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AIA COLUMBUS NEWSLETTER

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MARCH CHAPTER MEETING

The Evolution of Practice: Computational Thinking in the Design Studio

Tuesday, March 25, 2014

Nicholas Desbians, AIA of NBBJ will present about the real impact of data-driven design methodologies. This presentation is brought to us by the Technology in Architectural Practice Committee. **1.0 LU**



The Center for Architecture & Design
50 West Town Street, Suite 110
Columbus, OH 43215
Reception 5 PM | Lecture 6 PM

Free for AIA members, Affiliates, and Students | \$20 for Non-Members

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EMERGENCY! DESIGN FOR STRESSED FUTURES - A CHARRETTE

Saturday, April 5, 2014

In the year 2050, the environment fractures. Teams choose one of three scenarios & compete or collaborate for survival; an island site threatened by rising waters, an unstable hillside outside a dysfunctional city or an escape pod from earth. Make survival worth living through design. Failure is not an option. \$250 top prize. Mitchell Joachim, Ph.D., Assoc. AIA of Terreform will serve as the head juror.

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50 West Town Street, Suite 110
Columbus, Ohio 43215
9:30 AM - 4:00 PM

\$150 per team (max of 5 members)
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Registration is required. Contact Jessie Masters at 614-469-1973 or jmasters@aiacolumbus.org.

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THE WEIGHT OF ARCHITECTURE

2014 Design Services Grant
Application Due April 18, 2014

"How can architecture help solve a challenge your organization faces and help achieve your mission?" This design service grant is intended to provide design assistance to local 501(c)3 non-profit organizations that can benefit from the services of skilled architects and designers and that would not otherwise have the resources to retain such services. Full program description, timeline, and application can be downloaded [here](#).



We are currently looking for AIA members who may want to help get involved with this program.

If you are interested in participating, please contact Emerging Professionals Committee Chairs [Stephanie Hayward](#), Assoc. AIA or [Susan Earp](#), Assoc. AIA, or call the Chapter office at 614-469-1973.

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AROUND THE CHAPTER

Lane Beougher, AIA, Voted President-Elect of the
Construction Specifications Institute National Board

Lane Beougher, AIA, was voted President-Elect on the National Board of the Construction Specifications Institute.

Lane served as Chapter President of AIA Columbus in 2008, and has served in leadership roles of the Construction Specifications Institute



for over fifteen years. He will assume the President-elect position on July 1, 2014.

For more information about CSI and the National Board, please [visit this link](#). Congratulations, Lane!

Eric Thompson, AIA, Featured on "All Sides with Ann Fisher" This Week



Eric Thompson, AIA, and a member of our Committee on the Environment, was featured this week on "All Sides with Ann Fisher" on WOSU to debate HCR25 which would ban the use of USGBC's LEED v4 in public buildings. State Senator Uecker, who introduced the bill in the Senate, phoned in for the interview. Unfortunately, the interview in its entirety did not get posted, but link [here](#) for the second half of the interview. Great job, Eric!

Fit City: Columbus Presentations Now Posted on the AIA Columbus Website

We tried something new with our February Chapter Meeting featuring Peter Bardwell, FAIA, and Rick Bell, FAIA and Executive Director of AIA New York City - we videotaped the event. Admittedly, we have a couple kinks to work out, but for those of you who were unable to join us, take some time and watch the presentations. [View Peter's](#) | [View Rick's](#)

AROUND THE AIA

FIRM PROFILE SUBMISSIONS FOR 2014 AIA OHIO DIRECTORY

The 2014 AIA Ohio Handbook of Architects, to be published in July 2014, will feature the firm profiles of Ohio architectural firms whose principals are members of the AIA. In order to be listed in the AIA Ohio Handbook, one principal or partner in your firm must be a member and the firm must have an Ohio Certificate of Authority to practice architecture. The cost to list your firm in the profile is \$50. Individual listings are a benefit of membership. To access the form, [click here](#). You must complete the online form and payment by April 15, 2014 in order for your firm to be included. For more information, contact Melinda Vance at melinda@assnoffices.com, or visit [this website](#).

