

# AIA Michigan Monday's Minutes

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## Happy Monday!

Last week was quite busy! I attended the Huron Valley Chapter's town hall meeting and a portion of it was dedicated to the Repositioning issue. I thought Dan Whisler, Huron Valley President, did a great job breaking down the large initiative into manageable sections and the conversation was respectful and thoughtful. I have included a few photos below:



This picture (and above) only have a few of the Huron Valley Chapter members that attended the meeting, but I appreciated the honesty and positive attitude they brought to the discussion!

I enjoyed celebrating our newest fellows, Paul Dannels, FAIA and Cindy Pozolo, FAIA at a reception with many of our Michigan members of the College of Fellows. Victor and Michelle Saroki graciously hosted the reception and everyone had a great time:



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- June 7-9, 2013: ARE Weekend Seminar, Grand Rapids

- June 14, 2013: AIA Michigan Design Awards, Ann Arbor

- June 17, 2013: AIA Michigan Educational Facilities Conference, Lansing

- June 20-22, 2013: AIA National Convention, Denver

- August 8-10, 2013: AIA Michigan/AGC Mid Summer Conference, Mackinac Island

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Established Fellows, such as Bob Ziegelman, FAIA and Glen LeRoy, FAIA, gathered to celebrate our newest inductees.

I also attended the LTU/AIAS Auction Dinner on Saturday at the house of Kim Mehl, Hon. Aff. AIAMI and his wife and I made a new friend named JellyBean. JellyBean is quite the party animal (bad pun, I know) and rumor has it that he might be a guest at our next Holiday Open House!



Meaghan, an LTU AIAS member and one of our AIA Michigan interns, also made friends with JellyBean the pony.

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Meaghan and Dean Glen LeRoy, FAIA pose with JellyBean

This week I will be traveling to Grand Rapids for the Board Meeting and our Emerging Professionals will be in Grand Rapids beginning on Friday for the ARE Weekend Seminar. If you or interns at your firm have thought about attending, hurry while registration is still open!

I hope you all have a great week and keep an eye out for the Mid Summer Conference brochure, which we will be mailing out next week!

Sincerely,

Cathy Mosley, Hon. Aff, AIAMI  
AIA Michigan Executive Director

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Conference: Last Week to Register!**

# “Designing Schools For Student Safety and Security”

## 21<sup>st</sup> ANNUAL EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES CONFERENCE



### June 17th | Kellogg Center, East Lansing

The Educational Facilities Conference is held to provide educators, school board members, educational planners, school administrators, architects, engineers, construction managers, and other interested professionals with the latest available information which will assist them in planning, designing and constructing educational facilities.

### Conference Lineup

8:15am | Welcome

8:30am | **School Security and Safety Overview, Paul Timm, PSP, RETA Security, Inc**

Paul Timm is a board certified Physical Security Professional (PSP) and a recognized expert in school security. Vice Chair of ASIS International's School Safety & Security Council, he is certified in Vulnerability Assessment Methodology (VAM) through Sandia National Laboratories and the ALPHA0 vulnerability assessment methodology. Paul will describe approaching school security collaboratively employing practical ways to improve access control. Designing better visitor management procedures is key to crime prevention. He will also leave us with means to access helpful security resources. We are fortunate to have Paul speak to us this year!

**Lee Andrea, AIA, NCARB, LEED AP, SHW Group**

9:30am | **Design Concepts for Safe Schools, Officer Pete Matejck, Bloomfield Township**

Recent tragedies with domestic shootings and bombings have put school security in the forefront of public awareness. This presentation explores school design recommendations from CPTED (Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design) and the Homeland Security Primer while balancing the desire to maintain open, inviting facilities that encourage collaboration and community use.

10:30am | Break

**Thomas Mynsberge, Critical Incident Management, Inc.**

10:45am | **Building Lockdown, Kenn Andridge, Ingersoll Rand Security Technologies**

An edgy, out front, real-life presentation for crisis management utilizing instant lock downs programs to create safe areas, access restrictions, situational awareness, quick appropriate local alerts and a call to action in the face of immediate threats in K-12 school facilities. Kenn will cover preventative and reactive hardware security technology solutions for threats clearly related to the Newtown school incident plus issues stemming from potential distraught students or parents, health quarantines, extreme weather events, natural disasters, fires, chemical toxins, bombs or explosions. Don't wait for that critical moment, plan now and be as prepared as possible...

11:45am-1:15pm | Lunch

12pm | **BCC Update, Irv Poke, AIA, Bureau of Construction Codes**

Irvin will present an overview of BCC technology upgrades and the development of a new process for the electronic submittal of construction documents for plan review. He will describe the use of focus groups and the impact that had on the process development. Irvin will also preview proposed legislation to allow the electronic signing and sealing of documents. Questions regarding the planned timeline and specifics of the process will be answered. For design and construction professionals, this is a presentation you do not want to miss!

1:15pm | **State Policy Resecurity, Sgt. James Jones, Michigan State Police**

The Michigan State Police is partnering with the U.S. Department of Homeland Security to provide Safety and Security guidance to school districts throughout the State of Michigan. This presentation will focus on school security measures that can be implemented quickly and at minimum cost to a school district.

2:15pm | **Security Hardware Systems, Chris Orme, The Elsen Group**

Balancing security, convenience and cost using common sense physical security as the building blocks for a safe, secure school. Secure entrances are the key to slowing down a threat in a school system. We will review the correct products to use to secure any school entrance. Keying systems, door, frame and glazing materials, locking functions and electronic security options will be reviewed.

