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Curriculum Vitae

Education

2007 The Ohio State University, Master in Landscape Architecture – MLA
2007 The Ohio State University, Master in City and Regional Planning – MCRP
2002 The University of Pittsburgh, Bachelor of Arts in Cultural Anthropology – BA

Teaching Appointments

2019 - ongoing Associate Professor, The Ohio State University, Knowlton School of Architecture Landscape Architecture Section
2011 - 2019 Assistant Professor, The Ohio State University, Knowlton School of Architecture Landscape Architecture Section
2008 - 2011 Visiting Assistant Professor (full-time) The Ohio State University, Knowlton School of Architecture Landscape Architecture Section
2007 - 2008 Lecturer (part-time), The Ohio State University, Knowlton School of Architecture Landscape Architecture Section

Honors and Awards

2018 Andrew W. Mellon Fellowship in Urban Landscape Studies at Dumbarton Oaks Research Library and Collections.
2018 Robert S. Livesey Teaching Award. Knowlton School of Architecture, The Ohio State University
2017 ASLA Student Honor Award: Research Category
Faculty Adviser for Amy K. Taylor's *Fairytails to Forests* -- 2017 Research Honor Award
2016 Lumley Award for Interdisciplinary Research, Ohio State University, College of Engineering with K. Cheramie and M. van Maasakkers
2013 Alumni Award for Distinguished Teaching, OSU Alumni, The Ohio State University

Grants and Funded Projects

2018 \$25,000. Jacob Boswell, Lisa Burris, Rachel Gabor, Nan Hu and Mary Maloney.
"Permeable Concrete Vessel Study" Sustainable and Resilient Economies (SRE) Discovery Theme Seed Grant for patent development (funded 6.8.18). Role: PI.

- 2018 \$15,000 **Jacob Boswell**, Lisa Burris, Rachel Gabor, Nan Hu and Mary Maloney. “Artificial Floating Island Test Garden” OSU Sustainability Fund Grant. (funded 4.18.18). Role: PI.
- 2018 \$43,500 Bowen-Ellzey, Nancy, Tijs Van Maasakkers, **Jacob Boswell**, and Harvey Miller. “Building Consensus and Assessing Feasibility of Food System Interventions in Lima, OH” OSU Connect and Collaborate Grant (funded 5.1.18). Role: Co-I.
- 2017 \$40,000 Jacob Boswell, Mattijs van Maasakkers and Nancy Bowen-Ellzey: Ohio State University Connect and Collaborate Grant for OH/LEX.” Grant to expand reach to OH/LEX framework to three other legacy cities in Ohio and develop institutional infrastructure around it. Role: Co-PI.
- 2015 \$60,000 Jacob Boswell, Mattijs van Maasakkers and Kristi Cheramie, “Ohio State University Engagement Impact Grant for OH/LEX.” Grant to extend land exchange work in partnership with OSU Lima and the City of Lima, Ohio. Role: Co-PI.
- 2014 \$15,000 Kristi Cheramie, Jacob Boswell, Mattijs van Maasakkers, and Jennie Miller: Van Alen Institute award for NO/LEX entry to the 2014 Future Ground Competition for design and policy around the issue of vacant land in New Orleans, LA. Role: Co-PI.
- 2012 \$2,500 Kay Bea Jones, Charisma Acey, Katherine Bennett and Jacob Boswell: Food Innovation Center 2012 Team Awards Program Grant to develop a symposium on local food. Role: Co-I.
- 2010 \$863,000 HUD Community Challenge Grant recipient with Mid-Ohio Regional Planning Commission, OSU Extension and Wagenbrenner Development to develop and agrarian overlay for Columbus’s Weinland Park district. CO-I.

Publications: Journal Articles, Book Chapters, Reviews, Published Design Work, and Patents.

