LAST LECTURE: GRAHAM DAVID LIVESEY

November 10, 2023
5:00 - 8:00 pm

Professor Graham Livesey's Last Lecture

Graham Livesey – SAPL professor, will be presenting his last lecture tomorrow at the CBDLab. You would not want to miss out on Dr. Livesey's presentation about his reflection upon his career in the architecture field.

Register here

EVENTS

UFlourish Wellness Events

The annual UFlourish expo is running from November 1 - 15, 2023. De-stress, make new connections and build positive coping skills. Join Student Wellness Services (SWS) and Staff Wellness, with support from the Campus Mental
Health Strategy (CMHS) for events and activities to support your well-being and resilience.

Learn more and register here

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**Exclusive Film Screening**

Discover the possibilities ahead in the energy transition and join us at the CBDLab next **Wednesday, November 15, 2023** for an exclusive screening of the Dr. Harrie Vredenburg documentary “Without Leaving Anyone Behind: Humanity at an Energy Crossroads” as part of #InnovationWeekYYC.

Dr. Harrie Vredenburg, PhD translates his 30 years of energy research into a new feature documentary. Director Sylvester Ndumbi, an award-winning filmmaker, will join Dr. Vredenburg after the film for a discussion with the audience.

Learn more and register here for free

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**LEED Green Associate (GA) Training Webinar**

Make your resume stand out with the premier sustainability designation. Earning LEED accreditation gives employers and clients assurance of your certified knowledge in the sustainability space. Learn more at the upcoming webinar on **Saturday, November 18, 2023**.

Students can use the coupon code "green" for $100 off (discounted course price $200).

Learn more and register here
APPI and UCalgary's Students Professional Planner Networking Event

Do you have an interest in Professional Planning? Please join the Alberta Professional Planners Institute (APPI) in this professional networking event on Tuesday November 21, 2023. Students from all faculties and departments (Planning students and curious-about-Planning students who are interested in learning more about planning) are welcome to attend the APPI and UCalgary's Annual Professional Networking Event.

This event is a great opportunity for students to ask professional planners about a career in professional planning! Complimentary pizza and refreshments are also included.

Register here

Design Matters | Unwalling Citizenship

The Tijuana-San Diego border region is a hotly politicized area representing some of North Americas most debated issues, including deepening social and economic inequality, dramatic migratory shifts, urban informality, and climate change.

Teddy Cruz on Wednesday, November 29, 2023 will share the work of Estudio Teddy Cruz + Fonna Forman at the US-Mexico border region. He will discuss their work on “citizenship culture" and the network of civic spaces they have co-developed with border communities to cultivate regional and global solidarities.

Register here
A Healthier Future for All: Mobilizing Health Equity Research Into Action

The O’Brien Institute for Public Health presents its 2023 Members Forum - A healthier future for all: Mobilizing health equity research into action on **Wednesday, November 22, 2023**. This event will bring researchers, students and community organizations together to forge a collaborative path toward transformative health equity solutions.

Learn more and register here

Shaping the City: A Forum for Sustainable Cities and Communities

*Alicia Nahmad Vazquez* – SAPL associate professor, will be presenting her research work on **Saturday, November 25, 2023**. Shaping the City: A Forum for Sustainable Cities and Communities tackles contemporary urbanization and architecture approaches through conversations between architects, urban planners, scholars and policy makers from different perspectives from across the world. The event will take place in Venezia, Italy and will be streamed online on the ECC YouTube Channel.

Learn more here

Exploring the Potential of AI in Educational Media Production

How can we use AI effectively to create educational content? Learn from experts and thought leaders on **Tuesday, December 12, 2023** as they share their strategies and tips for integrating AI tools to enhance creativity, amplify educational impact, and create immersive learning experiences. Sandra Abegglen – SAPL Researcher, will be presenting at the event.
SAPL students can attend the online event for free (event costs €50) by emailing Sandra Abegglen sandra.abegglen@ucalgary.ca

Learn more and register here

IN THE NEWS

Calgary's Top 40 Under 40 - SAPL Alumni

This year’s Avenue Magazine Top 40 Under 40 marks 25 years of acknowledging Calgary’s best and brightest amazing community builders, leaders and artists who have made our city a better place to live, work and play.

Congratulations to our SAPL alumni Krista Lauridsen (MArch '14), Adam Martinson (MEDes '09) and Kathryn Pearce (MArch '10)!

Read about Krista’s, Adam's and Kathryn's profiles on UCalgary news.

See the full list here
Maglin Site Furniture Donates $40 000 to Establish Eight Student Scholarships

Maglin Site Furniture has committed to donating $40 000 yearly for the next three years (2023-25) to fund eight scholarships. Starting this year, a scholarship of $5000 will be awarded to a Canadian citizen or permanent resident who demonstrates excellence in their studies, and who is studying landscape architecture. UCalgary is on the list.

