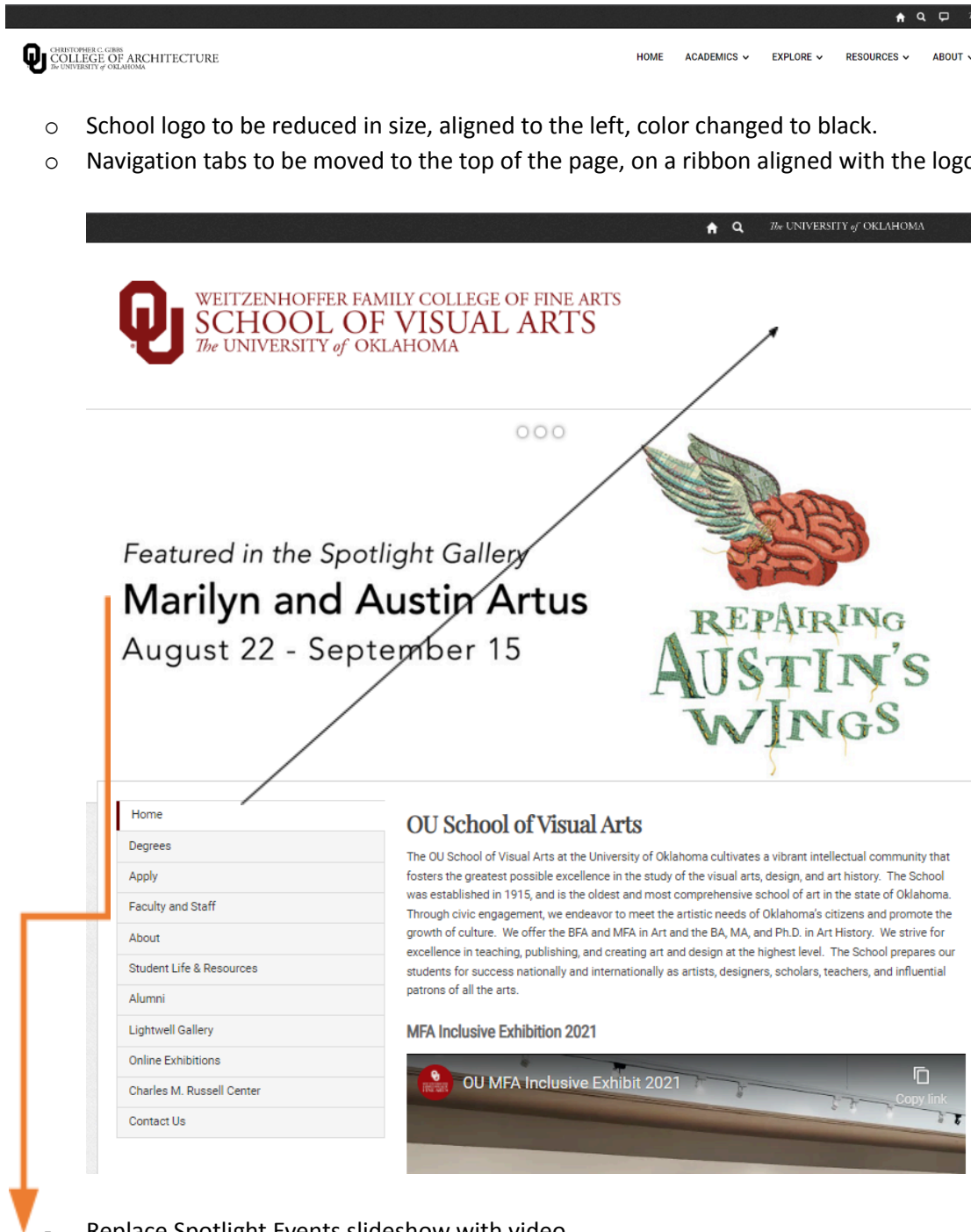


HOME-PAGE NOTES

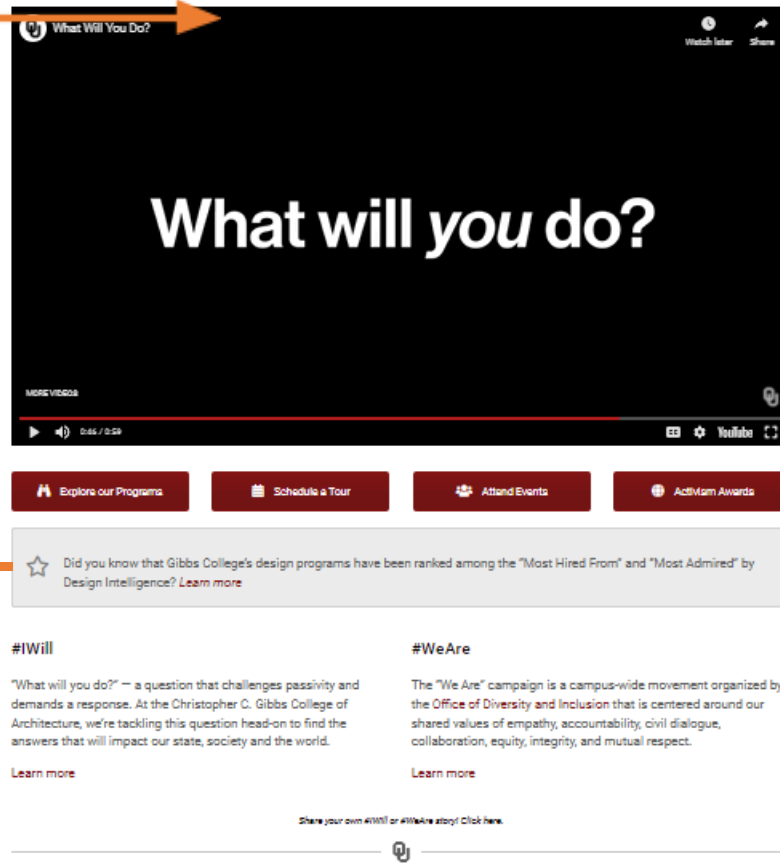
Reference from OU Architecture:

- School logo to be reduced in size, aligned to the left, color changed to black.
- Navigation tabs to be moved to the top of the page, on a ribbon aligned with the logo



- Replace Spotlight Events slideshow with video.

- Summary of the Arch video includes students who mention in a few words what they plan on doing with their degree. It's basically an advertising storefront which interviews students to convey the different ideologies behind the program, through an engaging video where you see a variety of students (diversity) expressing ideas about their plans within the program. Videos like the MFA Inclusive exhibition could be featured



After this video, add ribbon with 4 buttons, that have the following tasks:

- Explore our Programs
- Schedule a Tour
- Attend Events
- Activism Awards

Adjust directory ribbon as required to include links relevant to SoVA

Add a fact about the strengths of the SoVA, such as any previous notable achievements, with the option to click on a link to 'learn more'

#IWill

"What will you do?" — a question that challenges passivity and demands a response. At the Christopher C. Gibbs College of Architecture, we're tackling this question head-on to find the answers that will impact our state, society and the world.

[Learn more](#)

#WeAre

The "We Are" campaign is a campus-wide movement organized by the **Office of Diversity and Inclusion** that is centered around our shared values of empathy, accountability, civil dialogue, collaboration, equity, integrity, and mutual respect.

[Learn more](#)

Share your own #IWill or #WeAre story! [Click here.](#)

After the fact box comes this segment displayed above.

- These include 'Learn more' links to lower down on the homepage, where there is additional information and graphics provided.
- The 'share your own #IWill or #WeAre Story! Click here' leads you to the link below:
 - o https://ousurvey.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_7UQlgg5xiCI15ZX
 - o this link is a page prompting students to share their work and progress within the college of architecture, to be shared on the College of Architecture Instagram Account. Below is a reference of what this page looks like.
 - o

GIBBS **SOONER**

SHARE YOUR WORK IN PROGRESS WITH @GIBBSSOONER

Calling all students! This is the spot to share your current work in progress (sketches, study models, renderings, construction projects, photos from field trips or site visits, etc.) to be featured on Gibbs social media! Don't be shy... it doesn't have to be perfect or in a finished state. We want to share how your process unfolds!

