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FORMER INTERIOR DESIGN PROGRAM
COORDINATOR JOSETTE RABUN RETIRES

Dr. Josette Rabun, former interior design program coordinator, retired on July 31. Professor Rabun joined the Interior Design faculty in 1982 and became program coordinator in 1992, leading the program to national recognition. She is a Fellow in the Interior Design Education Council. She will be recognized with Professor Emeritus status through the Office of the Chancellor.

FALL 2009 CHURCH LECTURE SERIES BEGINS MONDAY

Several nationally and internationally prominent architects, designers, historians and theorists have been invited to the college to present their work as part of the Robert B. Church III Memorial Lecture Series this semester. The series begins Monday at 5:30 p.m. with Alberto Campo Baeza.

ASSISTANT PROFESSORS TED SHELTON AND TRICIA STUTH HONORED BY AIA

Assistant Professors Ted Shelton and Tricia Stuth have received the AIA State of Tennessee Award of Excellence for their Ghost Houses project, a market rate rental duplex in Knoxville. Awards were announced at the AIA State Convention held in Knoxville in July.

NEWS FROM THE INTERIOR DESIGN PROGRAM

The Interior Design Program has welcomed former associate professor Mary Beth Robinson back to the college. Robinson will begin the fall 2009 semester as a full-time professor. Another new addition to the faculty is Ryann Aoukar, an outstanding design professional from New York. In additional news, search for a new Chair of the Interior Design program remains open, and the college would like to hear from any who are interested.

AIAS STUDENT CHAPTER TRAVELS TO...
NATION'S CAPITAL FOR LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

The American Institute of Architecture Students presented the 25th annual Grassroots Leadership Conference in Washington, D.C. in July. The conference offers instruction and tips on how to be an effective leader, run a successful AIAS chapter, and on motivating and organizing students. The college was able to send two representatives to the conference this year.

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PAUL BOWMAN STEPS DOWN AS DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR

Paul Bowman, development director for the College of Architecture and Design since November 2008, has accepted a position with UT’s Institute for Public Service. In his ten months with the college, Bowman was able to get the ball rolling on several development initiatives and travelled extensively visiting with alumni. The college wishes him the best of luck in his new position.

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Auditorium

10.26 - Lecture by Mark Linder, 5:30 p.m., McCarty Auditorium

11.02 - Lecture by Jose Mario Gutierrez Marquez, 5:30 p.m., McCarty Auditorium