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*American Institute
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*June/July
1991*

MSA MID-SUMMER CONFERENCE

MICHIGAN SOCIETY OF ARCHITECTS
GRAND HOTEL MACKINAC ISLAND
AUGUST 8, 9 & 10 1991



CHAIRMAN'S INVITATION

Dick Mitchell, ALA

My experience with the Mid-Summer Conference during recent years has made me realize that it offers the perfect mix of business and a family vacation.

One of the greatest benefits I have derived from the MSA is the chance to become acquainted with colleagues and supporters of our profession. Contact with other architects away from the competitive arena has offered insights into how I operate my own firm which are available nowhere else. I cannot place a value on four days at Mackinac Island with others who share my own concerns and goals.

A quick review of the conference schedule reveals the commitment the Mid-Summer Conference Committee has made to providing memorable events for all members of the family.

In addition to the daily tennis, golf, bocci, croquet, horseback riding, biking & swimming, each day will have its own special events.

Thursday will be highlighted by a series of group sculpture and assembly contests where everyone can participate - everyone wins.

Friday evening MSA will take over Fort Mackinac. We will have the Fort to ourselves for our nightly reception, dinner catered by the Grand Hotel, rifle & cannon demonstration, bocci, music, dancing and even a magician for the kids.

Saturday morning we will have a chance for our own architectural tour of the Governor's Residence and several private cottages on the East Bluff of the Island overlooking the harbor.

Saturday evening will feature the traditional President's Reception and Ball.

Please join us for these four days during which you can establish lasting relationships and have fun your family will not soon forget.

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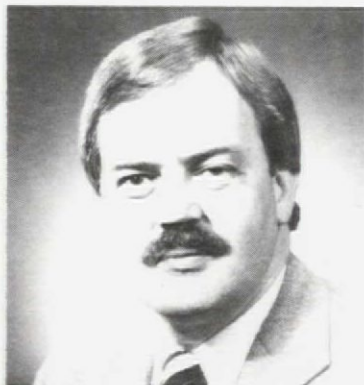
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SUNDAY (Breakfast and Departure)



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Detroit, MI 48226

Registration Fee \$10.00/per person.

Enclosed is \$ _____ Check# _____

Please check off events and list name(s).

Tennis Mixer/Friday _____
Name _____
Name _____
Tournament/Saturday _____
Name _____
Name _____

(C) CROQUET

Return to: Michigan Society of Architects
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553 E. Jefferson
Detroit, MI 48226

TEAM PLAYERS

(Please check desired session - one session only - limited to 16 couples)
Morning _____ Afternoon _____

Name _____
Name _____
Address _____
City _____ Zip _____
Business Phone _____
Home Phone _____

ADVANCE REGISTRATION APPLICATION

Name _____ Nickname _____

Spouse Name (if attending conference) _____ Nickname _____

Firm _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

FirmPhone _____ HomePhone _____ Chapter _____

Affiliation: AIA Member _____ Associate _____ Prof. Affiliate _____

CAM _____ CPMC _____ Honorary _____ Other _____

Children (if attending conference) Name and Nickname _____ Age _____ M/F _____

Registration:

MSA Members, Patrons, Sponsors: \$50.00/individual, \$90.00/couple plus \$25.00/child under 21. Married children pay registration fee. Non MSA Members: \$70.00/individual, \$130.00/couple plus \$30.00/child under 21. Registration fees must accompany this application. Conference attendees must register with the MSA in order to receive Grand Hotel Confirmation.

No Refunds after 7-31-91

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Dress:

Sportswear acceptable in hotel and dining room until 6:00p.m. Evenings, dresses for ladies are preferred and men must wear coat and tie. Saturday evening, ladies, semiformal to formal, men, coat and tie or black tie.

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ARCHITECTURAL DIALOGUE

MARKETING NEW SERVICES (OR HOW TO BECOME MORE DIVERSIFIED)

On June 13, 1991, the Detroit Chapter/AIA will jointly sponsor with SMPS (Society for Marketing Professional Services) a program at Laurel Manor, 39000 Schoolcraft, Livonia, Michigan which focuses on marketing professional architectural, engineering, and design services. The program will feature a panel discussion moderated by Robert Beckley, Dean, School of Architecture; University of Michigan.

A lively discussion promises to outline the various strategies that some area firms have used to successfully to generate new business in varying market economics. All have established market "niches" based on successful marketing practices and styles. Learn how you can accomplish the same success.