(*indicates peer review, ^ indicates formal jury review)

- 2020 Jacob Boswell, “On Human Plasticity” *LA+ Interdisciplinary Journal of Landscape Architecture. Issue 11: Vitality, Winter 2020.*
- 2018 ^ Jacob Boswell and M. Koelsch. “The Black Swamp Armada” in *LA+ Journal*. Issue 7, May, 2018.
- 2018 ^ Parscher, Justin and Jacob Boswell. “A Fraudulent Atoll” in *LA+ Journal*. Issue 7, May, 2018.
- 2017 Jacob Boswell and M. Koelsch U.S. Provisional Patent #62/571,536: “Permeable Concrete Vessel for Creating Floating Aquatic Habitats.” October 12th, 2017.
- 2016 Jacob Boswell, “Notes from the Wasteland: Competing Climatic Imaginaries in the Post-Apocalyptic Landscape” in *Climates: Architecture and the Planetary Imaginary*, ed. James Graham (New York and Zurich: Columbia Books on Architecture and the City and Lars Müller Publishers, 2016).
- 2016 * Jacob Boswell, “The Guide to Greening Cities” (book review). *Journal of Planning Education and Research*. May 19, 2016.

- 2015 Jacob Boswell, "Manifest Destiny, Degeneration and the Afforestation of Palestine." in *Manifest: Journal of American Architecture and Urbanism*. Vol. 2. Fall 2015.
- 2014 ^ Jacob Boswell, Ian Mackay, David Shimmel. "SUNBATH." In *New Energies: Copenhagen*. Edited by Ferry, Robert and Elizabeth Monoian. 122-125. New York: Prestel, 2014.
- 2014 * Tatiana Parfenova and Jacob Boswell. "An Approach to Improve Coastal Community Resilience through Planning and Design of a Recreational Trail: A Master Plan for the Mississippi Coastal Heritage Trail." In *Landscape Research Record*. (Nov 2014). 2 158-169.
- 2013 * Jacob Boswell, "Designing for Food: Facilitating Continued Agricultural Opportunism and Entrepreneurship within the EcoCity." *EcoCity Builders: Summit Library*. 2013.
- 2009 Jacob Boswell, "Dystopic Verdure," *Monu Magazine on Urbanism* 11. 94-101. 2009
- 2007 Jacob Boswell, Thesis. *Beyond the Lawn: Re-envisioning the Role of the Pastoral in America*. Columbus: The Ohio State University. 2007

Design Competitions

(* indicates formal jury recognition)

- 2018 The Unfurling
LA+ 2018 Iconoclast Competition
With Karla Trott and Paul Sutter
- 2018 The Swimmer, reimagined
Blank Space 2018 Fairytales Competition
with Justin Diles and Andrew Cruse
- 2017 * Fastitocalon (The Whale) (finalist)
- top 30 out of 148 international entries. 20% acceptance rate
2018 Jardins de metis festival
with M. Koelsch
- 2017 * The Salt Sepulcher and the Terrible Garden (honorable mention)
- top 13 of 223 international entries. 5% acceptance rate
Arch Out Loud: NUCLEAR Competition
with Kristi Cheramie and Andrew Barringer.
- 2017 * The Black Swamp Armada (honorable mention)
- top 15 of 180 international entries. 8% acceptance rate
LA+ IMAGINATION Design Ideas Competition
with M. Koelsch
- 2017 * A Fraudulent Atoll (honorable mention)
- top 15 of 180 international entries. 8% acceptance rate
LA+ IMAGINATION Design Ideas Competition
with J. Parscher
- 2016 The Post-Quantal Garden
Blank Space 2016 Fairytales Competition

