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class schedule Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9am-9:50am

prerequisite LAND 365

credits 2

introduction Patterns and Forms are found all around us, at varying scales, and various colors and textures. Historical and natural forms influence us as designers. Visual Research and documentation allow us to become more aware of our surroundings, changing the way we see, feel, experience, and design our landscape.

additional class material

Notebook/sketchbook (with pen, charcoal, graphite), digital storage media (USB drive 4GB or larger or portable desktop drive).

Schedule of Classes

Week 1_ September 16	Pattern + Process, Form + Function
September 18	Documenting a Pattern Form Outside: Dress warm. Bring Handouts, and sketchbook.
Week 2_ September 23	In-class preparation for presentations
September 25	Presentations (3) + Discussion
Week 3_ September 30	Presentations (3) + Discussion
October 2	Presentations (3) + Summary Discussion

Each of you will form a team of 3 or 4 and will collectively give a 10-15 minute presentation on a given landscape architecture project. Each of you will also be responsible for writing a one page, 12 pt., single spaced summary on your project and how pattern/process/form/function was an influence on the design. Papers are due on October 2, the last class.

Projects will be announced at the beginning of class on Tuesday, September 23.