- Have something more formal to share? [Click here](#) to share **NEWS** or **EVENTS**! *Did you win an award? Publish new research? See a cool opportunity you want to share with the community? Please share your news and events via [this link](#) so we can spread the word on our blog and in our newsletters!*
- Follow us @GibbsSooner! [Instagram](#) | [Facebook](#) | [Twitter](#) | [YouTube](#)

Your name:

- o
- o There are additional dialogue boxes/drop boxes for information and to submit photographs of work. For more detailed look over this page, click on the link included above.

After #IWill and #WeAre section is the section below.

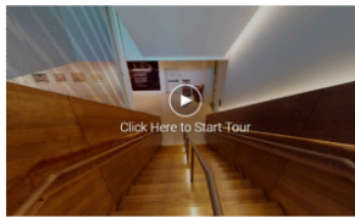


ONLINE EXHIBITION | Renegades: Bruce Goff and the American School of Architecture

The Gibbs College of Architecture and Fred Jones Jr. Museum of Art are pleased to present the online exhibition *Renegades: Bruce Goff and the American School of Architecture*. The American School refers to the innovative school of design and practice that developed under the guidance of Bruce Goff, Herb Greene and others at the University of Oklahoma in the 1950s and '60s.



[Renegades Exhibition Overview](#)



[Tour Renegades Online](#)



[About the American School](#)



This section highlights an online exhibition of the American school that they are having, which, in the context of the SoVA, could feature the current exhibition spotlight. You can click on each image to learn more about each exhibition.

- Its important to note that each different section containing different information is divided using these borderlines

The next section is as seen below. “Gibbs College by the Numbers” is a list of honors awards and recognitions of the college, designed in the form of flashcards that flip to display more information when

Gibbs College by the Numbers

The Gibbs College of Architecture at the University of Oklahoma is recognized for its high-performing alumni, award-winning teaching, and significant research in planning, design and construction. Together, we imagine a future in which all communities are designed for resiliency and empowered to maximize their social, economic and environmental well-being.



[Learn more](#)



[Learn more](#)



[Learn more](#)



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[Learn more](#)

The hover, as seen below, is a lighter color and contains hyperlinked text that redirect you to blog posts about the information listed.

The Gibbs College of Architecture has been honored with a national award for its student journal, Telesis.

[Learn more](#)

The next section is as below: (this is the section that is linked to the #IWill #WeAre higher up on this page) there is a linked bookmark from that section that moves you down the page to this one.

What will
you do?



Create + Make

[Learn more](#)



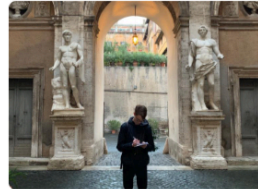
Earn Recognition

[Learn more](#)

Where will
you go?



Engage Communities



Study Abroad

These are also having the same hover/flashcard feature as the section above. When flipped, there's hyperlinked text to blogs related to each statement.

The images on each flashcard are specifically of the college, its students and faculty and their many activities.

(will we have an archive of up to date photographs to access for this?)



The different statements in each section are as follows:

- what will you do?
 - Create + Make
 - Earn Recognition
- Where will you go?
 - Engage Communities
 - Study Abroad
- What will you achieve?
 - Land an internship
 - , - Start a Business

Then there is a section break:



More statements follow in a similar format:

- We are . . . :
 - o Empathy
 - o Equity

- We Foster . . . :
 - o Collaboration
 - o Mutual Respect



Define your agency at Gibbs College.

Many questions are asked of us, but few more important than 'what will you do?' At the University of Oklahoma, we're committed to helping you find your answer through world-class academics, top-flight facilities, and one-of-a-kind programs. What will you do to make an impact, benefit state and society, or change the world?

Explore Gibbs College

This is the last section of the website with a button link to a webpage with spotlights of student work,

which I will go through in more detail. Link to the button: <https://architecture.ou.edu/design-in-action>

After this text is a footnote of the page, which is the same as the one for SoVA with the only difference that they have a section to the right of the footnote as follows:

Land Acknowledgment

The University of Oklahoma is on the traditional lands of the Caddo Nation and the Wichita and Affiliated Tribes. This land was also once part of the Muscogee Creek and Seminole nations. It also served as a hunting ground, trade exchange point, and migration route for the Apache, Cheyenne, Comanche, Kiowa, and Osage nations. Today, 39 federally recognized Tribal nations dwell in what is now the State of Oklahoma as a result of settler colonial policies designed to confine and forcefully assimilate Indigenous peoples.

[Learn More](#)

Gibbs College of Architecture
coa-communications@ou.edu

when 'Learn More' is clicked, you are redirected to a page with more in-depth explanation. The link to the learn more page is as follows:

<https://gibbs.oucreate.com/land-acknowledgement/>

Navigation Ribbon Breakdown:

The screenshot shows the top navigation ribbon of the University of Oklahoma College of Architecture website. The ribbon is dark with white text. On the left is the college logo and name. On the right are links: HOME, ACADEMICS, EXPLORE, RESOURCES, ABOUT, and APPLY. Below the ribbon, the 'EXPLORE' link is active, showing a list of departments: ARCHITECTURE, CONSTRUCTION SCIENCE, ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN, INTERIOR DESIGN, LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE, PLANNING, DESIGN + CONSTRUCTION (PHD), REGIONAL + CITY PLANNING, and URBAN DESIGN. The 'ARCHITECTURE' department is highlighted with a red arrow pointing to it.

ACADEMICS ▾ EXPLORE : Academics:

ARCHITECTURE

CONSTRUCTION SCIENCE

ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN

INTERIOR DESIGN

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE

PLANNING, DESIGN + CONSTRUCTION (PHD)

REGIONAL + CITY PLANNING

URBAN DESIGN

List different disciplines/departments under SoVA with links to pages with more information as seen here.

What a typical department page looks like below:

<https://architecture.ou.edu/architecture/>

Below the navigation ribbon is a picture taken of the department in action, with the name of that department edited onto the image, with a down arrow guiding you to move down on the page.



APPLY

TRAVEL

GIVE

Then you have the three buttons as seen: Apply, Travel, Give

these buttons are consistent across the department pages, but can be adjusted if a department needs a unique button.

DIVISION OF ARCHITECTURE

DesignIntelligence[®]
Rankings

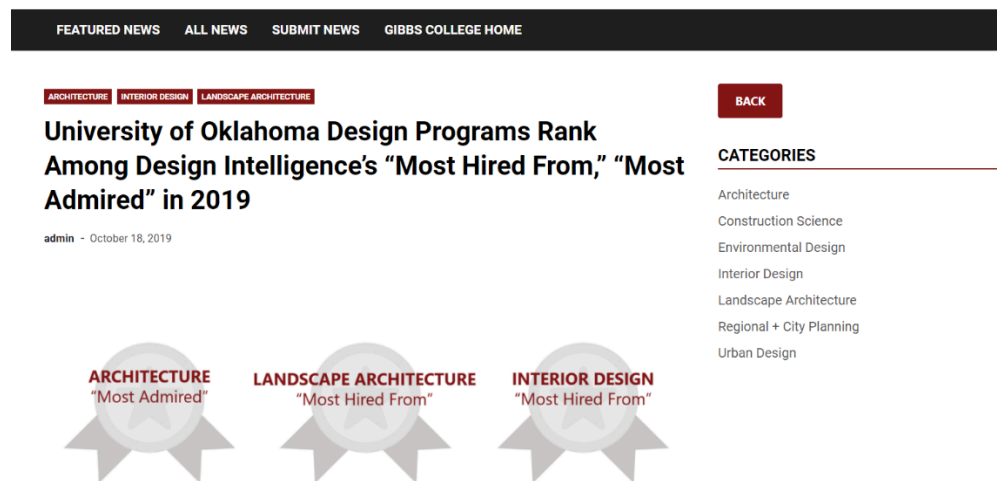
[Click here to learn about our Design Intelligence ranking!](#)



