

This Week @ PhilaU

December 1, 2003

A Weekly Newsletter for Faculty, Staff and Students

NEWS BRIEFS

Philadelphia University Students Sweep Collab Competition

Philadelphia University students walked away from Collab's Eleventh Annual Student Design Competition, held on Nov. 17 at the Philadelphia Museum of Art (PMA), with all but one of the awards. The competition was part of a series of events scheduled around Collab's 2003 Design Presentation by Richard Gluckman, the architect for the addition and renovation of the Museum's Perelman Building.

Students from all the local colleges and universities were invited to enter and were asked to design the main exterior sign for the Perleman building. The judges represented the architecture profession and judging was completely blind.

The first, second and third place winners are Philadelphia University Industrial Design students in the program's Design III studio. The honorable mention winner, Carolina Pena, is a fifth year Architecture student.

Collab, a nonprofit organization founded in 1970, is a collaboration of design professionals who support PMA's modern and contemporary decorative arts collection and work to promote an awareness and appreciation of contemporary design through educational initiatives. For more information on the Collab competition, visit <http://www.philamuseum.org/resources/collab/competition.shtml>. Also, a selection of the projects entered are on display in Daffy's store window at 17th and Chestnut Streets through the end of this week.

1st Place



Jerrold Adler, Sophomore, Industrial Design

2nd Place



Alex Perrera, Sophomore, Industrial Design

3rd Place



Dan Corso, Sophomore, Industrial Design

EVENTS

Monday, December 1

Yoga Class

5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Downs Hall Room 6

For all faculty, staff and students

Contact: Lois Janney, x2727

Free Open Swimming for faculty, staff and students

7:30 to 9 p.m. every Monday and Wednesday

Penn Charter High School on School House Lane behind Independence Plaza Apartments parking lot. A lifeguard will be present.

Contact: Brad Koch, x2723

Tuesday, December 2

Cornerstone Weekly Meeting

9 to 10:30 p.m.

Student Center Lounge

Come join us for speakers, music, food and fun all focused on God. All are welcome!

Contact: Cassie M. Lilienthal, 215.843.3102

MY ARCHITECT A Son's Journey

Private Screening and Discussion with Filmmaker

Screening 4:45 p.m.

(Bus leaves campus at 3:45 p.m.)

Ritz 5 Movies (Second and Walnut Streets)

Postscreening Discussion at 8 p.m. in

Tuttleman Auditorium

Contact: Jim Savoie, x2705

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Information Session for Adult Learners Featured Faculty and Alums

On Nov. 20, the Office of Continuing and Professional Studies hosted an Information and Planning Session for Adult Learners, featuring a six-speaker panel: Elmore Alexander, dean of the School of Business Administration, Professors Roger Lukoff, Chris Dougherty and Susan Calder and Philadelphia University alumni Sandra Redguard and Bryant Greene. The purpose of the session was to formally meet with prospective students and to provide them with an overview of Continuing and Professional Studies undergraduate programs. Thirty adults attended the session and heard presentations on career opportunities in the fields of business and health care, bachelor degree programs in those fields and the experiences of Philadelphia University alums.



School of Architecture and Design Lecture Wednesday

December 3
6:30 p.m.
Tuttleman Auditorium

“The Work of Bohlin Cywinski Jackson”
Bernard J Cywinski, FAIA, Architect
Bohlin Cywinski Jackson Architects, Philadelphia

Visit <http://www.PhilaU.edu/archdes/Lecture>. All lectures are free and open to the public.

Tuesday, December 2

**Pre-med Society
Bake and Craft Sale**
8 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Hayward Hall Lobby

Wednesday, December 3

**Community Service Decoration
Making Event**
2 to 4 p.m.
Student Center Lounge
The Community Service Organization will be making holiday decorations to donate to the Northern Home for Children organization.
Contact: Ashley Shoenfelt, x2743

**Free Open Swimming for faculty,
staff and students**
7:30 to 9 p.m. every Monday and Wednesday. Penn Charter High School on School House Lane behind Independence Plaza Apartments parking lot. A lifeguard will be present.
Contact: Brad Koch, x2723

**Architecture and Design
Lecture Series**
“The Work of Bohlin Cywinski Jackson”
6:30 p.m.
The Tuttleman Center Auditorium
Contact: Scott Ogburn, x2933

