

AIA Michigan Monday's Minutes

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Welcome to Spring!

We have many great events coming up in May and June so I hope to see many of you in the next few months. The first of these events is the MAF Dumke Open on May 23rd. Then June gets busy with the A.R.E. Weekend Seminar June 7-9th, the Design Awards on June 14th, the Educational Facilities Conference on June 17th and the event blitz wraps up with the AIA National Convention in Denver on June 20-22nd. It will be a whirlwind of events encompassing such a variety that I know there is something for everyone happening this spring!

A few event updates: registration for the Educational Facilities Conference will open on Friday (make sure to get the early bird registration discount!) and the Design Award winners will be announced in next week's Monday's Minutes with registration for that event opening the following Friday.

Also, mark your calendars for the Mid Summer Conference, happening this year on August 8-10th. The continuing education for this event will involve the Placemaking initiative in Michigan and we might have a visit from the Governor!

Sincerely,

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

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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 + Design
Historical Federal Building
17 Fountain St. NW
Grand Rapids, MI 49503

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

Register:
www.aiami.com

Questions:
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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 "**Staying Sharp**" category, which has seven main focus areas under the umbrella topic of "Knowledge and Research":

Research Portal:

The AIA and the National Institute of Building Sciences partnered on a major new portal for peer-reviewed research called BRIK (Building Research Information Knowledgebase). With more than 500 submissions at launch, this portal will grow over time, allowing members and institutions to post peer-reviewed research at different levels of rigor, from case studies to funded research.

Education:

AIA members earned one million continuing education credits in 2012 through 165,000 courses available from AIA providers, with

Emerging Professionals,
Membership inquiries

[Cathy Mosley](#): All of the above,
Public Awareness, Government
Affairs, Sponsorship, etc

more than 26,000 new courses reviewed and added to the AIA CES offering. AIA Knowledge Communities created and offered more than 34,000 learning units to 29,000 participants, and KC members added to the body of content available through KnowledgeNet, enhancing its role as a vital resource for members.

Scholarship:

Minority Disadvantaged Scholarships provided by AIA/AAF funded 42 students, including four new recipients in 2012. Matching Scholarship Grants were distributed to 87 Components to fund architecture students at the local/state level.

Expertise:

Two new Knowledge Communities were created to address evolving needs: Technical Design in Building Performance improved service to members by establishing links to building product manufacturers, developing building technology content for AIA's continuing education offerings, and themed the AIA's Upjohn Grants around building performance. And, the Regional & Urban Design Committee responded to the need for expanded sustainability initiatives that address water and sustainable design.

B141:

Members of the Small Firm Round Table worked with the AIA Contract Documents Committee to advise committee members on how AIA Contracts can better meet the needs of small firm practitioners.

Commissions:

Members of the Large Firm Round Table collaborated with the Government and Community Relations team to share business impact metrics that address concerns relative to design and design-build competitions for public work.

Contracts:

The AIA launched the Contract Documents Education Portal to provide contractors, builders, and architects high-quality Contract Documents related education programs and materials. The portal incorporated live training webinars, podcasts, and on-demand courses as well as a library of written resources, such as comparisons of old and new AIA Contract Documents and commentaries, to better explain key terms and clauses.

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

AIA Michigan Education Facilities Conference

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AIA Michigan

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Student Safety
and Security**



21st Annual Educational Facilities Conference

One Day Continuing Education Event:

AIA Health Safety and Welfare Credits

Registration details available: www.educationalfacilitiesconference.com

3rd Annual Dumke Open- Register Now!

Registration for the 2013 MAF 3rd Annual Dumke Open is now open! Click [here](#) to register and for sponsorship information!

2nd Annual Great Lakes HPB Conference:



2ND ANNUAL

GREAT LAKES HIGH PERFORMANCE BUILDING CONFERENCE

June 6, 2013

Kellogg Center
East Lansing



www.greatlakes-hpb.org

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