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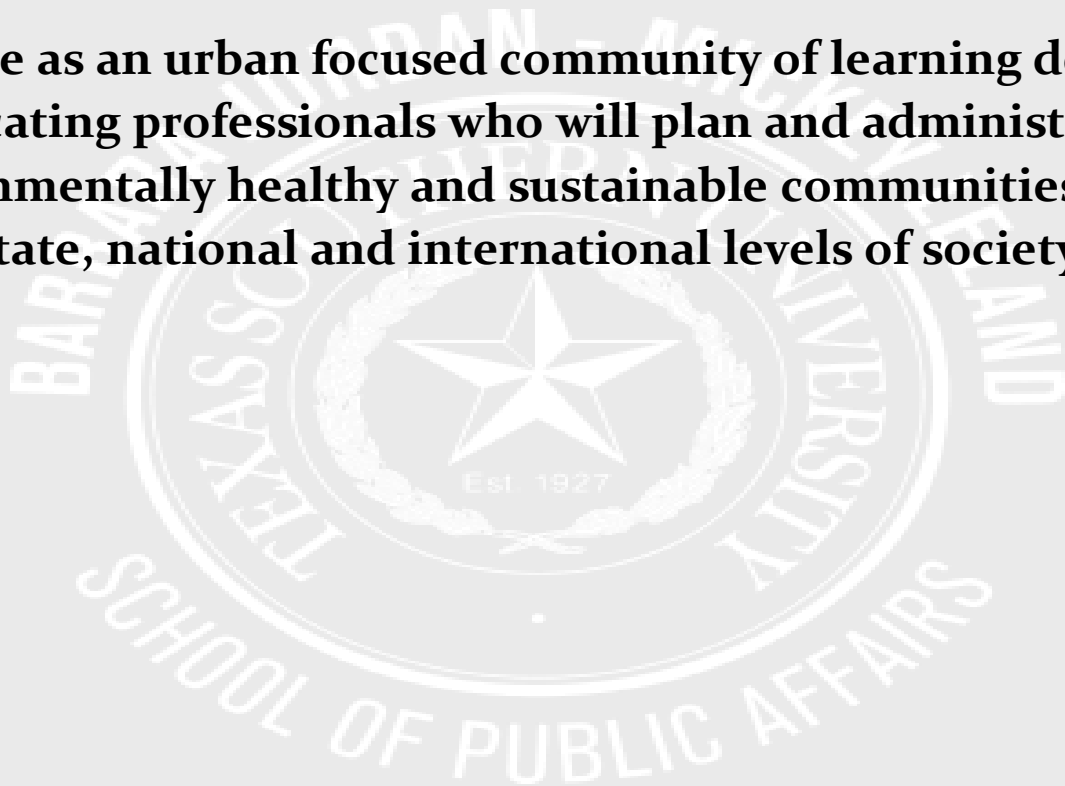
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Our Mission:

To serve as an urban focused community of learning dedicated to educating professionals who will plan and administer environmentally healthy and sustainable communities at the local, state, national and international levels of society.



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BOOK CHAPTERS:

Lowe, Jeffery (Urban Planning and Environmental Policy). Chapter 3: Race, Displacement and Community Planning Introduction, Tom Angotti (ed.) *“Transformative Planning: Radical Alternatives to Neoliberal Urbanism,”* University of Chicago Press, November, 2019.

PUBLIC SCHOLARSHIPS

Bumseok, Chun (Urban Planning and Environmental Policy). “The Nexus between PM 2.5 and Urban Characteristics in the Texas Triangle Region.” *Transportation Research Part D: Transport and Environment*, forthcoming.

PAPERS PRESENTED AT PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES:

Kieh, George (Political Science). “The Movement for Justice in Africa and State Transformation in Liberia,” Paper presented at the International Conference on “Left-Wing Movements in Africa,” sponsored by the Rosa Luxemburg Foundation, held in Dakar, Senegal, October 30-November 2, 2019.

Lowe, Jeffrey (Urban Planning and Environmental Policy). Professional African American Planners: Promoting Equity and Inclusion in Gary, Indiana. Eighteenth National Planning History Conference, October 31-November 2, 2019, Crystal City, Arlington, Virginia.

Pan, Qisheng (Urban Planning and Environmental Policy). “The Impacts of Light Rail Expansion on Residential Property Values: A Case Study on the Houston’s Light Rail System,” Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning Annual Meeting, October 2019, Greenville, South Carolina.

Solitare, Laura (Urban Planning and Environmental Policy). “Garbage Can Flora: New York City’s gen of a citizen scientist for waste management during the Progressive Era,” National Conference on Planning History, November 2019, Washington, DC.

WORKSHOPS:

Smith, Sheri (Urban Planning and Environment Policy). “Equity Fall Planning Workshop,” Houston-Galveston Area Council, Title: State of Equity in Our Committees. November 1, 2019. Waco, Texas

GRANTS:

Bullard, Robert (Urban Planning & Environmental Policy). National Academies’ Gulf Research Program Grants of \$10.7 million to Four Gulf Coast Community Resilience Projects. October 2019.

AWARDS:

Lowe, Jeffrey (Urban Planning and Environmental Policy). A recipient of an award of acknowledgement and appreciation for six years of service (including Chairperson) to the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning Committee on Diversity (2019).

ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

Kieh, George (Political Science). Elected for a second consecutive term as the President of the African Studies and Research Forum, 2020-2022. ASRF is an international organization of Africanist scholars and practitioners.

