In the News

Email scams
If you receive any emails asking that you verify anything at all do NOT open or go to those links. Kansas State University nor APDesign will ever ask you to verify anything through an email or website. To be proactive you may log into your email account and see when your passwords are to be updated. Updating or changing your password is essential for security. For information about email accounts, calendars and passwords please go to http://www.k-state.edu/its/eid/

Howe appointed department head of interior architecture & product design
The College of Architecture, Planning & Design, or APDesign, announces the appointment of Nathan Howe, associate professor of architecture, as the new department head of the interior architecture & product design, or IAPD, department. He will take over for Amie Keener, interim program director, who has held the post since summer 2016.
Full Story

APDesign students among American Planning Association’s Smart City finalists
The College of Architecture, Planning & Design’s SMART Cats Team was one of five finalists in the American Planning Association’s Smart Cities Student Competition. The team presented its ideas to the competition jury and audience members at the 2017 National Planning Conference on May 8 in New York City.
Full Story

DesignIntelligence Survey - EXTENDED until June 9
TAKE THE DESIGNINTELLIGENCE SURVEY TODAY!
For the past 17 years, DesignIntelligence has conducted their annual survey of America’s Best Architecture & Design Schools. I write today to ask for your participation in the 2017-2018 survey. If you are a person in your firm who hires architects, interior designers, landscape architects or industrial designers, you are invited to share your experiences and perspectives. These annual rankings are today’s leading resource to rank architecture and design programs on their ability to prepare graduates for professional practice.

The survey requires about 15-20 minutes of your time and can be completed in more than one sitting should you need to exit and return to complete it at a later time. The responding party must be in a leadership position qualified to hire employees. If you are not qualified to complete the survey on your firm’s behalf, we ask that you forward it to the appropriate person in your firm. Individual responses will be kept confidential but a listing of all responding firms may be published.

Please use the following links to access the surveys. If you hire in more than one discipline we invite you to complete a survey for
All surveys will remain open until 11:59 PM EST on Friday, June 9, 2017. Click on the heading for your discipline.

Architecture
Landscape Architecture
Interior Design
Industrial Design

APDesign DesignIntelligence Student Survey

OK APDesigners! It's time to blow your trumpet to the design world about APDesign. All surveys will remain open until 11:59 PM EST on Friday, June 9, 2017. 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.

http://apdesign.k-state.edu/about/designintelligence/student/

Weigel Library - Third Floor Tidbits

Weigel in the summer

Summer hours for Weigel Library, unless otherwise posted, are Monday through Friday 8 am to 5 pm; closed weekends.

Library hours are displayed on the 1st and 3rd floor digital boards, on the library doors and also on Weigel's website - http://www.lib.k-state.edu/architecture-library-hours

Student assistant
Vatsal (Neal) Patel, 3rd year Architecture, is employed as the student library assistant for the summer. Our summer is a bit different this year, as is everyone else's, as we prepare to relocate Weigel Library to the new facility in Regnier Hall when the time comes. But Neal will be happy to assist you with technology, research and resource needs until then.

Hosting APDesign Orientation and Enrollment

During June Weigel Library will host Orientation and Enrollment for the College of APDesign. This is a great opportunity for our new
students and their parents to become acquainted with their library. Weigel is honored for the 3rd year to host this event and to welcome our new first year students.