



SURVIVING & THRIVING IN THE NEW NEVADA



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THE AIA NEVADA EXCELLENCE IN DESIGN AWARDS

AIA Nevada believes that design awards programs should be carefully structured so that selection and recognition of recipients serves two distinct purposes; one directed to the profession, and the other to the public. By focusing attention on a broad range of exemplary activity within the profession the general quality of architectural practice is elevated and a standard of excellence is established against which all architects can measure their own performance. By informing the public on the breadth and value of architectural practice, the entire profession is held in higher esteem.

Register for the Conference, Enter the Design and Service Awards, Register your team for the Golf Tournament and purchase your tickets for the Gala Awards Celebration online at www.aialasvegas.org.

AIA NEVADA'S SECOND ANNUAL DESIGN CONFERENCE "SURVIVING AND THRIVING IN THE NEW NEVADA"

Hosted by AIA Las Vegas

The 2009 statewide AIA Nevada Design Conference is hosted by the Las Vegas Chapter of the AIA and is themed "Surviving & Thriving in THE NEW NEVADA" - A study of preparedness, professional skills, endurance, collaboration, the competitive edge and design excellence. Scheduled for September 16-19, 2009 the conference and awards celebration will be held at the newly reclaimed Historic Fifth Street School, located in downtown Las Vegas, Nevada.

The recession of 2008 - 2009 has made a profound impact on Nevada, and most especially on the architecture and construction industries. Spiraling growth and expanding development can no longer be taken for granted. Education is of utmost importance and state revenues must be diversified if we are to recover and prosper.

We now know that when design and planning stops...the whole architecture and construction industry stops. And, we now know that the design and planning of new and rehabilitated projects are the essential first steps in generating jobs and keeping our industry healthy and our economy strong. Our state is poised to lead the way in renewable energy, technology and cutting edge design. From the difficulties of the past and a realistic view of the future...a NEW NEVADA will emerge. Architects and Design Professionals can lead the way.

THE NEW NEVADA will depend upon highly experienced and educated design professionals who are prepared to meet the challenges and create new ways of solving problems. Now is the time to refresh, renew, recharge and acquire new skills and experience, and the 2009 AIA Nevada Design Conference is the place. REGISTER NOW and get the training, knowledge and skills necessary to meet and conquer the challenges in THE NEW NEVADA.



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DESIGN AWARDS TIMELINE

June 1
Call for Entries

August 21
Call for Entries Closes

September 4
Design Award Submittals
Due

September 8
Late Submittals Due

September 11
Design Awards Jury

September 19
Awards Celebration

FEES

Entry Fee
\$200 per entry

Late Submittal Fee
An additional \$100 per
entry

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To achieve these goals, the 2009 AIA Nevada Excellence in Design Awards has four divisions:

- Architecture
- Interior Architecture
- Regional and Urban Design
- Collaborative Achievement

Please review each category for the individual program eligibility, submission requirements, judging criteria and deadlines.

Livability and Sustainability Goals

It is recommended that you use the 10 Principles for Livable Communities, created by AIA Communities by Design: design on a human scale, provide choices, encourage mixed-use development, preserve urban centers, vary transportation options, build vibrant public spaces, create a neighborhood identity, protect environmental resources, conserve landscapes, and recognize that design matters. For more details on these principles, visit www.aia.org/communitiesbydesign.

Further, in recognition of the AIA Sustainable Architectural Practice Position Statement and in support of the 2030 Challenge (issued by Edward Mazria, AIA, Architecture 2030), submitted projects should reflect these energy-reduction goals where possible:

- At least 50-percent reduction in fossil-fuel consumption in the construction and operation of new and renovated buildings by 2010
- Further reductions of remaining fossil-fuel consumption by 10 percent or more in each of the following five years
- Carbon neutrality in the construction and operation of all buildings by 2030

Eligibility Criteria and the 2009 Excellence in Design Jury

If you submit a project, the following applies for entrants and jurors within each individual program.

