

- ★ A collaboration between fifth-year architecture students and OU's Institute for Quality Communities produced an **urban design redevelopment proposal for Oklahoma City's Cox Convention Center**. The proposal helped shape the thinking of the city's decision-makers planning multiple major public works projects, including a new \$10 million transportation hub.



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- ★ The ConocoPhillips School of Geology and Geophysics **Bartell Field Camp** located on a 71-acre site near Cañon City, Colo., provides a base for unparalleled hands-on, real-world field experience for geology and geophysics students. The facility also serves the entire university as a facility for research and retreats.
- ★ The **graduate periodontics program** in the College of Dentistry is testing bone-grafting materials for Ace Surgical Supply Inc. as part of a research project. The grafting materials are designed to facilitate enhancement of quality of life for patients treated in the program.
- ★ Each year since 2008, an **OU student majoring in Russian** has interned at a local school, teaching Russian-language lessons to pre-K to fifth-grade classes. The lessons introduce the Cyrillic alphabet and basic conversational expressions, as well as offer students an overview of Russian culture.
- ★ A team in the OU College of Pharmacy took second-place honors in the **2011 National Community Pharmacist Association Pruitt-Schutte Student Business Plan Competition**. The competition, the first of its kind for the pharmacy profession, aims to motivate pharmacy students to create the blueprint necessary for buying an existing independent community pharmacy or develop a new pharmacy.
- ★ **New educational programs at the University of Oklahoma–Tulsa** include social work, a child abuse pediatric specialty, a computer science program in electrical engineering, early childhood education training and research, education leadership master's and doctoral degrees, emergency medicine residency and research, and sonography and radiology training.
- ★ In the Michael F. Price College of Business **Integrated Business Core** program, students learn skills necessary to launch a successful business, from brainstorming and market analysis, to managing employees and the legal implications of business transactions, to selling products and closing the books on the last sale. All proceeds from these businesses go toward charities in the community. In 2011, the program announced a milestone: charitable donations over the past 16 years reached \$1 million.



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