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AIA New York Chapter Program Committees

The committees of the AIA New York Chapter are the foundations from which the Chapter positions itself in the field of architecture, whether through discussion, advocacy, policy making and development, event and exhibition planning, or other endeavors.

The Committees initiate the majority of the programs held at the Center for Architecture, and are the main avenue for direct involvement with the Chapter and the Center.

Twenty-seven program committees offer AIA New York Chapter and Center for Architecture members and interested individuals the opportunity to become involved. Program committee members work closely with colleagues who share their interests and concerns, and have the chance to use - and develop - expertise in interest areas ranging from alternative careers to zoning.

Most committees meet monthly to address key issues related to their mission, plan for lectures, tours, discussions and other activities. Some committees study proposed legislation, development schemes, and urban issues, and then, working with the Board of Directors and Executive Director, communicate the Chapter's position in public testimony or letters to government officials. All members are encouraged to participate in at least one committee.

Upcoming committee **meeting dates are published in the eCalendar** which is sent to members each Friday afternoon; however committee chairs also often reach out with special announcements. **To ensure that you have the latest information, use the Committee Selection form to let us know which committees you would like to be involved with; we'll provide that information to the committee chair.**

For more information about a committee please contact Kamaria Greenfield, Program Committees Coordinator at kgreenfield@aiany.org.

AIA New York Chapter Committee Selection Form

Please check the committee(s) in which you would like to participate.

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PROGRAM COMMITTEES

- Architecture Dialogue**
Formulates programs addressing architectural design issues, trends, and the state of architecture today.
- Architecture for Education**
Serves members primarily working on educational facilities to keep abreast of activity in the field.
- Architecture For Justice**
Serves members focused on the design of judicial, correctional, and law enforcement building types.
- Architecture Tour**
Helps develop and deliver walking and boat tours to highlight the architectural heritage of New York for residents and visitors.
- Building Codes**
Addresses specific building department and code changes such as universal access, sustainability, and energy.
- Building Enclosures Council**
Promotes and encourages discussion on all matters concerning building enclosures and the related science.
- COTE (Ctte. on the Environment)**
Helps architects develop an expertise on sustainable design, and building technology issues.
- Cultural Facilities**
Encourages learning and participation in activities of museums, historic sites, libraries, zoos and gardens, performance spaces, and related institutions.
- Design for Aging**
A forum dedicated to increasing public awareness of the needs of the elderly in an urban environment, and to explore issues which educate professionals to develop designs which accommodate those needs.
- Design for Risk and Reconstruction**
A forum dedicated to evaluate, communicate, and expand the role of the design profession in this time of dramatic climate, energy, economic, and social changes.
- Diversity and Inclusion Committee**
Gives agency to issues of inclusion/representation by dialogue and the development of action items that promote diversity in the profession.
- ENYA (Emerging NY Architects)**
A forum for the interests and activities of interns, associates, and new architects. Subcommittees organize a biannual design ideas competition, collaborate on ARE and IDP related programming at the chapter.
- Global Dialogues**
Works with international organizations, architects, universities, foreign officials and more to promote dialogue between architectural communities in New York and the rest of the world.
- Health Facilities**
Serves members concerned with all aspects of the architect's responsibility in designing health facilities.
- Historic Buildings**
Monitors the Landmarks Commission, presents testimony, and arranges informational and technical meetings.
- Housing**
Examines the state of housing production in terms of its design, the constraints of regulation, and financing.
- Interiors**
Creates engaging programming in the form of panel discussions, lectures, tours, and symposia for architecture and interior design professionals.
- Marketing & Communications**
Organizes programs to inform and assist Chapter members in marketing and public relations initiatives.
- New Practices**
Serves as a forum for exploring new and evolving models of architecture and design practices.
- Planning & Urban Design**
Works with agencies to review proposed changes to the Zoning Resolution and examines urban design issues.
- Professional Practice**
Provides a forum for exchange of information about running a professional practice.
- Public Architecture**
Organizes a collaboration of architects employed in public agencies with those commissioned by the public sector. Monitors contracting and procurement issues.
- Science and Research Facilities**
Provide a resource to professionals involved in the planning and design of science and research (S&R) facilities.
- Social Science and Architecture**
Seeks to map new ground for novel collaborations with practitioners and researchers in the social sciences.
- Technology**
Provides a forum for the exchange of ideas on technology and its influence on design, process, architectural practice and related professions.
- Transportation & Infrastructure**
Addresses transportation and infrastructure issues.
- Women in Architecture**
Supports empowerment of women in the architecture profession through examples and achievements.

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Please check your member category:

- _ Architect/Fellow/Emeritus
- _ Associate
- _ AlliedProfessional
- _ Student
- _ Corresponding
- _ Corporate