

# HILLIER COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE AND DESIGN

50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of New Jersey School of Architecture 15<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of School of Art + Design



1885 Newark Technical School opens.
1889 Two-year course in architectural drawing added to the curriculum.
1949 Newark Technical School becomes Newark College of Engineering (NCE).





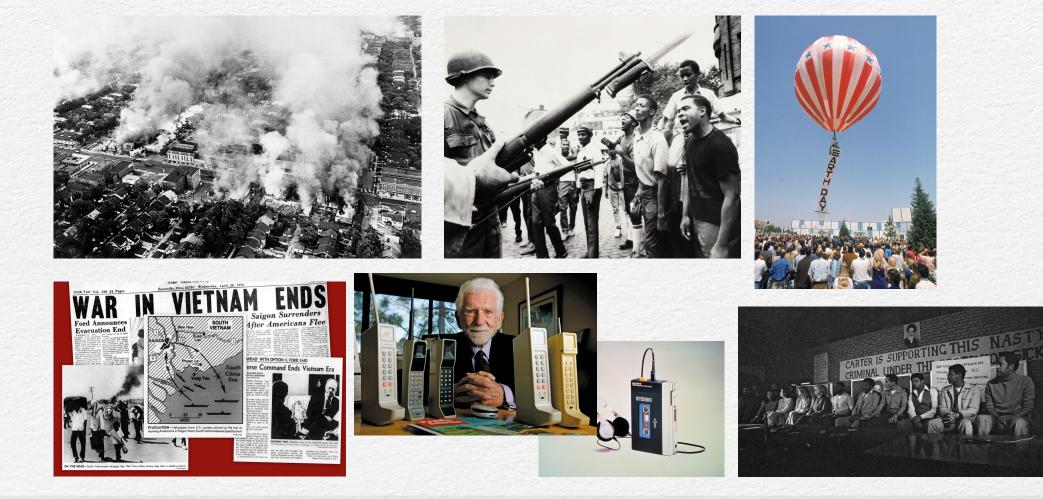
1926 Groundbreaking for Campbell Hall, initial home of the New Jersey School of Architecture office.







1973 With establishment of the New Jersey School of Architecture, the Newark College of Engineering becomes the New Jersey Institute of Technology.



1960s ~ 1970s

1967 Newark rebellion 1970 First Earth Day 1975 Vietnam war ends 1972-73 Cellphone invented 1979 Walkman invented 1979 Iran hostages

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Harlyn Thompson appointed founding Dean.

Founding faculty includes Don Wall, Troy West, and Steve Zdepski. The early focus of the New Jersey School of Architecture (NJSoA) was on developing a socially based, experiential curriculum with an emphasis on design, scholarship and criticism, urban design and advocacy.



# ARCHITECTURE FACULTY

Full time and adjunct faculty are being sought for New Jersey's new school of architecture. Initial faculty must be concerned and experienced in a comprehensive approach to problem solving. Team teaching will be basic, requiring collective expertise in all aspects of a professional program involving not only architecture but also the allied disciplines of planning, landscape architecture, urban design, interiors, industrial design, graphic design and the social and behavioral sciences. In an atmosphere free of traditional constraints, faculty, administration and students will develop together the new school's undergraduate program. Contact Dean Harlyn Thompson, School of Architecture, Newark College of Engineering, Newark, New Jersey 07102 (201) 645-5541. An equal opportunity employer.





**1970s** NJSoA administrative office in Campbell Hall.





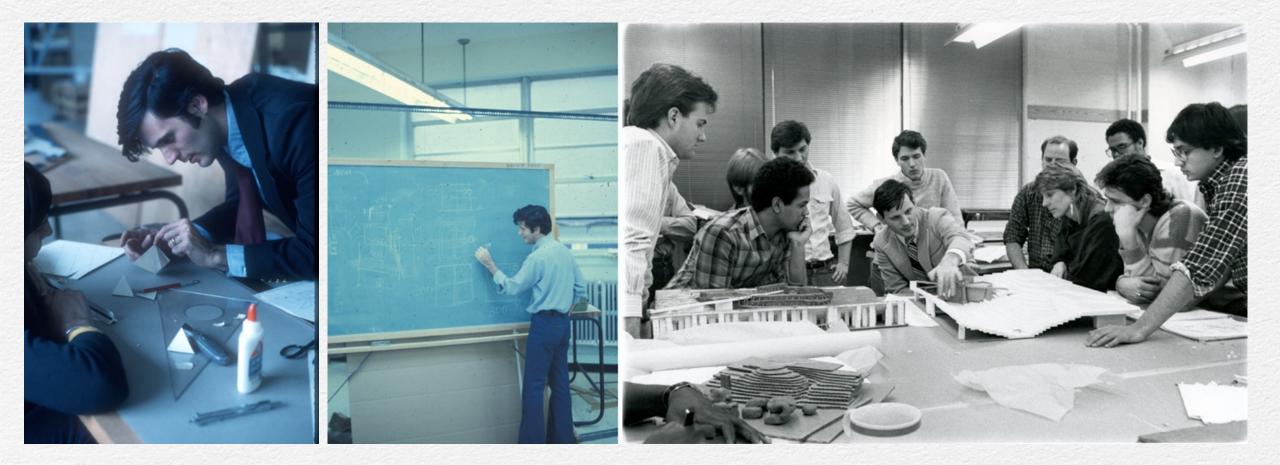
**1970s** Founding Prof. Troy West.





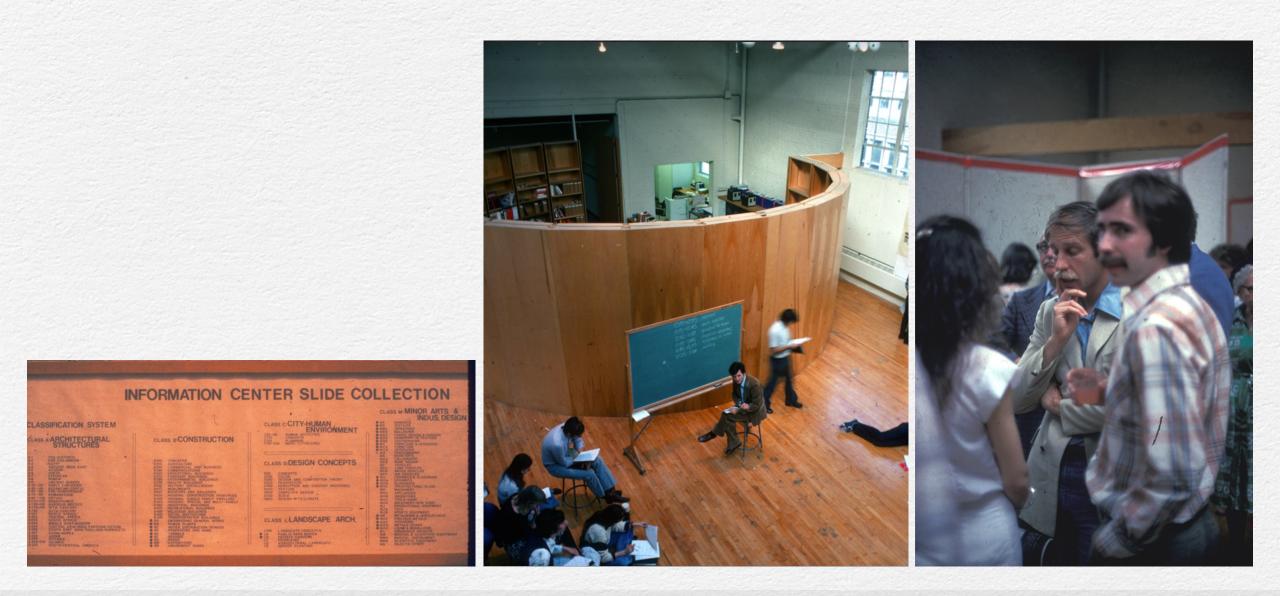
**1970s** Founding Prof. Don Wall.





**1970s** Founding Prof. Steve Zdepski.





**1970s** Founding NJSoA librarian Stephen Van Dyk.





First National Architecture Accrediting Board (NAAB) visit.



