

## **Thursdays @ Three**

eNewsletter

### **AIA Oregon Profile 2020**



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#### AIA Oregon Profile 2020 is live!

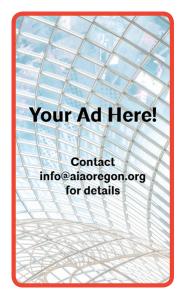
The AIA Oregon Profile 2020 connects the public to AIA Oregon members through the searchable listings, images and direct links to Member Firm websites. It's a convenient and easy way to highlight firm portfolios, expertise and leadership!

**April 16, 2020** 

**Message From** 



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**News from National** 

### 'Find an Architect' Tool Returns

The Communications committee has been working on re-incorporating a 'Find an Architect' feature into our website. This tool will be a statewide resource providing introductions and contact information for AIAO Firms, and inclusion in it will be one of the benefits of **Firm Membership**. This page will allow visitors to filter their searches by location, project type, firm size, and several other parameters. The search tool will be similar to the earlier AIA Portland one, with checkboxes under each search category.

We would like your input on possible project types to include in the search tool. The following are the project types chosen so far:

Aviation	Justice	Resort & Hospitality
Commercial	Medical	Restoration
Educational	Multi-Family	Retail
Historic Preservation	Recreational	Senior Living
Industrial	Religious	Transit
Institutional	Residential	Urban

Are there other project types that you feel should be included? Left out? Any comments or suggestions should be sent to info@aiaoregon.org.



As we all learn to adjust to the work-from-home environment, the AIA Oregon Programs Committee is planning on new and revised formats for sharing, learning, and thriving through our programming. The first new offering is the Digital Design Series, which is a 1 hour virtual session with multiple presenters on Zoom that will occur on Wednesdays at 5:00pm. The topics of this series are design-focused, are based on the concept of Learning from Sharing lead by people in our community and should provide opportunities for discussion. The first two sessions are focused on tools and techniques that groups are incorporating to create an inclusive and collaborative design process within an environment of social distancing.

#### **Digital Design Collaboration - Firms**

Wed, April 22, 2020, 5:00-6:0

In these unusual times we all find ourselves in, there is now a greater focus on how our workflow and digital capabilities can demonstrate design value to our clients. We are breaking new ground in virtual design engagement and should consider how we work (post Covid-19) might be changed forever. In this session, teams from DLR Group and Hacker will share the lessons they've learned over the last few weeks adapting their design processes to maintain design quality and project schedules.



#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

AlAO Board Meeting
April 17 | Details

AIAO Virtual HH April 17 | Details

AIAO COTE Meeting
April 21 | Details

AIAO CoEDI Meeting April 23 | <u>Details</u>

AIA Eugene Steering Committee Meeting May 5 | Details

## RELATED NEWS & EVENTS

Meet the Net Zero Emerging Leaders - GotoWebinar Event April 23 | <u>Details</u>

## We Want to Hear From YOU

Do you have suggestions for content for the next Thursday@3? Email kwendland@aiaoregon.org by 11am on Wednesdays.

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ATTN: AIA Oregon Member Firms Learn More and Register

#### **Digital Design Collaboration - Architecture Schools**

Wed, April 29, 2020, 5:00-6:00

In this session, Nancy Cheng and others from the University of Oregon College of Design will show examples of how they collaborate digitally during the design process with other architecture schools and programs, and the on-line studio process this term.

Learn More and Register

### **Virtual Happy Hour Update**

#### AIA Oregon Virtual HH | Friday, April 17 | 4-5pm

The Small Firms Happy Hour has now become the AIA Oregon Virtual Happy Hour, and is open to all that want to engage with others in our community. The next Virtual Happy Hour is this Friday, April 17 at 4pm. The starting topic for the evening will be an open discussion about how people are planning to spend their time during a slowdown.

Register for Tomorrow's Virtual Happy Hour

#### **Emerging Professionals Happy Hour**

The Emerging Professionals Happy Hour has been changed from a weekly event to a monthly one. The date of the next meeting has not yet be decided - stay tuned for more info.

# Webinar – Business Protection and Resiliency

Tues, April 28, 2020, noon to 1:00

AIA Oregon and Zuna presents the first of multiple webinars about business advice for architecture firms and small to mid-size businesses to help survive, grow, and thrive. The first session will focus on contemporary issues related to the COVID-19 emergency, including protection of benefits, employee policies, an update on financial assistance programs, and steps you can take to grow and prosper during this program.

Learn More and Register

#### **AIA Oregon Firm**

Membership is now available to all AIA member led firms in Oregon. This is an additional voluntary membership program that provides additional benefits, services and opportunities geared to Oregon firms. Learn more here.

Not sure if your firm is a member? Email amorris@aiaoregon.org to find out.

AIA Oregon Job Board



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## AIA NATIONAL RESOURCES

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### **NCARB** and Prometric Update



Due to ongoing concerns over safe delivery of examinations, Prometric has decided to keep all test centers in North America closed until May 1, 2020. As a result, NCARB has extended their no-cost rescheduling period for Architect Registration Examination® (ARE®) appointments and is adding an additional six-month rolling clock extension to all valid passing scores. No action has to be taken to receive the extension.