International Students: The Bachelor of Architecture (B044) and Master of Architecture (M046 and M047) degrees qualify students on an F-1 visa to work in the U.S. for up to three years following graduation. [Learn more here.](#)

This section appears after the buttons:

- A text title of the department (left) and Design Intelligence rankings and link to relevant page (right)
 - The design Intelligence rankings is a page to the rankings of the architecture programs amongst other schools:
<https://gibbs.oucreate.com/interior-design/two-ou-design-programs-rank-among-design-intelligences-most-hired-from-in-2019/>



- - Important information about the degree, such as new updates to the program falls here in green dialogue box, such as info for international students.

after the green dialogue box is the about section as seen below:

About

The American School of Architecture cultivates designers known for balancing creativity and innovation with resourcefulness and pragmatism. Sensitive to the impacts of climate change, we draw lessons from Oklahoma's cultural context and natural landscape. Our research and creative practices inspire students and faculty to work together to envision a future where communities are healthy, resilient, and just.

Undergraduate Programs

– Bachelor of Architecture

Graduate Programs

– Master of Architecture
– Master of Architecture via pre-arch 3 year
– Master of Architecture via pre-arch 2 year
– Master of Science in Planning, Design, and Construction
– Ph.D. in Planning, Design, and Construction

this gives a short description of the program, which a right-hand-column that lists the different

undergrad and graduate degrees that fall under this department/discipline.

Each program is hyperlinked to a page with more information about the degree program (degree requirements): <https://architecture.ou.edu/architecture-degree-requirements/#GRADUATE>

Then comes this section:

Program Highlights



Resources

Information for New Architecture Students (PDF)

Scholarships (PDF)

Mentoring Program (PDF)

Studio Culture Policy (PDF)

Curricular Goals, Aims, and Objectives (PDF)

Division of Architecture Strategic Plan (PDF)

Architectural Professional Advisory Board Members (PDF)

Accreditation

News on the Oculus Blog

See Student Work

Video Required for Program Highlights.

Resources includes PDF links to useful information about the program both for prospective students and current students. Link to example:

- <https://architecture.ou.edu/wp-content/uploads/2022/07/Letter-to-incoming-freshmen-Updated-July-2022.pdf>

Next section is Alumni Voices:

Alumni Voices

"The faculty and staff are committed to helping students explore their own academic interests, supporting them through research and award applications, and helping them find financial aid and employment opportunities."



Adelle York

Graduate Student at Harvard Graduate School of Design

"There is a culture of experimentation, no doubt a vestige of Bruce Goff, combined with a deep-seeded spirit of pragmatism ... This tension is highly productive."



Khoi Nguyen

Partner at Future Projects

This section does not include any hyperlinks and is just text body and images of students required.

Next section is Faculty Bios:

Faculty



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Khosrow Bozorgi

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Ken Marold

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It is important to note that there is also a separate page dedicated to faculty and

staff, but the faculty relevant to each specific department are noted under that departments directory as seen here. Each faculty name is hyperlinked to a bio page for that faculty.

An example of a faculty Bio Page:

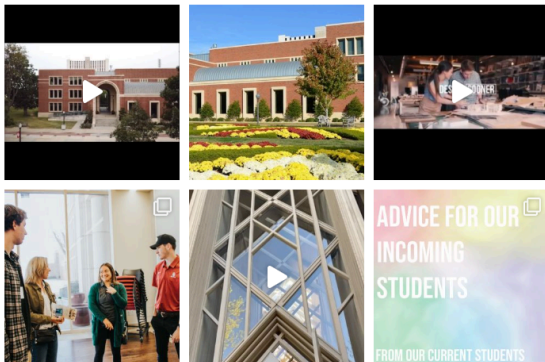
<https://architecture.ou.edu/directory/marold/>

After the faculty bios there's another section called Affiliate and Part-Time Faculty that follows the same format as the faculty section, so no reference needed.

Then there's the get connected section, where we should put SoVA Instagram and twitter accounts which will no longer be on the home page.

GET CONNECTED

Gibbs College Instagram @GibbsSooner



Gibbs College Twitter @GibbsSooner



After Get Connected is the section below, which has the college logo as well as the endpoint OU section break, which concludes the information on this page.



EXPLORE ▾ RESOURCES Explore:

GIBBS NEWS CHANNEL

STUDENT WORK

ALUMNI STORIES

RESEARCH + CREATIVE ACTIVITY

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

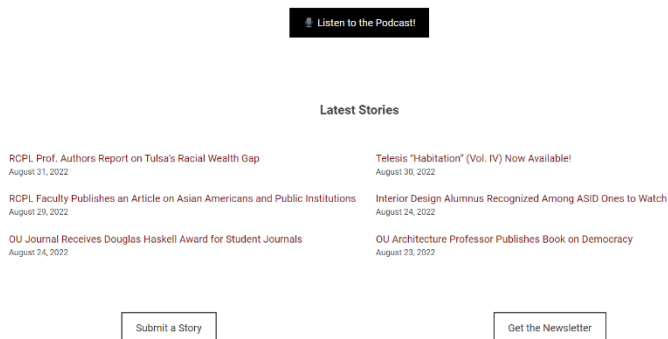
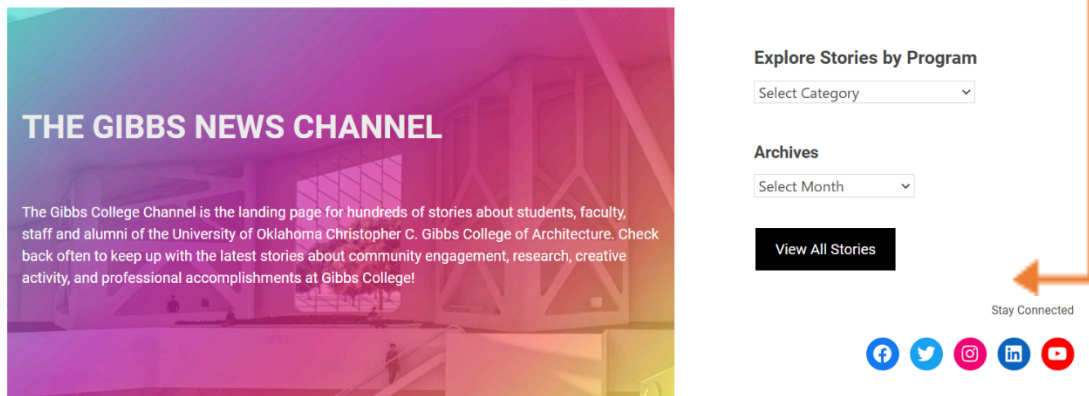
TRAVEL STUDY

MAKER SPACES

LECTURE SERIES

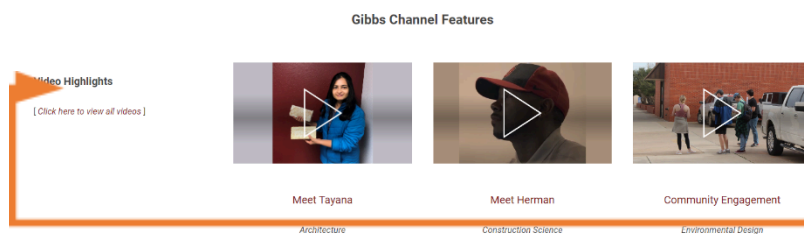
- **Gibbs News Channel** (currently none on the website) maybe upcoming student and faculty work can be mentioned/ exhibitions. Link to architecture news channel:
 - <https://gibbs.oucreate.com/>

first section of the Gibbs News Channel: Note link to social Media



released by students/faculty and notice of honors and awards.