## **Fifth Year Architecture**



**1979** Fifth year architecture class.





1979 Prof. Barry Jackson appointed acting dean. Jackson at his two favorite keyboards.









AIDS epidemic. PC and Macintosh invented. AutoCad and 3D printing invented.

1980s





Sanford (Sandy) Greenfield named second Dean of NJSoA. Prof. Sandy Moore (left) appointed Associate Dean.

1981

#### ARCHITECTURE

1982

## FULL TIME ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS IN ARCHITECTURE

The New Jersey School of Architecture seeks candidates for tenure-track professional positions for the Fall. 1982, academic year. Founded in 1881, the Institute is a state-supported, coeducational, technological university with a total enrollment of 6.500 students at Baccalaureate through doctoral levels. The full time faculty numbers approx, 265. NJIT is located 10 miles from New York City, with a mission involving instruction, research and public service. NJIT offers Bachelor, Master and Doctoral degrees in a wide variety of technological disciplines. The Institute's modern, 30-acre campus is in close proximity to three other public institutions of higher learning.

#### PROFESSOR

Teach Design, conduct research and provide direction to developing programs. Applicants may qualify by demonstrating a distinguished record of achievement in professional practice in architecture or urban design, research and teaching experience at the university level.

### ASSOC./ASST. PROFESSOR

Teach studio courses in either Introductory. Basic Design or Professional Architecture program and specialty area Requirements include a Master of Architecture degree or university level teaching experience with research, professional practice or completed PhD coursework.

Application Deadline is March 1, 1982. Send letter of application and curriculum vitae to Office of Personnel, Box PA.

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NJSoA in San Francisco Examiner, January 17, 1982.



**1980s** Sandy Greenfield (center) with Profs. Don Wall and Leslie Weisman.





1985 With grants and industry support, Glenn Goldman and Steve Zdepski establish one of the first fully electronic architectural design studios in the United States.





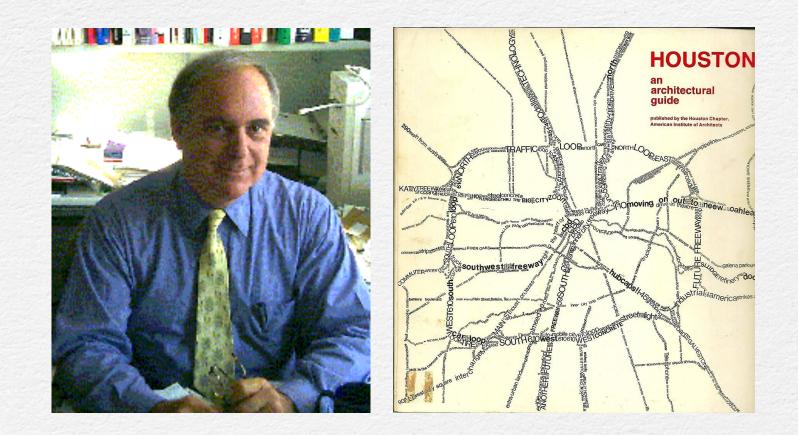
**1980s** Prof. Tony Schuman with M.Arch. student Muyiwa Aliu (right).





**1980s** Prof. Leslie Weisman, leading feminist thinker and writer, joins faculty.





The graduate M.Arch. program was established with Prof. Peter Papademetriou as director.





**1980s** Prof. Karen Franck, environmental psychologist and author, joins faculty.





**1980s** Prof. Zeynep Celik, architectural historian and author of multiple books on the nineteenth and twentieth century urban history, colonialism, orientalism and modernity joins faculty.





The first Beaux Arts Ball raises funds for the school library.





**1980s** Faculty and students, the New Jersey School of Architecture.





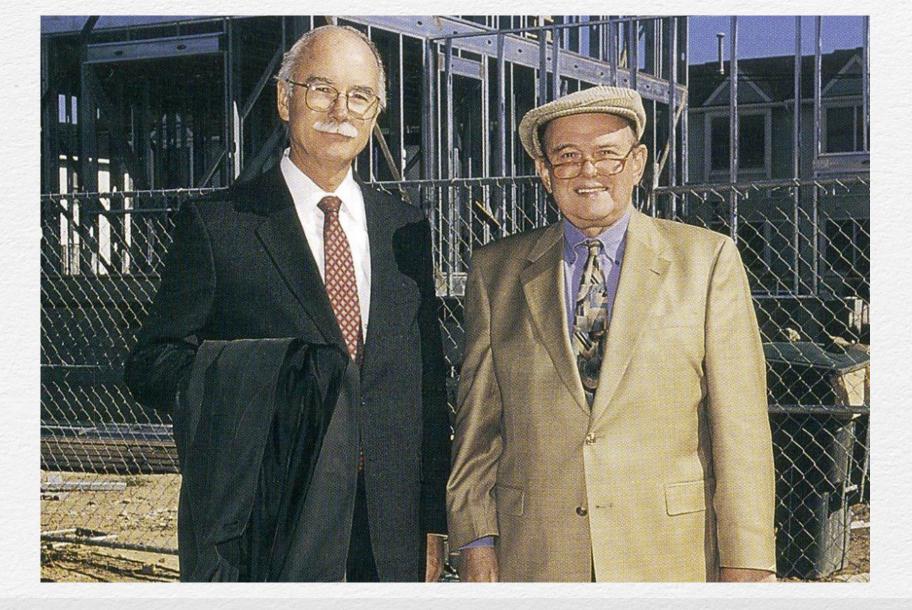
**1985** Glenn Goldman and students from the class of 1989.





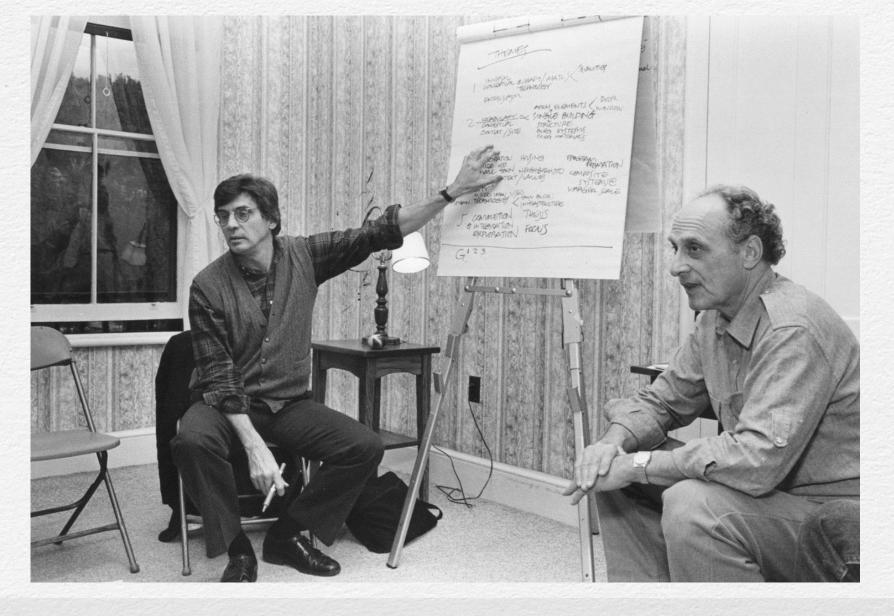
**1980s** Prof. Filiz Ozel joined NJSoA as part of the early digital faculty cohort.





1989 Noted architect Ezra Ehrenkrantz (right), named founding director of the Center for Architecture and Building Science Research, forerunner of the Center for Building Knowledge.





