



Habitat house

AU Architecture faculty and students helped dedicate the first AU-designed and constructed Habitat for Humanity house May 19 in Opelika. The dedication was the culmination of a year-long project in which AU students worked with representatives of Alabama Association of Habitat Affiliates and DesignAlabama. The project, named DesignHabitat, started as a classroom assignment to design a prototype house which includes Southern design and culture. Habitat plans to build 50 of these AU houses in the state within the next four years.