- Link to Submit a story Button: https://ousurvey.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_1EQtfEFHp31mx7g
- Link to Get the Newsletter Button: https://visitor.r20.constantcontact.com/manage/optin?v=001RgybKVL7a7-6AYevd2K612KS2m78dsbrtw00EtcI9FrTyIboxARkRTLjixxfnZ2Nj8ntjIDZqjR2o6Mnrls4TmliRbUY1_9Hxi4h03eP64%3D



next is the podcast section seen to the left:

here faculty and sometimes students are interviewed about their ideas and approaches to the architecture practice.

There's also links to new things happening within the college such as articles

the last section on this page is the Gibbs Channel Feature which includes a collection



of featured videos from the college.

- There are different works of videos based on category with titles as such

STUDENT WORK

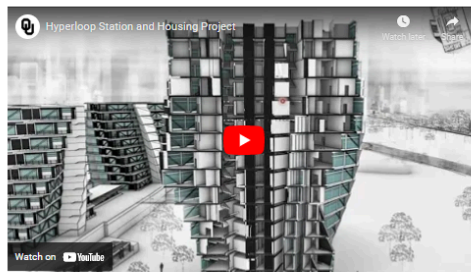
Select examples of student work can be found below. Additional examples are present on the Oculus Blog.

Architecture | Construction Science | Environmental Design | Interior Design | Landscape Architecture | Regional + City Planning | Urban Design

ARCHITECTURE

"My experience in Architecture has stimulated my aspiration to help people and communities through my designs. I have learned to put other people first and use critical thinking in order to solve problems that are affecting our society."

— Orestja Habilaj, M.Arch Student



"The Division of Architecture has been exceptionally open to new ideas, even when they don't follow precedent. I feel this adaptability is a quality lacking in other architecture programs."

— Emily Hays, M.Arch Student

- <https://architecture.ou.edu/student-work/>
- student work page has first directory links of departments to choose from so that you can go directly to student work from the department you are interested in.
- Then the section of student work starts, with **videos** and **quotes** from students, organized with **alternating page alignment**.
- This continues, listing all student work under each department with a link to see more student work from that department at the end of each related department section. (this page ends after this)

- **Student Work:** this page features a few student works relating to each department under the college of architecture. This is done through videos, and images and a body of work explaining about each student.



Image: Alumnus Stuart Coppedge completed the Pikes Peak Summit Visitor Center. Image Credit: Architect's Newspaper.

ALUMNI

Gibbs College alumni are making an impact in Oklahoma, around the United States, and beyond! Learn more about how they're transforming lives and spaces.

Connect With Us

Oculus is the weekly newsletter for students and faculty. Subscribe to our regular newsletter to stay updated with the latest stories about community engagement, research, creative activity, and professional accomplishments at Gibbs College. To submit news, events or accolades for the next issue of Oculus, please complete the form below.

After that is an Alumni Profile, which can be used to feature an alumni's work with some information about what they are doing after attending SoVA

- After, link included to 'Explore more alumni stories':

<https://gibbs.oucreate.com/tag/alumni/>

- Alumni page comes next on the Explore ribbon list:

- <https://architecture.ou.edu/alumni/>
- After one-line introduction of OU Alumni is the contact us, with information about the Oculus Gibbs college news letter and then a row of navigation buttons (Links included):
 - Get the newsletter: [Click Here](#)
 - Submit News Here: [Click Here](#)
 - Support Students: [Click Here](#)

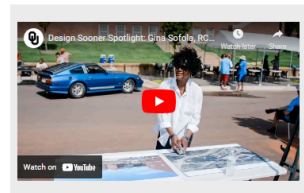
Alumni Profile: Gina Sofola

University of Oklahoma Regional + City Planning alumna Gina Sofola, who heads her own project management consulting firm in Oklahoma City, sought out RCPL to expand her reach and abilities. "I found that I needed another addition to my education and to my skillset," says Sofola.

"OU was a good fit for me as an adult student. It offered a very flexible schedule for me, it offered the ability to marry student life with the life of an adult and a businesswoman."

Sofola lists the excellence of the professors and the quality of the study abroad opportunities the program offered as highlights from her experience. According to Sofola, the study abroad trip she took with the program gave her and her classmates "the opportunity to apply what we learned to tangible, real-life situations."

Through her time in the program, Sofola says she was prepared to address problems in the real world. "I've had the opportunity to see that with the way we've built our communities and the way we've built our cities in the past, some of the unintended consequences have really been detrimental to our society," says Sofola.

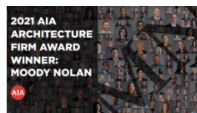


[Explore more alumni stories](#)

IN THE NEWS



Gibbs College alumni Ivy and Mark Pierce's home was featured in 405 Magazine. [Read more here.](#)



Architecture alumni contributed to success of 2021 AIA Firm of the Year Moody Nolan. [Read more here.](#)



Urban Design Studio alumni were awarded TYPros Foundation Grants for their proposals. [Read more here.](#)



Architecture alumna Cathleen Guthrey was named Vice President of New Fire Native Design Group. [Read more here.](#)



Landscape Architecture alumnus Eric Sabin played a leading role in a \$11 million park project. [Read more here.](#)



Construction Science alumna recognized for "Women in Construction Week". [Read more here.](#)



Next is a collection of stories under "In The News":

- Links to news stories (blog form) is included under each image of story and its description: [Click Here](#) for example.
 - There's another section below this in the same format, titled Alumni Highlights, with button at the bottom to "Explore more Alumni highlights": [Click Here](#) for the explore more page
- ou section break at bottom of the page

- Research + Creativity is next in the Explore List: <https://architecture.ou.edu/research/>

RESEARCH AND CREATIVE ACTIVITY

We imagine a future in which all communities are resilient and empowered to maximize their social, economic and environmental well-being. Our research and creative activity supports this vision for the future and prepares our students to make life-long contributions in their fields.

Select Focus Areas

Entrepreneurship & Community Engagement

Health & Wellbeing

Resilience & Sustainability

Equity, Diversity & Inclusion

Featured Publications

Recent Peer-Reviewed Publications

Gibbs College Conference Proceedings

Recent news

Centers of Excellence

Institute for Quality Communities

Select Research Centers and Institutes

- The American School
- Center for Middle Eastern Architecture and Culture
- Center for Peace and Development
- Carceral Studies Consortium
- Kenneth Robson Center for Constructive Learning BIM + Viz Lab

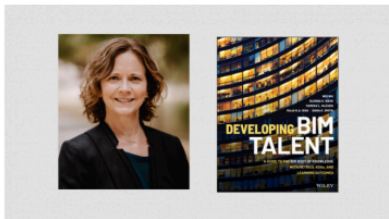
○ There is first a full scale image with RESEARCH + CREATIVITY edited on to the image as introduction of this page

○ Then is the information below with anchors to lower sections of the page which contain information related to each topic. So these links are basically a directory of the page.

Entrepreneurship and Community Engagement

We are dedicated to innovation and agency in planning, design, and construction. Our entrepreneurial practice supports community-oriented research by working at the leading edge of ideas, technologies, methods, and processes across disciplines, in areas such as BIM technology, accessible housing, and lean construction and management.

Recent News



Dr. Tamera McCuen: Developing BIM Talent

Construction Science professor Dr. Tamera McCuen co-authored a book titled *Developing BIM Talent: A Guide to the BIM Body of Knowledge with Metrics, KSAs, and Learning Outcomes*. The book is an essential resource on BIM metrics.

[Learn more about Dr. McCuen's book on developing BIM talent.](#)

○ The next section is Entrepreneurship and Community Engagement

○ As seen, information about entrepreneurial and community engagement projects are listed here. We may have to include data more relevant to the school of visual art.

