Still Modern After All These Years.

A p.o.v article looking at residents in the Plymouth Circle nabe of Madison, Wisconsin. Reminiscent of Frank Lloyd Wright and absolutely amazing.

http://www.metropolismag.com/pov/20110504/still-modern-after-all-these-years

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EVENTS

ULI Design Competition Mixer

Presented by the GSAPP

In preparation for the competition, Columbia’s organized a mixer/presentation. For those who are looking for teammates to participate in the event with, this would be a good opportunity to meet others who are interested. For those who have already formed teams, it would still be a valuable event to attend since one of the participants from last year’s competition will share his experiences with us.

Thursday, November 22nd, 2011
11:00 a.m.
200 Buell

Bus Rapid Transit Tour

Presented by Professor Lapp

As part of the “Introduction to Transportation” class, we will be visited by the internationally well known firm of URS for a world tour of bus rapid transit (BRT). If you are attending the 6-8 p.m. class meeting in Avery 115, please RSVP to Professor Lapp at Lapp@SWRPA.org.

Thursday, December 1st, 2011
6:00 to 8:00 p.m.
115 Avery

Frantz Fanon: His Life, His Struggle, His Work

Presented by Center for the Study of Race and Ethnicity

A documentary on Frantz Fanon,

Thursday, December 1st, 2011
7:30 p.m.
Buell Hall
East Gallery
Transcolonial Fanon: Trajectories of Revolutionary Politics

Presented by Center for the Study of Race and Ethnicity

To mark the fiftieth anniversary of Frantz Fanon’s death, an international group of scholars addresses the diverse sources, trajectories and reinscriptions of his thought. Participants will consider Fanon’s biographical and intellectual migration between the French Caribbean and North Africa, and between the theory of race and the project of anticolonial nationalism, and discuss his legacy across continents and across disciplines.

Friday, December 2nd, 2011
9:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
Buell Hall
East Gallery

Megacities Sustainability Indicators

Assistant to Earth Institute’s Center for Sustainable Development & SIPA

The Earth Institute’s Center for Sustainable Urban Development and SIPA’s Institute for Latin American Studies present Professor Carlos Leite, who will speak about the challenges of Sustainable Megacities, focusing on Sao Paulo, a city that is both an impressive emerging market and home to slums. Please see attched PDF for more information.

Monday, December 5th, 2011
12:30 p.m. to 1:45 p.m.
International Affairs Building
15th Floor, Room 1512
ACADEMIC OPPORTUNITIES

INTED Conference, Call for Abstracts

International Technology, Education and Development Conference

INTED2012 will be an International Forum for those who wish to present their projects and innovations, having also the opportunity to discuss the main aspects and the latest results in the field of Education and Research.

The general aim of the conference is to promote international collaboration in Education and Research in all educational fields and disciplines. The attendance of more than 700 delegates from 70 different countries is expected.

We invite you to submit your abstracts and to attend in order to share your achievements in the fields of education and collaboration. The deadline for submitting abstracts is November 24th, 2011.

There will be three presentation modalities: oral and poster presentations (in-person) and virtual (for those who can not attend in person)

Two ISBN publications will be produced with all the accepted abstracts and papers that will serve as a database of innovation projects in Education and Research.

In addition to the technical aspects of the programme, our website provides you with tourist information on the beautiful city of Valencia, with an enormous cultural richness and lovely places of interest.

We look forward to seeing you in Valencia!

For more information visit: http://www.iated.org/inted2012/announcement

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**Internship Opportunities**

**Center for Intersectionality & Policy Studies**

Research Assistant

Positions are available in a dynamic new Center focused on complex inequalities and social justice. Research assistants will assist with a variety of tasks including policy and empirical research in the areas of systemic and interpersonal violence, health disparities, employment, education, and transnational economic and structural inequities, support in grant-writing, and research dissemination and related event planning. RAs should be prepared to support the Center in its mission regarding policy analysis and advocacy geared towards racial, gender, and economic justice.

Please see attached PDF for more information.
**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

**Open Plans**

Various Positions

Details below, and at [http://openplans.org/jobs/current-openings/](http://openplans.org/jobs/current-openings/)

**OpenGeo**

**Global Support Services Manager** - OpenGeo is growing quickly, and one of the best ways we can ensure broad adoption of open platforms is to provide big enterprises with way better support than they ever got from lumbering proprietary outfits.

**Software Engineer** - A geospatial software job free of NDAs and of big-company bureaucracy, in a place where contributions to the open source community are valued.

**Project Manager** - This is the dot-connector, the person who stewards the big project ideas through the valley of uncertainty and into the bright light of reality. “Oh, we’d like to get thousands of scientists working together to model and predict earthquakes in Central America. You know, with a website.” This is the person who gets to say “great, let’s make it happen.”

**UX Developer** - A bad interface scrapes like nails down a chalkboard. Not only does this role help users get more out of OpenGeo’s offerings, but I like to think the UX expert offers a small gift to humanity, replacing pain and frustration with delight and discovery.

**Streetsblog**

**Interim Transportation Reporter for Streetsblog Capitol Hill** - As far as I know, Tanya is the only dedicated Capitol Hill Transportation reporter. The only one! So stepping into her shoes for a couple of months while she’s on parental leave can only be a dream job for an energetic policy gumshoe.

**Streetsblog San Francisco Editor** - Streetsblog SF has set the tone for transportation culture and policy in the Bay Area. Over the past two years, the number of mainstream media lifts of Streetsblog articles has been kind of astounding. We need a talented journalist and advocate who can move this work forward in a big way.

**Transportation**

**Software Engineer** - Transit is a critical, complicated, and massive system. Helping build open source tools that enhance and shape these systems means using applying your code to problems that help countless people in their daily transportation decisions.
New York City Green Schools Campaign

Environmental Health Organizer

The Center for Health, Environment & Justice (CHEJ) is a national organization that empowers communities to create safe, healthy and sustainable environments. CHEJ was instrumental in establishing some of the first national policies to protect communities such as the Superfund Program and Right-to-Know. Our recent work is on issues such as polyvinyl chloride (PVC), phthalates, bisphenol A (BPA), green purchasing and greening schools. CHEJ’s goal is to prevent harm from toxic exposures, particularly among vulnerable populations such as children.

CHEJ is seeking a part-time campaign organizer (2.5 days per week) for a New York City campaign to green schools. The campaign is working to protect children’s and worker health by phasing out the use and purchase of toxic phthalates and PVC plastic for NYC schools, the largest school district in the country. We are looking for a part-time organizer with campaign organizing skills to assist two CHEJ staff, located in the New York City and Albany area field offices, to pass green schools policies.

For more information and how to apply, please visit:
http://chej.org/about/jobs-internships/