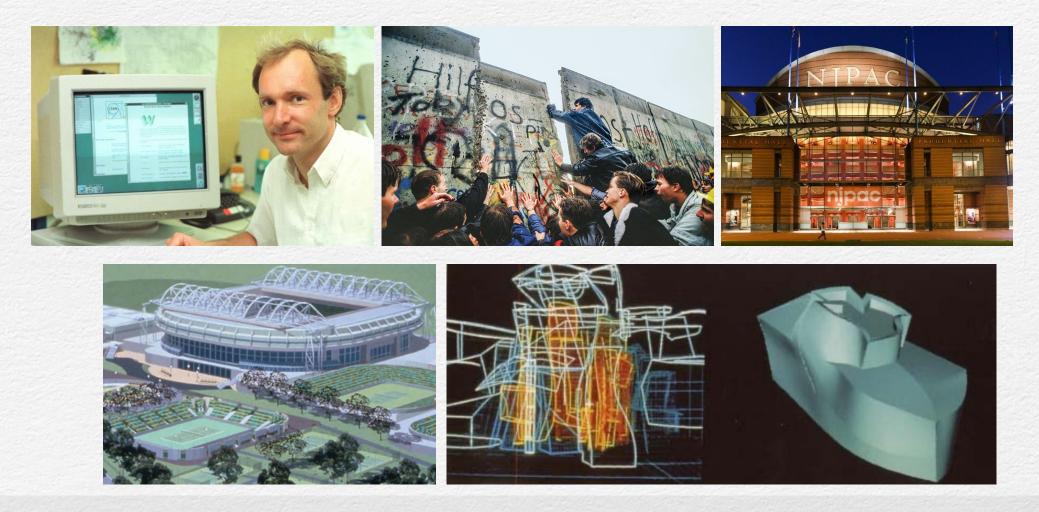
Circa Michael Mostoller and Sandy Greenfield at a faculty retreat. 1989





**Circa** 1989

At faculty retreat: Student advisor Elly Matzko, unknown, Profs. Karen Franck, Leslie Weisman, David Hawk, Dean Greenfield, Profs. Kevin Wilkes, Fred Travisano. Foreground: Office manager Ruth Baker, Prof. Tony Schuman.



1990s 1991 Tim Berners-Lee releases the first web browser software to developers.
 1991 Berlin wall comes down and Germany reunifies.
 1997 NJPAC opens.
 BIM gains traction.
 Parametric design introduced.



**1990s** Prof. Urs Gauchat appointed third Dean of NJSoA; faculty adopts a new curriculum emphasizing visualization technology. Prof. Gauchat served as Dean from 1991-2016.





1990s Clockwise from upper left: Elly Matzko, Jim Dyer; Donna Sessons, Hope Allen, Barbara Littman; student and faculty celebrations; Tony Schuman, Darius Sollohub, John Cays, Glenn Goldman, Peggy Fitzpatrick.





1992 Imaging Labs established. Mike Hoon, '90, Manager of IT Resources, working in newly established print lab.



With the addition of a circulating collection, the Architecture Information Center becomes a free-standing branch architecture library.





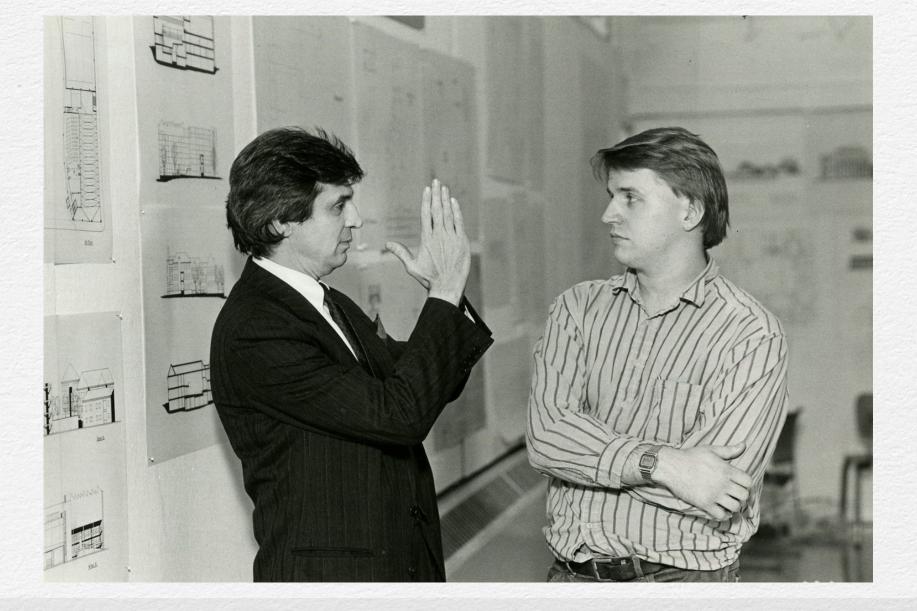
1992 Summer Abroad Program established in Siena, Italy, by Prof. Peter Lang.





Students working in one of the early computer labs.





1994 Prof. Michael Mostoller became the first NJSoA faculty member elected to AIA College of Fellows, followed in 2007 by Glenn Goldman.





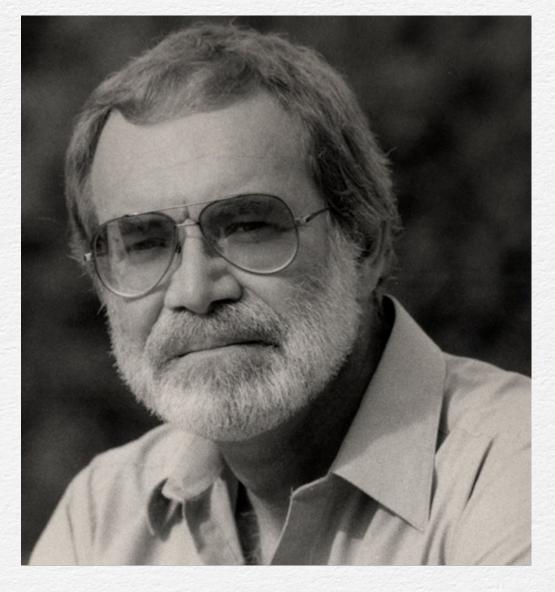
**1990s** "Super Jury" year end review in the 5th floor Gallery.





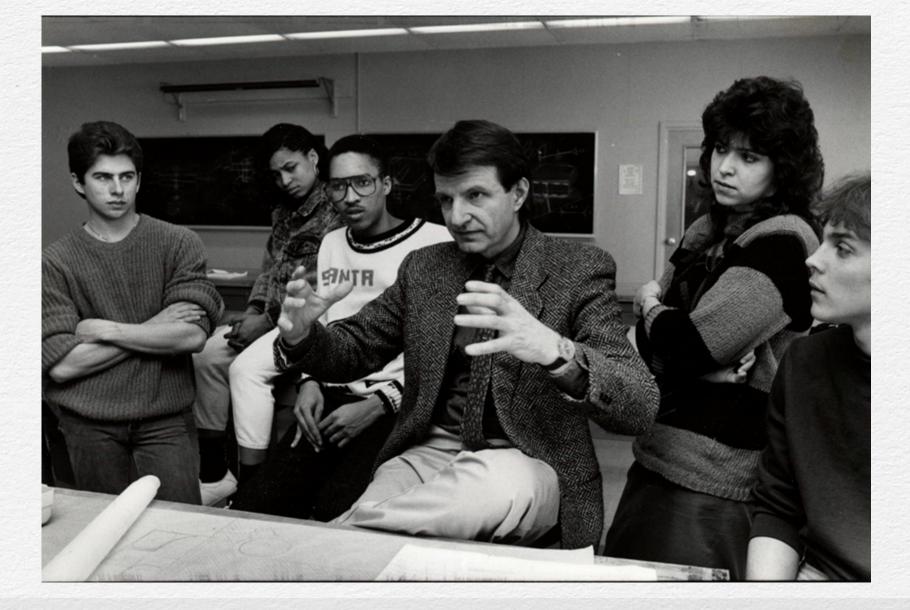
**1990s** Prof. Joy Siegel.





1996 Master in Infrastructure Planning (MIP) program established with Prof. Antonio de Souza Santos as founding director.





1990s Prof. David Elwell.





