

PRESS RELEASE To the Mizzou community:

We have received an incredible amount of feedback from MU students, faculty, and staff about the MSA/GPC Craft Studio. The Missouri Students Association (MSA) and the Graduate Professional Council (GPC) value the important services that the MSA/GPC Craft Studio provides to the students of the University of Missouri. After several months of meeting with students, administration, faculty, and staff we are happy to say that the MSA/GPC Craft Studio will continue its operations in a new capacity.

The MU Department of Architectural Studies, College of Human Environmental Sciences, MSA, and GPC are piloting a strategic partnership to create an interdisciplinary fabrication laboratory on the MU campus. The collaboration between the MSA/GPC Craft Studio and MU Department of Architectural Studies will be the first step in forming a creative space for the use of all students. It will advance our shared goals of demonstrating the value and impact of supporting creative and experiential learning spaces, interdisciplinary design thinking, and bolstering entrepreneurial opportunities for students.

Beginning January 2017, the MSA/GPC Craft Studio will be housed in Gentry Hall and share space with the MU Department of Architectural Studies in the College of Human Environmental Sciences. We are excited and optimistic for this new partnership and hope that the sharing of space shows great stewardship between students and an academic unit.

Sincerely,

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