Serving on the panel will be: David A. Peterhans, President, Peter Hansrea, Inc.; Robert J. ten Bosch, Facility Management Team Manager, Ellis/Naeyaert/Genheimer Assoc., Inc.; Fred A. Klancnik, Vice President, Johnson, Johnson & Roy/Inc.; Donald L. Shalibo, Sr. Vice President, Barton Malow Co.

Registration	2:30 p.m.
Presentation	3:00 p.m.
Cash Bar and Hors d'oeuvres following panel discussion	
Cost-Members	\$20.00
Non-Members	\$30.00

RSVP Detroit Chapter/AIA at
(313) 965-4100 prior to June 7th.

*Due to guarantees reservations made
in advance will be invoiced if you cannot
attend - walk ins will not be allowed.*

HUD NEWS

HUD released Final Accessibility Guidelines for multi-family construction. For more information contact HUD or Jeffrey A. Supowit at Mager, Monahan, Donaldson & Alber, 8400 First National Building, Detroit, Michigan 48226, (313) 965-1700.

DC/AIA BOCA PROFESSIONAL CHAPTER

Ben Tiseo, AIA

As a first time attendee at the BOCA Spring Meeting, I was very pleased and impressed at the preparation, discussion and thoroughness by the proponents and opponents' presentations to the proposed changes before the committee vote.

The hearing schedule debated almost 600 code changes with half being heard by the Building Committee. The committees were Building, Property Maintenance, Mechanical, Fire Prevention and Plumbing.

The proposed changes ranged from minor to major, from simple to complex, and from short to long; one code change debate lasted 3 hours. The nine member committees recommendations were as follows:

INTERIOR DESIGNER RECOGNITION (DENIAL)

Proposed change to accept non-load bearing and non-structural construction drawings by interior designers was denied.

USE GROUP D, DAY CARE FACILITY USES (DENIAL)

Proposed change to add a new use group classification "D" Day Care facility was denied.

HIGH HAZARDOUS ACCESSORY USES (APPROVAL AS MODIFIED)

by Jim Velthoven, AIA/DC - Giffels Associates

Proposed change to allow high hazardous uses as accessory uses limited to area requirement of table 501 was approved as modified.

RAMP SLOPES (APPROVED AS SUBMITTED)

Proposed change maximum slope of ramps from 1:8 to 1:12 was approved as submitted.

STAIRWAY TREADS & RISERS (APPROVED AS SUBMITTED)

Proposed change to omit separate (8-1/4" rise & 9" tread) treads and risers required in (1 & 2 family) R-3 Use Groups and therefore to maintain one standard of 7" min. rise and 11 min. tread was approved as submitted.

GUARDRAIL OPENING (APPROVED AS SUBMITTED)

By Jim Velthoven, AIA/DC - Giffels Associates

Proposed change to allow a 21" spacing in balusters and horizontal rails in use group I-3, F, H & S was approved as submitted.

1/3 HOUR WIRED GLASS (APPROVED AS SUBMITTED)

Proposed change would indicate maximum size of wired glass in 20 minute doors which has been omitted in the code was approved as submitted.

These recommendations by the committees shall be voted on and or challenged by the voting members (including the Detroit Chapter vote) at the Annual Conference on September 15 - 20, 1991 in Indianapolis, Indiana, which is the final action.

As a result of my experience in attending the Spring Meeting, I have implemented several new objectives for our BOCA committee. They are as follows:

1. Encourage Architects to submit proposed BOCA code changes for which they can demonstrate a change if necessary.
2. To have the committee evaluate and submit proposed code changes in which we can demonstrate a change if necessary. This is regarding the BOCA Building Code and the State Construction Code.
3. Set up a continuing dialogue between all the BOCA Professional Chapters and the National AIA Building Performance and Regulation Committee. This would permit us to be more effective as a group verses acting independently.
4. Encourage, support and assist other regions within Michigan to establish a BOCA Professional Chapter and participate in the code changing procedures.
5. Obtain a minimum total of 50 AIA/DC and BOCA Professional Members in order to send two voting members to the 1992 Spring Meeting and Annual Conference to represent Chapter No. 8.

PAINT THE TOWN

Pamela DuBois Holmes, AIA

The Fourth Annual Paint the Town, sponsored by the Michigan Corporate Volunteer Council and Project Pride through the Detroit Chamber will be held on Saturday, August 17, 1991.