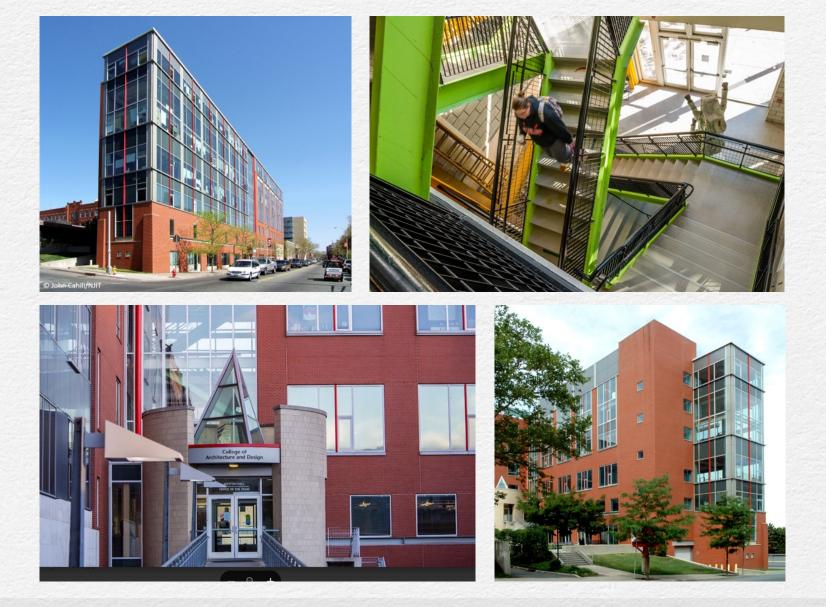
**1990s** Prof. Timothy (Tim) Wood.





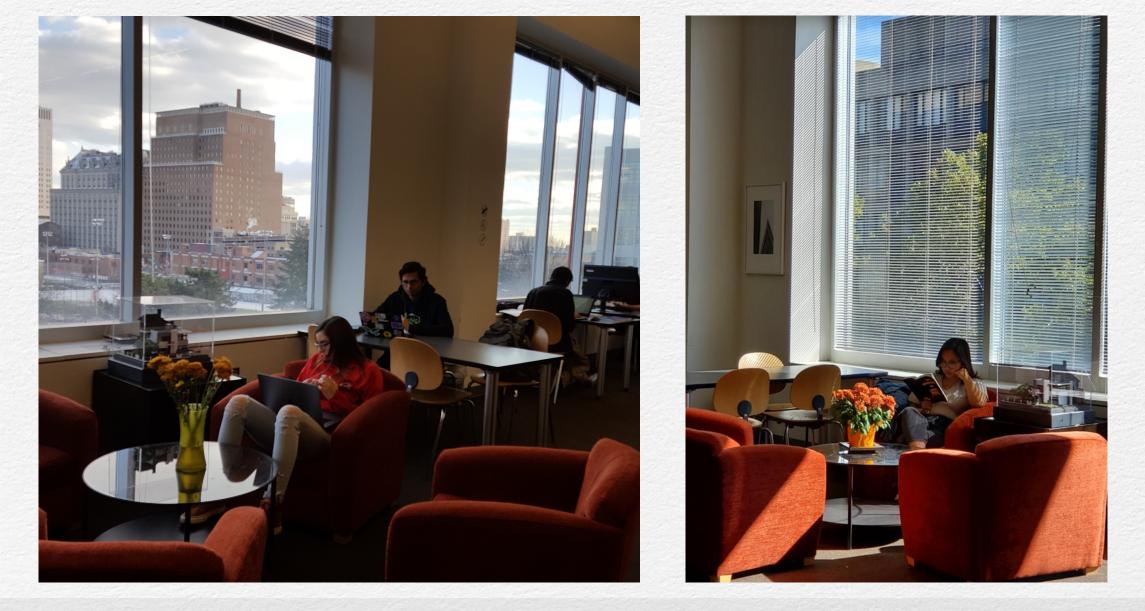
**1990s** "Super Jury" Review in a studio in 5<sup>th</sup> floor Gallery.





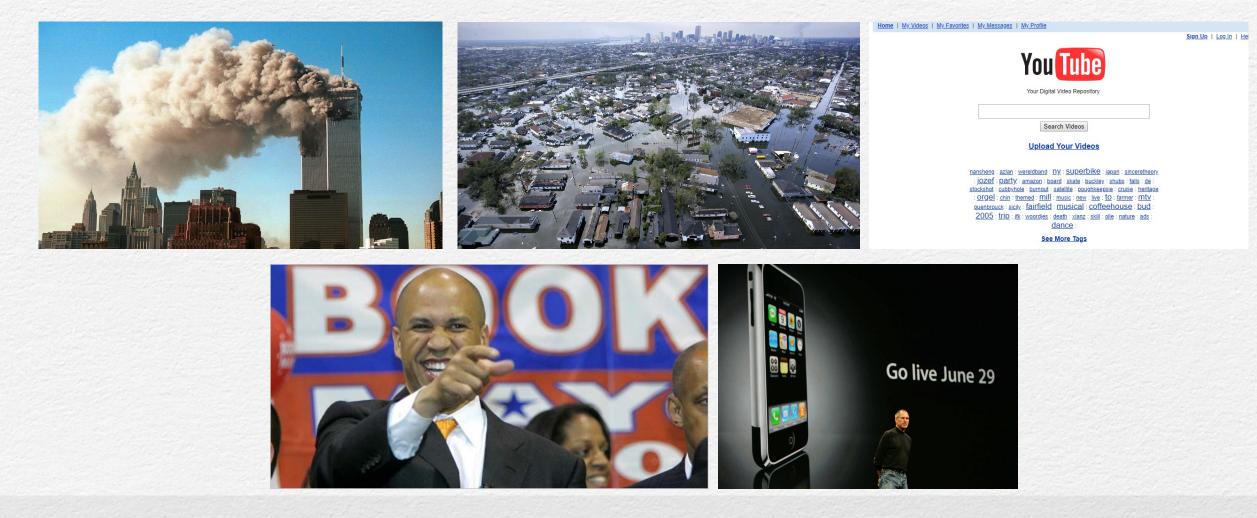
1997- Weston Hall renovated and new addition designed by Alan Chimacoff of1998 Hillier Architects to house the School of Architecture.





Library moves into renovated quarters in Weston; in 2000 it was named after benefactors Barbara and Leonard Littman.





2000s 2001 9/11 WTC attack 2005 Hurricane Katrina 2005 YouTube launched 2006 Cory Booker elected Mayor of Newark 2007 iphone released





2000s Engagement with Newark: High school students visit the library (left). Students participate in a Newark Museum maker fair with local middle school students (right).







## Center for Building Knowledge

CBK's mission is to help individuals and communities make better-informed decisions about the performance, sustainability and resilience of buildings and communities.

## Creating Knowledge for Sustainability in the Built Environment

CBK RESEARCH

2002

National Institute of Building Sciences Awardee, Deane Evans. FAIA, appointed Director of the Center for Architecture and Building Science Research, later renamed the Center for Building Knowledge.





2000s Bob Altenkirch, Peggy Fitzpatrick, Glenn Goldman. Fred Little, Elly Matzko, Sasha Corchado. Samanthea Jones, Hope Allen, Manuel Rodriguez.





2004 Don Menke, students and faculty at party in gallery.





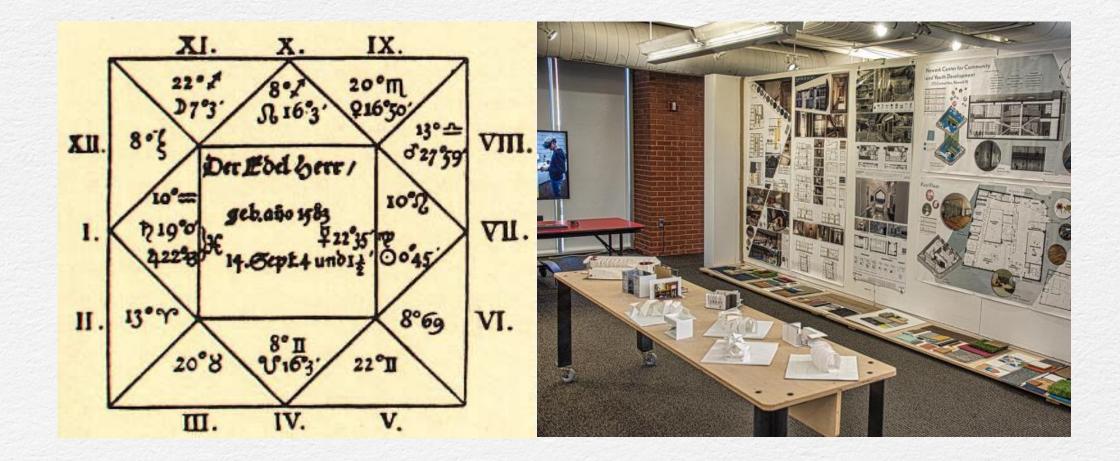
John Cays appointed Associate Dean.





