Donation: Firm-to-Studio

As a new firm-to-studio donor, Tate Hill Jacobs Architects Inc. has pledged $25,000 for an undergraduate studio in honor of founding partner Sarah House Tate.

One of the first women to become licensed to practice Architecture in Kentucky, in 1975 Sarah House Tate (pictured above) founded the firm that would become Tate Hill Jacobs Architects. Over the past five decades, she has been a frequent lecturer on subjects related to architecture and served on a number of statewide design advisory boards. In 1989, Sarah received the Distinguished Service Award from the UK School of Architecture.

As a firm, Tate Hill Jacobs Architects places emphasis on the investment of good design with solutions that integrate building design with site-specific program requirements. The firm is celebrated for its design excellence in education and renovation of historic and adaptive reuse properties, notably ArtsPlace, the Lexington Children’s Theatre, and the Pam Miller Downtown Arts Center. Another shining example of their work is the Lyric Theatre and Cultural Arts Center, which achieved LEED Gold Certification and for which Tate Hill Jacobs received an Honor Award from the Kentucky Chapter of the American Institute of Architects (AIA).