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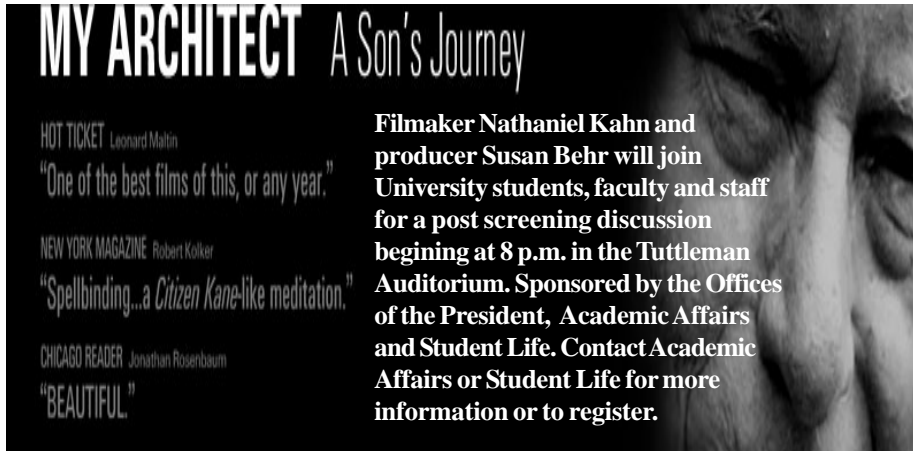
Private Movie Screening and Panel Discussion Tomorrow

Tuesday, December 2

4:45 p.m.

(bus leaves campus at 3:45 from Tuttleman lot)

Ritz 5 Movies



MY ARCHITECT *A Son's Journey*

HOT TICKET Leonard Malin
"One of the best films of this, or any year."

NEW YORK MAGAZINE Robert Kolker
"Spellbinding... a *Citizen Kane*-like meditation."

CHICAGO READER Jonathan Rosenbaum
"BEAUTIFUL."

Filmmaker Nathaniel Kahn and producer Susan Behr will join University students, faculty and staff for a post screening discussion beginning at 8 p.m. in the Tuttleman Auditorium. Sponsored by the Offices of the President, Academic Affairs and Student Life. Contact Academic Affairs or Student Life for more information or to register.

IN THE NEWS

Cathy Rusinko, assistant professor of Management, is quoted in an article entitled "Workplace: Take This Job..." which ran in the *Schenectady Daily Gazette* on Saturday, Nov. 22. Go to <http://www.dailygazette.net/Repository/ml.asp?Issue=SCH/2003/11/22&ID=Ar01702&Mode=html> to see the article online.

Natalie Weathers, assistant professor of Fashion Apparel Management, was featured on WCAU-TV (NBC10) News at 11 p.m. on Nov. 25. The segment examined the sizing differences that exist among women's clothing brands. Click on <http://www.nbc10.com/consumeralert/2664276/detail.html> to read the story online.

Thursday, December 4

President's Council, Student Government Association, final semester meeting

11 a.m.

Downs Auditorium

This meeting will be short, due to the busy time of year, however very important information will be handed out regarding next semesters meetings. Please be in attendance so you will be well informed!

Contact: Luke Bourassa, SGA Vice President, Student Activities Office, x2744

Graduate School Preparation Workshop

11:15 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.

Tuttleman Center, Room 109

Contact: Career Services, x2930

Black Student Union Meeting

11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Downs Hall Room 8

All are welcome!

Contact: Evina Scott, 215.843.0334

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8 to 10 p.m.

Downs Auditorium

Sponsored by Delta Phi Epsilon

Contact: Denise Lee, x1841

SAVE THE DATE

Architecture Lecture Series Upcoming Exhibits

Independent Studies Photography Exhibit

December 1 to December 18

Search Hall Photography Gallery

Design Studio Exhibits

Architecture and Design Center Gallery

Visit <http://www.PhilaU.edu/archdes/Lecture> for more information.

Target to Sponsor Design Center/Philadelphia Art Alliance Exhibit

The Design Center and the Philadelphia Art Alliance are collaborating on a hands-on design exhibit that addresses modern living. The exhibition *Hopping Fences: Influences in modern living* will open January 16 and run through May 2, 2004.

Mark your calendars for the opening reception on Friday, February 13, 2004 from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. at 251 S. 18th Street, Philadelphia. The presenting sponsor for *Hopping Fences* is Target. City Paper is the media sponsor for the exhibition. For more information, contact The Design Center at

Faculty and Staff Annual Holiday Party

Friday, December 19

3 to 6 p.m.

Germantown Cricket Club

411 W. Manheim Street

Philadelphia, PA

Please RSVP at SpecialEvents@PhilaU.edu or 215.951.2970.

Friday, December 5

Friday Prayers

Sponsored by Minaret

1 to 1:55 p.m.

Student Center Room 108

Members of the Islamic faith and the University community are invited.

Contact: Murad Oomer, 215.713.1885

To tell us about news or events to be included in *ThisWeek@PhilaU*, please contact Emily Neff, Public Relations at 215.951.2851 or neffe@PhilaU.edu, by noon on Fridays.