



AIA NEW MEXICO 2011 DESIGN AWARDS CALL FOR ENTRIES

The New Mexico Chapter of the American Institute of Architects (AIA-NM) announces the 2011 AIA New Mexico Design Awards Program. This biennial awards program encourages and recognizes distinguished architectural achievement by New Mexico architects. The program serves to increase public awareness of the outstanding services provided by architects as well as emphasize the importance of the architect's role in shaping the quality of the built environment through design excellence.

ELIGIBILITY

All entrants must be members of the American Institute of Architects in good standing and architects registered with the New Mexico Board of Examiners for Architects. Architecture completed and designed by a firm with multiple offices must be completed by the New Mexico based office to be eligible. All entries must be built in or conceived for a site in New Mexico. Built work must be completed and built in the past five years or since January 1, 2006. Unbuilt entries must have been designed in the last five years.

Entries may be made in the following three categories:

- **Built**
- **Unbuilt**
- **25-Year Award:** Any project completed on or before December 31, 1986, that deserves special recognition for its influence, distinctiveness and enhancement of the built environment. Eligibility for this category of awards must meet the following criteria: the building design has not been altered, exhibits its original design integrity and is still in use.

RULES

Entries must be submitted by the design architect who is a member of AIA in good standing, registered with the New Mexico Board of Examiners for Architects and whose office is located in New Mexico at the time the project was executed. Where responsibility for a project is shared, the design architect must be a registered New Mexico architect and a member of AIA in good standing. All participants who substantially contributed to the work must be credited. **The submitting architect must sign the Certification on the Design Awards Entry Registration Form for each project.**

AWARDS

The jury will be chaired by John Kane, FAIA. The jury may select as many projects as they wish to award in the following categories:

Honor Award: the highest award is given to projects receiving unanimous support by all jurors.

Citation of Merit: this award is given to projects supported by a majority of the jurors for work of high merit.

Special Recognition Award: this award can be conferred on any project for specific reasons defined by a majority of the jury.

DISCLOSURE OF WINNING PROJECTS

AIA New Mexico will notify the winners immediately after the judging. Public announcement of the winning entries will be made at the AIA New Mexico Awards Banquet to be held on Saturday, September 24, 2011, at the Santa Fe Hilton Hotel during the AIA New Mexico State Convention.

RECOGNITION

Award Certificates will be given to architects, clients and contractors for each project. All submissions will be featured on the AIA New Mexico web site. Winners will submit one 24 x 24 inch foam core presentation board at least one week prior to the awards presentation.

ENTRY REGISTRATION FEES \$100 for first entry; \$50 for subsequent entries

There is no limit on how many entries an architect/firm may submit. Completed entry forms must be accompanied by the required fee payable by check or money order made payable to AIA New Mexico. AIA New Mexico will provide a receipt for entry fees payments to the submitting design architect. **Entry fees are not refundable.**

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS

All entries must be received by Friday, July 29, 2011, at 5:00 pm. Entries may be mailed to AIA New Mexico, PO Box 16148, Albuquerque, NM 87191-6148 or may be delivered to AIA New Mexico, c/o J. Gibson, 9220 Mabry Avenue NE, Albuquerque, NM 87109. No late entries will be accepted.

ENTRY FORMAT

All entries must be submitted on a Compact Disk (CD) or Digital Video Disk (DVD) with documents and drawings in PDF format and photos in JPEG format. The project may also be formatted as a PowerPoint presentation. If using PowerPoint, please include the JPEG images in a separate folder for AIA-NM use for program and website display. If more than one project is on the disk, please note the name of the projects on the disk label and place each project in a separate file on the disk.

- **Project Data Sheet**

Project Name	Building Area
Date of Completion	Structure
Client's Name	Major Materials and Systems
Builder's Name	Site Features
Building Type	

- **Project Summary**

Each entry must include a text description of the program requirement and solution not to exceed 150 words.

For unbuilt projects, answer the following questions:

When was the design of this project started?

What phase is the project in now? (schematic, design development, construction documents, etc.)

- **Drawings**

Site Plan/with Scale and North Arrow	Primary Elevation(s)
Typical Floor Plan(s)	Typical Section(s)

- **Images**

All images should be in jpeg format and photos should be at 300 dpi resolution. For restoration and adaptive reuse projects, include at least one image describing conditions before the current work started. For the 25-Year Building Award, include at least one image taken within three years of the project's original completion and at least one image taken recently showing the project's current status.

ENTRY CHECKLIST

Include the following with your entry:

- Completed and signed Entry Registration form for each project entry
- Check or money order for total cost of all entries
- CD or DVD with name of project on the face of the disk. ***No identification of the architect shall be made anywhere on the entry CD or DVD.***

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