In 1990, 5500 volunteers representing 58 Detroit area corporations and organizations gathered in a neighborhood on Detroit's west side. Using volunteer labor, donated supplies and services and monetary contributions, they painted the homes and spruced up the yards of 186 senior citizens, disabled and low-income residents to help maintain their independence.

Paint the Town's intent is much more than putting paint on the homes -- their goal is to build self-sustaining neighborhood organizations which can continue to maintain and improve the area long after the volunteers have gone home.

Detroit Chapter AIA's 1990 team of twenty seven people represented four architectural firms:

Rossetti Associates - Bill Ahlstrom, Gene Humphrey, Mark Kwiatkowski, Lawrence Maples and Matt Rossetti **Harley, Ellington, Pierce, Yee Associates** - John and Pat Hammer, Jean Robinson - **Giffels Hoyem Basso** - Lynda and Greg Bednarczyk, Tom Hampson, Greg Hell, Chuck Lewis, Tom Ouvry and Dave Pigford - **Albert Kahn Associates** - Susan Chance, Bill and Elaine Demiene, Pam DuBois, Paula Haynes, Luz Macaraig, Debbie, Dino and Frank Oliver, Michelle Savaglio and Morley Stevenson.

The team scraped, re-glazed windows, primed and painted the trim, windows, doors, front porch, back porch and garage of Mrs. Beulah Dysart's home. We worked hard, but were well rewarded by our sense of accomplishment and Mrs. Dysart's appreciation.

Detroit Chapter AIA's goal is to recruit 60 people for two teams in 1991. I encourage you to call any of last year's participants to discuss their experience. The following people are coordinating this year's AIA recruitment effort; please call them to enroll yourself/your spouse/your friends.

Matt Rossetti - 964-3240
Bill Hartman - 983-3600
Jean Robinson - 262-1500
John Davids - 338-4561
Chuck Lewis - 680-0680
Bill Kessler - 963-5906
Paula Haynes - 871-8500
Dan DiComo - 425-1200

Thank you!

ARCHITECTS IDP IMPLEMENTATION

After January 1, 1992 applicants for the Architects licensing examination must complete a formal intern development program to obtain admission to the examination process. Examination candidates and prospective applicants are advised that:

1. All persons who do not apply for admission to the examination prior to January 1, 1992 will be required to complete a formal intern program.

2. Persons who have applied for and who have been accepted as being eligible to write Michigan examinations prior to January 1, 1992 will not be required to complete formal intern training to be licensed as architects in Michigan. A candidate is not required to write examinations prior to the January 1, 1992 deadline to waive the intern training requirement.

3. Applicants who may have applied prior to the January 1, 1992 deadline who will not complete requirements for admission to the examination before January 1, 1992 will be required to complete a formal intern training program to obtain admission to the examination in Michigan.

4. A recent Board ruling established that an applicant would meet requirements for admission to the examination under current board rules without intern training if the applicants within six (6) months of meeting the current eight (8) year experience/education requirement in December 1991 and if the application is received prior to the application filing deadline for the December 1991 examination. Such applications must be received by the board office on or before October 15, 1991.

Applications for the architects examinations may be obtained by calling 1-800-847-7171.

Information regarding licensure and examination admission requirements may be obtained by calling 517-335-1669 or by writing to Board of Architects, P.O. Box 30018, Lansing, MI 48909.

EXAM DATES

NCARB has announced exam dates through 1994.

The date for the examinations are as follows:

1991	June 17-20
	December 10-11
1992	June 15-18
	December 14-15
1993	June 14-17
	December 6-7
1994	June 20-23
	December 12-13

INSTITUTE RESOURCES

Relating To Architects. Two new brochures prepared by the AIA public affairs department make it easier for institutional and business clients to understand their role in the building design and construction process. Entitled "Building Relationships...A Guide for Working with an Architect," the easy-to-read guides provide clients with the necessary information to make informed decisions about their building or renovation project.

Topics covered include preparing an RFP, architect selection, project delivery methods, ways architects charge for services, evaluating risks, and contracts. Each guide contains a series of work sheets that take the client and architect through each phase of design and construction as a team.

There are two versions of the guide - one targeted to corporate/commercial projects, and the other aimed at institutional projects such as schools, hospitals, churches, museums, etc. The guides are designed not for facility managers or other experts, but for managers, department heads, financial personnel, and building committee members, who may not be familiar with construction projects, but are involved in decision-making. Each guide was developed with input from architects and clients from the targeted groups.

The two "Building Relationships" guides are available For Sale through MSA. The brochures are \$5 per single copy. To order, call (313) 965-4100.

