

# UF SCASLA OCTOBER 2016 NEWSLETTER



SCASLA members posing for a group picture at the New Orleans National Conference

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## NATIONAL CONFERENCE

UF SCASLA members enjoying their time at the 2016 LA National Conference.

## DRINK-N-DRAW

Each week members are invited to various locations around Gainesville to socialize, drink, eat and sketch together. The event occurs weekly, alternating on Wednesdays/Thursdays.

## INTERNSHIPS AND PORTFOLIOS

The third year students in the LA program will be doing their summer/fall internships in 2017. SCASLA will be doing portfolio critiques after general body meetings.

## FALL SEMESTER UPCOMING EVENTS

**IRBY READING GARDEN**  
The students in our chapter are progressing in the design of Irby's outdoor reading garden. After completing a site visit on Friday (11/4), our designers are ready for the next step. Researching materials and costs for our program elements, students will begin construction of these in just a couple of weeks. After working hard on the site on Saturday (11/19), there will be a BBQ social at the nearby springs to cool off and relax.

**LABASH 2017**  
Next year's LABASH conference will be taking place in Baltimore, Maryland. Students have the opportunity to buy an early bird ticket and save a significant amount of money. Members are encouraged to go in order to expand their knowledge of landscape architecture.

## IMPORTANT DATES

OCT 26 SKETCHING SOCIAL  
OCT 27 IRBY CHARETTE  
NOV 3 GB MEETING

NOV 19 SPRINGS BBQ SOCIAL  
DEC 1 GB MEETING

## PAST EVENTS

### ACCREDITATION VISIT

Towards the end of October, an accreditation team visited UF's landscape architecture department in order to renew their accreditation. Students met with the team, touring them around campus, interviewing about the program, and having lunch with the team. The efforts paid off, as our results were full of positive feedback.

### SCASLA IN NEW ORLEANS

The LA national conference took place in New Orleans in 2016. on October 21-24th. Some of our members took the opportunity to explore innovations in the field and gain knowledge from guest speakers. There were vendors from across the globe, and exciting new ideas about the profession circulating the conference.



Students participating in last week's Drink-N-Draw



ASLA members getting a bite to eat after the NOLA conference lectures

### NEW ADVOCACY FLYER

We would like to give a special thanks to our advocacy team for creating this new recruitment postcard (front and back shown to the right) to promote the profession and the UF Landscape Architecture Program. Future projects for the team include a recruitment booklet that further expands on the profession and program.



The springs where students will relax after working at Irby



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