumni K-State travelers while touring in Italy visited Kansas State University in Italy's APDesign Italian Studies Program in Orvieto on Thursday, April 27th. Serena Croce, Program Director, Professors Kingery-Page and Jani along with APDesign students hosted the tour group at the school located in the Palazzo Simoncelli. Visitors were introduced to Kansas State University in Italy - APDesign Italian Studies Program. The University-Wide Summer Program, organized by the Office of International Programs, will start in May 2017.

Students presented some of their projects and answered a wide range of questions.

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Note from Dean de Noble

APDesign Students,

Over the weekend there was yet another incident involving alcohol on APD-West campus. The possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages on campus, (and APDWest, for all its shortcomings is a university building,) is not acceptable behavior and is certainly not supportive of the professional environment expected in our college.

Please be reminded, University policy states that the use of alcohol or any other contraband, activity or behavior is prohibited. I do not want to stress this again because it could very well be in a meeting dismissing someone from the program. We take your safety and the safety of your fellow classmates very seriously. Do not let a lapse of judgment result in a mark on your permanent record, or dismissal from the program.

Please review the K-State policy: http://www.k-state.edu/policies/ppm/3000/3053.html

Finish strong...and smart!

Tim,

Dean

EVENTS & DEADLINES

May

3 Westival 2017 @ APD-West 5:30pm

4 Lecture: Susan Jones: ‘emerging design territories: production, performance, and the hypernatural in mass timber’. 5:30pm in 063 Seaton

8-12 Finals

11 APDesign Commencement Rehearsal

12 Graduate School Commencement

13 APDesign Commencement

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SOCIAL MEDIA

@APDesignKState
The K-State Alumni Association invites students graduating in May and August 2017 to say farewell to their last days as students and hello to life as K-State alumni at Grad Bash on Thursday, May 4.

Grad Bash will take place from 4 to 6 p.m. on the Johnson Terrace of the Alumni Center and will feature free food, drinks and live music. Door prizes include a diploma display frame, football tickets and other K-State-related items. An exclusive Snapchat filter will be available during the event. The first 500 students who attend also will receive a special gift from the Alumni Association.

Campus administrators will also be present at the event congratulating the graduates and serving Call Hall ice cream. The event is free to upcoming graduates. Guests are welcome but will be asked to pay a $5 cash cover at the door. View more information here.

Lecture - Susan Jones - May 4 at 5pm in 063 Seaton

The College of Architecture Planning & Design (APDesign), Department of Architecture will present a lecture by Susan Jones entitled ‘emerging design territories: production, performance, and the hypernatural in mass timber’ on Thursday, May 4 at 5pm in 063 Seaton Hall on the K-State campus. The lecture is free and open to the public.

Susan Jones, FAIA, LEED BD+C, architect, is owner of atelierjones, an architecture, urban and ecodesign firm. Founded in 2003 in Seattle, the firm’s design award winning work brings design excellence, research, and community
engagement to new sustainable strategies and buildings - including groundbreaking work with Mass Timber. Developed in Austria and Switzerland, cross laminated timber (CLT), one of several Mass Timber products, is a new construction material in the United States.

atelierjones recently completed the first cross laminated timber structure permitted in Seattle in June 2015: a multi-story house using CLT as structure and interior finish material, and a church, using CLT as a 40’ high, interior non-structural wall completed in March 2016. Both are two of the first CLT structures completed in the US. A nationally known expert on Mass Timber, she is the AIA National Representative to the ICC Tall Timber Code Committee, has taught multiple design studios on Mass Timber Design, and has spoken across the US on Mass Timber. atelierjones is now completing eight CLT School Modulars for construction in March 2017. A native of Washington State, Susan became a Fellow of the AIA in 2010, has taught at the University of Washington, and has been working for architects since she was sixteen.

During her stay Susan will also serve as a member on the 2017 Heintzelman/Kremer jury.

Scholarship Award Letters
APDesign Scholarship Award Letters for 2017-2018
Scholarship award letters will be sent out to APDesign students beginning in mid-May. The email will originate from Becky O'Donnell (bodonnel@ksu.edu) and be sent out to students via their official ksu.edu email accounts with a subject line of "APDesign Scholarship Award".

Please periodically check your ksu.edu account even after you have left campus in May and pay close attention to the deadlines set out in the award letters.

