Richard Florida maps the U.S. based on craigslist communities:
http://www.theatlanticcities.com/jobs-and-economy/2012/02/united-states-craigslist/1326/

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Energy Efficiency Event

MSRED Green, CBS Green

If the landlord owns the building but the tenants pay the bills, who should pay for energy efficiency upgrades? Who benefits from them? And how can a “green lease” structure help solve the problem? Join MSRED Green and the Green Business Club for a discussion with industry experts from Negawatt Research, Cushman & Wakefield and Transcend Equity Development Corp. The panel will be followed by drinks and time to network with our speakers and other sustainability-minded Columbia students!

Please see attached PDF for more information.

Wednesday, February 29th, 2012
6:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Center for Architecture
536 LaGuardia Place, Helfand Gallery

“LIVE FEED: Middle East Collaborations 2005-2012” Viewing & Panel

Columbia University, GSAPP & CUMERC

LIVE FEED: Middle East Collaborations 2005 - 2012 offers a survey of GSAPP’s engagement in the Greater Middle East. Through partnerships with international colleagues in the professional, academic, artistic, nonprofit, public, and private realms, most of GSAPP’s disciplines have led research and educational experiments including architectural design studios and workshops, city planning processes, engaged historic preservation projects, and urban planning studios in Afghanistan, Jordan, Palestinian Territories, Qatar, Turkey, and the United Arab Emirates - with Amman acting as a key node in the school’s global network of Studio-X labs.

For complete schedule of events, please see attached PDF.

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6:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Center for Architecture
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Construction Management Association of America

Columbia University, Various Developers

The presentation will examine the similarities and differences between private companies and large institutions on managing the green building process. From the actual construction, to submitting projects for certification, topics will include mitigating the impacts of air, dust, noise, and emissions within the communities they are built as well as the latest best practices for building in a Green and Sustainable manner. Each developer on the panel will speak about their new LEED Certified or Sustainable projects and the ROI for building green versus a traditional building (i.e. higher rents, better tenants, more renewals.) Representatives from Turner Construction and Lend Lease will discuss their methods for implementing sustainable practices citing examples from current and past projects, and speak about innovative approaches to helping owners to build Green. RSVP online: http://goo.gl/JydBw

Wednesday, February 29th, 2012
6:30 p.m.
209 Havemeyer Hall

Architectural Colonialism: Richard Neutra and Latin America

Latin Lab

This talk examines the discourse of Neutra in relation to the notion of an “American” architecture and his publications on the role of architecture in dealing with social needs in South America, specifically programs for hospitals, schools and community centers based primarily on his experience in Puerto Rico. It illustrates both his perspective as “missionary” to Latin America and the reception of this discourse in the region.

Thursday, March 1st, 2012
1:00 to 2:30 p.m.
114 Avery Hall

“Battle for Brooklyn” Screening

Group for Community Recovery

We will be having a screening of Battle for Brooklyn about the controversial Atlantic Yards project. A panel discussion and reception with director Michael Galinsky, Daniel Goldstein (featured in the film), and Professor Mindy Fullilove will follow.

Tuesday, March 6th, 2012
5:00 p.m.
To be announced
Internship Opportunities

Empire State Internship Program

The Student Intern Program will bring students into state government where they will be exposed to the work of governing and introduced to the increasingly complex policy challenges facing New York State.

The Student Intern Program will attract talented students from undergraduate and graduate programs at colleges and universities throughout New York State. Each intern will be assigned to a particular area within an executive branch agency or department. While providing hands-on program assistance, interns will interact with government leaders and policy-makers.

For more information, please visit:
http://www.dos.ny.gov/newnyleaders/interns.html

Sustainable Development Practice, Urban Design Lab

The intern will assist in research and spatial analysis of regional food systems. The intern will assist in gathering and analyzing data and developing maps of agricultural production and distribution in the Northeast United States, including working with existing land-use and USDA GIS databases and protected datasets from the USDA’s National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA). The intern will be expected to attend meetings, contact government officials and regional farmers, and assist the project director with day-to-day research and report generating duties. The intern will also be expected to draft text and aid in graphic design and layout for presentations and reports.

Please see attached document for more information.

Department of Housing and Urban Development

Summer Intern

Summer students are appointed under the Student Temporary Employment Program appointment authority and are appointed to a position NTE September 30, 2012. This opportunity provides for students to work while attending school. The nature of the duties does not have to be related to the student’s academic/career goal.

For more information, please visit:
http://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/309896200
P.O.D.E.R

Summer Internship Program,

The Project on Organizing, Development, Education, and Research (PODER) is a not-for-profit, non-governmental organization whose mission is to improve corporate transparency and accountability in Latin America and to strengthen civil society stakeholders of corporations as long-term accountability guarantors. PODER accomplishes this by leveraging business intelligence, transparency technology, and community organizing to ultimately build a citizen-led corporate accountability movement.

This year, PODER will host its 3rd Annual Summer Internship Program in Mexico City. It is seeking qualified candidates for two or three strategic research, computer programming, and/or graphic design internships in our Mexico office for 10-12 weeks, starting May 28, 2012. Interns will receive hands-on training from strategic corporate researchers and/or systems professionals with experience in business intelligence and analysis.

For more information, please see attached documents.