SAPL's Latest Milestone: The BDCI Program

Representing a groundbreaking initiative in the world of undergraduate design education in Canada, the BDCI program has been crafted to provide students with a comprehensive introduction to design thinking for cities.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Call for Paper Submissions | 14th International Conference on The Constructed Environment

Founded in 2010, the Constructed Environment Research Network is brought together by a common shared interest in human configurations of the environment and the interactions among the constructed, social and natural environments. Fabian Neuhaus – SAPL professor, is the conference chair.

All accepted proposals are eligible to be submitted to The International Journal of Architectonic, Spatial, and Environmental Design. The submission deadline for abstracts is Friday, January 5, 2024.

Learn more here
PhD Student Research Feature

Did you know that SAPL now has an official place on the website to showcase PhD student's research work? Similar to the DDes Research page, the new PhD Research page showcases the students in the PhD program's work.

Check it out here

If you would like your work to be featured on the website, please send an email to marcomm@sapl.ucalgary.ca with the subject line "PhD Research Submission" along with your submission package.

Building Together: Your input, Calgary's Progress | Survey

The City of Calgary is updating plans that will shape the Calgary of the future—and make sure our city keeps on being a great place to live. They want to hear from you!

To make informed decisions for the City Building program, they must know why people choose to live in Calgary, what's working well, and what matters most to Calgarians.

Learn more and participate in the survey here

2023 History of Healthcare Awardees | David Monteyne

This year's AMS Healthcare History of Healthcare Project Grant Awardees have been announced yesterday! David Monteyne – SAPL professor is one of the 11 recipients.

Congratulations David!
Accessibility Awards

Nominations for the Advisory Committee on Accessibility’s (ACA) annual Accessibility Awards will close on Friday, November 17, 2023. Now is the time to nominate an individual, group or person that’s helping people with disabilities live a good life in Calgary.

For more information about the awards and criteria, please visit Calgary.ca/accessibilityawards

The National Urban Design Awards

The National Urban Design Awards are now open until Thursday, January 11, 2024. Submissions can be made directly from individual students or groups of students enrolled in an accredited program in architecture, landscape architecture, and/or planning in the past two years. Such students and student groups may also be nominated by their schools to submit. Students and schools may forward submissions from studio or thesis projects with an emphasis on urban design.

All SAPL students are eligible to apply!

Learn more
Hedgehog’s Dilemma | Luka Lachner | BDCI

Year: 2022
Media: Acrylic on canvas
Size: 143.0 cm x 91.0 cm

Description: Inspired by the question, why is connection between individuals emotionally straining? The answer stems from Schopenhauer’s philosophy about how the will of life forces individuals to cling to things even though it hurts. The figure’s symbolise this through the red pain seeping into the skin where they touch each other. Regardless, they hang on because they understand that mutual unintended harm will happen as a result of human intimacy. The figure’s gaze makes the viewer contemplate this.

Like what you see up here? Share your talent with us too! Send your work to marcomm@sapl.ucalgary.ca

Mysterious Yellow Cube

The mystery of the Yellow Cubes has finally been solved! If you have been keeping your eyes peeled, you would have noticed these Yellow Cubes scattered around campus at certain locations.

There will be a pop up at the 3rd floor Gathering Space in the Werklund School of Education revealing the mystery on Thursday, November 30, 2023.

Learn more here

Jobs

Current Opportunities

Intern Architect – Station One Architects
Are you passionate about building BC communities? Station One Architects is looking for an intern architect who designs with purpose and impact. Join them in creating vital community spaces that inspire. Deadline: November 19, 2023

Learn more and apply here

**Student Intern Architect – SHAPE Architecture Inc.**

SHAPE Architecture is a diverse and exciting Vancouver-based architecture practice of 30 talented designers with a focus on delivering professional architectural consulting services throughout western Canada. They have an immediate opportunity for the position of Student Intern in their Vancouver office. Deadline: December 1, 2023

Learn more and apply here

**Intern Architect – GEC**

GEC Architecture is looking for an Intern Architects to join their Edmonton & Calgary studios. In these roles, you will be responsible for every aspect of the project delivery process including design, technical development, contract administration and preparing presentation materials.

Learn more and apply here

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**Elevate Job Board for SAPL Students**

Are you a student looking for a job or internship? SAPL is now a participant in UCalgary's official job board – **Elevate**

Students can access this searchable and organizable job board by **clicking here**. Elevate is accessed by using your myUCalgary login. We hope this platform will easily and more effectively bring attractive job opportunities to more of our students, and do so in a faster and more effective manner.
GREEN WASHING IN ARCHITECTURE

WHY EVERYONE HATES THIS CONCRETE BUILDING

ARCHITECTURE HELPING PUT CALGARY AS A TOURIST DESTINATION

Have any website updates?

Let us know what needs our attention on the SAPL website. Send a detailed note to marcomm@sapl.ucalgary.ca explaining the problem, and please provide the content to be uploaded, updated, or that is simply missing.