UVA School of Architecture Fellowships
Kenan Architecture Graduate Fellowship

Purpose
The Kenan fellowship seeks to advance scholarship and innovative pedagogy on the contemporary relevance of Jefferson’s Academical Village across the larger University community. Taught by the William R. Kenan Professor of Architecture, Peter Waldman, “ARCH 1010, Lessons of the Lawn” devises critical readings and insights around the evolving inhabitation and physical structure of the Lawn through a series of case studies.

Eligibility
All graduate architecture students who are not in their final year of their degree are eligible to apply. Path 2.5 students may apply during their second academic year, if they are willing to extend their time as a student in the School of Architecture for the spring semester immediately following their final fall semester. Current Kenan fellows are eligible to reapply. Successful candidates will have demonstrated a high commitment to design education. The committee seeks candidates with a high level of academic achievement, a passion for design, and potential for teaching. Previous experience as a teaching assistant in the School of Architecture is preferred.

Number of fellowship positions
Two

Description
Kenan fellows are expected to work closely with Professor Waldman in the fall and spring semester, committing part of their time to ongoing research efforts. In the fall semester, each student will prepare one lecture and one essay that will be included in a publication Lessons of the Lawn: A Dialogue between Citizens and Strangers. During the spring semester, the fellow will be expected to lead a discussion section in ARCH 1010 and deliver one lecture to the entire class.

Application Requirements
The selection committee will review the following:
• A 250-word essay describing research interest and how it will be applied to advance the significance of the Academical Village in contemporary thought and culture
• Two faculty references

Amount
The fellowship financial package includes:
• In-state tuition costs and in- or out-of-state fees (dependent on residency status)*
• One year of University student health insurance stipend (if student is not covered by another plan)
• Stipend for living expenses

*Note: The exact amount of fellowship funding varies year to year based on tuition cost and fees.

Deadline
5pm, March 14, 2016

Email application package as a single PDF document to Adela Su (acs3r@virginia.edu)