

**AIAO Road to Fellowship Series**

May 4, 2023

**Message From****Heather Wilson**  
AIAO VP/CEO  
[AIAO Board Membership: More Than Just Meetings](#)**TRT - Session 1: Demystifying Fellowship**  
May 25 | 5-6pm | Virtual Event

The 2023 Fellowship Application period begins this June. Please join AIA Oregon EVF / CEO Heather Wilson and members of AIA Oregon's Fellows committee for the first of a 4-part series of Fellowship preparation sessions that will help you with your application. Any member interested in learning more about Fellowship may attend, and those seeking feedback on their applications will be able to receive honest critique and assistance in preparing your application for presentation to the jury.

**Upcoming TRT Fellows Sessions - Save the Date!**

- July 27 - Organizing your opening statement
- August 24 - Refining your application and Sponsor / Letter check-in
- Sept 28 - Your Pre-Flight application check

[Register for Session 1](#)**30 Years Of Proudly Supporting the AIA**  
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**May Urban Design Panel****INITIATIVE UPDATE - Building An Equitable Future: Workforce Housing + Generational Wealth for Young Black Professionals**  
May 11 | 12-1pm | Virtual Event

The YBP Initiative, led by Bora Architecture & Interiors and Andersen Construction, in partnership with Self Enhancement Inc. (SEI) and HMS Development, is working to expand Portland as a home for young Black professionals interested in a career in the AEC industry.

Project Partners Amy Donohue of Bora Architecture & Interiors and Joel Andersen of Andersen Construction last shared this work with the AIA community through a digital design series in 2021 and will join the Urban Design Panel in May to give an update on this initiative and share the challenges and opportunities encountered in delivering this work.

[Learn More and Register](#)**News from National****UPCOMING EVENTS****Thursday Roundtable**  
- New HQ Update  
May 4 | [Details](#)**ADA Courses**  
May 5 | [Details](#)**AIA Bend Steering Committee Meeting**  
May 8 | [Details](#)**CoEDI Planning Meeting**  
May 9 | [Details](#)**AIAO SFX Coffee Break**  
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May 10 | [Details](#)**COTE DDS - Oregon Design Awards Winner**  
May 10 | [Details](#)**AIA Salem Steering Committee Meeting**  
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May 23 | [Details](#)[Read more related news below](#)

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**Board of Directors**[Meet our Directors here!](#)**Staff****Heather Wilson**  
Executive Vice President/CEO**Colleen Bastendorf**  
Director of Development and Strategic Partnerships**Kathy Wendland**  
Director of Operations and Membership Services**AIA Eugene May Section Meeting****May 17 | 11:30am-1pm | 125 8th Avenue****Reimagining the Lane County Fairgrounds property**

Lane County Commissioner David Lovell is interested in engaging the local design professional community for a brainstorm about how the Lane County Fairgrounds property could be reimagined for housing and local community needs if the Fairgrounds themselves were to be relocated.

Join us Wednesday May 17th at 11:30 - 1pm at Harris Hall, located within the Public Service Building at 125 8th Street to hear from Commissioner Lovell about how the local design community can help residents envision a future which meets the aspirational goals of our town and to organize teams for a future charrette/workshop to create a design for all or a portion of the 52 acre site.

[Learn More and RSVP](#)**Enter to Win Moda Center Tickets****AIA Members - Win Tickets to Moda Center Events!**  
Enter by 5pm Friday

Enter for the empty spaces in upcoming Moda Center events! All you need to do is follow the link below to fill out a quick form and you could win two free tickets to the suite for an upcoming game or event! Don't miss out!

**Members - please be aware that you are responsible for the behavior of your guests.****Upcoming available events:**

- Tue 5/9 Shinedown 7pm
- Fri 5/12 Jo Jo Kay 8pm

You must be an AIA Member to enter. AIAO Members will receive preference over Allied members.

[Enter Here](#)**News & Events****HQ Survey Results & Next Steps**  
**All Voices, All Backgrounds, All Professional Levels Welcome**  
Tonight, May 4 | 5-6pm | Virtual Event

Join us tonight as the New HQ Task Force shares the full member survey results, answering your questions and discussing next steps at two upcoming Thursday Roundtables.

These are going to be your headquarters, paid for by your dollars - we want you to have a say! Don't miss your chance to provide your input. [Learn More and Register](#)

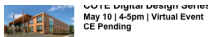
**Accessibility 101: An introduction to accessibility with the new 2017 A117.1**  
May 5 | 9am-2:30pm | Virtual Event  
5 AIA LU/HSW Available

These two courses meet the California ADA continuing education requirements. **You must register for both to receive the full 5 credits**

Part 1: 9 to 11:30am | \$25 for Members, \$60 for non-Members

Part 2: 12 to 2:30pm | \$25 for Members, \$60 for non-Members

[Learn More and Register](#)**COTE Digital Design Series**



**GBD Architects Virtual Event**  
May 10 | 4-5pm | Virtual Event  
CE Pending

GBD Architects will discuss the 2030 Award Winning Mill Creek Resiliency Building housing the Oregon State Treasury. [Learn More and Register](#)

## AIAU Safety Assessment Program Evaluator Training 2023

May 10-11 | 9am-1pm PT | Virtual

On May 10-11, attend two half-day trainings that certify licensed architects, engineers, or certified building inspectors to assist local governments in safety evaluation of their built environment in an aftermath of a disaster. [Learn More and Register](#)



**SFX Business of Architecture Series**  
May 12 | 9am-1pm  
Virtual Event | 2 AIA LU/Elective Available

In this 3-part Small Firm Series, Rena Klein, FAIA and her colleagues at **CVG** will share fundamental knowledge, strategies, tools, and resources for successful small firm adaptation and transformation.

