



2019 Honor Award Winners Announced

AIA ILLINOIS HONOR AWARDS RECOGNIZE THE BEST IN ARCHITECTURE, PLANNING, DESIGN AND SERVICE

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The AIA Illinois Honor Awards recognize people and projects epitomizing the contributions of the architecture profession, the transformative power of design, and the dedication of individuals to service and excellence.

Design Award winners are as follows:

Frank Lloyd Wright Award *for achievement in enhancing the natural and built environment of a community through the new design or renovation of an individual building.*

Chicago Public Library, West Loop Branch

Daniel Burnham Award *for the achievements of a project that, through master planning, design or implementation of a master plan enhances the natural and built environment of a community:*

Planned Agricultural District (PAD): A Vision for West Garfield

Crombie Taylor Award for a project that, through preservation and restoration has enhanced the natural and built environment of a community:

The Newberry Library

The Louis Sullivan Award, *which is the highest state honor, which is selected from all other categories by jury:*

Unity Temple Restoration, *which has also been added to the UNESCO World Heritage list.*

Mies van der Rohe Award *for a project which demonstrates innovation in overall concept design or detail:*

Washington/Wabash CTA Station

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Member Service Award winners are as follows:

Gold Medal Award, *the highest honor for outstanding lifetime service by an AIA member:*

John Ochoa, AIA, FGM Architects

Alan Madison Award for Diversity, *awarded to Illinois minority architects or architectural interns who demonstrate leadership and who promote diversity within the profession:*

Danielle Tillman, AIA, bKL Architecture LLC

Charles W. Nothnagel Award for Public Service, *awarded to Illinois architects involved in public service:*

Scott Nacheman, AIA, DeSimone Consulting Engineers

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John Wellborn Root Award for Emerging Professionals, *awarded to Illinois emerging professional architects licensed under 10 years:*

Damon Wilson, AIA, Bailey Edward Design

Nathan Clifford Ricker Award for Educators, *awarded to Illinois architecture educators:*

Linda Nelson Keane, AIA, School of the Art Institute of Chicago

Richard Nickel Award, *recognizing the achievements of an individual non-architect who has shown their dedication to the principals of livable communities through grassroots or independent initiatives:*

Mike Waldinger, Hon. AIA, AIA Illinois

R. Buckminster Fuller Award for Social Good, *awarded to Illinois architects involved in humanitarian, social impact or community endeavors:*

Bryan Hudson, AIA, SOMA Design Consultants, Inc.

All award winners have positively impacted citizens throughout the state of Illinois by helping create communities in which people are drawn to live and work, and to live healthier and happier.

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