2005 Masonry Competition launched in collaboration with Masonry Contractors of NJ.



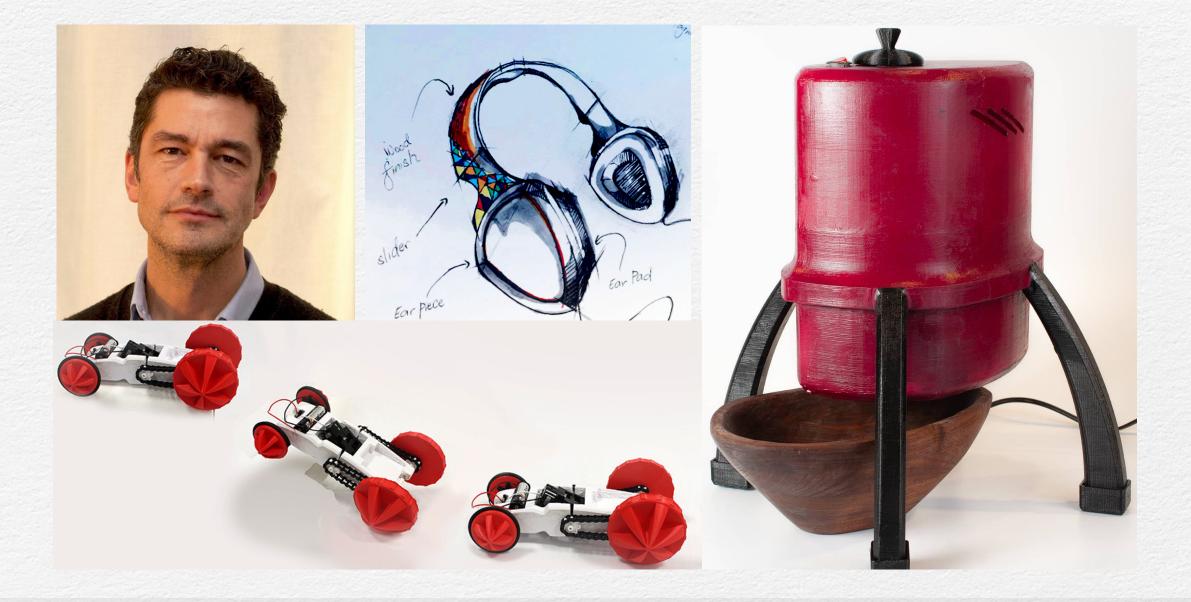


2005- Kepler becomes the digital archive for the college, the first ever digital evidence
2006 platform for accreditation, supporting the physical display of work.



2000s Profs. Julio Garcia Figueroa, Thomas Ogorzalek, David Elwell, and Sergio Duran.

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2006 Bachelor of Industrial Design program welcomes first students (Prof. Jose Alcala coordinator).





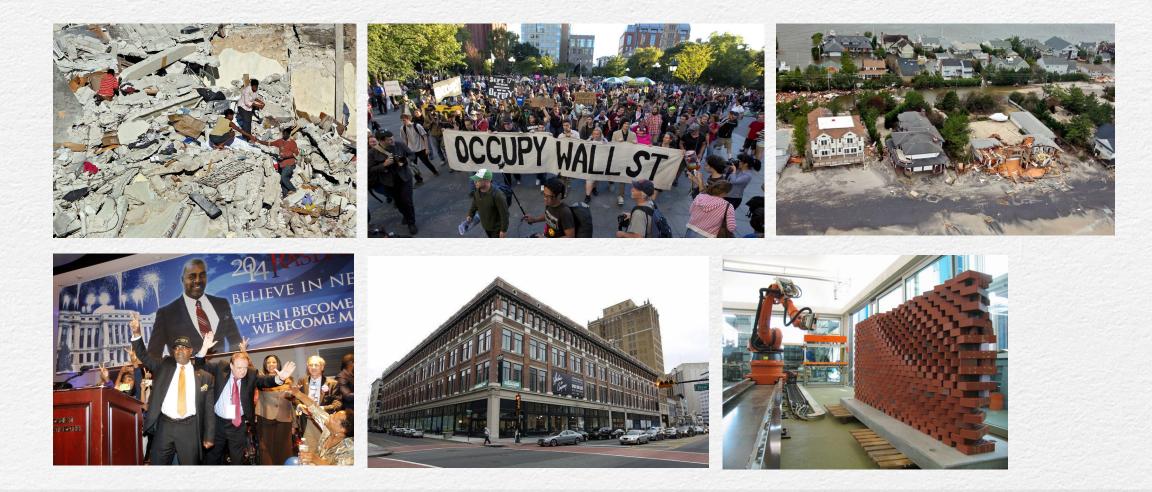
2007 School of Architecture first year students.





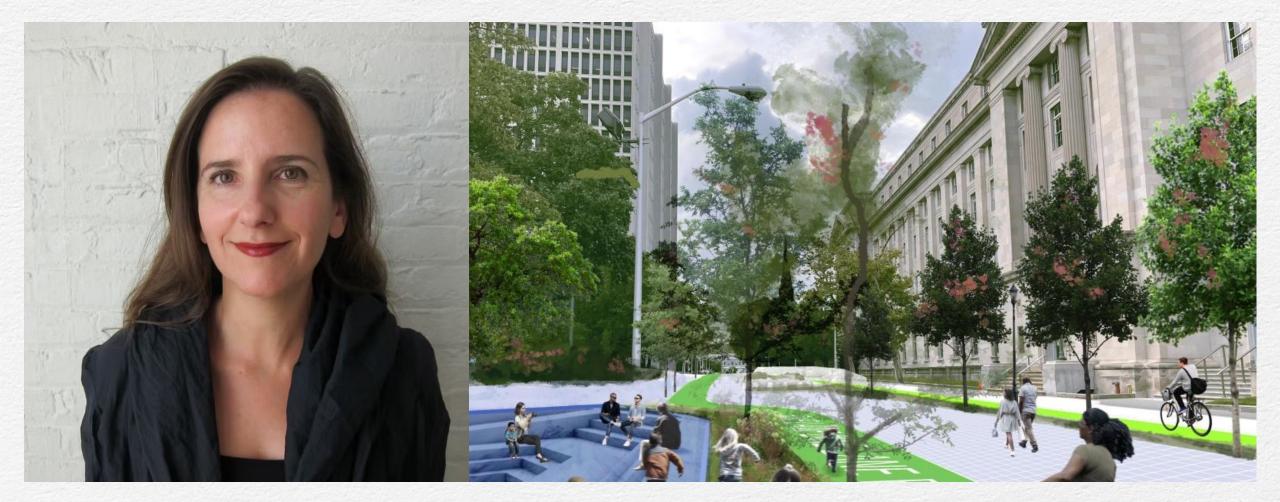
Left to Right : Prof. Glenn Goldman, Founding Director, David Brothers, Augustus Wendell.

**2008** School of Art + Design established with degrees in Interior Design (Prof. David Brothers coordinator) and Digital Design (Prof. Augustus Wendell coordinator). The School of Art and Design (A+D) and the NJSoA combine to create the College of Architecture and Design (CoAD).



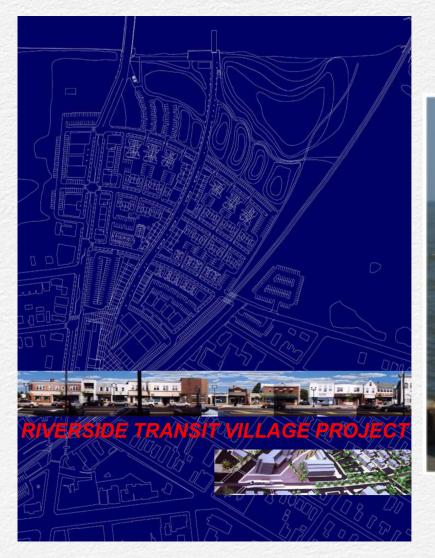
2010s
2010 Earthquake in Haiti.
2011 Occupy Wall Street.
2012 Hurricane Sandy.
2014 Ras Baraka elected Mayor.
2017 Hahne's reopens.
Robotics introduced at NJSoA.