○ Links in this area open up to blog posts. (example): [Click Here](#)



Faculty, Students Design & Construct Mobile Medical Facility for Wichita and Affiliated Tribes

Faculty and students partnered with the Wichita and Affiliated Tribes to develop a mobile medical unit. The project was led by Bryan Bloom, assistant professor of construction science, and supported by assistant professor of architecture Ken Marold.

[Learn more about the mobile medical facility.](#)

Next section is the 'Featured Faculty'

- faculty that have backgrounds in Entrepreneurship and Community Engagement are listed. Links are to their Faculty Bios/profiles
- their emails are also listed.

Featured Faculty

Entrepreneurship and Community Engagement



Bryan Bloom
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Tamera McCuen
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Deborah Richards
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Health and Wellbeing

By exploring intersections between the built environment and community health and wellbeing, we make a difference. Recent projects have looked at how residents understand hope in their communities, building beautiful, accessible housing for people of all ages, and integrating neuroscience into design.

Recent News



Dr. Tiziana Proietti: Exploring Architecture and Neuroscience

The sensebase laboratory, directed by Dr. Tiziana Proietti, is housed at the University of Oklahoma Gibbs College of Architecture. It is an interdisciplinary laboratory that bridges architecture to neuroscience with emphasis on the perception of proportion. Dr. Proietti is part of an emerging center of excellence at Gibbs College exploring the intersections of neuroscience, perception, and the built environment.

[Learn more about the sensebase laboratory.](#)



Dr. Sarah Little: Designing Public Spaces for Young People

Landscape architecture professor released her co-edited handbook, *The Routledge Handbook for Designing Public Spaces for Young People: Processes, Practices, and Policies for Youth Inclusion*.

[Learn more about Dr. Little's handbook.](#)

Next Section is Health and wellbeing, and it follows the same format as the Entrepreneurship and Community Engagement section, with links to blog posts with more information.

And then below that is the featured faculty relating to health and wellbeing.

Featured Faculty

Health and Wellbeing



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Sarah Little

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Bryce Lowery

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Tiziana Proietti

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Xiaobo Quan

Violeta Autumn Teaching Fellow
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The next section is resilience and sustainability (which may not be related to Art)

But it follows the same format as the two sections above, with two featured highlights relating to the topic and then the list of faculty who are active in that area.

- The next section is Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion, and it follows the same format as the 3 previous sections just covered above.

Centers of Excellence

Institute for Quality Communities

The Institute for Quality Communities (IQC) is a community engagement program in the University of Oklahoma Christopher C. Gibbs College of Architecture. IQC partners with Oklahoma communities to address local challenges, and brings best practices to Oklahomans through the biennial Placemaking Conference.

Recent News



IQC and Interior Design Students Design Farmer's Market for Afton, Oklahoma

The Afton area has been designated a food desert by the Oklahoma State Department of Health. Leaders of Afton, OK reached out to the IQC for assistance in designing a farmer's market in the former Afton City Hall building.

[Learn more about the Afton farmer's market.](#)



IQC and OU Students Develop Pathways for Growth with Tullahassee, Oklahoma

The IQC and Environmental Design students collaborated with the community leaders of Tullahassee, OK to develop a plan for revitalization and growth. Tullahassee is considered to be Oklahoma's oldest surviving Black township.

[Learn more about the IQC's pathways to hope.](#)

- the extracurricular activities of the college are listed under here such as affiliation with relating organizations.
- Follows the same format as above sections.

Select Research Centers and Institutes

Select Research Centers and Institutes



Peoria House - Herb Greene
Photo: Julia Shuman

The American School

The American School Project strives to document and share the development and impacts of the school of design and practice that developed at the University of Oklahoma in the 1950s and '60s.

[More Info](#)



Center for Middle Eastern Architecture and Culture

CMEAC seeks to advance knowledge of the Middle Eastern built environment and culture for its intellectual and academic values.

[More Info](#)



Center for Peace and Development Spotlight

Center for Peace and Development

The CPD builds upon a legacy of collaborative partnerships between OU faculty and students and communities affected by conflict in northern Uganda.

[More Info](#)



Carceral Studies Consortium

The Carceral Studies Consortium brings together faculty, staff and students across colleges at the University of Oklahoma to cultivate rigorous scholarship and community engagement toward social transformation in the broad area of Carceral Studies.

[More Info](#)

this is the next section:
featuring different underlying
institutions of the Christopher
Gibbs college of architecture
with links to learn more about
each program.

Example of the included links:

[Click Here](#)

Gibbs College Conference Proceedings

2020 Schools of Thought Webinar Series

In the Summer of 2020, the Gibbs College of Architecture hosted a series of webinar conversations that built on conversations about the future of design pedagogy that were started during the "Schools of Thought" conference. The Summer Schools of Thought Series featured sessions that sought to answer the question: *How can we use the platforms we have to help in some way?* For more information and to view the session recordings, [click here](#).

2020 Schools of Thought Conference

In the Spring of 2020, the University of Oklahoma hosted a Creating_Making Forum event "Schools of Thought: Rethinking Architectural Pedagogy," a conference designed to bring together scholars, architects, and designers to explore questions about how we teach design. The symposium coincided with the exhibition *Renegades: Bruce Goff and the American School of Architecture* at the Fred Jones Jr. Museum of Art. Keynote speakers at the Schools of Thought conference were [Joan Ockman](#) and [Dr. Sarah Sutton](#). For further information, visit the [Schools of Thought](#) website. To view the conference proceedings, [click here](#).

2014 Creating_Making Forum

The 2014 Creating/Making Forum featured peer-reviewed paper sessions titled: *Do the Tools Matter, Lessons From Home; Fabricating Political Capital; Working Within Others' Walls; Defining the Dash; Mid-Century Modern and the Landscape; Sourcing Creativity; and Towards a New Studio Environment*, as well as a juried poster session. Keynote speakers at the 2014 Forum were [Hans Sutter](#), [Robert Fishman](#), [Andrew Freear](#), [E.B. Min](#), and [Kirsten Murray](#), and Min and Murray led a student workshop as part of the 2014 Forum. To view the full conference proceedings, [click here](#).

2010 Creating_Making Forum

The 2010 Creating/Making Forum was held in conjunction with the Fred Jones Jr. Museum of Art's *"Bruce Goff: A Creative Mind"* exhibition and featured peer-reviewed paper sessions titled: *Design Education and Tacit Knowledge; Digital Creating and Making; Community Engagement; The Found Object; Innovation, Interdisciplinarity and the Environment; Interpreting Architecture; and History Reframed*, as well as a juried poster session. Keynote speakers at the 2010 Forum were [Sheila Kennedy](#), [Craig Borum](#), and [Marion Blackwell](#). To view the conference proceedings, [click here](#).

Recent Publications

2021

Butko, D. J. (2021). "A sound decision for concrete: translating spatial analysis and aerated/porous concrete research into an effective trifecta of acoustical reflection, diffusion, and absorption." *TAD Technology / Architecture + Design*, 32. [Abstract](#).

Chen, S., Kwak, Y., Zhang, L., Mosey, G., & Deal, B. (2021). "Tightly Coupling Input Output Economics with Spatio-Temporal Land Use in a Dynamic Planning Support System Framework." *Land*, 10(1), 78. [Abstract](#).

Chen, S., Yan, X., Pan, H., & Deal, B. (2021). "Using big data for last mile performance evaluation: An accessibility-based approach." *Travel Behaviour and Society*, 25, 153-163. [Abstract](#).

Evans, J. & Gaddie, K. (2021). "A Systems Approach to Understanding Community Power in the Debate Over Confederate Monuments Using Georgia as a Case Study." *Social Science Quarterly*, 102. [Abstract](#).

Heidari Matin, N., Eydgahi, A., (2021). "A Data-driven Optimized Daylight Pattern for Responsive Facades Design." *Intelligent Buildings International*. DOI: 10.1080/17508975.2021.1972478. [Abstract](#).