- 2015 The Lepidoptery
2016 Jardins de metis festival
with K. Bennett, B. Kordenbrock, D. Shimmel, M. Wilhelm, E. McGory
- 2015 * The Ocean Above Us (honorable mention)
- top 12 out of 387 international entries: 3% acceptance rate
Archinect 2015 Dry Futures Competition.
- 2014 * NO/LEX: The New Orleans Land Exchange (winning entry)
- top 3 of 180 international entries: 1.8% acceptance rate
Van Alen Institute 2014 Future Ground Competition, New Orleans, Louisiana.
with K. Cheramie and M. van Maasakkers
- 2014 * SunBath (finalist)
- top 25 of 300 international entries: 8% acceptance rate)
Land Art Generator Initiative 2014 Competition, Copenhagen, Denmark
with D. Shimmel and I. Mackay
- 2012 Heat Island
Land Art Generator Initiative 2012 competition, New York, New York
with N. Thomson
- 2010 * Civic Agora (winning entry)
1st of 19 international entries -- 5% acceptance rate
Civic Minded Design Competition, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
solo
- 2008 Cycles + Overlaps
Nordhavnen: Sustainable City of the Future Competition, Copenhagen, Denmark
with J. Kentner
- 2008 Nutrient Extraction Device (NED)
Metropolis Magazine Next Generation Competition
with K. Murphy

Exhibitions & Installations

- 2019 - ongoing The Concrete Armada
Experimental installation, Chadwick Arboretum Research Lake, June 2019 - present
- 2019 PCV Nutrient Tests
Experimental installation, Olentangy Wetland Research Park, July 2019 - October 2019.
- 2019 South Jackson Street Gardens (installation team member)
OHLEX site installation designed by Tameka Sims.
- 2018 Heterotropica
Venice Biennale Sessions for Architecture "Iskandar Puteri 100YC",
curated by Tom Kovac (Professor, RMIT University, Melbourne Australia).
Venice Italy, May 2018
- 2015 The City: Beautiful - Gustafson Guthrie Nichol at the Cleveland Mall

- Glimcher Distinguished Professor Exhibit
KSA Banvard Gallery, Columbus, OH
- 2014 SUNBATH
Land Art Generator Initiative -- finalist exhibition
The Danish Design Center, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2012 Heat Island
Land Art Generator Initiative -- group exhibition
SOHO Gallery for Digital Art, New York, NY
- 2010 Augmentation
Envisioning Information Symposium - group exhibition
Knowlton School of Architecture, Banvard Gallery, Columbus, OH
- 2010 Civic Agora
Civic Minded Design Ideas Gallery Crawl - group exhibition
Trust Arts Education Center, Pittsburgh, PA
- 2010 The 5th Avenue Dam
Go West: Trial Balloons - group exhibition
Blostein/Overly Gallery, Columbus, OH
- 2009 Drifts, Debris, Deposits
The Monuments of Columbus - group exhibition
OSU Urban Arts Space, Columbus, OH
- 2008 Nordhavnen
Competition Exhibition
CPH City and Port, Copenhagen, Denmark

Conference Sessions and Presentations

(* indicates peer or jury review)

- 2019 Ohioans in Orbit? Planning for the City's Evolving Relationships with Outer Space
2019 American Planning Association of Ohio,
with Amber McNair, Kim Burton and Karen Lewis.
Cleveland, OH,
- 2019 * Synthetic Landscapes: HWS Cleveland at the Margins
2019 Society of Architectural Historians Annual Conference.
Providence, RI
- 2018 * Climatic Landscapes Session Chair.
2018 Society of Architectural Historians Annual Conference.
Minneapolis/St. Paul, MN.
- 2017 * Acclimatization Practice: Daniel Burnham in Manila
2017 Society for American City and Regional Planning History Conference
Cleveland, OH. peer reviewed