Learn More

### **Conferences are Going Virtual**

With the end to social distancing nowhere in sight, organizations have had to quickly take their previously planned large events and conferences and make them virtual. Events like the following will be good gauges for the rest of us to use to learn how to change our inperson events in the coming months into engaging virtual experiences.

**HOPES** [26]

ONLINE: APRIL 15th - 17th

**UO Hopes [26] Conference - Now Online** 

April 15-17 | Zoom Video Conference

Inaugurated in 1994, the conference is an opportunity for students, faculty, community members, and visiting scholars to discuss the relationship

between ecology and various design disciplines, and how this connection can produce sustainable solutions to contemporary problems. The conference began on Wednesday, but there is still plenty of content to check out.

Learn More and Register



### Living Future '20 May 7-8

The Living Future unConference is a game-changing platform for the green building movement's most innovative leaders to come together to ideate and exchange expertise. The theme of "Sustaining Hope Within Crisis", originally intended to reflect our climate emergency, is even more relevant in light of the global COVID-19 pandemic.

Learn More and Register



#### Urbanism Next May 14 | 8:30am-2:15pm

Replacing the in-person Urbanism Next Conference originally scheduled to take place May 13-15, the 2020 Urbanism Next Virtual Forum brings together an interdisciplinary group of leaders to discuss how emerging technologies shape the future of our cities.

The Virtual Forum will be followed by a series of monthly webinars starting in June 2020. Access to this entire series of webinars is included in the

price of the Virtual Forum.

Learn More and Register

### **News & Events**



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**AIAO Board Meeting** April 17 | 12-2pm

**Board of Directors**  Board Members - This meeting has been changed to remote participation. GTM access provided in Jan 2020. Check the boardofdirector channel in Slack for meeting material. Learn More»



Committee on the Environment (COTE) - Monthly Check-in

April 21 | 6:00 - 6:45pm

Video Conference Call

COTE Learn more»



**AIA** Oregon

Committee on Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion (CoEDI) - Monthly Check-In April 23 | Noon to 1:00

CoEDI

Video Conference Call **Learn more»** 



**BetterBricks Webinar - High-Performance Ventilation for Commercial Buildings** 

May 28 | 9am-5pm | 6 AIA LU|HSW Available

This six-hour live, and interactive webinar will educate attendees on a wide range of ventilation topics including system design, specification and installation for high performance commercial buildings. The training further helps familiarize attendees with dedicated outside air systems (DOAS), including technology advances in and the pairing of HRVs/ERVs and very high efficiency heating and cooling systems. Learn More and Register»





## O | OREGON | Design for Spatial Justice

#### **Design for Spatial Justice Podcast Series - UO**

As part of the UO School of Architecture & Environment's Design for Spatial Justice Initiative fellowship program, this podcast series highlights the School of Architecture

and Environment (SAE)'s initiative on Design for Spatial Justice. The podcasts brings you insights into the work of Visiting Faculty Fellows in Design for Spatial Justice—designers, researchers, and activists from around the world working on spatial justice issues at the intersection of race, gender, ethnicity, sexuality, and economic inequality. **Learn More**»





## A Code Review and Analysis of Opening Protective - A Case Study and Workshop Approach

interiorTech July 13 | 9am to 1pm | 403 NW 11th Avenue, Portland, OR 9720

This course qualifies for 5.0 CES/HSW Credit and is also ICC certified.

Speaker: David L. Dodge | RSVP: https://tinyurl.com/PortlandIBCSeminar

No cost for attendees and catered lunch included. Free parking provided at no cost. Seating is limited.

If this event must be rescheduled due to the Corona Virus outbreak, it will be rescheduled for later this year. RSVP now, and you will be kept informed on any changes. **Learn More**»



No Content this week



### **Related News & Events**

#### OREGON

Don't miss this 2020 Net Zero Emerging Leaders webinar presentation. Meet the students from Energy Trust of Oregon's Net Zero Emerging Leaders internship grant during a special panel presentation.

The interns will share their personal experiences about learning the integrated design process and how the internship has helped prepare them to enter the workforce inspired and ready to design high-performance buildings for the future. **Learn More**»

## CSI Northwest by West Bi-Region Conference - Rescheduled Rescheduled for October 25-27th | Sunriver Resort

Based on current CDC recommendations and following the Governor's ban on social gatherings on March 11th, it was decided to postpone the Conference. The new dates for the conference will be October 25-27, 2020 and the event will be held at the same location in Sunriver. They are hopeful that our educational program will remain largely intact, but this will depend on speaker availability for the new dates. So far, the majority of the pre-senters are available for the new dates. Updates will be published on the website within the coming weeks. **Learn More**»

#### **Design Museum Mornings Program**

Online Webinars - Monthly

Design Museum Mornings is a monthly morning lecture series meant to convene, inspire, and educate. Each event includes discussion and a 20-minute presentation

from a design thought leader. Whether you're a designer or not, the Design Museum Mornings are meant to inspire you before your day begins and bring you closer to the Design Museum community.

With the current health situation, Design Museum has taken the conversation online, turning their morning get-togethers into a virtual community event.

Visit the **Design Museum Mornings Program»** 

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