- Any project that credits any 2009 jury member or his or her firm as architect, associate architect, consultant or client is ineligible and will be disqualified if submitted.
- Communication with any jury member by the entrants is inappropriate and cause for disqualification. All architects of award-winning projects will be required to verify that neither they nor persons acting on their behalf had written or other communication with any 2009 jury member regarding a submitted project from the time of submittal to completion of the jury process.
- 2009 AIA Nevada Excellence In Design Jury Members
Craig Hodgetts, FAIA - Hodgetts + FungCulver City, CA
Anne Schopf, FAIA - Mahlum Architects, Seattle, WA
Marlene Imirzian, FAIA Imirzian & Associates Architects, Phoenix, AZ

At the jurors' discretion, recognitions will be given for Honor, Merit and Citation levels in each of the categories.



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DESIGN ENTRY AND SUBMITTAL PROCEDURES

Step 1 – Entry Forms & Fees

Go to www.aialasvegas.org and download / print the Entry Form Packet, which contains the Entry Form, Design Team Form and the Payment Form. Duplicate as necessary for each project you plan to enter (one payment form can be used for all projects submitted.)

Step 2 – Complete the Entry Form(s) and the Design Team Form(s) for each project you plan to enter.

Please be certain that you include all accurate contact information for each member of the Design Team. Entry Forms are considered incomplete without this information.

Payment in full for all projects can be entered on the Payment Form.

Step 3 – Send your completed Entry Form(s) and Fees via email, (klavigne@aianeveda.org) regular mail (AIA Las Vegas , 401 S. 4th Street, Suite 175, Las Vegas, NV 89101) or fax (702.895.4417)

Step 4 – By return e-mail you will receive a **Project Number** for each project you enter, along with Submittal Instructions including forms and templates, Intern Disclaimer Form and Photo Release Form.

- **NEW THIS YEAR!** The entire submission - including images, drawings and project description text - must be provided on one Submittal Disc in a single PDF file no larger than 5MB in size. Specific instructions for each award category is provided in the Submittal Instructions. Please read carefully.
- Rights to photos, digital images, and/or plans must be cleared for publication by the entrant. A signed Photo Release Form must be received with your submittal. Entrants are responsible for any royalties or copyright photography fees. Before entering, entrants must have the owner's approval to submit the project. Owners must be informed of potential site visits and significant media recognition should the project receive an award.
- Each completed Submittal Package will contain the following items:
 1. Your submittal on one Disc in a single PDF file no larger than 5MB – including Project Description Form and Sustainable Description Form.
 2. Your Submittal Information ENVELOPE – containing a copy of your original Entry Form, the signed Intern Disclaimer Form and the completed Photo Release Form.
 3. Your Project Exhibit BOARD – as described in the Submittal Instructions
- All entries become the property of AIA Nevada and will be retained in the AIA archives at the UNLV Architecture Studies Library.

Step 5 - Prior to 5:00PM on Friday, September 4th, 2009 – deliver your complete submission package to the AIA Las Vegas office at 401 S. 4th Street, Suite 175, Las Vegas, NV . For an additional fee of \$100.00 per entry, entrants may purchase the Late Submission Date of Tuesday, September 8, 2009. The submission deadlines will be strictly observed; no exceptions will be made. No entry fee will be returned for entries that are disqualified, late or incomplete.



AWARD FOR ARCHITECTURE

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Eligibility

The Award for Architecture is for built projects completed since January 1, 2005. It is open to all AIA Nevada members who are licensed in the state of Nevada for projects located anywhere in the world, and to AIA members from other states who are licensed in Nevada for projects located in Nevada.

AIA members are invited to submit projects of any size, budget, style or building type. Entries are welcomed and encouraged from established firms of any size, new designers and practitioners. Both new buildings and restorations are eligible. There is no limit to the number of projects that may be entered by a firm. The entry must have been designed by an architect who is a member of AIA at the time of the project's completion. "Completion" is synonymous with "substantial completion" as defined in the standard AIA documents governing construction. The submitting architect may qualify as a member of a design team, whether or not serving as the head of the team. When one architect is not the sole author, all other participants contributing substantially to the design of the project must be given credit as part of the submission, regardless of professional discipline.