AIA HELPS UNEMPLOYED ARCHITECTS

In another effort to respond to the needs of unemployed architects throughout the US, the AIA nationally has launched a new Referral Network, a nationwide employment database for architects. Members throughout the nation now have ready and inexpensive access to job listings throughout the country. Design firms, corporations and government agencies seeking qualified architects are able to conduct effective national recruitment campaigns at a reasonable cost using the new AIA services.

Prospective employers wishing to advertise job listings can register with the AIA Referral Network by phone or mail. These ads are entered into an electronic database on a daily basis and are assigned an expiration date to guarantee that only current jobs are listed. Each job description contains information on job title, project type, salary range, years of experience and a narrative description. Employers are charged on a per-listing basis.

Job-seekers may request listings by phone or mail and may tailor their employment searches. All job listings are mailed first-class within 24 hours of the request and charged accordingly to the number of listings requested.

For more information on this significant new AIA service, call 800-242-6381. Resumes should also be sent to MSA where they will be kept on file. There is no charge for this MSA service.

FIRE SAFETY RULES BEGAN APRIL 17

The State Fire Safety Board filed new fire safety rules for health care facilities in Michigan. The rules took effect April 17, 1991, and replaced the existing health care facilities fire safety rules of 1979.

The rules apply to the following new and existing health care facilities: freestanding surgical outpatient facilities, hospitals, mental hospitals, psychiatric hospitals, psychiatric units, nursing homes, and homes for the aged. County medical care

facilities are considered nursing homes for the purpose of these rules.

The new rules adopt by reference, with Michigan amendments, portions of the 1985 edition of National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) pamphlet 101, Life Safety Code. Copies of the rules may be obtained by writing to the State Fire Safety Board, Michigan Department of State Police, 7150 Harris Drive, Lansing, MI 48913, or by calling 517/322-1921. The referenced NFPA documents are available for review in the Board office and may be purchased by writing to the National Fire Protection Association, Batterymarch Park, Quincy, MA 02269, or by calling toll-free 800/344-3555.

Question regarding the administration and enforcement of the rules should be directed to the Michigan Department of State Police, Fire Marshall Division, Health Care Section (phone 517/322-1162).

LETTERS

Dear Rae,

On behalf of the Women In Architecture Committee of the Detroit Chapter, AIA, I want to thank you for hosting our reception for Gwen Wright and Joe Escherick at the Beaubien House. It was delightful to meet these two important architects and to provide an atmosphere for us to speak with them.

Sincerely,

Lorri D. Sipes, AIA

Architects Four, Inc.

Women in Architecture Committee

Dear Mrs. Dumke:

Received your check in the amount of \$200.00 for which we thank you very much. The continuing support from the Detroit Chapter/AIA of Business Consortium for the Arts (BCA) and our Outdoor Sculpture Exhibit is truly appreciated. This especially true at the present time when funding for the arts seems to be in great jeopardy.

We look forward to having you join us at the opening of the 1991 Exhibit this fall. Thanks again.

Sincerely,

Norma Lambert

President BCA

CELEBRATING LAND OF BOATS

Three activities celebrate the dedication of St. Aubin Park's new play area, "Land of Boats" designed by the noted sculptor, Vito Acconci. For more than twenty years, Mr. Acconci has been on the forefront of art movements which have defined performance art and redefined art in public places. The St. Aubin project is the first of his play area designs to be realized.

STROH RIVER PLACE EXHIBIT

A free exhibit, created by the Sculpture Department of the Center for Creative Studies, features the St. Aubin play area and other projects by Mr. Acconci. On display at 300 River Place South Atrium entrance, Monday-Saturday, 9 am - 7 pm, June 28-September 4th.

PANEL DISCUSSION: ART FOR PUBLIC PLACES - HOW & WHY

A roundtable discussion of issues involved in public art projects features Mr. Acconci and a distinguished panel of Detroit area artists, architects and planners. Hosted by the Detroit Focus Gallery, the Detroit Artists Market, and the Michigan Architectural Foundation Detroit Focus Gallery, 743 Beaubien - 3rd floor, 1 pm Saturday, June 29. General admission \$3. Advance reservations required, call 962-9025.

DIA LECTURE

Mr. Acconci will discuss the St. Aubin project and his larger body of work in a free lecture. Detroit Institute of Arts Lecture Hall, 3 pm, Sunday, June 30. Call 833-4020 for additional information.

