ACSP News

Previously Announced But Definitely Worth Repeating!

- The 2020 ACSP Annual Conference Will Happen
- Whether in Toronto or Virtual, Consider Donating to Assist Students to Attend #ACSP2020
- How to Activate Your JPER Online Subscription
- COVID-19 Resources

#ACSP2020
Award Nominations & Submissions

NOW OPEN
through June 1, 2020!

Featured News

THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC’S IMPACT ON PLANNING PROGRAMS WEBINAR NOW AVAILABLE ON YOUTUBE

More than 130 were in attendance for the ACSP Committee on the Academy’s webinar, “The COVID-19 Pandemic’s Impact on Planning Programs.” This was the second webinar in a series focusing on how our departments and planning can respond to the global COVID-19 pandemic.

Thank you to our panel of speakers:

- Jennifer Cowley, Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs, University of North Texas
- Edward Feser, Provost, Oregon State University
- Sonia Hirt, Dean, College of Environment + Design, University of Georgia
- Dawn Jourdan, Executive Associate Dean, College of Architecture, Texas A&M University

We’d also like to extend a special thank you to the webinar host and organizer, Renia Ehrenfeucht, Professor & Chair, The University of New Mexico.

The following webinar links are now available on ACSP's YouTube Channel:

"The COVID-19 Pandemic’s Impact on Planning Programs"
"Planning During and After the COVID-19 Pandemic"

If you haven't subscribed to ACSP's YouTube channel, please do so today!

Stay tuned for details on the Academy's next webinar, which is tentatively planned for later this summer.
**Member News**

**New York University:** NYU Planning Faculty Help Local Policymakers Respond to COVID-19 Crisis

**Tufts University:** In a Video, Urban and Environmental Policy and Planning Professor Justin Hollander Talks About the Ways That Thinking About Public Spaces Will Change With the Pandemic: [https://now.tufts.edu/articles/how-will-covid-19-affect-public-spaces](https://now.tufts.edu/articles/how-will-covid-19-affect-public-spaces)

**University of Minnesota:** Yingling Fan, Professor of Urban & Regional Planning, Co-authors Study on Gardening for Mental Health

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**Association Contributor News**

**Island Press:** Half-Off Building the Cycling City Throughout May

**Kauffman Foundation:** [Announcements](#)

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**#ACSP2020 Awards**

The deadline to submit nominations for the ACSP Student & Faculty Awards is fast approaching on June 1! We’d like to encourage you to apply or nominate an outstanding student or faculty member today!

**Climate Action Task Force**

ACSP is pleased to announce the formation of the ACSP Climate Action Task Force, chaired by Michael Boswell, California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo, and Elisabeth Hamin-Infield, University of Massachusetts Amherst.

**New Special Interest Group**

INCLUSION (LGBTQIA + Allies) is a newly formed special interest group of the Association. If you are interested in learning more about this group or becoming a member, we invite you to click below and learn more!

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**Photo of the Week**

**ACSP Dates & Deadlines**

**May**

*May 20: Deadline to Provide Your "Intent to Submit" for the Kauffman Sponsored Best Paper Award*

**June**

*June 1: #ACSP2020 Award Submission Deadline*
This photo captures a historical gathering of former ACSP presidents at #ACSP2016 in Portland, Oregon.

Pictured above on the back row from left to right: Cheryl Contant (2009-11); Mike Hibbard (2007-09); Chris Silver (2003-05); Jay Chatterjee (1983-85); Charles Connerly (2011-13); Bruce Stiftel (1999-2001); Weiping Wu (2017-19)

Front row: Wim Wiewel (2001-03); Sandi Rosenbloom (1998-2000); June Thomas (2013-15); Mickey Lauria (2005-07); Michael Teitz (1981-83)

Click on the names above to see 2016 interviews regarding their ACSP presidencies.

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