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AIA Oregon 2030 Working Group

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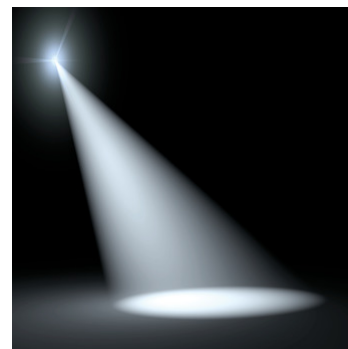
May 26 | 12–1pm

Join AIA Oregon and Energy Trust New Buildings program for a discussion on how Oregon firms are tracking and meeting Architecture 2030 goals through AIA's Design Data Exchange (DDX) reporting tool.

This working group meeting will focus on energy modeling software tools to understand unique software features for use during phases of design to better provide project teams with predicted EUI that will drive energy efficiency.

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UO Design for Spatial Justice Podcast Series

Design for Spatial Justice

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.

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Design Awards Taskforce - Members Needed - Last Call



The May 7 edition of the T@3 mentioned that AIA Oregon is creating a Design Awards Task Force to evaluate the design recognition programs we organize including the Portland Architecture Awards, Eugene People's Choice Awards, and similar programs in other sections. The first meeting of the task force will be Thursday, May 28 and we want to make sure all members have an opportunity to

participate. If you are interested in being on the task force, please contact Curt Wilson, AIA at cwilson@aiaoregon.org by end of day on Tuesday, May 26. We are limiting the task force roster to 18, so we are not guaranteeing a spot to everyone that is interested. The goal in the formation of the roster is to represent a cross-section of our members.

The Board of Director's direction to the task force is

1. Identify the purpose(s) of the design awards program, including peer jury design awards and public-selected "People's Choice" programs.
2. Evaluate if the implementation of the programs adequately supports the defined purpose(s), including broad representation from our community. The evaluation should distinguish between the awards

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AIAO Virtual Happy Hour
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program and the event(s) that celebrate design, all applicants, and the award recipients.

3. Increase coordination between existing local programs to support chapter-wide goals and initiatives.
4. Recommend improvements to the existing programs, including:
 - a. Incorporation of the Framework for Design Excellence within the submittal and evaluation criteria.
 - b. Other criteria to provide guidance to the evaluators.
 - c. Criteria for the selection of the jury members.
 - d. Implementation for 2020 programs within the context of the current health crisis.

The first meeting, which will focus on a summary of current programs, will be May 28 at 4:00. The task force commitment is minimum of (3), hour long Zoom meetings through the end of June. The task force is expected to provide recommendations to the AIA Oregon Board of Directors to help guide the implementation of events in 2020 and beyond.

AIAU Free Live Course: Supporting Parents Working from Home During COVID-19 and Beyond

MAY 27, 2020 | 11am PDT | Free Live Course

The COVID-19 pandemic is disrupting lives at work and at home. As schools and childcare centers are closed for social distancing, working parents are experiencing an unprecedented challenge. Join three architects as they discuss tips, tricks, and strategies to support parents as they balance working from home full time with raising children.

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AIA Oregon Digital Design Series

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CSI Meeting - HSW CEU

May 27 | [Details](#)

Webinar on FEMA E-74

June 10 | [Details](#)

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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.](#)

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AIA Oregon has begun offering the Digital Design Series, a 1 hour virtual session with various presenters on Zoom that will occur at 5:00pm on Wednesdays. The topics of this series are design-focused, are based on the concept of Learning from Sharing, led by people in our community and should provide opportunities for discussion.

If you have an idea for an upcoming Digital Design Series event, or would like to participate, please contact info@aiaoregon.org

May 20 AIA Oregon Presents! Recording Available

Yesterday (May 20) three projects from across the state were reviewed: the Camelot Theatre in Talent, by Bruce Richie, AIA, the Beaverton Christian Church by Jeff Guggenhiem, AIA, and the Oregon Imaging Center in Eugene, by Rex Prater, AIA. Each presenter detailed the work they did on their project and addressed the unique challenges they had to overcome. Thanks to all three for the great job, and for their willingness to go first!

[View the Recorded Event Here](#)

Upcoming Digital Design Series Events

AIA Oregon Presents!

Paula Baker-Laporte, FAIA, BBNC

“Nature is the Gold Standard for a Healthy Human Environment”

June 3 | 5:00-6:00pm | 1 AIA LU|HSW Available

Since 1992, Paula has dedicated her Architectural practice to the precepts of Environmentally Sound and Health Enhancing Architecture. Together with her husband Robert Laporte, she directs EcoNest Natural Building Seminars and Workshops.

She will talk about an approach to health that goes beyond “non-harm” to spaces that deeply nurture our wellbeing while stewarding the environment. She will share some lessons that she has learned over the past 30 years about health in the built environment and a body of knowledge that originated in Europe in the early 70’s called Bau-Biologie or Building Biology. Building Biology holds nature as the gold standard for a healthy human environment and from this perspective identified 25 guiding principles.

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AIA Oregon Presents!

