

AIA Michigan Monday's Minutes

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Happy Tuesday!

This week's "Monday's Minutes" is coming to you on a Tuesday because we observed the Memorial Day holiday. We all are grateful to the men and women who have served and sacrificed for us and I hope you had a relaxing (albeit chilly!) weekend.

Sincerely,

Cathy Mosley, Hon. Aff. AIAMI
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Reminder: Oakland County Planners' Gathering Event

Join design professionals and enthusiasts from across the state at LTU on Friday, June 7th for the Planners' Gathering. This session will focus on mid-century modern design, the impact Michigan designers had on the design genre, and what role it will play in our future. The cost is only \$20 and includes lunch. For more information, click [here](#).

ARE Weekend Seminar in Grand Rapids!



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Upcoming Events

- 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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A.R.E. Weekend Seminar

Join us for this weekend seminar, hosted by AIA Michigan & AIA Detroit

Need help
studying for
the A.R.E.
exams?

Covers 3 Sections:
Schematic Design
Structures
Building Systems

Where:
Kendall College of Architecture
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17 Fountain St. NW
Grand Rapids, MI 49503

Cost:
\$75 AIA Members
\$100 Non Members
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before May 10th*

Register:
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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!

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 "**Partnering Strategically**" category, which has four main focus areas under the umbrella topic of "Relationships":

NCARB:

Building on improved relationships with all of our collateral organizations, the AIA worked with NCARB in regularized planning meetings at two levels- among senior elected leadership and at the staff level-to foster improved licensing conditions for members. In 2012, we assisted NCARB by facilitating access to the membership as they completed their Practice Analysis investigation.

Academy:

Emerging Professionals,
Membership inquiries

[Cathy Mosley](#): All of the above,
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NAAB will conduct its Accreditation Review Conference in 2013, and to that end, the AIA employed architect/educator Brian Szymanik, AIA, to survey AIA members in preparing a white paper that details the priorities of the AIA and practitioners.

Preparedness:

AIA Resilient Communities established new AIA Disaster Assistance Networks in GA, SC, OK, and MD. More than 20 new disaster assistance trainers were certified to expand AIA's coverage, particularly throughout the South and Gulf Coast.

Outreach:

A Memorandum of Understanding between the Association of Architectural Organizations and A+DEN enhanced the public outreach potential of AIA Components by producing "How to Start a Center for Architecture."

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

AIA Michigan Education Facilities Conference: Registration Open!

"Designing Schools For Student Safety and Security"

21st 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, PSR, 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 Eisen 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, FAMA, REFP, Eduardo Blanc, Associate 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

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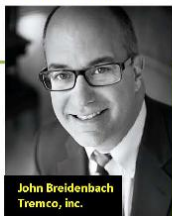
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