

Dakota Krejci Smith

curriculum vitae

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Education

- 2019 **Kansas State University College of Architecture, Planning & Design, Manhattan, KS**
Master's of Architecture (M.Arch)
Midwest Exchange Scholarship
BNIM Studio
- 2018 **Danish Institute of Study Abroad (DIS), Copenhagen, DK**
Urban Design Studio (Heitor Garcia Lantarón)

Academic

- 2022 **Guest Lecture, "Damn, I Should Have Listened", Kansas State University**
c/o Bob Condia and in collaboration with Kaden Beilman - a lecture containing curated information and advice about the "now, soon, and later in life", for graduating Master's Architecture Students. April 2022.
- 2019 **Guest Studio Critic - Kansas State University**
c/o Bob Condia's 3rd year undergraduate studio. November 2019.
- 2021/2022 **Louisiana Tech University School of Design (SOD), Ruston, LA \ Visiting Assistant Professor**
ARCH 115: Foundation Design I, First Year UG Design Studio
ARCH 135: Foundation Design III, First Year UG Design Studio
ARCH 225: Core Design II, Second Year UG Design Studio
ARCH 235: Core Design III, Second Year UG Design Studio
ARCH 315: Core Design IV, Third Year UG Design Studio
ARCH 425: Core Design VIII, Fourth Year UG Design Studio, "Sustainability Studio"
- 2020/2021 ARCH 122: Communication Skills II, First Year UG Drafting Class
ARCH 215: Core Design I, Second Year UG Design Studio
ARCH 225: Core Design II, Second Year UG Design Studio
ARCH 235: Core Design III, Second Year UG Design Studio
ARCH 315: Core Design IV, Third Year UG Design Studio
ARCH 425: Core Design VIII, Fourth Year UG Design Studio, "Sustainability Studio"
- 2019/2020 ARCH 115: Foundation Design I, First Year UG Design Studio
ARCH 215: Core Design I, Second Year UG Design Studio
ARCH 225: Core Design II, Second Year UG Design Studio
ARCH 235: Core Design III, Second Year UG Design Studio
ARCH 425: Core Design VIII, Fourth Year UG Design Studio, "Concrete & Resiliency Studio"

Professional

- 2019/2022 **Louisiana Tech University School of Design (SOD), Ruston, LA \ Visiting Assistant Professor**
First - Fourth Year Architecture Studios
- 2019/2022 **Freelance Photography**
Small and Medium Format Film Photography
- 2017/2019 **P \ Lab 2003s (Bob Condia), Manhattan, KS**
Lab Technician
IRB Trained & Technician for Bioinfinity System

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- 2018 **Ronnette Riley Architect, New York, NY**
Design Intern (Summer)
- 2017 **KGA Architecture, Austin, TX/Las Vegas, NV**
Design Intern (Summer)
- 2015/2016 **Holland Basham Architects, Omaha, NE**
Design Intern (Summer)
- 2012/2014 **Avant Architects, Omaha, NE**
Design Intern

Media Appearance

- 2021 **Radio Interview, "Dakota Smith on Identity, Photography and 'Still-Lives'", Riverside Chats, KIOS 91.5**
Artist Guest on Nebraska NPR's Riverside Chats with Tom Knoblauch in preparation for the "Still-Lives" photography exhibition. An hour long conversation discussing thoughts on creativity and the upcoming show. July 2021.