West of West -

The Renovation of the Wells Fargo Tower in Portland, Oregon

June 10 | 5:00 - 6:00pm | 1 AIA LU|HSW Available

West of West will present their on-going transformation and renovation of Oregon's tallest building. Firm principal and co-founder, Clayton Taylor will discuss the history of the Wells Fargo Center, its impact on the skyline of Portland and the latest updates that are part of the renovation. Joining Clayton in the program will be Jessica Hartwell, Project Engineer, Turner Construction Co.

The discussion will include West of West's design drawings, photos of construction, and insight on the process of revitalizing existing architectural assets

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AIA Oregon Presents!

UO Student Projects

June 17th | 5:00 - 6:00pm

2-3 students from the architecture department at University of Oregon will present their work from the virtual design studios this term. More info to be available in June.

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AIA Oregon Presents!

Virtual Tour of the Hixon at Westside Yard

June 24 | 5:00 - 6:00pm

Join Nicholas A. Radon, AIA with BLRB Architects for a virtual tour of The Hixon at Westside Yard. The Hixon is a mixed-used, multifamily apartment development in Bend, OR and is part of a larger site with existing commercial and retail uses. Within the site (rebranded as the Westside Yard) the Hixon is comprised of 203 apartment units on the upper five floors. On the ground floor, there is around 20,000 square feet of retail shell space, as well as the main resident lobby complete with leasing office, coffeeshop, and other residential amenities. The development is currently in its 22nd month of construction and is anticipated to open later this summer.

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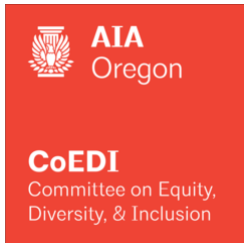
AIA Virtual Happy Hour

Fridays | 4-5pm | Zoom

The next Virtual Happy Hour is this Friday, May 22, at 4pm.



The AIA Oregon Virtual Happy Hours are a chance for colleagues to get together in an informal setting and engage. This week will be an open and informal chat as we move into the holiday weekend. [Learn More»](#)



CoEDI Monthly Planning Meeting

May 28 | 12-1pm

For our May meeting, we'll be discussing how to transition CoEDI's events to a virtual experience. This meeting will be virtual [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»](#)

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CSI Educational Event: Understanding EIFS with Drainage

May 27 | 5-6:30pm | 1 AIA LU|HSW Credit

Speaker: Bret Bastain, Parex USA

Learn the facts about EIFS with Drainage. In this seminar, you will learn to recognize the circumstances that have precipitated the popularity of EIFS with drainage, define the basic components of these systems, consider the benefits and limitations of EIFS with drainage, assess the code changes that have a bearing on EIFS specifications, consider the types of EIFS with drainage available, and understand how EIFS contributes to responsible, sustainable design. [Learn More»](#)



Living Future '20 Online Summit and Session Series: Resilience in Crisis

Summit: Tuesday, May 26, 10am-3pm PST

Sessions: Thursday, May 28, 10am-3pm PST

ULI NW Hosted Virtual Tours: Tuesday & Thursday, 3-4pm PST

Join developers and industry leaders to discuss how buildings and building systems can be adapted for greater health outcomes. Hear from design, public health and urban planning experts on what we are learning from the current health crisis and how this experience might influence how we adapt existing buildings and design the built environment in the future. [Learn More»](#)



Interior Tech Live-stream CES Courses

Thursdays & Fridays at noon

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Upcoming Courses Hosted by Interior Tech. Course materials will be emailed in advance and there will be time for Q&A. [Learn more and Register»](#)

Friday, May 27th

Fire Door Systems – A Guide to Code Compliance. Based on the IBC.

Sponsored by Interior Tech and McKeon Door Company.

Thursday, May 28th

Smoke Protection at the Elevator Door. Sponsored by Interior Tech and Smoke Guard.

Friday, May 29th

Operable Wall Systems. Sponsored by Interior Tech and Modernfold.



How to Cost Effectively Build Zero Energy Homes

May 15, 22, 29 | 12-2pm | Live Webinar | AIA CEU Pending

Join [EEBA](#) and [Earth Advantage](#) for this three-part webinar series on affordable Zero Energy (ZE) home design and construction. Learn how to eliminate common barriers to Zero Energy (ZE) home construction, benefit from the rapid trend towards ZE, and earn a 'Zero Energy Builder' designation.

[Learn More»](#)



Webinar on FEMA E-74, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage – A Practical Guide

June 10 | 12-1:30pm | Free

The purpose of this webinar is to describe in simple terms the sources and types of nonstructural earthquake damage, as well as effective methods and guidance for reducing the potential risks of injury and property loss from future earthquakes. [Learn More»](#)



Energy Trust 2020 Net Zero Fellowship

Project Application are due June 12, 2020

Energy Trust of Oregon is offering a fellowship grant to an individual with excellent research capabilities and an interest in advancing the design and construction of net-zero-energy commercial buildings in Oregon. The grant of up to \$50,000, will support research over 12 to 18 months. [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.

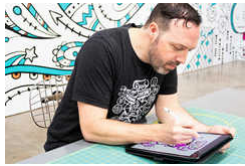
Speaker: David L. Dodge | RSVP: <https://tinyurl.com/PortlandIBCSeminar>

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»](#)

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.

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