REPOSITIONING TOWN HALL

All AIA members are encouraged to join Helene Combs Dreiling, FAIA, 2014 AIA President and Robert Ivy, FAIA, EVP/CEO for a Town Hall discussion and update on Repositioning. The call will take place Wednesday, March 26, 3:00-4:00pm ET. Click [here](#) to register.

CALL FOR 2014 AIA OHIO CONVENTION PRESENTATIONS - DUE MARCH 28

AIA Ohio, in collaboration with host chapters AIA Eastern Ohio and AIA Akron will be hosting the 2014 AIA Ohio convention at Kent State University on September 18-20. Working together with members of the profession from throughout Ohio, this year's convention will be the first time that AIA Ohio has worked to bring its annual convention to the site of one of the state's architectural programs. This year's theme will be "A Future Practice," which focuses on careers, business and practice opportunities for those who are just entering the architectural profession as well as long time practitioners looking for ways to change their existing practices. For more information, [click here](#).

AROUND THE PROFESSION

NCARB PROPOSES IDP CREDIT BEYOND SIX-MONTH REPORTING DEADLINE

The NCARB Board voted to propose an adjustment to the IDP Reporting Requirements, relative to the six-month rule. The specific adjustment would allow credit for intern experience that occurred up to five years beyond the current reporting requirements. The timeline for implementation of this change, should it be approved, is anticipated to occur no later than 1 January 2015. [Read the press release in full...](#) | [Read proposed amendment to the reporting rule...](#)

2014 SYMPOSIUM ON SUSTAINABILITY IN HEALTH CARE - MARCH 25

Brought to us by Heapy Engineering, this Symposium will take place on Tuesday, March 25 from 10 AM - 5:15 PM at the Sharonville Convention Center, and will include a keynote speaker and panel discussions. [For more information and to register...](#)

ANTHONY VITAGLIANO OF DIGITAL KITCHEN TO PRESENT AT GATEWAY FILM CENTER - MARCH 20

The Columbus Society of Communicating Arts will host Anthony Vitagliano of Digital Kitchen at the Gateway Film Center on March 20. Anthony reimagines public spaces using technology. For more information, [please visit this link](#).

AIA MEDIA SCAN

We are starting a new feature in *Design Matters*, the **AIA Media Scan**. Each newsletter we'll include links to articles we think might be of interest to you from around the AIA and around the profession. Contact [Gwen](#) and let her know what you think of this new feature.

[AIA Urges Congress to Support National Design Services Act](#)

[Architectural Myths vs. Reality: Part 1](#)

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[New York Times - Letter to the Editor on The Architects' Role](#)

[If 27 Famous Artists Designed Buildings](#)

[Time Magazine: 1 World Trade Center](#)

Durability + Design Magazine Presents D+D 2014 Conference and Exhibition



The D+D 2014 Conference and Exhibition is the first annual event of its kind that integrates the emerging technical community of specifiers, architects, contractors, and facility owners to discuss their interest in achieving building performance and aesthetics. AIA credits are available to designated sessions. Early bird registration ends April 18.

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UPCOMING EVENTS!

March 17 - COTE Meeting, 12 PM at the Center for Architecture & Design

March 19 - 22 - AIA National Grassroots

March 25 - March Chapter Meeting, 5 PM Reception, 6 PM Lecture at the Center for Architecture & Design | [Register](#)

March 26 - Golf Committee Meeting, 4:30 PM at the Center for Architecture & Design

March 27 - Committee on Design Meeting, 12 PM, MoJoe Lounge at High and Town Streets

March 28 - Healthcare Committee Meeting, 7:30 AM at Tasi

April 5 - Emergency! Design for Stressed Futures: A Charrette at the Center for Architecture & Design 9:30 AM - 4:00 PM | [Register](#)

April 18 - Weight of Architecture Application Due | [Download](#)

To view all upcoming AIA Columbus events, see our [calendar](#).

*AIA Columbus Committee Meetings are open to all members. Committee descriptions are available [here](#). Please contact [Gwen](#) for more information about getting involved in a committee.

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