YOUNG ARCHITECTS FORUM | AIA PITTSBURGH | Advisory Committee Minutes of Meeting

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Agenda (15 mins)
1. Welcome!
2. Recap of last month: good stuff! (NOMAS panel, CMU Crit Night, Build PGH)
3. YASC Task force: Doodle announced soon…
4. Newsletter updates (Bea, Timo, All)
5. Next HH with FAIA (Eric Phillips)
6. Next Professional events (Bea Spolidoro)
7. Tree Houses Competition with Pennsylvania Environmental Council (June 9? Bea)
8. Any competitions in the air, to be promoted? (All)
9. Cool stuff in town? (All)
10. YAF Facebook Banner

This Month’s Topic: Current initiatives
This time we'll review the current initiatives only.
We are holding today’s scheduled topic for May, instead. In that meeting we will be hosting Mike Gwin from RDCollab who will present on “Professional Development tips for Young Architects”.

Mark Your Calendar
1. May 2 - Happy Hour Mixer - with NOMA @ Smallman Galley (5:30 PM)
2. May 4 - Lunch and Learn Sky Factory at AIA offices (12:00 PM)
3. May 9 - ACE: Final presentation and reception (5:30 PM)
4. May 12 - FIRST TIME HOME BUYERS WORKSHOP (10 AM)
5. May 17 - Design Leadership Roundtable discussion w/ IIDA (5:30 PM)
6. May 19 - Photographic tour of Wilkinsburg with @housesofpittsburgh (11:00 AM - 2 PM)

Pending
**NEXT MEETING**
May 23rd

**NEXT TOPIC**
“Professional Development tips for Young Architects”.

**NOTES:**
1. BS welcomed everyone
   A. explained the plan was Mike Gwin presenting on how to improve personal presentation but couldn’t make it.
   B. Thanked those who helped craft upcoming events
2. Introductions around the rooms
3. Recap of events from last month: Build PGH, NOMAS, Crit Night, Story Telling, Happy Hour, Advocacy Day
4. YASC taskforce for crafting content of competition - Survey upcoming for meeting time
   A. Meeting will happen in May
   B. Ends at end of August
5. Upcoming May Events
   A. 5/2 – Happy Hour (HH) with NOMA 5:30 at the Smallman Gallery
   B. 5/3 – Studio Review – Chocolate fondue
   Architecture Hall – Copy and Paste event closing soon
   C. 5/4 – Lunch and Learn at AIA Pittsburgh – Sky Gallery – cost associated
   D. 5/9 – ACE final presentation and reception at the Science Center
   E. 5/12 – 1st time homebuyer workshop at 10am
   F. 5/17 – IIDA Design Leadership Roundtable on leadership
   See where PGH is going
   SLATE studio
   Interior Designers and Architects
   $15-$25 cost
   G. 5/19 – Houses of Pittsburgh – 11am to 2pm
   Photographic walking tour of Wilkinsburg – meet at Madeline
   H. HH – Pieper O’Brien Herr – Federal Gallery
6. Larry Fabbroni – National YAF Chair
   A. Letter re: harassment taskforce within the architecture profession
   B. What are the actional goals
   C. How does the institute (AIA) deal with harassment claims (membership revocation, withdraw awards, etc.)
   D. Augmenting HR policies
   E. Expand the conversation and educating
   F. Lobbying current candidates to make sure it’s a priority
   G. Session at convention as well as display
7. BS – YAF email list serve for those who show up regularly so as to not spam others
8. BS – Treehouse competition – Kent Edward – PA Environmental Council (PEC)
   A. June 9th – 1day
   B. Camping spots along bike trails
   C. Local NGO – Trail networks for Bikes
9. BS – should work on promoting cross professional events
A. JQ – landscape, will contact Julie for a June Happy Hour? Firm Tour?
B. Jon Sandif – Illumination engineer society-electrical engineers and YAF
C. Graphic designers, Illuminators, curators, who else?
10. NG – three tours upcoming
   A. 5/9 - Morningside Crossing Tour
   B. Early June – Union Trust
   C. Early July – Braddock – revitalization walking tour
11. SC – Furniture competition – deadline 4/30
12. EP – Happy Hour with FAIA – working on it
13. BS – meeting for planning ARE review sessions
14. BS – YAF needs to raise money
   A. Interest in YAF tailgate
   B. Not currently generating income
   C. Sponsorship? NG – doesn’t think it would be a good idea as maybe in partnership with AIA already, cannot accept donations, goes to AIA 1st
   D. EP – Beaux Arts Ball type event at Design PGH
   E. SC – YAF buy 3d printer and rent out
15. JA – trying to get Building Tour at 8th and Penn
16. AIA convention in June
17. Next NOMA meeting – 5/14 UDA
18. Next YAF meeting 5/23
19. Take photo and disperse

LINKS:
Columns Home Page:  http://aiapgh.org/columns-home/
AIA Events Calendar:  http://aiapgh.org/events/
Green Building Alliance  https://www.go-gba.org/
Master Building Association  http://www.mbawpa.org/

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