

Fall 2016 News from the College of ENVIRONMENT AND DESIGN



Landscape Architecture | Historic Preservation | Environmental Planning and Design

We turn a new page in the history of the College of Environment and Design by welcoming our first Ph.D. students to the college.

I am so proud and I know that our founder Hubert Owens would be as well. We are honored to have ten men and women who will spend the next few years of their lives honing their research skills and tackling intellectual challenges of environmental design and planning that will contribute to the growing body of knowledge in our field. The UGA College of Environment and Design is among only a handful of universities in the U.S. embarking on this journey.

We also want to welcome all of our new BLA, MLA, MHP, and MEPD students and a new visiting faculty member, Katherine Bennett. In addition, we are excited to have graduate students from India, Tunisia, Cyprus, Lebanon, and China, who will further enrich our graduate programs.

Please read this newsletter and share it with friends, new and old. This fall semester will be an inspiring, challenging, and rewarding one for each of you. Our outstanding faculty and staff will be here to lead you and watch you learn and grow. Be sure to note the lectures, gallery exhibits, and conferences, all of which will enhance your experience here. Have a great semester.

Daniel Nadenicek
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Welcome NEW STUDENTS



Dean Dan Nadenicek and seven members of the inaugural PhD class at CED



Umit Yilmaz and Jack Crowley welcome a new class of MEPD graduate students to UGA



The new MHP class visited Shields-Etheridge Farm and Washington, Ga. during orientation. Here they are pictured in front of historic Denmark Hall.



First year MLA students once again came to school early for the graphics "boot camp" in August with Gregg Coyle and Georgia Harrison.



Charrettes for Class Credit

Contact the Center for Community Design and Preservation at ced.uga.edu/psd or contact Jennifer Lewis at 706-369-5885

Charrettes are hands-on service projects that CED students can participate in for credit while getting to know communities throughout Georgia. Check these out:

Poplar Yards charrette

CED students and invited Middle Georgia landscape architects to collaborate on a sensitive re-imagining of the 180-ft wide boulevard on Poplar Street in downtown Macon, GA, designed by Walter Hood.

UGarden charrette

Working with Horticulture professor (and CED alumnus) David Berle and other stakeholders, the charrette will develop a future master plan for the beloved UGarden on S. Milledge Avenue.

Griffin airport charrette

This charrette will work with the Spalding County Archway Partnership to explore development concepts for a 200-acre former municipal airport.



Congratulations

to Dean Dan Nadenicek for being made a Fellow in the American Society of Landscape Architects!



Cameron Berglund, MLA candidate, pictured here with second-year BLA students, discussing his graphics on display at Owens Library. Over 50 new BLA students started school this August. Berglund is assisting teaching graphics classes this fall.

Attention student designers! Watershed UGA - Design Competition

This semester, Watershed UGA, a stream restoration and protection initiative dedicated to advancing sustainability and environmental stewardship, is hosting a design competition with a grand prize of \$1,000 to raise awareness about streams that flow through the UGA campus. The competition, titled, Daylighting the Watersheds, challenges students to create a community ethic for the restoration of one of two watershed locations on Georgia's campus.

Student entries will be on display at the College of Environment and Design's Jackson Street Building in November. Awards will be announced publicly on November 10, 2016, with one proposal from each watershed sight receiving a \$1,000 award. Go to: watershed.uga.edu

Deadline for entries is Oct. 14, 2016



Katherine Bennett

2016-2017 visiting assistant professor

Bennett will be teaching graphics this year. She holds a BFA from UGA and an MLA from the Harvard Graduate School of Design.

How I spent my Summer Vacation...

CED faculty often use the summers to continue their studies, do research, present papers at conferences, and explore new horizons. Here are a few highlights:

Stephen Ramos presented a paper entitled “Military Industrial Resilience in the Port of Savannah” at the 17th International Planning History Society Conference at Technical University of Delft in the Netherlands. **Rosanna Rivero** worked on a Fulbright Scholarship in Venezuela. **Jack Crowley** visited a Honduran University in Cartegena and explored Medellin, Columbia, as well as a 46,000- hectare land restoration project in eastern Columbia on the Meta River. **Doug Pardue** threw CED students into total immersion of Puerto Rico with non-stop explorations of cities and stunning natural areas. **James Reap** investigated international heritage sites in the interior of Ecuador.

