

Final Review

Due Wednesday, December 9

The studio project addressed an expressive condition – water – with a tremendous impact on the environment – suburban and urban. This semester you have explored the impact of water and proposed a solution for addressing flood conditions in Houston, Texas.

Your final review will address this solution.

You are to develop your solution in three formats:

- 1) (2) 24"x36" posters – your graphic board should be an overall presentation of your urban design solution. The drawings you select to include are your decision and I will be looking at your ability to select the most appropriate to best convey your idea.
- 2) Power Point Presentation – your power point presentation should include the overall understanding of your design – again, I am looking to see how you make decisions about what to include to allow you to verbally present your work to your audience. No more than 15 minutes.
- 3) Booklet – your booklet should comprise the entire urban design process. How you began, what relevant research influenced your ideas, what elements of exploration and exercise shaped your direction and finally, what then developed as your urban design solution. It should include text. The text is intended to represent your explanation of the graphic work as it is needed. Imagine that you are presenting this booklet to a client as a representation of your ideas – what do you need to show them and tell them to make certain they understand the strength and beauty in your design solution?

In addition, you must present your work on a cd as we discussed throughout the semester.

- 4) CD – The cd represents the graphic work. It needs to include all of your drawings. It should include your final presentation graphics – all drawings need to be at 4"x6" (roughly) size format at 400dpi. This makes for some very large files so keep this in mind as you proceed. This is the new print quality requirement for publications.

POSTING OF WORK:

All final review work must be posted by Friday, December 11 at 6pm.

You are to revise your storyboard and work plan on a weekly basis and post it with the date of the update in the title under your student folder.

Each studio period, I will check your progress as it relates to this and to the design solution overall. Please remember the following:

- Participation in the final review is noted in your syllabus and is a requirement of the course. You will not pass this class if you are not present at the final review
- You will receive one letter grade penalty if you are late to the final review (the privilege of reviewers also demands punctuality on your part) (this includes being in the print bureau) (this would be the equivalent of turning work in late).