The St. Aubin Play Area has been made possible by: SPONSORS - Detroit Recreation Department and the National Endowment for the Arts. PATRONS - Rivertown Business Association, Michigan National Bank, Gregory Boat Company, Dayton Hudson Department Store Company, and Schervish, Vogel, Merz P.C. CONTRIBUTORS - AdGravers Incorporated, Comerica Bank - Rivertown Branch, National Bank of Detroit, NTH Consultants Ltd., Seaman Patrick Paper Company, Southeast Michigan Arts Forum, Stroh Brewery Company, WWW-WCXI Radio and the friends and family of Harriet Saperstein.

WANT ADS

- Immediate job opening with Jackson architectural firm for draftsman with 2-3 years CAD experience. PHONE: (517) 788-6180.
- Seeking position as Project Manager/Project Architect. Contact Syed Ali, AIA, 18 Pintail Circle, South Windsor, CT 06074 Tel. (203) 291-9437.
- Job opening for a senior level drafter. Send resumes to: Michigan Consolidated Gas Company, Employment Office, G.B. 2, 500 Griswold, Detroit, MI 48226, Attention: Naomi Taylor.
- Project Manager, minimum 5 years exp., registered Architect for Battle Creek, MI office. Reply: Robert Lee Wold & Assoc., Fred Hall, 678 Front NW, Suite 300, Grand Rapids, MI 49504.
- Registered architect seeking employment in Metro Detroit area. Contact Daniel L. Faoro, AIA, 6866 Lakeview #19112, Westland, MI 48185. Tel. (313) 722-8176.
- Seeking architectural position in design-oriented firm. Contact Jill Suzanne Rader, 14756 Atwater Drive, Sterling Heights, MI 48313. Tel. (313) 566-1728.
- Seeking position as a designer/draftsman. Contact Steven G. Jacobson, 1015 Miner, Ann Arbor, MI 48103. Tel. (313) 995-2314.
- Seeking position as Project Manager/Architectural Designer. Contact Steven J. Moe, AIA, 3824 Honeytree Lane, Virginia Beach, Virginia 23452. Tel. (804) 486-5659.
- FOR SALE: Hamilton Tracing File - Five drawer with base unit and Cap 45" x 55 1/2" \$300.00 Tel. (313) 646-0219.

OPPORTUNITIES

AIA Design Honor Awards; 202-626-7300 for details...**Aga Khan Award,** Program Procedures, 32 chemin de Crets-de-Pregny, CH-1218 Grand Saconnex, Geneva, Switzerland (\$500K in prizes; rolling deadlines)...**Architectural Woodwork Institute Awards Program** (all bldg. types); rolling deadline; 703-671-9100 (Elaine Ball or Elaine Ferri)...**AIAS student competitions:** programs & deadlines vary; 202-626-7472 (AIAS)...**Fulbright Grants** for architects and urban planners; 202-939-5401 or 202-686-7866...**The MacDowell Colony Residency;** 100 High St., Peterborough NH 03058; 603-292-3886 or 212-966-4860 for applications and deadlines...For details on the \$15,000 **American Architectural Foundation Richard Morris Hunt Fellowship** and numerous **AIA-related fellowships and scholarships** for minorities/disadvantaged individuals, professional degree candidates, health facilities design, research, and other purposes, call 202-626-7300...**Museums and Historic Buildings in Cold Climates** - a conference on methods of protecting historic buildings and their collections will be held on 23rd - 25th September 1991 at the National Gallery, Helsinki, Finland. For more information contact 061-275-2667 or fax 061-275-2676...**InterFaith Forum on Religion, Art and Architecture Design Awards Program;** 7/10 reg. deadline; 203-966-9505 (Richard Bergmann FAIA at 202-387-8333)...The National Lighting Bureau (NLB) has announced its **Twelfth Annual National Lighting Awards Program.** Contact NLB, 2101 L Street, NW, Suite 300, Washington, DC 20037; phone 202/457-8437.

SHANE RETIRES TO PRIVATE PRACTICE

Jim Shane, AIA, professor and Head of the Construction Department, joined the architectural technology faculty of the Trade and Industrial Division of Ferris Institute in 1957, and was a major participant in the growth and development of that program during the 60's. In 1973, Shane was appointed head of the Construction Department, a unit of the College of Technology. Shane has been actively involved with professional associations in architecture, construction and education. He served as President of the Michigan Society of Architects in 1987, and is currently President of the Michigan Architectural Foundation. He is leaving Ferris State University on June 30, 1991 to return to private practice in Big Rapids Area.

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