Project authorship must remain concealed throughout the deliberations of the jury. If the authorship is revealed on any of the images, plans or narrative the entry will be disqualified.

Projects that have received awards in previous AIA Nevada awards programs are not eligible – with the following exception. Projects that have received recognition in previous "Unbuilt" category, and have since become built structures, may be entered for an Award for Architecture.

Judging Criteria

Each entry is judged for the success with which the project has met its individual requirements. Entries are weighed individually—not in competition with each other.

Projects must exhibit design achievement that demonstrates exemplary skill and creativity in the resolution and integration of formal, functional and technical requirements, including ecological stewardship and social responsibility that acknowledges and advances social agendas. Projects should reflect a strong sense of place, of ecology, of history or of purpose as an integral part of the demonstrated design excellence.

In addition to design achievement, projects may be exemplary in the following subcategories.

- Technical advancement, which includes engineering achievements (structural, mechanical, transportation, computer, etc.) as well as innovative use of materials.
- Preservation/restoration, including demonstration of exemplary skill, sensitivity, and thoroughness in preservation, restoration, or the alternative use of existing buildings regardless of their original architectural significance.



AWARD FOR ARCHITECTURE

Submittals that do not meet all of these requirements will be disqualified.

SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS

Submissions Include the Following:

1. SUBMITTAL Disc - The entire submission – including all images, drawings and required forms – must be provided on one Submittal Disc in a single **PDF file**.
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3. PROJECT EXHIBIT BOARD – All entries will be displayed at the Awards Celebration (and other locations). To insure uniformity, each submittal must adhere to the following specifications: Each submittal must be mounted on a 24" x 36" white 1/4" foam-core board, vertically oriented. The board may be individually designed but must include
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AWARD FOR INTERIOR ARCHITECTURE

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The AIA Nevada Excellence in Design - **Award for Interior Architecture** - acknowledges the excellence of building interiors created by architects licensed in the state of Nevada. The intent of this award is to draw attention to the broad diversity of completed interior architecture.

Eligibility

The Interior Architecture awards program is open to all AIA Nevada members who are licensed in the state of Nevada for projects located anywhere in the world, and to AIA members from other states who are licensed in Nevada for projects located in Nevada. Entries are welcomed and encouraged from both established and new designers and practitioners and from firms of any size. Both new buildings and restorations are eligible.

Projects must have been designed by an AIA member at the time of the project's completion. The project must have been completed since January 1, 2005. The submitting architect may qualify as a member of a design team, whether or not serving as the head of the team. When one architect is not the sole author, all other participants contributing substantially to the design of the project must be given credit as a part of the submission, regardless of professional discipline.

Project authorship must remain concealed throughout the deliberations of the jury. If the authorship is revealed on any of the images, plans or narrative the entry will be disqualified.

Projects that have received awards in previous AIA Nevada awards programs are not eligible

Judging Criteria

Each entry in the Interior Category is judged for the success with which the project has met its individual requirements. Entries are weighted individually, not in competition with each other. The size and location of a project in no way limits its eligibility. All descriptions must not exceed two pages.

Projects must exhibit design achievement that demonstrates exemplary skill and creativity in the resolution and integration of formal, functional and technical requirements, including ecological stewardship and social responsibility that acknowledges and advances social agendas. Projects should reflect a strong sense of place, of ecology, of history or of purpose as an integral part of the demonstrated design excellence.

In addition to design achievement, projects may be exemplary in the following subcategories.

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AWARD FOR INTERIOR ARCHITECTURE

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AWARD FOR REGIONAL AND URBAN DESIGN

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The AIA Nevada Excellence in Design - **Award for Regional and Urban Design** recognize distinguished achievements that involve the expanding role of the architect in urban design, regional and city planning and community development. The awards identify projects and programs that contribute to the quality of these environments.

