Image credit: Mohammad Moezzi (PhD'23) ‘Poetic Architectural Drawing’, 2nd runner up prize in the UCalgary 2021 Images of Research Competition, Social Science/Humanity Creative Category.

**IMPORTANT DEADLINES**

MARCH 31 | SPRING DEGREE CONFERRAL APPLICATION DEADLINE
Any senior students who are completing their program requirements by the end of Winter 2021 are eligible to apply for Spring Degree Conferral. If you have any questions about the application, email convinfo@ucalgary.ca
Learn More→

MAY 1 | PROGRAM RECOMMENDED AWARDS APPLICATION
Don’t forget - the Program Recommended Awards application is due by May 1st. Visit the website or click the link below.
Apply Now→
WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND SAPL

MARCH 15-APRIL 15 | DGA FOOD DRIVE
SAPL students can make donations to the DGA Food Drive which supports the UCalgary Campus Food Bank. The Food Bank supports many in-need graduate and undergraduate students and is one of the most essential resources on campus especially during the COVID-19 pandemic. If you are interested in making a contribution, please visit the website.
Make a Donation→

MARCH 23 | CRISTOBAL VALENZUELA
Cristobal Valenzuela is the Founder and CEO of RunwayML, a creative toolkit designed around creating a community that makes machine learning available for artists and creatives. As a product of this effort, an artist community has emerged from using machine learning in their work and pushing the boundaries on the utility of these tools.
Register→

MARCH 23-24 META + THESIS STUDENT RESEARCH CONFERENCE
The Fifth Annual SAPL Student Research Conference will take place on March 23-24, 2021. This year's conference seeks to highlight the work undertaken at SAPL that pushes boundaries, creativity, and transcends established norms, targeting entrepreneurial thinking, innovations and new approaches to design, innovation and theory.
Register→

MARCH 25-26 | CLIMATE CHANGE SYMPOSIUM
The City of Calgary is hosting its annual Climate Symposium virtually this year. The Symposium will address how Calgary can prepare for the impacts of a changing climate, how it can leverage economic recovery from the pandemic to unlock new business opportunities and strengthen climate change resilience.
Register→
MARCH 27 STRESS OR PRESSURE, PART 3
Join us for the third and final Saturday morning student Zoom gathering with phenomenologist, Markus Scott-Alexander: Crystallization Theory in Practice: balancing skill and inspiration to give form to what matters to us.
Register→

MARCH 30 ACCESSIBILITY ANALYSIS FOR PLANNERS
Bentley Systems is offering a webinar on using CUBE Access to analyze accessibility and identify gaps in livability to inform planners and leaders on how to address those gaps. The webinar will take place at 11am MDT on March 30.
Register→

MARCH 27 + APRIL 16 LEED TRAINING
Sign up for a live or on-demand LEED Training webinar, taught by a USGBC faculty member. Students can use the coupon code 'green' for $50 off the course price. Contact the instructor, Lorne, directly with any questions at info@leadinggreen.com. If you are interested in learning more about LEED, check out https://youtu.be/X9FUJplW9bl
Register→

APRIL 14 DEADLINE | 2021 CANADIAN OFF-SITE CONSTRUCTION STUDENT DESIGN COMPETITION
Open to all faculties (architecture, building science, engineering, etc) students will select a site in Canada and design a building that incorporates off-site construction in a significant way. Students will work in teams of 1-4 students. Interdisciplinary teams are encouraged! The competition is intended to spark student interest and showcase Canadian student design innovation in modular, prefabricated, panelized and other types of off-site
construction.

**Competition details →**

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**APRIL 15 EARLY BIRD DEADLINE | RURAL & REMOTE HOUSING AND HOMELESSNESS SYMPOSIUM**

The Rural Development Network and Rural Ontario Institute will co-host a symposium from June 1-3 that tackles housing and homelessness through a rural and remote lens. Early bird discount available if you register before April 15.

Register →

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**About the School of Architecture, Planning and Landscape**

The School of Architecture, Planning and Landscape (SAPL) offers undergraduate and professional graduate studies in architecture, planning and landscape architecture, as well as research degrees and post-professional programs. SAPL delivers a distinctly different design school experience that combines a rich, interdisciplinary design-based philosophy with an entrepreneurial mindset and a deep commitment to working with industry stakeholders, community leaders, at local, national, and international levels to address some of society’s biggest challenges in new, creative ways. SAPL recently opened a pilot satellite research hub in downtown Calgary called the City Building Design Lab. Connect with us on Instagram, Facebook, Twitter, and LinkedIn.

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