Johnson, V., Klockow-McClain, K., Peppier, R., Person, A. (2021). "Tornado Climatology and Risk Perception in Central Oklahoma." *Weather, Climate and Society*. Published May 6, 2021 online. [Abstract](#).

Lee, C. A. (2021). "Evolving Activism in an Anti-Immigrant Administration: Asian American, Native Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander Nonprofit Experiences after the 2016 Elections." *Amerasia Journal*. doi: 10.1080/00447471.2021.1920292. [Abstract](#).

[Read more](#)



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

The Christopher C. Gibbs College of Architecture places a unique emphasis on community engagement through its practice-oriented, teaching-first framework. These efforts define our success in five key areas, which are threaded throughout our students' work and community connections: *Arts & Culture, Development, Education, Health and Social Equity*. These themes reflect the ethical and sustainable lenses through which our students apply their knowledge. Their successes are measured through stories that unfold in places as diverse as Muskogee, Oklahoma; Italy; and Uganda.

Gibbs College is also home to the "Gibbs Design Activism Awards," which allows students to propose a student-led project that critically engages topics of community, social and economic concern within the built environment.

Below are some highlights from recent community engagement efforts. Additional examples can be found on the [Oculus Blog](#). For more information about recent and upcoming projects, contact [Angela Person](#) (a@ou.edu).

2021-2022

Social Equity



Construction Science students enrolled in Bryan Bloom's Spring 2021 "Design + Build" class created a mobile medical unit to meet the needs of rural members of the Wichita and Affiliated Tribes. The mobile medical unit is expected to be delivered to Anadarko, OK in June 2021. [Read more here](#).

Development



OU Institute for Quality Communications (IQC) interns created concept plans and images for streetscape improvements along Classen Boulevard between NW 23rd St. and NW 30th St. in the Oklahoma City Asian District. The students created a plan to revitalize forgotten or unused areas to create a more meaningful experience for visitors. [Read more here](#).

Education



OU architecture students developed designs that utilize abandoned alleyway spaces to enhance the livelihood of Downtown Edmond. The students' designs included open space, seating areas, a pronounced bike lane, and access to various surrounding shops and businesses. [Read more here](#).

This is the last Section of the page: Gibbs college Conference Proceedings:

List of SoVA conferences and lectures can be placed here, with links to necessary information.

And lastly, recent publications of the school with links to the abstracts of the publications on external publication websites.

- the next page in the homepage ribbon Explore List: **Community Engagement**

Link to page: [Click Here](#)

This page has the same content continuously along the whole page, with no change of style or content presentation.

There is a grid like format of highlights of the college's community engagement efforts.

There are links under each highlight to blogs with more information about the highlight.

The highlights are classified by the year they took place.

This page is concluded.

TRAVEL STUDY

We imagine a future in which all communities are resilient and empowered to maximize their social, economic and environmental well-being. Through our travel study programs, students in the Christopher C. Gibbs College of Architecture operate locally and globally, developing confidence in themselves and a commitment to others. Exposure to diverse stakeholders fosters students' listening skills and enhances their collaboration skills.

For more information about upcoming travel study programs available to undergraduates, contact an academic counseling professional; graduate students should contact their program's graduate liaison. Please visit the directory for current contact information.

Articles about various travel study experiences can be found on the [Oculus Blog](#).

Italy



Each year, Architecture and Interior Design students in their second-to-last year of study have the opportunity to spend a semester in Rome, the Eternal City, where they are immersed in the art, architecture and urban forms of Bernini, Zaha Hadid, Renzo Piano and more! Students also engage in a service learning project. Past projects have included volunteering with Syrian refugees and documenting architectural relics for the Capitoline museum.

Program Information ([Link](#))

Questions? Contact Anthony Cricchio
anthony.cricchio@ou.edu

Uganda



Prof. John Harris, Director of the OU Center for Peace and Development, regularly travels with students to Northern Uganda, where they support peace-building efforts, including helping to give voice to local women and securing access to clean water. Past trips have allowed students to work alongside Sister Rosemary Nyirumbe, one of *Time Magazine's* 100 Most Influential people, and support her work in the Gulu community.

Questions? Contact John Harris
johncharris@ou.edu

Chicago



Students in our programs not only have the option to study abroad in more than 100 different programs, but they regularly participate in domestic travel study experiences, such as exploring Chicago, volunteering in Houston, and taking in Frank Lloyd Wright's Fallingwater. Scroll down for a look at other recent travel study opportunities.

Questions? Contact your academic advisor or grad liaison.

- the next item on the Explore pull-down-menu is Travel Study as seen to the left.

- Link to page: [Click](#)

[Here](#)

- Information on the SoVA website about study abroad is incomplete, a similar approach could be taken if there are programs available.

- Links to study abroad information is provided, which redirect to the study abroad website with specific information about programs available.

- Lower down is a list of travel opportunities available through the college of architecture in the past in a grid-like format. There are no links in this section for more information.
- This page concludes after this information.

This is the next page on the Explore pull-down menu. (Important to SoVA)

Link to page: [Click Here](#)

A list of all the fabrication facilities under the college have been listed, along with videos/graphics displaying the space. There are also 360-degree tours of the spaces available.

MAKER SPACES

The Christopher C. Gibbs College of Architecture occupies Gould Hall, a state-of-the-art \$33 million facility, made possible in large part by the college's generous donors. Our students, faculty and staff have access to high-quality "Maker Spaces" for experimenting with materials and testing their designs. These maker spaces are more than typical facilities; each space provides an opportunity for collaboration, growth and discovery.

Although Gould Hall is our home, the College has several additional Maker Spaces, including its 7,000+ sf [Creating_Making Lab](#). More Maker Space information can be found below.

[Click below to take 3D tours of our facilities and learn more about our specialized labs and equipment.](#)

DESIGN STUDIO



CREATING_MAKING LAB



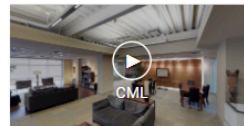
DIGITAL MAKING LAB



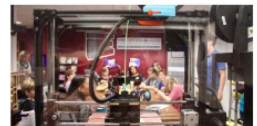
URBAN DESIGN STUDIO



STUDY SPACE



INNOVATION @ THE EDGE



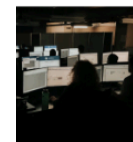
ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

— Architecture Library

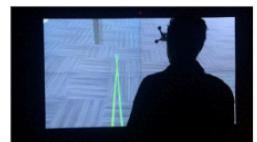
The College of Architecture has its own branch of the main university library system. The architecture library contains two special collections. One of these, the Orville S. Witt Collection, is a gathering of books on the subjects of the History of Architecture, Bruce Goff, Mendall Glickman, and Frank Lloyd Wright and includes an oversized book section. In 2002, approximately 350 blueprints and drawings were donated to the Architecture Branch Library. These materials include buildings in Norman as well as buildings by such architects as Frank Lloyd Wright and Bruce Goff.

For more information about the College's library click [here](#)

- + BIM / Visualization
- + Computer Lab
- + Creating_Making Lab
- + Digital Making Lab
- + Innovation @ the Edge
- + Tom Love Innovation Hub
- + Urban Design Studio



BIM/VISUALIZATION



Lower down the page, each space is listed with description about what is available in each space and where each space is located.

This page concludes here

with an OU Labeled Section Break.

GIBBS COLLEGE LECTURE SERIES

Each semester, Gibbs College hosts lectures from practitioners and scholars working at the cutting edges of our allied disciplines. Through inspiring lectures from the likes of Frank Lloyd Wright, Samuel Mockbee, Rick Lowe, Beatriz Colomina, Steven Lewis, Odile Decq, Toni Griffin, and dozens of others, Gibbs College has built its rich legacy of bringing students into conversation with leading voices from the U.S. and beyond.

Upcoming Lectures

The 2021-2022 Gibbs College Lecture Series has ended. Check back soon for updates on upcoming lectures.

