July 27, 2020

Dear Returning Master of Landscape Architecture Student,

Welcome back to the Faculty of Architecture, Landscape Architecture program. We are currently making arrangements for the new academic year and ask you to note that all students are required to register on-line. Access for registration is now possible through your Aurora Account.

Please note that the LARC 7310 LD Seminar 1 (Plants) is scheduled to start on September 1, 2020. All other classes resume on September 9, 2020. As a novelty LARC 7002 Landscape Construction and Professional Practice will span over fall and winter term starting on September 23, 2020.

As of today, we are allowed, in principle, to plan and timetable studio courses and some of our classes to be held in person or with face-to-face components. During the registration period detailed information will appear on the syllabus section of the class schedule and provide you with the course essentials, technological requirements as well as expectations and needs in regards to format of each course you are registering for. All conditions with respect to safety protocols and prevention measures have to be met. Occupancy levels of studio and other spaces will be restricted as specified by UM standards which currently are set by requirements to maintain a physical distance between individuals of not less than 2 meters and limit occupancy to a maximum of 50 percent of normal capacity. It must be understood that these conditions may be subject to modification as UM standards are adjusted through the course of the pandemic situation.

If you have any questions or wish to contact Yvonne Halden, the Graduate Student Adviser, please email her at yvonne.halden@umanitoba.ca. After July 2020 Tobi Hawkins will help with registration and can be contacted at tobi.hawkins@umanitoba.ca. We look forward to working with you for another productive year.

Yours sincerely,

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