Exhibitions/Installations

- 2021 **Still-Lives Photography Exhibition, Studio 62, (Benson) Omaha, NE**
A solo project that studies the relationships between seemingly unrelated photographs. All work shot on film, developed, scanned, printed, and framed by yours truly. Additionally, a photography zine was created to publish all photo pairs.
- 2021 **Band of Boulders Installation, Daniel, WY**
Collection of misplaced and misfit rocks and boulders. This land art reveals the true contours of the slope it rests on and directs attention to nearby elk feeding grounds. The real art exists in the construction process.
- 2021 **WassilyxBobo Installation, Ruston, LA**
A personal rendition/update of the famous *Wassily Chair*. Bringing to light what Marcel Bruer was trying to hide through modern/minimal design
- 2020 **Stabalization Installation, Nowhere, NE**
The beginning of a multi-step process to get a tree as close as possible to working condition as a functioning telephone pole.
- 2020 **Canoe-to-Canoe Installation, Nowhere, NE**
Ashes to ashes, dust to dust.....Hanging this once noted tree to rest. Restoring it to its former glory, standing above the rest with its crown in the clouds, to live out its snag years with others.
- 2019 **Hungry Heartland Photography Exhibition (Group Show), Mark A. Chapman Gallery, Manhattan, KS**
The exhibition includes photographic work, and short documentaries that reveal, document and interpret the issues of healthy food accessibility and food insecurity in Kansas.
- 2018 **12' Under Installation, Manhattan, KS**
Immortalizing the nineteen-year-old Pin Oak that once stood on site through the creation of a memorial. The Pinny "Pin Oak" Oakmen memorial service was held November 7, 2018.

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Monographs

- 2021 **Still-Lives**
A solo project that studies the relationships between seemingly unrelated photographs. The photographs together, reveal these relationships within one another and take on new meaning as a duo. The zine was accompanied by an exhibition on 8/6/21.
- 2020 **21 Hours in Hot Springs, AR**
A collection of images taken in Hot Springs, AR over the course of a 21-hours duration.

Awards/Grants

- 2019/2020 **Louisiana Universities Resilient Architecture Collaborative (LURAC)**
Louisiana Sea Grant and Lowlander Center Support, \$2000 awarded, Grant funds used for books and other resources for the course and traveling for students and instructors for 2020 LURAC Summit.

Academic Service

- 2019/2022 **Enrichment Committee Member**
Louisiana Tech School of Design (SOD)
- 2021 **SOD Guest Lecture**
Invited and hosted Nike Footwear Designer, Bryce Wong, to give a lecture and student questions.

Service

- 2020/2022 **Skate Park of Ruston Fundraising Member**
Raising funds and awareness for group. Donating time in the form of: design work for donator obstacles, building obstacles for skate jams, helping run skate jams, building partition wall for deck auction, designing and fabricating deck wall mounts, creating deck for board auction.

Student Galleries

- 2022 **Furniture Object Gallery**
Gallery hosted by ARCH-235 (Louisiana Tech, SOD), displaying 3 weeks of work during the quarter's Conceptual Phase.
- 2021 **OBJ Gallery**
Gallery hosted by ARCH-225 (Louisiana Tech, SOD), displaying 2 weeks of work as a digital study capstone.

Activities

- 2015/2019 **AIAS**
Kansas State University Chapter, Member
- 2019 **AIA Committee on Design Conference**
San Francisco, CA, Notable Visists - Googleplex, MoMa SF, Facebook, Mira, Autodesk Gallery
- 2018 **AIA Committee on Design Conference**
Vancouver, BC, Notable Visists - Museum of Anthropology, Vancouver Public Library, Vancouver Convention Center, Vancouver House

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- 2017 **AIA Committee on Design Conference**
Austin, TX, Notable Visists - Austin City Hall, LBJ Library, St. Edward's Residence Hall, F1 Track Tower, South Congress Hotel
- 2016 **AIA Committee on Design Conference**
Portland, OR, Notable Visists - Portland Building, Council Crest House, Portland Japanese Garden, Sokol Blosser Winery, Portland Aerial Tram
- 2015 **AIA Committee on Design Conference**
Norway (Oslo, Bergen, Stavanger), Notable Visists - Oslo Opera House, Hedmark Museum, Zinc Mine Allmannajuvet, Church of Knarvik, Holmenkollbakken Ski Jump, Snohetta Office Visit
- 2014/2016 **Kansas State Track and Field**
Athlete (Sprints)
- 2015 **All Big XII Academic Honor Roll**
Kansas State Track and Field, 3.5<GPA Athlete
- 2014/2019 **Midwest Exchange Academic Scholarship**
3.5<GPA, 27 ACT Score