Propose a Lecture

Each academic year, Gibbs College students and faculty are invited to propose lecturers ([learn more](#)).

Featured Lectures

2022 | 2021 | 2020 | 2019 | 2018

Historic Lectures

Featured Conferences

Placemaking Conference (2019, 2017, 2015, 2013)

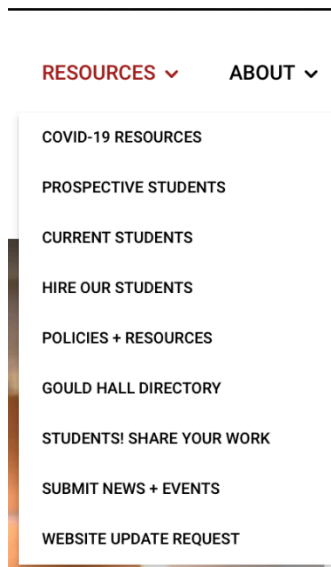
Schools of Thought Conference (2020)

Last Item on Explore pull-down menu: **Lecture Series.**

Link to page: [Click Here](#)

Continuing down is a list of recorded lectures and their descriptions, with videos available to the right and a link to 'Learn More' about the lecture

The links lead to blogs with more information: [Click Here](#) for example



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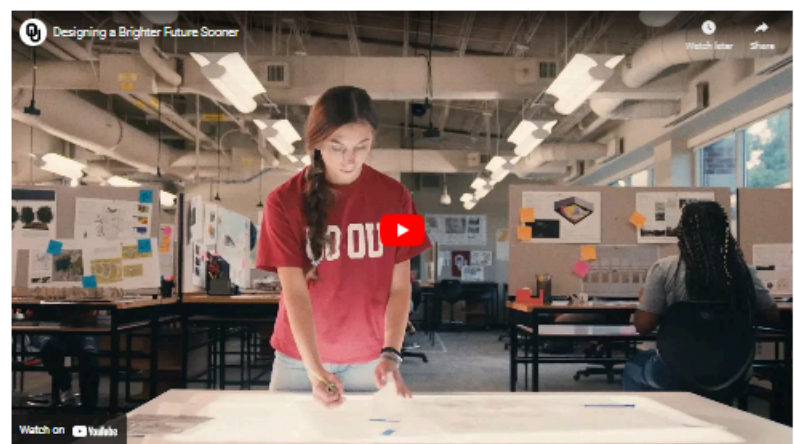
- Covid-19 resources link (general OU Page):
<https://ou.edu/together/healthy-together>
- Prospective Students link:
<https://architecture.ou.edu/prospective-students/>

- Information on the button Navigations for prospective students.

- The 'Explore Gibbs College Programs leads to a bookmark at the

bottom of the page.

- Schedule a Tour (general OU Link):
<https://www.ou.edu/visit/tours>
- Contact Us: leads to bookmark lower down on the page.



PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS

Welcome to the Christopher C. Gibbs College of Architecture

Explore Gibbs College Programs	Schedule a Tour	Contact Us
Undergraduate Admissions	Graduate Admissions	International Admissions
Tuition & Cost	EOE Scholarships	Equity, Diversity & Belonging

WHY STUDY AT GIBBS COLLEGE?

- Undergraduate Admissions (General OU Page): <https://www.ou.edu/admissions>
- Graduate Admissions (General OU Page): <https://www.ou.edu/gradcollege/apply>
- International Admissions (general OU page): [Click Here](#)
- Tuition & Cost (general OU page): [Click Here](#)
- Scholarships (general OU page): [Click Here](#)
- Equity Diversity and Inclusion: Specific to College, written here. *content needed* [Click Here](#)

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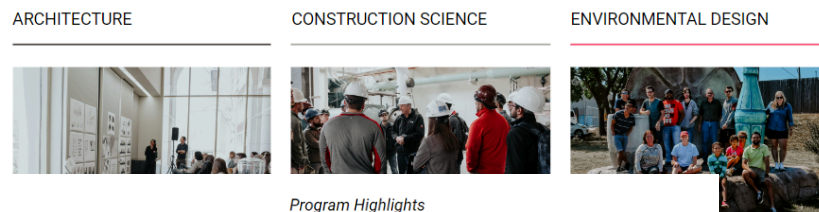
Travel link leads to their travel study page mentioned earlier in this document. [Click Here](#)

Engage link leads to the community engagement page mentioned earlier in this document. [Click Here](#)

Make link leads to the Maker Space page mentioned earlier in this document. [Click Here](#)

EXPLORE OUR PROGRAMS

Each of our degree programs is committed to developing new knowledge and educating high-performing industry professionals to create flourishing communities. To read hundreds of success stories about our students, faculty, staff and alumni, visit the Gibbs Channel. [Click on an image below to read more about the program!](#)



Program Highlights

ARCHITECTURE



Globally Minded

Our students are constantly engaged in global service learning, mostly recently in Zambia, Uganda, and Italy.

Business Savvy

Since 2010, OU teams have placed six times among the best in the Urban Land Institute's Hines Competition.

Competitive Graduates

Our grads are selected for post-graduate studies by Harvard, Penn, Columbia, and Michigan.

Nationally Recognized

Recently ranked 4th nationally among "Most Hired From" programs by Design Intelligence. [Learn more](#)

Critically Engaged

Our students regularly participate in the U.S. State Department's Diplomacy Lab program.

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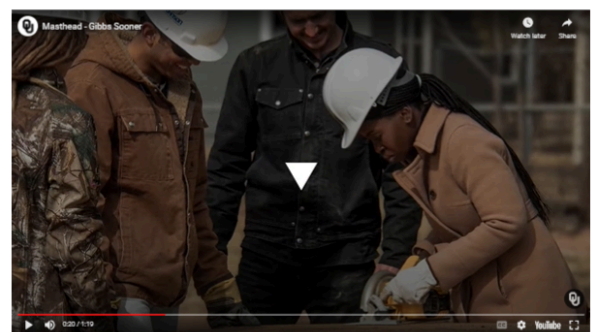
- Explore our programs: *content needed* text under explore our programs needed.
- Degrees listed lead to links previously mentioned.

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concluding this page is a program contacts page with link to faculty profiles.

The next page on the Resources List is for Current Students: it starts off similarly to the previous page.

Link to page: [Click Here](#)



CURRENT STUDENTS

News + Events	Scholarships	Equity, Diversity & Belonging
Advising	Organizations	Creating/Making Lab
Covid-19 Resources	STEM OPT	Student Resources

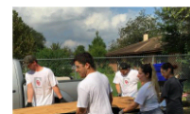
The Christopher C. Gibbs College of Architecture provides numerous resources for its students. College-wide resources include an annual career fair, advisors and liaisons, and student organizations. Details on these resources can be found below.

Additional resources—such as writing and math assistance, a food pantry, student advocate groups, and more—are offered through the University of Oklahoma. For student convenience, a few of these resources are listed below.

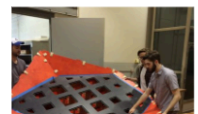
Travel



Engage



Make



Career Fair

Each year more than 30 firms attend the Christopher C. Gibbs College of Architecture Career Fair, where they recruit skilled students from across the college for both permanent positions and internships. Information about this year's career fair can be found below.

Fall Career Fair

Thurman J. White Forum
1704 Asp Avenue
Norman, OK 73072

Time: 3:00 – 6:00 p.m.

Date: September 22, 2022

Sign up for this event on Handshake.

HIRE OUR STUDENTS

Student Organizations

- + American Institute of Architecture Students (AIAS)
- + Construction Student Association (CSA)
- + Latinos Building the Future
- + Interior Design Student Association (IDSA)
- + National Organization of Minority Architecture Students (NOMAS)
- + Society for Urban Design Students (SUDS)
- + Student Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects (SCASLA)
- + Student Planning Association (SPA)
- + U.S. Green Building Council Student Chapter

Next is information about the college of architecture career fair – We should have one.