Eligibility

Owners, individual practitioners, private design firms, public agencies, civic organizations, and public interest groups may submit projects and programs in which they were involved. Entrants for this portion of the awards program do not need to be architects or members of The American Institute of Architects, HOWEVER, an AIA member architect licensed in the state of Nevada must be a member of the design team.

Entries may be urban design projects, planning programs, civic improvements, environmental programs, and redevelopment projects. Projects should not be individual buildings. Since many urban design projects are never "completed" in the traditional sense, incomplete projects or ongoing programs may be recognized if a significant portion has been completed, implemented, or adopted by a local jurisdiction or authority.

Projects must have been completed since January 1, 2005.

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Judging Criteria

Each entry is judged for the success with which the project has met its individual requirements. Entries are judged individually, not in competition with each other. The size and location of the project or program in no way limits its eligibility. Projects do not need to be built, but they must be economically and socially realistic.

Design achievement can be evidenced by the exploration of new approaches to ecological planning, urban form, or sensitive reinforcement of successful historical development patterns. Entries should address ecological issues by describing (preferably with graphics) how the design captures, collects, stores and distributes resident renewable resources and energies. Entries may also exhibit improvements in the quality of life, the environment, and/or the technical advancement of urban systems.



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COLLABORATIVE ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

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The **2009 Award for Collaborative Achievement** - Architecture is a collaborative art. In recognition of the teamwork and cooperation required in the successful execution of quality projects, AIA Nevada presents the 2009 Collaborative Achievement Award.

This award is designed to recognize and encourage design excellence as achieved through the collaborative efforts of clients, owners, contractors and architects. This specific area of achievement provides opportunities to recognize the collaborative art of the profession and the mutual benefits of working with allied professionals. Projects should clearly demonstrate the specific roles of each in the design, building and completion of an exceptional project.

Eligibility

Any AIA member, group of members, component or knowledge community may submit a collaborative project, however, an AIA Nevada member must be a member of the design team.

Additional materials are required for the AWARD FOR COLLABORATIVE ACHIEVEMENT Submittal Disc. For those who are submitting for this award, please also include the additional materials listed on the submittal instructions.

Due to the nature of this award, project authorship must be revealed. It is, therefore, acceptable for the names of the design team members and participants to be included in the descriptive text as required.

Projects must have been completed since January 1, 2005.

Collaborative projects that have received awards in this category in previous AIA Nevada awards programs are not eligible.

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 - Page 22 - 23:** A maximum of two-pages describing the collaborative process employed by the group in order to assure the success of the project and how their working relationship advanced architectural development, design, construction and sustainability.
 - Page 24:** A full list of the appropriate names of the persons or organizations to which the award is to be given, the current address and telephone number for the nominee(s), a comprehensive biographical sketch of the persons or organization involved (which will be used in preparing a press release), the name of the sponsor by whom the nomination is made, and the current address and telephone number for the sponsor.
 - Page 25 - 29:** A minimum of two and a maximum of five one-page letters of support giving testament to the collaborative achievement of this project.
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3. Encourage Mixed-Use Development
4. Preserve Urban Centers
5. Vary Transportation Options
6. Build Vibrant Public Spaces
7. Create A Neighborhood Identity
8. Protect Environmental Resources
9. Conserve Landscapes
10. Recognize That Design Matters

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If you are submitting multiple projects, duplicate all four pages of this form as needed.

Project # _____ of _____ (if submitting more than one project)

Note - You will need to include a copy of this entry form (all four pages) in your Project Identification Envelope. Incomplete entry forms will be disqualified.

