

AIA Michigan Monday's Minutes

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Happy Monday!

It is always busy at the Beaubien House and last week was no exception! On Thursday we facilitated a Residential and Commercial Energy Code Training Seminar at LTU. Attendees received 3 HSW continuing education hours and the presenter, William Bezdek, was extremely engaging and knowledgeable.

This week I will travel up to Traverse City for this month's AIA Michigan Board Meeting. I am looking forward to seeing the leaves changing color and I know it will be a beautiful setting for a meeting.

We are also looking forward to the A.R.E. Weekend Seminar on October 19-20th and the AIA Michigan Annual Meeting on October 25th. Both of these events will be valuable learning resources to the membership and registration for each of these events is now open on the [website!](#)

Have a great week and we hope you stop by the Beaubien House for a visit or a tour if you are in Detroit!

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AIA + 2030 Professional Series

The AIA+2030 Professional Series begins Sept 26th and helps design professionals create buildings that meet the ambitious energy efficiency goals of the 2030 Challenge. Ten, 4-hour sessions offer strategies to reach 60% reduction in fossil fuel greenhouse gas emissions, giving design professionals the knowledge and leverage to create next-generation, super-efficient buildings and provide firms with the skills that will set them apart in the marketplace.

AIA Huron Valley has arranged for this year's AIA +2030 sessions



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Email christine@aiami.com for more information

AIA Michigan Job Board

Have you checked the [Job Board](#) lately? New positions and resumes are added every week and we collect opportunities from across the state to help you find the right fit for your career.

If you have questions or are interested in placing an opening or resume, email christine@aiami.com.

Upcoming Events

to be held at Henry Ford Community College, Dearborn. Please view the full description and registration information [here](#).

Affleck House Fall Clean-Up October 13th



The ongoing restoration of the Affleck House continues on Sunday, October 13th with a final push to finish the ravine clean up. If you are available to lend a few hours of your time to a worthy cause, please contact [Fred Butters, FAIA](#).

For more information about the Affleck House, its history, and restoration efforts, click [here](#).

AGC's Gourmet Gone Wild Event!

We love partnering with our allied organizations and this is an event that our Mid Michigan and surrounding areas will love to attend, as well as members who enjoy the outdoors!

-October 19-20, 2013: AIA Michigan CEPR's ARE Weekend Seminar, Southfield

-October 25, 2013: AIA Michigan Annual Meeting Day

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AGC of Michigan Construction Leadership Council
in partnership with the AIA Michigan Young Architects Forum



Wednesday, October 16, 2013
4:30 p.m.—6:30 p.m.

Gourmet Gone Wild (GGW) introduces Michigan's urban and suburban young professionals to conservation, stewardship, hunting, and fishing through the locavore movement. Gourmet wild fish and game tastings bring young professionals (YPs) together and help connect them to hands-on experience and mentorship.



This Gourmet tasting event not only supports local, healthy, sustainable eating, it's a fundraiser to support ACE Mentor—Michigan, a program that works to enlighten and increase the awareness of high school students to career opportunities in architecture, construction and engineering.

We tried, but we couldn't pack much more into two hours so...
Plan to join us for an evening of fun, food, networking,
conservation and industry support!

Event Location: Kensington Metropark, Farm Center Classroom, 2240 West Buno Road, Milford, MI

Registration Fee: \$20 (a park entry fee of \$5.00 may also apply)


Register Today: Via the AGC of Michigan website (agcmichigan.org) or by e-mailing Viki Gotts (vgotts@agcmichigan.org).

Registration Deadline: Wednesday, October 9, 2013

MSU LAAAB Distinguished Speaker Series:
William Johnson, FASLA at the Broad Art
Museum, Oct. 24th

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Distinguished SPEAKER SERIES



OCTOBER 24, 2013 BROAD ART MUSEUM

STRATEGIC DESIGN - The Power of Framework Thinking

Distinguished Alumnus William J. Johnson, FASLA
Professor Emeritus, University of Michigan

William Johnson, FASLA
MLA, Harvard University, 1957
BSIA MSU Class of 1954

Bill Johnson has focused on issues of environmental design throughout his 50 year career as planner, designer, teacher and academic administrator. A landscape architect by training, his early interests focused on broad-scale land development/protection strategies. He pioneered in shaping cross-disciplinary ways-of-working in filling land development programs to sensitive environmental conditions. His practice has ranged across projects of regional and community planning, urban design, long-range campus development, natural resource and historic preservation. His contributions emphasize the balancing of social, cultural and environmental values in problem-solving initiatives. The scope of his personal involvement ranges from designer to development strategist to facilitator in environmental conflict-resolution issues.

Bill has blended graduate-level teaching and professional practice throughout his career since 1958. Co-founder of Johnson, Johnson & Roy, Ann Arbor, Michigan in 1963, Mr. Johnson along with his two partners directed the expansion of that firm into a multi-office international practice. A professor of landscape architecture at the University of Michigan from 1958 through 1989, Mr. Johnson also served as Dean of the University's School of Natural Resources from 1975 to 1983. A Fellow of the American Society of Landscape Architects, Mr. Johnson received the Society's Gold Medal in 1986. He was the 1992 President of the Landscape Architecture Foundation, an American Planning Association member and remains a Professor Emeritus of the University of Michigan.

Since the completion of his Berkeley partnership with Harvard classmate Peter Walker as Peter Walker, William Johnson Partners (1992-97), Mr. Johnson has since centered his personal practice on Bainbridge Island, Washington, where as William Johnson Studio he devoted much of his consulting time as mentor and critic for the architectural firm of NBBJ, an international design practice with offices throughout the U.S. Bill is now centered in Holland, Michigan. He continues consulting assignments throughout the country, focusing on community development initiatives with special attention to environmental preservation and restoration principles.


OCTOBER 24
BROAD ART MUSEUM

4:45 PM
Optional Museum Tour

6:00 PM
Presentation

7:00 PM
Reception in the
Broad Art Museum

REGISTER AT
<http://msu.laabspeaker3.eventbrite.com>

To Register:


UPCOMING SPEAKER EVENTS
Graphic Workshop-Fall 2013

Custom Residential Architects Network (CRAN): Coming soon to Michigan!

On behalf of Dawn Zuber, AIA:

I am interested in starting a Custom Residential Architects Network (CRAN) committee in Southeast Michigan. CRAN is AIA's newest Knowledge Community, and we have over 1,200 members nationally. I have served on the Advisory Group at AIA National for the past 4 years, and have found a supportive community of architects who specialize in custom residential projects, including new homes and additions/remodeling. On a national level, we organize a symposium for residential practitioners each fall-the recent symposium in Santa Fe was a rousing success! In addition, we have been organizing a publication of exemplary single-family residential design called Houses for All Regions, a series of short videos about residential architecture called CRANtv, a compilation of resources for residential architects and our clients, a quarterly newsletter, and much more...

There are many residential architects in Southeast Michigan, and I believe that we could all benefit from organizing meetings and events specifically for our needs. Because I am a sole practitioner, and I am still involved with CRAN on the national level, I don't have time to be the champion for starting a CRAN committee on the local level, but I would be happy to support someone with the vision and drive to do the heavy lifting.

If you feel that AIA does nothing for residential architects, this is the committee for you!

For more information about CRAN, visit <http://network.aia.org/cran/Home/>. Be sure to sign up for the Knowledge Community so that you receive information about national CRAN events.

The first CRAN Youtube video has been released! Click [here](#) to view!

If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at dzuber@studiozarch.com.

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