APDesign continues to be recognized for the quality of its programs.

Effectively advocated for an increased Technology Fee, allowing for appropriate stewardship of current resources.

At 83% of Innovation & Inspiration Campaign goal with 41.67% outright gifts (as of November 1st).
Subscription to post-baccalaureate entry for professional Master’s of Architecture has steadily increased.

Increased engagement with local, regional and national professions. The successful partnerships have provided increased learning opportunities for students as well as awards for completed work.

We received the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards maximum eight-year reaccreditation with commendations.
Progress/accomplishments

Created partnerships with Scott Rice, Bell Helicopter and Sloan
Furniture pieces brought to market by OFS
Received national and international awards for furniture and interior designs
   Neocon + HiP Awards
   International IDEC Beginning Undergraduate Student Award
   $30,000 Angelo Donghia Foundation Scholarship
   Kansas Transportation Award - KPTAI Award – aTa Sponsored Project
Six International conference presentations for IAPD students’ research papers.
Five Faculty presented papers and workshops and in five different countries.
Progress/accomplishments

Enhanced Academic Experiences and New Paths into the Curriculum

MLA: New curriculum engages students in optimizing use of Seaton/Regnier facilities
MRCP: Online course provides transfer and minor students a path into the program
MS CD: New Graduate Certificate increased enrollment

Student National Achievements
LARCP students received over $35,000 in external support for their research, leveraging KSU resources and gaining national recognition
  Green Roof Research Support from Garden Club of America
  US Department of Transportation Graduate Fellowships
  Clarence S. Stein Institute at Cornell Award
Key metrics

Endowment Pool of $14.8 million
Approx. $11 million in deferred commitments

91.1% Freshman to Sophomore Retention Ratio (compare to Univ. Avg. of 85.4%)

73.6% Six-Year Graduation Ratio

Graduated 9 Students from Environmental Design & Planning PhD Program since 2012
Top priorities moving forward

Focus on recruitment efforts and maintaining high retention ratio, graduation rate.

Further development of opportunities for students through partnerships with industry.

Continue development efforts inline with I&I Campaign goal of $44 million by seeking additional resources for faculty and students.

Seek federal recognition of design and planning programs as STEM disciplines by the federal government.
Top priorities moving forward

Expand opportunities for student enrichment.
Open new pathways to architectural practice.
Reinforce involvement with a culture of making.
Top priorities moving forward

Planning stage for Masters of Product Design Degree.
Work with the Dean’s office to establish an Endowed Chair and Professorship.
Continue partnerships with manufacturers, professional organizations and community programs.
Top priorities moving forward

New Academic Paths and Recruitment
- Develop additional online courses and degree offerings
- Assist APDesign in identifying high school students with affinity for LA and RCP
- Continue to attract a diverse pool of students

Focus on Faculty Development
- Recruit new faculty to fill key positions vacated by retirements and transitions
- Provide professional development opportunities to refresh and refine faculty expertise

New Resources Supporting Students
- Develop new resources:
  - Scholarships for LARCP student travel
  - Support for professional engagement
  - Visiting professor in planning