- 2017 OH/LEX (September 2017)
2017 Western Reserve Land Conservancy Ohio Land Bank Conference
Cleveland, OH with M. van Maasakkers
- 2017 OH/LEX (July 2017)
Ohio Conference of Community Development (OCCD) annual meeting.
Cleveland, OH With M. van Maasakkers
- 2016 OH/LEX (December 2016)
Keynote speaker: Lima/Allen County Wake, Rattle and Roll
Lima, OH.
- 2016 The New Waterman
School of Environment and Natural Resources Annual Lecture Series
Columbus, OH. With P. Meijerink and M. Davies.
- 2016 NO/LEX / OH/LEX (February 2016)
Parcels to Places Competition Kick-off lecture, Columbus Neighborhood Design Center,
Columbus, OH. Additional Authors: K. Cheramie, M. van Maasakkers
- 2015 * Designing Simulations and Simulating Design: Representing Vacancy in New Orleans.
Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning Conference (ACSP). Houston, TX
Additional Authors: K. Cheramie, M. van Maasakkers.
- 2015 * NO/LEX: The New Orleans Land Exchange (May 2015)
Van Alen Institute Future Ground Competition final presentation, New Orleans, LA
Additional Authors: K. Cheramie, M. van Maasakkers
- 2015 * NO/LEX: The New Orleans Land Exchange (March 2015)
Van Alen Institute Future Ground Competition mid-point, New Orleans, LA
Additional Authors: K. Cheramie, M. van Maasakkers
- 2014 * NO/LEX: The New Orleans Land Exchange (December 2014)
Van Alen Institute Future Ground Competition research review, New Orleans, LA
Additional Authors: K. Cheramie, M. van Maasakkers
- 2014 * NO/LEX: NO/LEX: The New Orleans Land Exchange (October 2014)
Van Alen Institute Future Ground Competition project presentation, New Orleans, LA
Additional Authors: K. Cheramie, M. van Maasakkers
- 2014 * Latitudinal Angst: White Bodies and the Mutating Image of a Tropical Other
2014 EDRA Conference, New Orleans, LA
- 2014 * Fear and Loathing in the Tropics: An Intellectual History of Latitudinal Angst
2014 CELA Conference, Baltimore, MD
- 2014 * Parfenova, Tatiana and Jacob R. Boswell. An Approach to Improve Coastal Resilience
Through Planning and Design of a Recreational Trail
CELA Conference. Baltimore, MD
- 2014 * Kordenbrock, Brett and Jacob R. Boswell. Enhancement of Concretized Streams: Mill
Creek.
2014 CELA Conference. Baltimore, MD

- 2014 Food District at Weinland Park
Ohio State Food Innovation Center Annual Meeting, Columbus, OH
Additional authors: Kay Bea Jones
- 2013 Olentangy River Greenway
Ohio Water Environment Association's Watershed Workshop, Columbus, OH
Additional authors: A. Overbeck, C. Cannon.
- 2013 * The Infrastructure of Food
2013 CELA Conference, Austin, TX
- 2013 Landscape Architecture at Ohio State
Seoul National University: Seoul, South Korea.
- 2011 * Designing Designers
CUMU conference, Indianapolis, IN
Additional authors: C. Huffman, C. Anderson.
- 2011 * From Fast-food Mecca to Garden City: The Case of Columbus, OH
Ecocity World Summit 2011, Montreal Canada
- 2011 Projects + Process
Sam Fox School of Design + Visual Arts
Washington University in St. Louis; St. Louis, MO
- 2009 * (Eco)Logical Intensification: Re-Conceptualizing the Role of the Pastoral in Promoting
Strategies for Sustainable Cities.
2009 CELA Conference, Tucson, AZ
- 2007 Beyond the Lawn: Re-envisioning the Role of the Pastoral in America
Knowlton School of Architecture, Columbus, OH

Workshops

- 2017 OH/LEX Negotiation Simulation
2017 Western Reserve Land Conservancy Ohio Land Bank Conference, Cleveland, OH
- 2017 OH/LEX Professional Workshop
The Ohio State University, Columbus Ohio
- 2016 OH/LEX Negotiation Simulation
South Middle School, Lima Ohio
- 2015 OH/LEX Mapping Lima Workshop
The Ohio State University Lima Campus, Lima Ohio
- 2015 NO/LEX Negotiation Simulation
Tulane City Center, New Orleans, Louisiana

General Press

- 2017 Bryant, Cassandra et. al. "The 2017 ASLA Student Awards" *Landscape Architecture Magazine*. October 2017.

- 2017 Cowles, Sarah. 2017 "Foreground: Propagating an Idea" *Landscape Architecture Magazine*. January 2017.
- 2016 Schuler, Timothy. 2016. "Grounded" *Landscape Architecture Magazine*. October 2016.
- 2015 Archinect. 2015. "'The Ocean Above Us,' an honorable mention in Dry Futures Speculative category." Archinect (web) October 1st, 2015.