Brian Orland Presented at DLA (Digital Landscape Architecture)'16, the 17th International Conference on Information Technologies in Landscape Architecture, at Istanbul Technical University, Turkey. Dean **Dan Nadenicek** attended the annual conference of the Alliance for Historic Landscape Preservation held this year in Chicago.

The intrepid **Dorinda Dallmeyer** once again joined Paddle Georgia for its annual trip, this time a 170-mile paddle on the Conasuaga and Oostanaula Rivers in NW Georgia.

Alfie Vick took students again across the U.S. along the Cherokee Trail of Tears. **Sungkyung Lee** delved into a first-hand look at Central Park for the first time, impressed by the park's contribution to urban life. **Amitabh Verma** spent most of the summer in San Francisco doing research on urban design

with regards to waterfront development. **Carli Goetcheus** also hit the road and gave a presentation in Montreal, Canada at the Association of Critical Heritage Studies. Her 18-day automobile loop from Salt Lake City, UT took her through Colorado, New Mexico, and Arizona. Aside from seeing a lot of fascinating landscapes and environments, Goetcheus was continuing her research by conducting oral history interviews with early pioneers in the field of cultural landscapes.

Donnie Longenecker joined the Atlanta-based architecture and urban planning firm Sizemore Group as their Director of Landscape Architecture and will work to open and manage the firm's Landscape Architecture department here in Athens.



CED students on tour in Puerto Rico with Doug Pardue. (center)

Oct 1
TAILGATE

The CED will host our Official
Tailgate of the season

SEC home opener against the
University of Tennessee

Tailgate food and beverages, games for the kids

All CED alumni, friends, family, students and
faculty welcome

TAILGATE

Save the Date!

Free registration

<http://t.uga.edu/2Ai>

@ the Founders Memorial Garden and House

3 hours prior to kickoff

**Aug 11-
Sept 30**
EXHIBIT

**Circle Gallery Exhibit
Practice, Practice, Practice:
Four Landscape Architects at Work**
Featuring the design work of Rob Fisher, Chris Hite,
Anne Daigh, and Brent Lloyd

Sept 23
GOLF
GASLA EVENT

Annual Golf Tournament
Stone Mountain, Ga.
Help raise scholarship funds

Sept 29
LECTURE
GASLA EVENT

Lecture, 5 p.m., JSB 123
Vaughn Rinner, president-elect ASLA
Sept. 29, 2016, JSB 123
Followed by a social @ Georgia Theater Rooftop

Oct 1
TAILGATE

CEDAA Tailgate
Join us for the CED-sponsored tailgate of the season
Founders Garden, 3 hours before kickoff
Everyone welcome

Oct 13
LECTURE

CED Fall 2016 Lecture Series
Kurt Culbertson, CEO, Design Workshop
Oct. 13 4 p.m.

**Oct 13-
Dec 13**
EXHIBIT

Circle Gallery Exhibit
The Stands: Environmental Sculpture
by Chris Taylor
Opening reception Oct. 13 (coinciding with the lecture)

Oct 26
LECTURE

EECP Odum Lecture
Gary Nabhan
Oct. 26, 4 p.m. Room 123 JSB

Oct 27
LECTURE

CED Fall 2016 Lecture Series
Angel Nieves, Associate Professor at Hamilton College
Oct. 27 3:30 p.m.

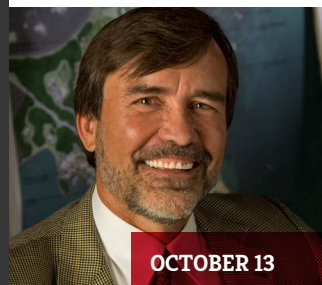
Nov 10
ALUMNI SOCIAL

**Annual Alumni Social Event
@ Perkins+Will**
Atlanta, GA Contact: jlmesser@uga.edu

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join in CED fields of study:**

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American Planning Association planning.org

December 6 Sustainability Summit

The University of Georgia's first ever Sustainability Summit will be held at the CED's Jackson St. Building on Tuesday, December 6, 2016. The day-long event, which combines the UGA Sustainability Science Symposium and Office of Sustainability's Semester in Review, will also feature faculty workshops and a poster session with student work.