Name of Project:

Firm Name _____

Firm Address _____

Firm City/State/Zip _____

Contact Name _____

Contact Phone _____

Contact Email _____

Contact Fax _____

Project Address/Location _____

Project Architect of Record _____

Project Architect of Record AIA Member Number _____

Project Identification
Number
(Provided by AIA Nevada)

Project Category

- Architecture
- Interior Architecture
- Regional and Urban Design
- Collaborative Achievement



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On these pages, you are required to provide the complete contact information for all persons involved in the project being entered. Incomplete entry forms will be disqualified. Please write n/a if team role is not applicable for this project.

Name of Project:

Client/Owner/Developer: _____
Contact: _____
Phone: _____
Email: _____
Address: _____
City / State / Zip: _____

Project Identification
Number
(Provided by AIA Nevada)

Architect(s) : _____
Contact: _____
Phone: _____
Email: _____
Address: _____
City / State / Zip: _____

Interior Designer(s): _____
Contact: _____
Phone: _____
Email: _____
Address: _____
City / State / Zip: _____

Landscape Architect(s) : _____
Contact: _____
Phone: _____
Email: _____
Address: _____
City / State / Zip: _____



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Name of Project:

Project Identification
Number
(Provided by AIA Nevada)

Structural Engineer(s): _____

Contact: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

City / State / Zip: _____

Electrical Engineer(s): _____

Contact: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

City / State / Zip: _____

Mechanical Engineer(s): _____

Contact: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

City / State / Zip: _____

Civil Engineer(s): _____

Contact: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

City / State / Zip: _____



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Name of Project:

Project Identification
Number
(Provided by AIA Nevada)

General Contractor(s): _____

Contact: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

City / State / Zip: _____

Photographer(s): _____

Contact: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

City / State / Zip: _____

Others on the Design Team: _____

Contact: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

City / State / Zip: _____

Function: _____

Others on the Design Team: _____

Contact: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

City / State / Zip: _____

Function: _____



ENTRY PAYMENT FORM

Entry Fees are
\$200 per entry

Completed Entry Forms and
Fees Are Due:
No later than 5 pm PST
Friday, August 21, 2009

No entry fees will be
refunded for entries that
are disqualified, late or not
completed

Submittal Discs and Boards
Are Due:
No later than 5 pm PST
Friday, September 4, 2009

Late Submittals Are Due:
No later than 5 pm PST
Tuesday, September 8, 2009
Late fee of \$100 applies for
each submittal

If paying by credit card, fax
all pages of each **ENTRY
FORM** along with this
ENTRY PAYMENT FORM
to: 702.895.4417.

If paying by check, mail
to: AIA Nevada, 401 S.
4th Street, Suite 175, Las
Vegas, NV 89101. Please
include all pages of each
ENTRY FORM along with
ENTRY PAYMENT FORM.

Firm Name _____

Firm Address _____

Firm City/State/Zip _____

Contact Name _____

Contact Phone _____

Contact Email _____

Contact Fax _____

Total Number Of Entries Submitted _____

Total Amount Of Entry Fees Due _____

Total Amount Due For All Submissions _____

Enclosed Is My Check For The Total Amount Due Payable To AIA Nevada

or

Please Charge My Credit Card # _____

Expiration Date _____

Name As It Appears On The Credit Card _____

Signature _____



LATE SUBMISSION FORM

Late Submission may be purchased for an additional fee of \$100 per submittal (due at time of submission)

Late Submittals Are Due: No later than 5 pm PST Tuesday, September 8, 2009

If paying by credit card, fax this form to: 702.895.4417

If paying by check, mail this form along with payment to:
AIA Nevada
401 S. 4th Street
Suite 175
Las Vegas, NV 89101

Project Name(s) with Project Identification Number(s) Assigned By AIA Nevada _____

Total Number Of Late Entries Submitted _____

Total Amount Of Late Entry Fees Due _____

Firm Name _____

Contact Name _____

Contact Phone _____

Contact Email _____

Contact Fax _____

Enclosed Is My Check For The Total Amount Due Payable To AIA Nevada
or
 Please Charge My Credit Card # _____

Expiration Date _____

Name As It Appears On The Credit Card _____

Signature _____