Professional Consultation

- 2013 Schematic design team for the Food District @ Weinland Park
- 2011 - 2013 Program of Requirements committee chair for the Food District @ Weinland Park
- 2011 RFQ committee for the Food District @ Weinland Park
- 2010 Future Farm City; Group presentation to Franklin County Commissioners and staff. Columbus, OH
- 2008 - 2010 Consultant, Lincoln Street Studio Architects and Planners Columbus, OH

Professional Experience

- 2007 - 2008 Planner/Designer
Lincoln Street Studio Architects and Planners, Columbus, OH
- 2006 - 2008 Associate
Amidon Design Communication, Columbus, OH

Academic Service

Service to the Discipline

- 2020 Tenure review, Cornell University
- 2018 Invited Studio Critic: University of Virginia School of Architecture
- 2018 Session Chair: Society of Architectural Historians Annual Conference
- 2016 Invited Juror, Ohio Chapter of the ASLA annual professional awards
- 2014 Invited Peer Manuscript Review for *Landscape Journal*
- 2014 Executive Director Search Committee: Columbus Neighborhood Design Center (CNDC)
- 2014 Invited Studio Critic: Kent State Urban Design Collaborative
- 2013 - 2018 Peer reviewer for CELA 2014, 2015, 2016, 2019
- 2013 Peer reviewer for EDRA 2014

Service to the University:

- 2019 - 2020 University GE committee on "Lived Environments" theme
- 2018 - ongoing University Senate: Council on the Physical Environment - member
- 2016 - 2017 Mirror Lake Advisory Committee
- 2016 - 2017 Campus Landscapes Sustainability Committee
- 2014 - ongoing InFACT Discovery Theme team member // InFACT seed grant reviewer.

2015 President and Provost's Teaching Summit: invited participant.
2013 - 2016 OSU Academy of Teaching Executive Council member
2014 - 2015 Awards Committee for the Provost's Award for Distinguished Teaching by a Lecturer

Service to the College

2019 - ongoing KSA Representative to the College Committee on Academic Affairs

Service to the School:

2019 - ongoing KSA Academic Affairs Committee - member
2018- 2019 City and Regional Planning Section Head Search Committee.
2018 - 2019 KSA Academic Affairs Committee - chair
2016 - 2017 KSA Academic Affairs Committee - member
2008 - 2017 KSA Board Member: Columbus Neighborhood Design Center (CNDC)
2015 - 2016 KSA Technology Committee -- member
2011 - 2014 KSA One School / KSA Curriculum Committee - member
2011 - 2012 KSA Honors Curriculum Committee - member

Service to the Section:

2019 - ongoing Landscape Architecture Graduate Studies chair
2017 - ongoing Forest Task Force -- chair
2015 - ongoing Faculty mentor for Justin Parscher.
2016 - 2017 Landscape Architecture Undergraduate Chair, Knowlton School of Architecture -- chair.
2016 - 2017 Landscape Architecture Section BSLA & MLA Accreditation & SER report contributor.
2015- 2016 Assistant Professor in Landscape Architecture Search Committee -- chair
2015- 2016 InFACT Professor in Landscape Architecture Search Committee -- chair
2015- 2016 Landscape Architecture 100th Anniversary contributor
2014 - 2015 Senior Faculty Search Committee -- Landscape Architecture Section - member
2011 - 2014 Landscape Architecture Undergraduate Chair, Knowlton School of Architecture -- chair.
2013 - 2014 Senior Faculty Search Committee -- Landscape Architecture Section - member
2011 - 2012 Landscape Architecture Section Head Search Committee -- member.
2010 - 2011 BSLA Accreditation contributor
2009 - 2010 MLA Accreditation contributor
2008 - 2010 LArch Graduate/Undergraduate Curriculum Revision
2008 - 2009 BSLA Accreditation contributor

Professional Service

2013 - 2014 Founding Member: Coalition United for Glen Echo Ravine (CUGER)
2011 - 2014 Board Member: Lower Olentangy Urban Arboretum (LOUA)
2011 - 2014 Board Member: Glen Echo Neighborhood Civic Association (GENCA)
2009 Italian Village Community Garden Design Initiative
2008 - 2010 Columbus Neighborhood Design Center Project Adviser

Teaching

(four digit course numbers = courses taught on semesters. three digit course numbers = courses taught on quarters.)