Below that is a list to student organizations that are related and helpful for students to join.

Student Organizations

- American Institute of Architecture Students (AIAS)

The American Institute of Architecture Students is the official voice of students studying the profession of architecture and design. In addition to providing work and learning opportunity, we work with the college to better suit the student culture.

Student Officers: Hannah Reed, hannahreed@ou.edu; Morgan McCurdy, morgan.j.mccurdy@ou.edu

Faculty advisor: Sam Callahan, samecallahan@ou.edu.

There is a 2 line description of each organizations, with student officers and faculty advisors listed as seen to the left.

Undergraduate Advisors



Nova Savage

Interior Design & Environmental Design Advisor
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Erin Nance

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Graduate Liaisons



Architecture

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Regional + City Planning

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Urban Design

Shawn Schaefer
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then there is a list of student advisors and liaisons.

Career Services

Career Services is available to students looking for a job who need help writing a cover letter, creating a resume, or practicing for interviews.

Compass Network

The Compass Network is an initiative aimed at helping undergraduate students overcome personal challenges to their success at OU. Students have the opportunity to work one-on-one with one of our staff to create an action plan to address issues or roadblocks. Students can contact us directly at (405) 325-8103 or by email at compass.network@ou.edu. Students can also be referred through the Compass Network website.

Equity, Diversity + Belonging

Read the Dean's message regarding equity, diversity and belonging (EDB), and find additional resources on the GCA EDB page.

Gibbs Design Activism Awards

Gibbs College hosts the "Gibbs Design Activism Awards," which allows students to propose a student-led project that critically engages topics of community, social and economic concern within the built environment.

Health Services

Offers many services for students at Goddard Health Center, such as a pharmacy, vaccinations, counseling, and a full service medical clinic.

Honors College

Undergraduate students of any major can graduate with honors through the Honors College at the University of Oklahoma. For more information, please visit the Honors College website.

Faculty-in-Residence

Our Faculty-in-Residence program allows students living in university housing to receive mentorship from current OU faculty. In this program, faculty members and their families live in apartments in the residence halls and plan events for the residents. OU is one of only a few universities in the nation to have this program!

Lastly is the 'University of Oklahoma Student Resources'

link to all resources below; Include short descriptions of each link (possibly copy those on arch website:

- OU Career Services: <https://www.ou.edu/career>
- Compass Network: <https://ou.edu/gps/initiatives/compass>
- Equity, Diversity + Belonging: <https://architecture.ou.edu/diversity-inclusion/> (personalized for SoVA)
- Gibbs design activism awards is interesting to note, and adapt for the needs of SoVA
- Health Services: <https://www.ou.edu/healthservices>
- Honors College: <https://www.ou.edu/honors>
- Faculty in Residence: (link error so no need to include)
- Gateway to College Class: (link error so no need to include)
- Gender + Equity Center: <https://www.ou.edu/gec>
- Math Center: <https://www.ou.edu/cas/mathcenter/contact>
- OU Food Pantry: <https://www.ou.edu/foodpantry/contact-us>
- OU Writing Center: <https://www.ou.edu/writingcenter/about/contact>
- Project Threshold (Trio): <https://www.ou.edu/threshold/contact>
- Sooners Helping Sooners:
<https://home.oufoundation.org/s/1720/21/home.aspx?gid=2&pgid=1998>
- Sooner Success: <https://www.ou.edu/alc>
- STEM Inclusion Council: <https://ousteminclusioncouncil.oucreate.com/>
- Student Life: <https://www.ou.edu/studentlife/administration>

Next on the Resources list on the navigation Ribbon: ‘hire our students’ button which leads to this page: <https://www.ou.edu/career/employers>

Next page on the Resources list on the navigation Ribbon: ‘policies + resources’

POLICIES + RESOURCES

All documents open as a PDF unless otherwise noted. Download Adobe PDF Reader [here](#).

MS Excel documents will open in Google Drive. To download, click File > Download > Microsoft Excel (.xlsx)

GETTING STARTED

- Explore Our Community (Tours & Information about Gibbs, OU, Norman, and Oklahoma)
- Equity, Diversity & Inclusion at Gibbs College
- Gibbs College Strategic Plan, 2018-2021 (To view proposed updates to the plan, click [here](#))
- OU Faculty Resources & Support (Including OU Research, Teaching, Community Engagement, Travel Study, and Funding Support)
- New Employee Forms and Orientation
- News/Events Submission Form
- Social Media Image Submission Form
- Website Update Request Form

COLLEGE/FACILITIES

- Building Use Policy
- College of Architecture Bylaws
- Emergency Procedures – COA
- Emergency Procedures – OU
- Gallery Usage Checklist
- Laser Lab Checklist
- Creating-Making Lab Faculty Use Policy
- Creating-Making Lab Request Form
- Creating-Making Lab Safety Manual
- Guidelines for Bringing Minors on Campus
- Room Scheduling Procedure and Key
- Space Use and Conduct Policies

FACULTY/STAFF

- Absence from Campus/Class Request Form
- Affiliate Faculty Application (Qualtrics Form)
- Annual Faculty Evaluation Criteria
- Communications

PURCHASING AND FINANCE

- Food & Beverage Expense Certification Form
- Purchase Authorization Form
- Reimbursement Form
- Research Budget Spreadsheet (MS Excel)
- Research Proposals Policy and Payment Info

STUDENTS

- Academic Appeal Process – College of Architecture
- Academic Appeal Process – University of Oklahoma
- Classroom Culture Policy
- College of Architecture Technology Resources
- Communications
 - News/Events Submission Form
 - Social Media Image Submission Form
 - Website Update Request Form
- Emergency Support Funding Application
- Gibbs Design Activism Awards
- Independent Study Request Form (for graduate & undergraduate students; to be completed in advance of enrolling for directed readings, special studies, mentored research and Honors research classes)
- Laptop Policy 2022-2023
- PhD Student Handbook
- Research Dissemination Award Travel Policy & Request Form
- Scholarship Policy
- Student Competition Team Form
- Student Competition Team Policy
- Student Handbook
- Student Organizations Policy
- Student Payments and Deposits for International Programs Policy

This is what the page looks like and the link to the page is mentioned below:

<https://architecture.ou.edu/forms-policies/>

this includes lists to additional resources and information. Visit this page to access links.

- Next Page on the Resources list on the Navigation Ribbon: Gould Hall Directory
 - an exploded floorplan of Gould Hall for navigation. We can add one for SoVA:
 - <https://architecture.ou.edu/gould-hall-directory/>
- Next Page on the Resources list on the Navigation Ribbon: Students! Share Your Work.
 - https://ousurvey.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_7UQlgq5xjCIi5ZX
 - is this previously discussed link to share student work which can be useful for our college as well.
- Next Page on the Resources list on the Navigation Ribbon: Submit News + Events
 - https://ousurvey.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_1EQtfEFHp31mx7g
 - This is a link to submit any news or events related to the college for coverage by their newsletters. They also allow you to submit “website update requests”!

ABOUT ▾	APPLY	next on the navigation ribbon is the ‘About’ pull-down-menu
DEAN'S MESSAGE		Dean’s Message is first on the list: https://architecture.ou.edu/deans-message/
EQUITY, DIVERSITY + BELONGING		
THE AMERICAN SCHOOL		*Content Needed*
FACULTY + STAFF DIRECTORY		
LEGACY		Everything else on this ribbon is repeated information covered on previous pages.
GIVING		

- Important to note the organization of the Faculty + Staff List:
 - <https://architecture.ou.edu/directory/>
- Legacy Page: <https://architecture.ou.edu/legacy/>
 - Includes information about how the college have impacted the future of students and community. *Content Needed*
- One important one to take note of is the “Giving Tab” which I will include a direct link to below: <https://architecture.ou.edu/give-to-architecture/>

- We may need to create a page for this.