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Prof. Georgeen Theodore appointed Director of MIP program.

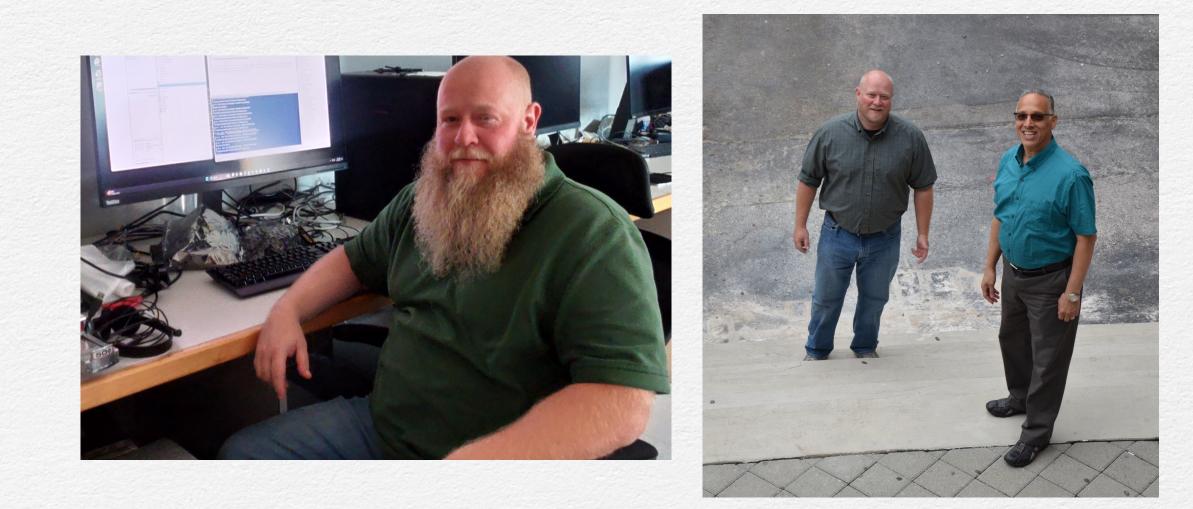






**2020s** Master of Infrastructure Planning (MIP) Riverside Transit Village Project. Prof. Solluhub with MIP students after Katrina.





2010s Our stellar IT team Mike Kehoe and Manuel Rodriquez. Not pictured Richard O'Brian. to present



**2010s** Prof. David Brothers with Interior Design students on a field trip.

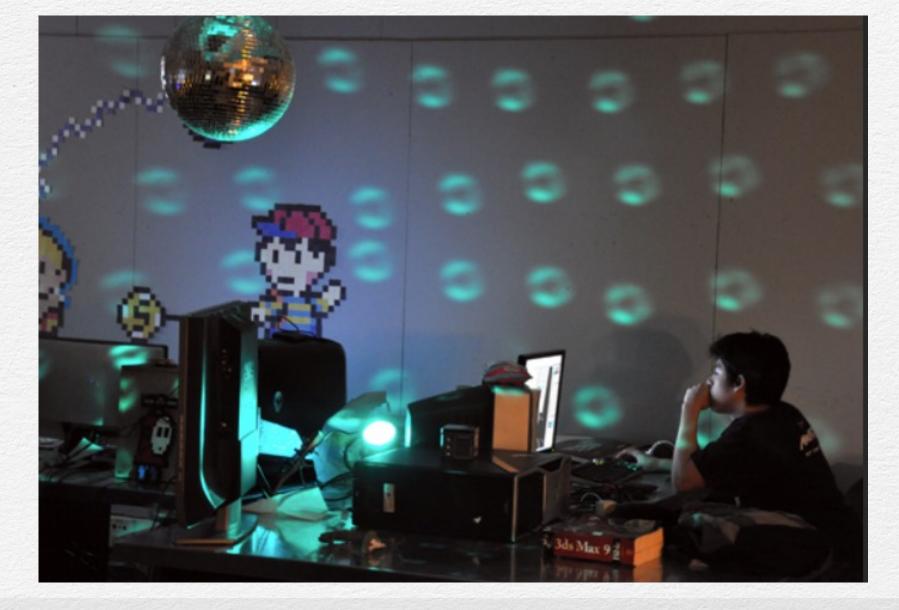




**Circa 2010** 

Federated Ph.D. program in Urban Studies established with Rutgers and UMDNJ. "Tea for PhD" in Littman Library with (clockwise from lower left) doctoral students Burçak Ozludil, Sonay Aykan, Ha Pham, Emery Huang, Sevin Yildiz, and Aris Damadian.





Digital Design Studio.

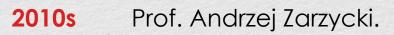




2010s Jim Whelan at an opening in the gallery. Fred Little at gallery event.











**2010s** Prof. Taro Narahara.

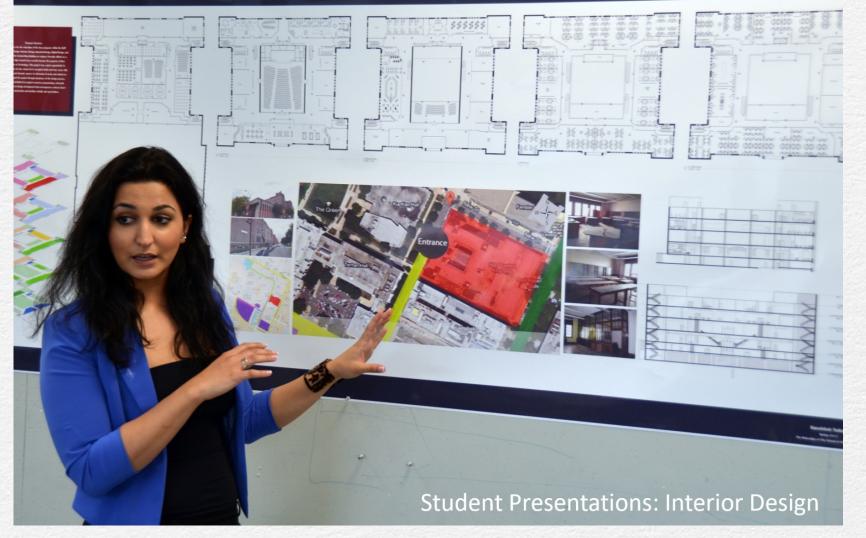




2012 First graduating class in Interior Design



## The Relocation of the School of Art and Design



**2010s** Banafsheh Soltani, (B.A. Int. Design '12, M.Arch. 14').





**2010s** The original NCE gymnasium renovated for NJSoA studios.





## 2010s Students in the Library.





2010 2010 Autodesk University Anita Graham (B.A. Interior Design '12 and Ian Siegel (B.Arch. '12).





Design students visiting Samsung store.





2012 Shore clean-up during Alternative Spring Break after Hurricane Sandy.





**2010s** Digital Scholarship Lab created with endowment from the Littman Family.





2013 Littman Library renovation expands library space, designed by Barbara Littman (M.Arch. '94) and sponsored by the Littman Family. Barbara and Leonard Littman at the reopening of the library.







2013 Materials Library established.





2013 ComicCon in New York city with Prof. Martina Decker.





2014 Music in the Library Program introduced sponsored by alumni Aris Damadian (M.Arch. '06, Ph.D. Urban Systems '16) and Josh Lindemans (M.Arch.'10).





2014 Interior Design Program receives initial accreditation from CIDA. Prof. David Brothers, Coordinator.





Matt Gosser, HCAD gallery curator, photographer, Newark art and artifact collector. **2010s** With Willie Cole and Anker West. Former store front of Art & Artifacts of Newark.

