

THE NEW MEXICO ARCHITECTS MEDAL

NOMINATION FORM FOR AIA MEMBER ARCHITECTS

Entry Deadline July 31, 2009



AIA New Mexico, a chapter of the American Institute of Architects, may bestow the New Mexico Architects Medal upon members who have advanced the practice of architecture and which recognizes their outstanding professional achievements and sense of social responsibility. Nominations for the award may be made by New Mexico member chapters or by an individual member who may nominate another member.

The Medal is an honor awarded by AIA New Mexico. Nominations are juried by the New Mexico Committee of Fellows who will review all submittals and determine the number of medals to be awarded each year. The committee may, at its discretion, award or not make an award in any given year.

Conditions and Requirements for Nomination

1. Eligibility: AIA Members and Associate Members in good standing.
2. Previous recipients and Fellows of the Institute are not eligible.
3. The names of nominators must appear on the nomination form.
4. Nominations may be made each year. A prior nomination shall not be a hindrance to the proposed nomination.
5. Exhibits shall be in reproducible formats.
6. Nominations shall be mailed to AIA New Mexico, P. O. Box 16148, Albuquerque, NM 87191 in an envelope marked NM Architects Medal Nomination postmarked no later than the deadline, July 31, 2009.
7. Jury discussions shall be strictly confidential. Voting shall be by secret ballot.
8. The Medal winner(s) shall be notified promptly. Every effort shall be made to widely publish the award emphasizing its significance and achievements of the winner(s).
9. The award shall be made at the AIA New Mexico Awards Banquet at the AIA State Convention to be held in Albuquerque on Saturday, September 26, 2009.

Past Recipients of the New Mexico Architects Medal

- 2000: C. Robert Campbell, FAIA
Beverly Spears, FAIA
Louis Weller, FAIA
- 2001: Bill Waters, AIA
Don Stevens, AIA (Lifetime Achievement)
- 2002: Marjorie Hooker, AIA
- 2003: Glenn Fellows, FAIA
Robert Krueger, AIA (Lifetime Achievement)
- 2004: John Padilla, AIA
William Burns, AIA
- 2005: Annelle Darby, AIA
Elizabeth Ellis, AIA
- 2007: Richard M. Haas, AIA

The New Mexico Architects Medal Nomination Form

The Committee must rely largely on the representations made to the committee through the information contained on the nomination form. Nominations should be concise but in as much detail as possible within the format of the Nomination Form. The nominee's achievement must be viewed as an advancement of the profession and the socially responsible role that an architect must perform within the greater community. Each nominee's work and career will be evaluated with special regard to professional and social integrity. Longevity, popularity or diligence alone does not qualify a candidate for nomination. Nominations may be considered on the basis of notable career accomplishments or upon the basis of a single outstanding achievement. A medal will only be awarded to those individuals whose accomplishments have had a significant impact upon the profession of architecture and society.

Part A: Nomination

Nominee's Name

Nominee's Assigned AIA Chapter

Date nominee became AIA (or Associate AIA) Member

Nominated by – Individual Nomination

Name (please type)

Name of Component Organization

Signed

Date

Or

Nominated by – Component Nomination

Name of Component organization

Name and title of chapter president or secretary (please type)

Signed

Date

Part B: Digest of Achievements (limit two pages)

Summary Statement – summarize nominee’s achievements

Digest of Achievements – State in specifics:

(Describe how the nominee’s accomplishments have notably contributed to the advancement of the profession and the social responsibility the architect must perform within the greater community.)

Part C: Nominee’s profile/biographical data sheet (limit 3 pages)

List firm position, professional affiliations, community service, professional service, honors, etc.

Part D: Supporting Information

Include any exhibits which support or display the nominee’s achievements.

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Mail the completed Nomination to:

AIA New Mexico
P. O. Box 16148
Albuquerque, NM 87191-6148

Mark on the Envelope: NM Architects Medal Nomination

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