3:15pm | Break

3:30pm | **BFS Fire Marshall, Adam Krouse, Bureau of Fire Services**

Approval of school plans by the Bureau of Fire Services before construction starts is critical to the success of any new or renovated school facilities. Learn about the Bureau of Fire Services plan review process. Find out about recent changes at the Bureau of Fire Services. The presentation will emphasize fire safety code concerns as they relate to building security with such things as door locking and secure vestibules.

4:30pm | **Enhancing Safety in Schools, John Castellana, FALA, NERS, Eduardo Blanc, Associates AIA, TMP Architecture**

How do today's schools strike a balance between a welcoming atmosphere and a safe and secure environment? John and Eduardo will discuss recent projects that show how architecture can help to achieve aesthetically pleasing security solutions. The two will also present various electronic media solutions such as door controls and cameras, and how these elements can be combined with architectural features.

5:30pm | Wrap up

5:45pm-6:45pm | Social Network Hour

### Rates

Early Registration | Through June 1, 2013

Late Registration | June 2nd to June 17, 2013

All sponsors will receive the AIA Michigan member Registration rate.

AIA Members - Early Registration | \$250.00

AIA Members Registration | After June 1st \$275.00

Members of MASA, MASB and MSBO Early Registration | \$150.00

Members of MASA, MASB and MSBO after June 1st | \$175.00

Non Members - Early Registration | \$300.00

Non Members After June 1st | \$325.00

## Government Affairs Committee Update!

The AIA-MI Government Affairs Committee is pleased to be a new addition of AIA-MI Monday Minutes. We are excited about the expansion of communication this delivery vehicle provides enabling us to keep members up-to-date on current issues. Our goal is to empower you with information pertinent to legislation that impacts our industry and are debuting with ConEd and the 2012 Michigan Family of Codes. We hope you enjoy this new feature to Monday Minutes and welcome your comments/suggestions at [aiami@aiami.com](mailto:aiami@aiami.com) with the subject title: "Government Affairs Committee" or "GAC".

### Continuing Education:

The States Board of Architects rules requiring Michigan architects to obtain 12 hours of Health, Safety and Welfare credits annually for licensing renewal is moving through the administrative approval process... ([more](#))

### 2012 Michigan Family of Codes:

The adoption of the 2012 Michigan Family of Codes is in process with anticipated dates... ([more](#))

To read the full update, click the [link](#) or view the [GAC webpage](#).

## ARE Weekend Seminar in Grand Rapids!

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**Schedule**

Friday, JUNE 7  
6pm: Check In  
7:30pm- 8:30pm: **Session 1**  
**Schematic Design**  
**Graphic Vignette**

Saturday, JUNE 8  
8am Breakfast Provided  
8:30am: **Session 2**  
**Structures Seminar**  
12:15pm: Lunch Provided  
1pm Session: 2 continued  
3pm: Break, snacks provided  
3:15pm: Session 2 continued  
7pm: Dinner on your own

Sunday, JUNE 9  
8am: Breakfast Provided  
8:30am: **Session 3**  
**Building Systems**  
11am: Break, snacks provided  
11:30am- 2pm: Session 3 continued

Check out the [event page](#) on the website for more information and the [registration link](#)!

Questions? Email [christine@aiami.com](mailto:christine@aiami.com)!

## What Does AIA National Actually Do?

Not many of AIA National undertakings and activities are clearly communicated and filtered to the state and local levels, leaving component chapters to wonder what AIA National does with all the dues AIA National collects each year! In order to better communicate AIA National initiatives to our membership, we will feature a category from the 2012 *Accomplishments* publication AIA National released at AIA National Grassroots in March.

This week we are featuring the "**Gaining Ground**" category, which has four main focus areas under the umbrella topic of "Members":

### Join/Renew

Membership in the AIA reached 81,000, near historic highs, by inviting members to join and renew through the "I AM AIA" membership marketing campaign that featured members in videos sharing the value of their membership. A successful "winback" campaign involving 11 Components also encouraged 44 percent of

the nearly 4,000 former members they contacted to rejoin the AIA community. These collective efforts produced an overall renewal rate of 91.8 percent. This strength in the United States sets the stage for the AIA to continue expanding its borders abroad.

#### **Emeritus**

The AIA reestablished long-standing eligibility requirements for members seeking Emeritus status- member must be age 70 and no longer practicing architecture-helping to align eligibility with state licensing requirements and eliminating a potential loss of dues revenue over a five-year period.

#### **Students**

The AIA took action to implement an automatic upgrade to AIA Associate membership by graduates of architecture schools who are AIAS members.

#### **Representation**

The AIA Board established the International Region to provide more resources for architects working abroad, as well as help members navigate contracting, payment, and scope of services in a range of circumstances.

#### **China**

The AIA met with members in Hong Kong, Shanghai, and Beijing to lay the groundwork for the AIA in mainland China, a country that includes many AIA members in need of professional support.

#### **Repositioning**

The AIA initiative hired the consulting team of Pentagram and LaPlaca Cohen to spearhead a year-long investigation that engaged the entire Institute at all levels-whether individual member, elected leadership, CACE, or staff- as well as professional collaborators, clients, and the public. The consultants based their recommendations on more than 30,000 "touchpoints," including four surveys of members and the public, one-on-one interviews, and face-to-face meetings with Components, the largest research effort in their considerable experience. A Repositioning implementation plan will address needed changes in a meaningful way to meet expectations for a revitalized organization.

To read the entire "2012 Accomplishments" publication, click [here](#).

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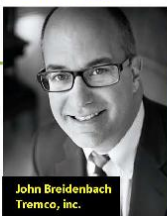
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