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## **FALL LECTURE: Women in Real Estate Development Panel**

Don't miss the 2018 Colvin Fall Lecture, Women in Real Estate Development, on October 3rd!

Reception: 6:15 - 7:00 pm **Lecture**: 7:00 - 8:15 pm

**Location**: Architecture Building Auditorium 3835 Campus Drive, College Park, MD 20742

Parking: Free Parking in Lot 1 across from the traffic circle.

Please RSVP to Rahul Chawla at rchawla@terpmail.umd.edu by October



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Fall 2018: MRED Orientation Program



The Fall 2018 incoming MRED students took their first steps in the ARCH Building on August 18-19 for the MRED Orientation and Assessment Program. The two days kicked off on Saturday with a building and library tour followed by lunch with faculty and staff. The day proceeded with an overview of the program and an Excel Assessment. The students also got to hear about industry organizations and events. Additionally, **Lisa Rother**, Executive Director, ULI Washington was on hand to talk about student memberships and to answer questions. The day ended with a wine and cheese reception where students had an opportunity to network.

On Sunday, students received feedback on baseline skills in Business Writing by Adjunct Professor, Ronald McDonald and Oral Presentations by Director, Maria Day-Marshall. The day ended with Survival Tips from Clinical Assistant Professor and alum, Tanya Bansal. Pictured above with Dr. Maria Day-Marshall are 17 of the incoming class of 27 new students along with Program Assistant, Gerard Boulin, Graduate Assistant, Rahul Chawla and Tanya Bansal.

### Russia Abroad: Urban Redevelopment Studio



The St. Petersburg studio brought U.S. and Russian students together for a month of collaborative work, creating a proposal for the redevelopment of a site in the former industrial zone of the City. Guided by U.S. and Russian faculty, students of architecture, planning, economics, real estate

development, and historic preservation brought their diverse professional and cultural perspectives to envision together the next chapter in the history of the former Soviet industrial area. The studio culminated with a presentation of proposals to local officials.

The studio was taught by both U.S. and Russian faculty. Associate Professor of Architecture, **Madlen Simon** and Clinical Assistant Professor of Real Estate Development, **Tanya Bansal** of the University of Maryland, Professor of Economics, **Leonid Limonov** of the National Research University Higher School of Economics (NRU HSE) and Professor of Architecture, **Vladimir Linov** of St. Petersburg State University of Architecture and Civil Engineering (GASU), served as the primary program faculty. Additional U.S. and Russian faculty contributed to the program including Professor Emeritus of Real Estate Development, **Margaret McFarland** of the University of Maryland, **Anna Kathanova** of the St. Petersburg City Planning Administration and Dean **Fedor Perov** of GASU.

# MRED at The Power Conference 2018: Summer Intensive!



Elizabeth Hawley and Maria Day-Marshall

On August 9th, hundreds of business women from the MD-DC-VA region converged at the Montgomery County Conference Center/North Bethesda Marriott for the The Power Conference 2018: Summer Intensive. The immersive one-day conference of networking and promotional opportunities was designed to challenge and act on business development and professional growth. MRED students, **Catherine Inniss** and **Elizabeth Hawley**, along with MRED Director **Maria Day-Marshall**, attended and participated in the Conference.

**Annapolis: Interdisciplinary Project Tour** 



On August 21st, to kick off the Fall semester, the School of Architecture hosted an interdisciplinary tour for incoming students in Annapolis, MD. Students had the unique opportunity to tour several ongoing projects to enrich their experience in development, historic preservation, planning and architecture including a mixed-use site located at 110 Compromise Street on the historic City Dock, a newly constructed office building on Giddings West, and an adaptive re-use condominium project. They were also treated to a tour of the U.S. Naval Academy campus and a walking tour of downtown Annapolis. The day was capped off with talks by representatives of the Annapolis Department of Planning and Zoning regarding historic preservation, flooding, zoning, and planning matters.

### SEPTEMBER: Student & Alumni Happy Hour

Back to school happy hour in College Park! Mark your calendar for September 19th. We will meet at Burton's Grill in Riverdale (next to the new Whole Foods) from 4:30 pm-7:30 pm for complimentary appetizers, cash bar and lots of networking! This event is open to all alumni, current MRED students, and friends. Hope you can make it! Please RSVP to Mithila Mattoo at mmattoo@terpmail.umd.edu.