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present





**2015 to** Glenn Goldman and HCAD team at SIGGRAPH. **present** 





All Art + Design programs receive initial accreditation from NASAD, renewed in 2021.
 2021



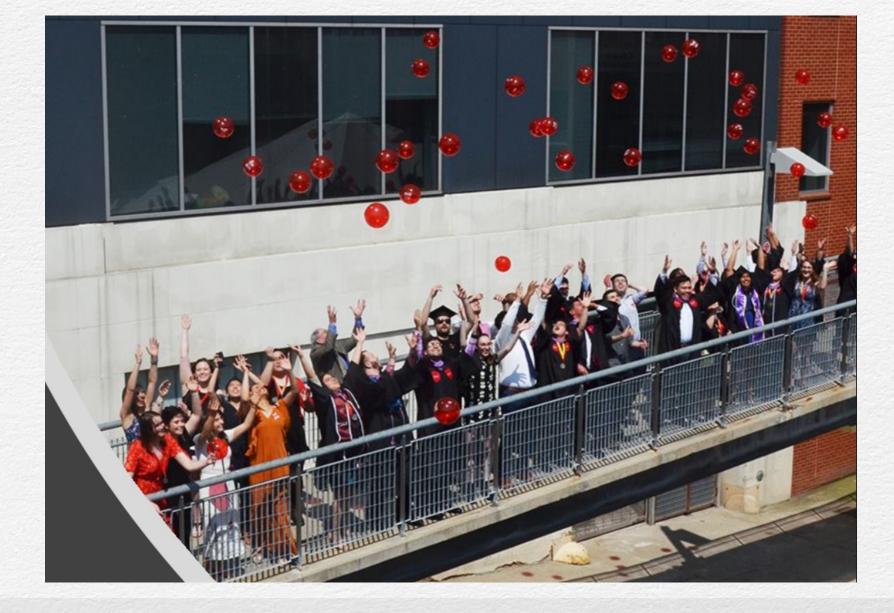
2016 Michael Schnoering '89, Schnoering + Mills, becomes first NJSoA alumnus elected AIA College of Fellows.





2017 Dean Gauchat retires; Prof. Tony Schuman appointed Interim Dean. Dean Schuman at graduation reception on Weston Green.







2017 College graduation.



2017 Andrew Sanchez (B.Arch.'17 in 3D print lab).





2018 Michael Mostoller (1938-2017). Dedication of the Mostoller Reading Room in Littman Library.





2018 Dedication of the Mostoller Room. Dean Schuman, Prof. Karen Franck and Yina Moore.





Prof. Darius Sollohub at the opening of an exhibition in the Mostoller Room.





2018 NJIT hosts the Global Game Jam.





Solar Decathlon competitions: NJIT presents work in Washington DC in 2011, in 2013
 participates with Harbin Institute of Technology to build the Nexus House, and in
 2018 builds another solar house in China.





2010s Author Book Talks by Profs. Theodore, Lecavalier and Hurtado de Mendoza (clockwise from top left).





**2010s** Book presentations by Profs. Taher and Sollohub.





2018 Amada Belton, Manuel Rodriguez, and Sasha Corchado at Library exhibit of Prof. Goldman's photography class. Tony Schuman and students review a book display.





Profs. Zdepski and Goldman at Convocation.





2019 Branko Kolarevic named Dean of Hillier College of Architecture and Design. (Left to Right: Dean Kolarevic, Stacey Weglein, Prof. Tony Schuman, and Urs Gauchat).





2019 Two generations of HCAD alumni, Prof. Thomas (Tom) Navin with Zampolin family.





Design Showcase.

2019





2019 In recognition of the largest single gift in the history of NJIT, the College is named in honor of the donors, J. Robert and Barbara A Hillier, pictured here.



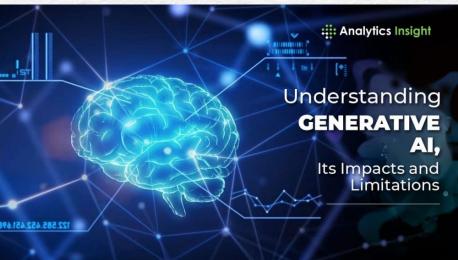


2019 Weston Lecture Hall renovated as Alumni Lecture Hall in honor of financial support from alumni.





Coronavirus Disease 2019 Outbreak



2020s Black Lives Matter movement. COVID 19. Al usage expands.





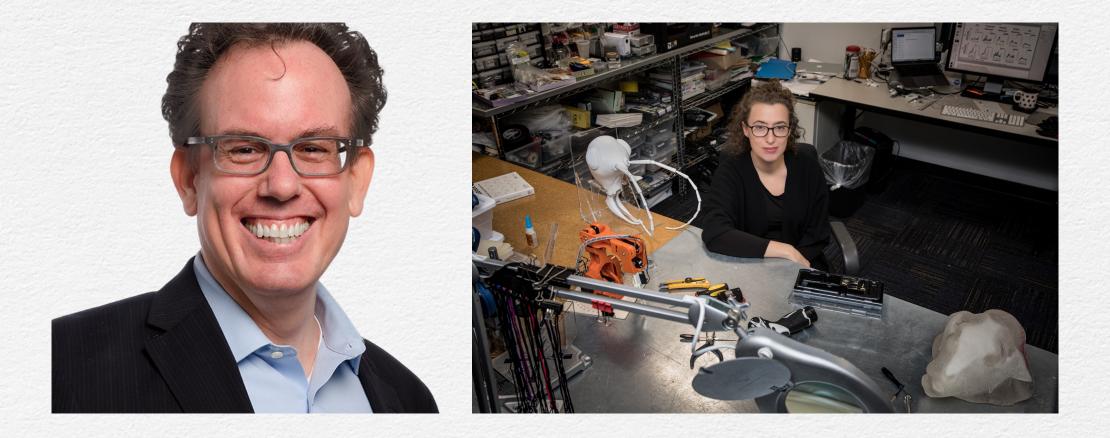
2020s Mohamed Elshahed, '05 founder of Cairo Observer, expert in Egyptian modern architecture with students at lecture series.





Prof. Hyojin Kim is appointed Director of the Joint Ph.D. Program in Urban Systems at NJIT. PhD. Students recognized with the Dana Knox award.





Glenn Goldman, founding director of the School of Art + Design, steps down and is succeeded by Interim Directors John Cays and Martina Decker.





Tea with Alumni presentation by Leslie Marchio (M.Arch. '06)

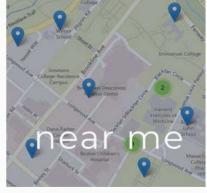


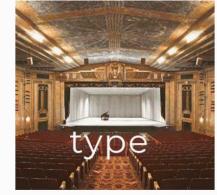


**2020s** Profs. Tom Navin (left), Cleve Harp (right).



## SOCIETY OF ARCHITECTURAL HISTORIANS







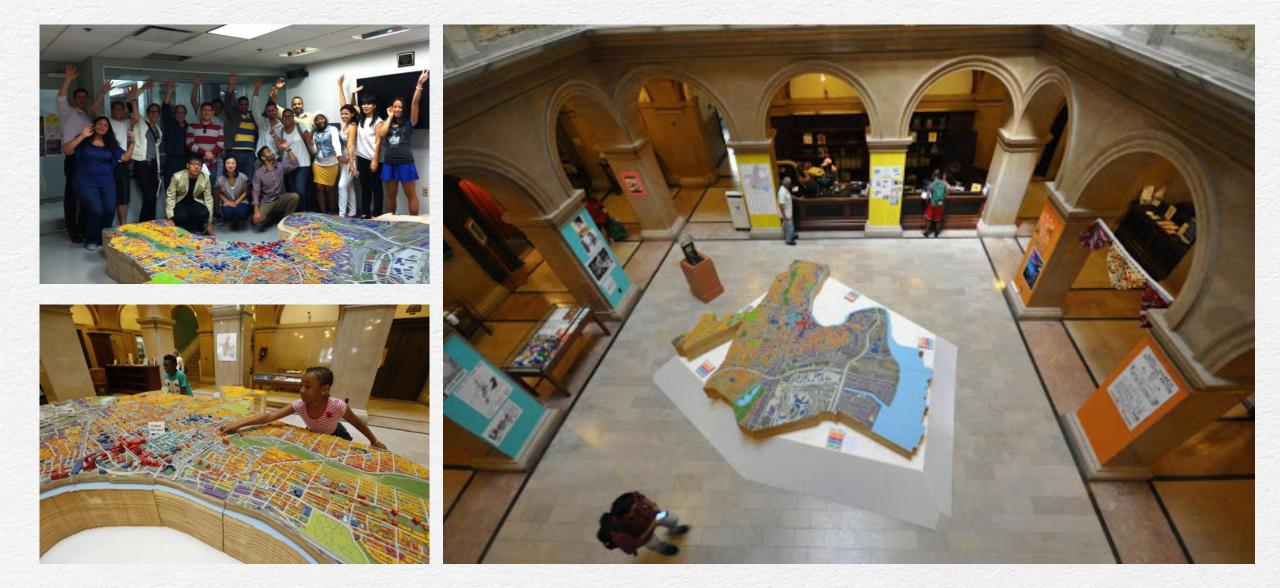








2021 Prof. Gabrielle Esperdy appointed Editor in Chief, Society of Architectural Historians Archipedia + Buildings of the United States (BUS) book series and awarded Excellence in Research Prize and Medal Recipient, NJIT.



