

## **KENTUCKIANA MASONRY INSTITUTE'S STEPHEN C. DEGER MEMORIAL STUDENT DESIGN COMPETITION**

Each year, the Kentuckiana Masonry Institute sponsors a design competition for students in the University of Kentucky's School of Architecture. This year the design competition will center on the construction of a memorial for Professor Stephen C. Deger. Professor Deger was actively involved in admissions and teaching until his death on January 8, 2009. Many current and former students remember Professor Deger as the first person they met at the School of Architecture. Others were inspired and challenged by his studio courses. The memorial is intended to celebrate these aspects of Stephen Deger's life, teaching and professional work.

The memorials will be constructed in front of Pence Hall beginning Monday April 13 at 4:00 pm. Work on the memorials must be completed by 4:00 pm on Tuesday April 14. People attending Stephen Deger's Memorial Service will view the memorials on Tuesday April 14, at 6:00 pm.

The memorials will be constructed using no more than 100 modular bricks and cover an area no greater than 12 square feet. The bricks will be provided on site the day of the competition. No mortar or adhesives are allowed but mechanical fasteners are acceptable. The constructions must be safe for both builders and observers.

The jury will be members of the Kentuckiana Masonry Institute and School of Architecture faculty. The jurors will evaluate the work on Tuesday April 14 at 4:00 pm. The jurors will evaluate design concept, use of materials and detailing. The constructions will be disassembled and bricks removed by 8:00 pm the same day.

\$2000. will be distributed between three winning solutions; \$1000. for first place, \$600. for second, and \$400. for third. All winners will be invited to the KMI Awards Luncheon at the Mohamed Ali Center in Louisville KY on April 23, 2009.

Individuals or teams of two who are enrolled in the School of Architecture are allowed to enter the competition. To register for the competition provide an 11" X 17" drawing of what you propose to build along with your contact information to Bruce Swetnam by Monday April 6, 2009.

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### **Competition Schedule**

April 1 / 1:45 pm	Information Session, Pence Hall 209
April 6 / 2:00 pm	Proposal & Registration due, 117 Pence Hall
April 13 / 4:00 pm	Construction begins, meet in front of Pence Hall
April 14 / 4:00 pm	Construction completed and evaluation begins
April 14 / 6:00 pm	Stephen Deger Memorial Service in the Student Center Theater
April 14 / 7:00 pm	Stephen Deger Memorial Reception in Pence Hall
April 14 / 7:30 pm	Announcement of Finalists in Pence Hall
April 23 / 11:00 am	KMI Masonry Awards Luncheon at the Mohamed Ali Center