<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Credits Hours</u>	<u>Semesters or Quarters Taught</u>
Large Lecture Courses:			
Making and Meaning in the American Landscape	(LArch 2367)	3	AU12/SP13/AU13/SP14/AU14/SP16/SP17/AU17/SP19
Seminars:			
Non-sites Seminar	(LArch 4410/7410)	3	SP20
Land Machine Seminar	(LArch 4410/7410)	3	AU18
G3 Directed Research Seminar	(LArch 8890)	3	AU16**
Glimcher Visiting Professor Seminar	(LArch 7890)	3	SP15
Constructing Nature	(LArch 693)	3	WI10
Design Like You Give a Damn	(LArch 760)	3	SP09
Media and Technology Courses:			
Ecology and Technology I	(LArch 2420)	3	AU15 / AU16
Design Analysis Workshop 1	(LArch 271/670)	3	AU08 / AU09 / AU10 / AU11 / AU12
Design Analysis Workshop 2	(LArch(272/672)	3	WI08 / WI09 / WI10 / WI11 / WI12
Design Synthesis Workshop 1	(LArch 361/702)	3	SP10 / SP11
Studios:			
Graduate Landscape Design Studio 1	(LArch 6910)	6	AU17
Graduate Directed Research Studio	(LArch 7950)	8	SP17**
Landscape Design Studio 3	(LArch 2930)	6	SP16
Graduate Landscape Design Studio 3	(LArch 7930)	8	AU15*
Graduate Landscape Design Studio 4	(LArch 7940)	8	SP15
Landscape Design Studio 6	(LArch 4960)	6	AU14* / AU18* / AU19
Graduate Landscape Design Studio 2	(LArch 6920)	6	SP13 / SP20
Landscape Design Studio 2	(LArch 2920)	6	AU12
Graduate Design Studio 3	(LArch 644)	5	SP10 / SP11^ / SP12*
Landscape Design Studio 8	(LArch 457)	5	WI11 / WI12*
Landscape Design Studio 2	(LArch 252)	5	AU08 / AU09 / AU10 / AU11/AU12
Planting Design	(LArch 633)	5	SP08 / WI09
Landscape Design Studio 6	(LArch 356)	5	SP08
Landscape Design Studio 3	(LArch 253)	5	WI08
Master's thesis chairs & committees:			
2019 - 2020	MLA Thesis Chair for Andrew Polefrone		
2013 - 2014	MLA Thesis Chair for Rachel McKinley		
2013 - 2014	MLA Thesis Chair for Tom Ludwig		
2013 - 2014	MLA Thesis Chair for Ian Mackay -- Thesis prize winner.		
2012 - 2013	^ MLA Thesis Chair for Tatiana Parfenova - Published in Landscape Research Record V.2, 2014		
2012 - 2013	* MLA Thesis Chair for Brett Kordenbrock -- Thesis prize winner, OCASLA Honor Award.		
2012 - 2013	MLA Thesis Chair for Chen Tong -- Thesis prize winner.		
2011 - 2012	MLA Thesis Committee Member for Michael Reder		
2011 - 2012	MLA Thesis Committee Member for Abby Downs		
2011 - 2012	MLA Thesis Committee Member for En-Hsiang Tseng		
2009 -2010	Senior Thesis Advisor: Marissa Linz		
2009 -2010	Senior Thesis Advisor: Katie O'Lone		
Masters examinations			
2017	**Masters examination chair for MLA class of '17.		

^ indicates course where student work received a national award or recognition.

* Indicates course where student work received a state award.