Westival 2017 - May 3 at 5:30pm
The Dean is sponsoring Call Hall Ice Cream for this event!

**APDesign DesignIntelligence Student Survey**

OK APDesigners! It's time to blow your trumpet to the design world about APDesign. This survey invites all APDesign students to participate in the DesignIntelligence survey. Your participation in completing this short survey is vitally important in helping us maintain our lofty national reputation in each of our disciplines. Prospective students view and weigh the results of these surveys in determining their college and career choice.

Select from the four-featured disciplines in the link below and complete the questionnaire about your design program. All responses are treated as completely anonymous and any validating information (.edu email address/name) is kept confidential and only used for validation purposes. *Planning students category is not included in the DesignIntelligence survey.
Plot Club News

Hey Everyone!
Please take a minute to read this important information about the final billing cycle.

When: MAY 8th at 5:00 p.m. when all bills are due.
- LATE bills will be processed MAY 12th at 10 a.m.
- Plotters will be TURNED OFF MAY 11th at 11:59 p.m.

What: Paying with cash?
- Put your cash in an envelop, write your name and your e-mail, and the full amount on the envelope.

Paying with check?
- Make your check out to APDesign Plot Club. Pay your full amount. Put your e-mail in the memo line.

Where: Place it in the bill box in the plot room at APDWest in between Renzo and Fred.

Who: If you have any questions regarding any refunds within the next week talk to an officer.

If you have any questions about your bill please e-mail me at ashton54@ksu.edu

5th YEARS: PLEASE pay your full amount exactly. You will not be refunded for anything you pay over. If you do not pay by May 12th your diploma WILL BE WITHHELD.

Good luck on final reviews and finals, and have a great summer!

Ashton McWhorter
Plot Club Treasurer

Graduate School Recognition

Kansas State University Graduate School and the Graduate School Student Council honored members from the College of Architecture, Planning & Design (APDesign) during a special recognition ceremony and reception held on April 24, 2017.

Professor Huston Gibson, Department of Landscape Architecture and Regional and Community Planning and Emma Rearick, 2017 graduate candidate in Regional & Community Planning, were among those recognized and in attendance at the reception. Also recognized were Caleb Amundson 2017 graduate candidate, Interior Architecture & Product Design; Jonathan Knight, 2017 graduate candidate, Regional & Community Planning and Alex Booth 2017 graduate candidate, Architecture. Associate Dean Lynn Ewanow and Professor Stephanie Rolley, Head of the Department of Landscape Architecture and Regional and Community Planning attended the ceremony on behalf of APDesign.

Join APDesign Ambassadors

Join fellow APDesign Students and volunteer to:

- Help welcome new ENVD students to APDesign
- Help prospective students get excited about APDesign
- Attend the annual APDesign Ambassador meeting on August 20th
Email Susan Lannou at myapd@ksu.edu to become an APDesign Ambassador! More details to follow. (If you are already an APDesign Ambassador there is no need to send an email)

**APD West Closing May 13**

Students -
I hope you are wrapping up a very successful semester! As you are aware, this is the year that we move into our new digs on the K-State Campus! You will need to vacate the APDesign West site.

**ALL OF YOUR BELONGINGS ARE REQUIRED TO BE OUT OF APDWEST BY NOON ON SATURDAY, MAY 13 - NO EXCEPTIONS.** That afternoon a crew will begin dismantling all of our technical components, moving shop materials etc.

If a professor has given you an extension you will need to find alternative space through your department as the building will be closed for good at 12pm on May 13.

**Third Floor TidBits - Weigel Library**

**Thanks Dean Lori for the pizza -**
Pizza (provided by K-State Libraries), soda (courtesy of IAPD Student Council) and brownies (prepared by AIAS and SPA students) were enjoyed at APDWest on Monday, April 24. First year students on third floor Seaton were surprised with pizza on Wednesday, April 26. Many thanks to K-State Libraries’ Dean Goetsch for buying the end of the semester pizza and to the student organizations for the additional refreshments!

**New displays -**
Earth Day should be every day!
Weigel Favorites of 5th year library assistants - watch for them on the digital displays as well.

**Resource of the week -**
May is National Bike Month. Weigel’s outstanding BIKE books are highlighted as the Resources of the Week, May 1 - 7. Take a few minutes to look over our BIKE books and make pedaling plans for summer.

**Employment applications -**
Weigel Library student assistant applications are due Tuesday, May 9th.