

The American Institute of Architects (Denver) Recognizes 2007 Achievements in Architecture

(DENVER, Oct. 1, 2007)—The American Institute of Architects (AIA), Denver chapter, recognized its 2007 architectural design, honor and president’s awards recipients during a ceremony on Sept. 28 at Mile High Station.

AIA Denver 2007 Design Awards

The following 13 architectural design awards were selected from 71 entries submitted by members of AIA Denver and judged by a jury of architects and design experts from Chicago. These were presented by AIA Denver Design Awards Jury Chair John O. Norquist, Hon. AIA, who is former mayor of Milwaukee and current president of the Congress for the New Urbanism in Chicago.

Award	Category	Architect Firm Name	Project Title
Honor	Built Architecture	Fentress Bradburn Architects (Denver) Streeter & Associates (Seattle)	Seattle-Tacoma International Airport
Honor	Built Architecture	Semple Brown Design (Denver)	Lowenstein Retail Development
Honor	Built Architecture	Sprocket Design-Build (Denver)	Cherokee Street Townhomes
Honor	Built Architecture	Sprocket Design-Build (Denver)	Clermont Residence
Honor	Built Architecture	Tryba Architects (Denver)	Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center
Honor	Built Urban Design	Tryba Architects (Denver)	Clayton Lane
Merit	Built Architecture	JG Johnson Architects	24 Walnut Townhomes
Merit	Built Architecture	Semple Brown Design (Denver)	Stapleton Public Pool #2
Merit	Built Architecture	Semple Brown Design (Denver)	Ellie Caulkins Opera House
Citation	Built Architecture	Davis Partnership Architects (Denver)	1600 Glenarm Place
Citation	Built Architecture	Humphries Poli Architects, PC (Denver)	Louisville Public Library
Citation	Built Architecture	Michael Tavel Architects (Denver)	Solar Village
Citation	Interiors	Semple Brown Design (Denver)	The Corner Office

AIA Denver 2007 Honor Awards

In addition to the design awards, three honor awards were presented by AIA Denver Honor Awards Jury Chair Michael Brendle, FAIA, who is a principal at RNL Design in Denver.

Firm of the Year: Davis Partnership Architects (Denver)

This award recognizes an AIA Denver firm that has contributed to the profession and has set an example both in design and leadership in the city over a period of at least 10 years.

Young Architect of the Year: Jesse T. Adkins, AIA, of Shears Adkins Architects (Denver)

This award recognizes significant contributions made during the early stages of an architect’s career that exemplify outstanding built or non-built work of any scale as well as projects, initiatives and brilliant beginnings that warrant attention from the profession or the public.

Lifetime Achievement Award: John B. Rogers, FAIA (Denver)

This award recognizes an architect that has made significant contributions to AIA, the profession and the citizens of Denver.

AIA Denver 2007 President’s Awards

Finally, four President’s Awards were presented by AIA Denver 2007 President David Tryba, FAIA, of Tryba Architects in Denver. These awards are presented to individuals who have made extraordinary contributions in supporting the mission of AIA Denver or local architecture and are selected at the discretion of the chapter president.

- John D. Anderson, FAIA, principal of Anderson Mason Dale Architects (Denver)
- Kim Bailey, manager of Denver Parks and Recreation
- Tyler B. Gibbs, AIA, manager, plan implementation, Denver Community Planning and Development
- Peter Park, director of Denver Community Planning and Development

About AIA & AIA Denver

For 150 years, members of The American Institute of Architects (AIA) have worked with each other and their communities to create more valuable, healthy, secure and sustainable buildings and cityscapes. AIA members have access to the right people, knowledge and tools to create better design, and through such resources and access, they help clients and communities make their visions real. AIA Denver is one of four chapters within the AIA Colorado component. This chapter is comprised of members from nine counties in the metro Denver area.