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Indigenous Medicine Wheel at the top of Calgary's Nose Hill Park (Brian R. Sinclair c 2022)

REMEMBERING A DARK PAST, IMAGINING A BRIGHTER FUTURE

Tomorrow is National Day of Truth and Reconciliation, a day for people to come together in the spirit of hope and reconciliation to honour residential school survivors, their families, and communities.

In a day intended to reflect on our colonial history, The University of Calgary and the School of Architecture, Planning and Landscape encourage students, faculty and staff to explore the impact of residential schools, intergenerational trauma, and Indigenous Resilience through a panel discussion and a film screening organized by the Office of Indigenous engagement, by learning about the overlooked Métis residential school experiences, and exploring how Indigenous ways of knowing and doing enrich the design experience.

Incorporating Indigenous Ways of Knowing into our studios, courses, classrooms, and culture allows us to recognize the significant contributions

Indigenous Cultures have provided to the ways we view the land, nature, and people.

As such, earlier this month, as part of SAPL's Indigenous Engagement Initiative, Dr. Brian R. Sinclair presented *Bridging Cultures: Indigeneity + Design.* (WATCH).

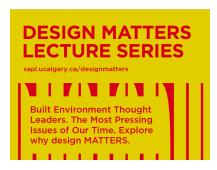
IN THE NEWS



DISRUPTIVE ART SPACES

From old trains to Mount Royal mansions, these new alternative spaces in the city are serving as authentic and creative venues for artists and musicians. Click HERE to read more.

EVENTS



DESIGN MATTERS | FOUR COURTYARDS: AN EXPLORATION OF PLACE AND IDENTITY | Oct. 6, 6 p.m.

Lauded Italian Photographer Luca Nostri will explore the notion of place and identity, challenging attendants to consider new perspectives and gain an increased awareness of the built environment and our place within it. Register HERE.



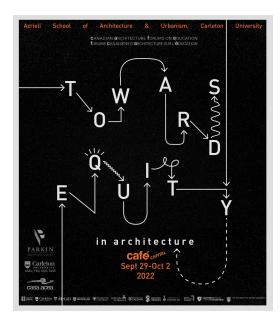
ORANGE SHIRT DAY EVENTS | Sept. 30

Panel Discussion, 12 p.m.

Cora Voyageur, Lee Crowchild and Kathleen Mahoney revisit the final report on Truth and Reconciliation in light of the discovery of unmarked graves on residential school sites and the 2022 papal visit. REGISTER

Evening Film Screening, 6 p.m.

A free viewing of the dystopian sci-fi film Night Raiders, with special remarks from Sarah Meilleur and Michael Hart. REGISTER



CAFÉ CAPITAL PRESENTS: TOWARDS EQUITY IN ARCHITECTURE | Sept. 29 – Oct. 2 (Online)

The Canadian Architecture Forums on Education, Café Capital, is hosting a four-day online and in-person event focused on social justice featuring SAPL alumni Vivian Ton and Dave Fortin.

More Information

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Oct 14

APPI and University of Calgary Student Meet & Greet

APPI ANNUAL MEET AND GREET | Oct. 14, 12 p.m.

The Alberta Professional Planners Institute is inviting planning and design students to its Annual Meet and Greet at SAPL. Pizza, conversation, and great learning and networking opportunities, will be on offer.

Register Here



2022 AGA KHAN AWARD FOR ARCHITECTURE REVEALED

The winners of the 2022 Aga Khan Award for Architecture (AKAA) have been announced. These installations demonstrated innovation, care for the environment, and commitment to the improvement of the communities they inhabit.

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MAYOR'S URBAN DESIGN AWARDS 2022 | OPEN FOR SUBMISSIONS

The Mayor's Urban Design Awards recognize the contribution of Calgary's urban designers, architects, landscape architects, engineers, planners and artists, and serve as a showcase of our modern city to the world. Submissions for this year are now open!

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GALLERIES

CITY OF A THOUSAND PLANETS CLOSING RECEPTION | Oct. 13

Focused on reimagining and reactivating downtown Calgary, The City of A Thousand Planets exhibition at the City Building Design Lab represents a future in which the city's core is sustainable, equitable, inclusive, vibrant, and healthy. This closing reception is free and open to all, and will provide one final social opportunity to take in and discuss a buzz-worthy exhibition.



DESIGN BYTES



QUALITY HOUSING STILL A STRUGGLE FOR INDIGENOUS PEOPLES

Architects, planners, and landscape architects, play a central role in society's response to spatial inequities and systemic racism. But there's still a long way to go — a new report has found that many Indigenous people in Canada continue to struggle to find safe, quality housing.

Click <u>HERE</u> to read the full article.

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