CALL FOR ENTRIES – 2018 Excellence in Architecture Design Awards

AIA New Hampshire is committed to excellence in architecture and looks forward to celebrating outstanding works of architecture through its annual Design Awards Program. The purpose of the program is to recognize achievements in design by New Hampshire architects and to honor the project teams and the clients who work with them to create and enhance our built environment. Projects should exemplify the value of good design in creating livable communities and safe, valuable, and sustainable buildings, neighborhoods, towns, and cities.

SUBMISSION SUPPORT

*It is recommended to use Chrome or Firefox browsers for submissions made through Submittable.*

If you encounter technical difficulty with your awards submission, please contact: Submittable Tech Support at: *(855) 467-8264, ext. 2 or support@submittable.com.* Non-technical questions about awards can be addressed to: Bonnie Kastel, bkastel@aianh.org.

SUBMISSION DEADLINE

Friday, October 27, 2017, 5 PM

All submissions must be complete by this date. Your submission will be received by AIANH after payment has been made. If your submission fee has not been paid, AIANH will not see or have any record of your submission. Once your submission fee is paid, your submission cannot be edited. Prior to that point, drafts may be saved to your Submittable account and modifications made.

You may submit multiple projects to this awards program. Each project must be submitted and paid for separately. If you submit multiple projects, remember to select the discounted, subsequent entry fee after the first entry.

NOTIFICATION OF AWARDS

Award winners will be notified after November 13 and awards will be conferred on Friday, January 5, 2018 at the **AIA New Hampshire Annual Meeting and Awards Banquet** at the Currier Museum of Art in Manchester, NH. Registration for the Annual Meeting and Awards Banquet will open later in the fall.
**ELIGIBILITY**

- This award recognizes and honors excellence in architectural design by registered, licensed architects who are members of AIANH.
- Firms domiciled in NH may submit projects anywhere in the world.
- Firms domiciled outside NH may only submit projects located in NH. One principal from this firm must be a member of AIANH. If you are not currently a member, complete the [AIANH Component Allied Membership form](#) and submit it with your payment.
- Built projects substantially completed after January 1, 2008 are eligible.
- Each entrant may submit any number of eligible entries with the appropriate fees for each entry.
- Projects that have been honored in a past AIANH Design Awards program are not eligible (unless the project was submitted in the Unbuilt category and the project has since been built).
- Projects previously submitted that have not won an award may be entered again, but may not be submitted more than two years consecutively.
- The submitted work must be eligible for publicity and reproduction.

**CRITERIA**

Entries will be judged on their own merit regardless of project size or type. Primary criteria are overall design excellence including aesthetics, clarity, creativity and appropriate functionality. Submissions should clearly address these areas. The jury may elect to honor projects by building type or other category or may choose to make no such distinctions. The jurors’ decisions will be based solely on the materials submitted.

**FEES**

First project entry: $220 ($160 + $60 for presentation board production)
Additional project entries: $185 ($125 + $60 for presentation board production)

Each project submission requires a presentation board that will be used for display during the Awards Banquet and, thereafter, on tour throughout New Hampshire during 2018.

All fees are not refundable and must be paid online via credit card at time of submission. Submissions cannot be received and marked complete until payment is made.

**SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

All submissions for the 2018 AIA New England Design Awards must be digital and submitted by Friday, October 27, 2017, 5 PM. No binders will be accepted. The decisions of the jurors will be based solely on the materials submitted.

**JURORS**

Jury Chair: Stephen Schreiber (Chair of the Architecture Dept. UMASS)
Sigrid Miller Pollen FAIA
Kathleen Lugosch FAIA
Maria Chao, RA
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