Note: If you are unable to make a session, they will be recorded. So if you pay for all three sessions, you can request the video of the session you missed. **We will not be able to report the credit for you, but you can self-report.**

Both full series registration (discount priced) and single-session registration are available. [Learn More and Register](#)

**MARVIN** AIAO Virtual L+L- Marvin  
June 21 | 12-1pm | Virtual Event  
1 AIA LU/HSW Available

### Biophilic Design with Windows and Doors

Windows and doors are the gateways to bring nature into the home with light, views, ventilation, access to nature and more. This session will demonstrate how applying the goals of biophilic design to windows and doors will help you cultivate well-being within the built environment for your residential clients and their families. [Learn More and Register](#)

## AIA Seattle Upcoming AIA Seattle Virtual May Events

**AIA Seattle's Virtual Climate Summit - May 8 & 9, 9am-2pm each day | 2 LU/HSW**  
Join AIA Seattle May 8-9 for Decarbonization for Health Equity & Community Resilience, their two-day virtual Climate Summit exploring 1) air quality and the right to positive health outcomes; 2) existing buildings and equitable infrastructure; and 3) case studies that celebrate climate smart solutions. [Learn More and Register](#)

**Code Reload - Elevator Best Practices - May 17, 12-2pm | 2 LU/HSW**  
The second session in the 2023 **Code Reload Series** focuses on elevator technology and design aspects of planning and evaluating elevator systems for all types of buildings. [Learn More and Register](#)

## Related News & Events

### afo AFO Upcoming Events

**AFO Scholars Reception**  
May 18 | 5-7pm  
PSU Native American Student & Community Center  
710 SW Jackson St., Portland, OR 97201

You're invited to a special gathering to celebrate our 2023 AFO scholarship recipients and the growth of our scholarship program. [Learn More and Register](#)

### AFO Architects in Schools Portland Metro Exhibits

May 4, 20, 24 | Various Portland Locations

You are invited to join AFO as they celebrate the hard work of our Architects in Schools students. **No need to register in advance. Simply show up and join the celebration!**

**Downtown Portland AIS Exhibit Reception** Thursday, May 4, 5:30-7:30pm  
BHC Architecture, Oppis Architecture, DLR Group, SERA Architects

**OMSI AIS Exhibit Reception** Saturday, May 20, 11:30am-5:00pm  
OMSI (Admission Required)

**Southeast Portland AIS Exhibit Reception**  
Wednesday, May 24, 5:00-6:30pm, FCC Southeast Campus Library

**Kapwa BIPOC Sanctuary Fundraiser**  
May 13 | 5-6pm | Breathe Building | Register by May 8  
2305 SE 50th Ave Portland, OR

You are invited to come support Kapwa BIPOC Sanctuary build tiny houses outside Portland. These tiny houses will be utilized for BIPOC folks to retreat, rest, and create. [Learn More and Register](#)

**Sustainable Building Monthly - May**  
May 9 | 5-7:30pm | PAE Living Building  
151 Southwest 1st Avenue, Portland

Come join the Portland Materials Transparency Collaborative (PMTCT) for a long awaited in person meeting to envision our focus and events for the next few years. An in person social hour will be followed by a group discussion with PMTCT leadership to prioritize efforts in 2023/2024. No prior involvement or future commitment with PMTCT required! [Learn More](#)

**CSI Portland - Industry Forum 2023**  
May 11 | 4-6pm | The Red6, 831 SE Salmon, Portland

Attended by hundreds of designers, engineers, product representatives, and project owners, the Industry Forum provides an informative and stimulating look at what's innovative in the industry! [Learn More and Register](#)

**smps The Inclusive Partnership Mixer: Meet XBE Firms**  
May 23 | 4-6:30pm | David Evans Associates (DEA)  
2100 S River Parkway, Suite 100  
Oregon

Join this networking event to build relationships with DMWESB-Certified, Self-Certified and BIPOC-led firms. Smps invites you to connect with industry partners over drinks and light fare. Attendees will also receive a curated XBE directory as a go-to resource in finding potential project partners. [Learn More and Register](#)

## Grants, Scholarships, Competitions & Opportunities

**AIA Seattle Seattle Design Festival - Virtual Mainstage Call for Proposals Due May 25**  
Event proposals for the 2023 Seattle Design Festival (August 19-24) are due May 25. Anyone is eligible to submit an idea for an event to engage and interact with attendees during the Festival! Check out the [Call for Proposals](#)

**Apply for a Net Zero Emerging Leaders Internship Grant**  
Submit your application by July 21, 2023  
The Net Zero Emerging Leaders Internship grant application is now open. Through internship grants, funds are available to select architecture and engineering firms that are working on Oregon projects. [Learn More and Apply](#)

### AIA Honors & Awards Currently Open

**Architecture Closes** June 29, 2023  
**Interior Architecture Closes** August 3, 2023  
**Regional & Urban Design Closes** August 3, 2023  
**Twenty-five Year Closes** July 20, 2023

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