2021 The Newark City model, created largely by HCAD students, was a forerunner of the Newark Design Collaborative. Shown here is the initial installation in the Newark Public Library. The permanent installation in Newark City Hall.





Prof. Gabrielle Esperdy appointed Interim Dean.





Opening of the exhibition Women in Architecture and Design.





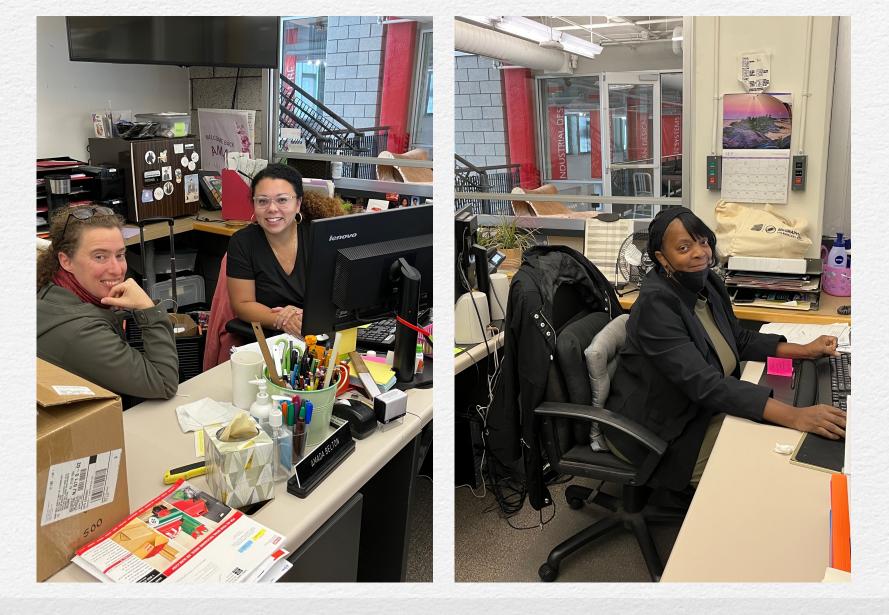
Trivia and Game Nights in the library





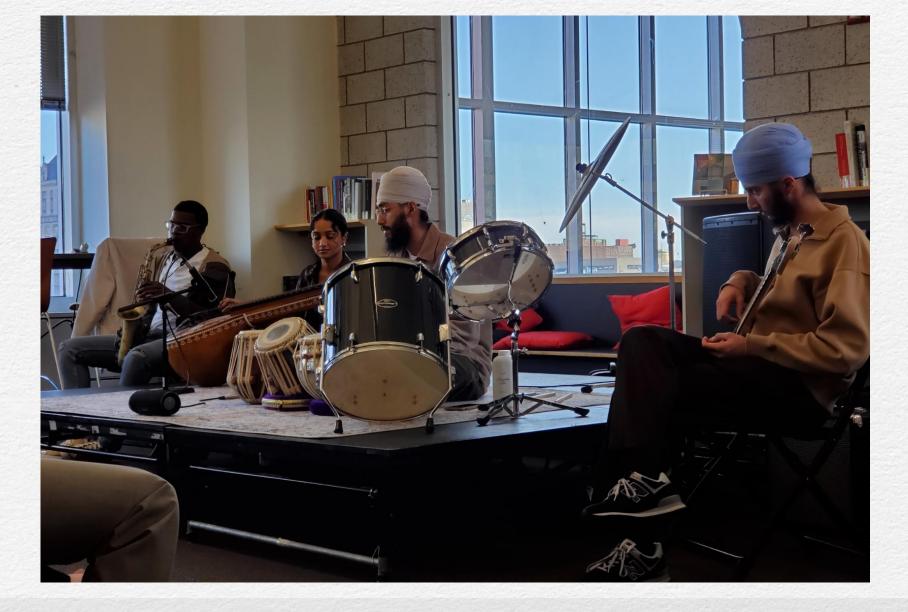
Selected HCAD faculty publications.





2023 Prof. Martina Decker, Amada Belton, Office Coordinator, Samanthea Jones, Administrative Assistant.





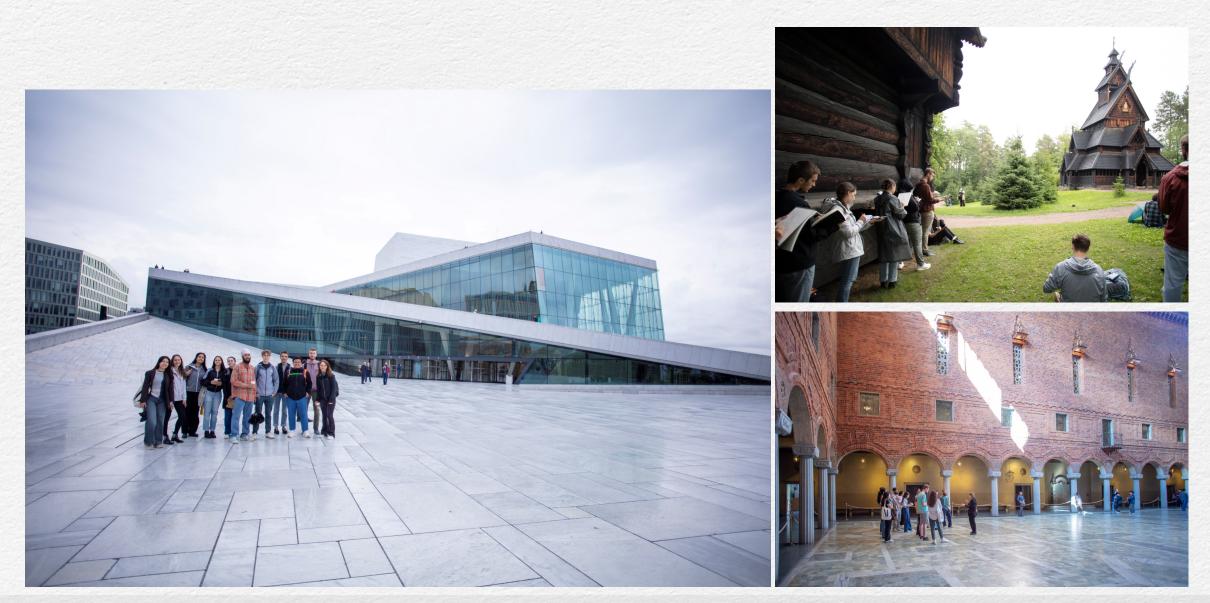
Traditional Indian music as part of the Music in the Library Program





2023 Study abroad summer program in Austria.





2023 Study abroad summer program in Sweden.





2023 Summer program for high school students.





Design Showcase 2023. Gathering at venue, committee chairs Jonathan Ninnis, student awardees, Bennet Dunkley. Tracy MacDonald, Carrie Bobo, Gernot Riether.





2023 Design Showcase 2023. Amada Belton, Allison Lim, Darius Sollohub, Janet Robertson, Martina Decker, Tracy MacDonald,





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2023 Design Showcase.