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AIA NEW YORK ANNOUNCES 2016 DESIGN AWARDS WINNERS

Jurors awarded 31 awards, including 20 in the Architecture category, 5 in the Interiors category, 4 in the Projects category, and 2 in the Urban Design category.

NEW YORK CITY, March 1, 2016 – On February 29, 2016, a jury of independent architects, educators, critics, and planners from outside New York City convened at the Center for Architecture to select the winners of the **2016 AIA New York Design Awards**. That night, they publicly announced the **31 winning projects** at a symposium at the Center for Architecture.

The 31 selected projects and the architecture firms that designed them – many of whom were on hand for the symposium – represent the exceptional work by AIA New York members and architects practicing in New York City in four categories: Architecture, Interiors, Projects, and Urban Design. Collectively, the jurors enthusiastically decided not to award a Best in Competition, noting that each winning project had successfully developed an idea and approach to resolve and elevate particular challenges.

Each winning project, granted either an “Honor” or “Merit” award, was chosen for its design quality, response to its context and community, program resolution, innovation, thoughtfulness, and technique. Submitted projects had to be completed by AIANY members, architects/designers practicing in New York, or be New York projects designed by architects/designers based elsewhere. There were 366 entries in the four categories, including 185 submissions in the architecture category alone. The winners range from a chicken coop to large-scale urban interventions. 19 of the 31 winners were also NYC-based projects.

“This year’s jury was drawn to projects that engaged the environment, were innovative, and showed clarity of concept,” said AIANY 2016 President **Carol Loewenson, FAIA**. “They celebrated the restoration of St. Patrick’s Cathedral and recommended that Preservation be its own category next year.”

Design Awards Exhibition

All winning work will be exhibited in the **2016 AIANY Design Awards exhibition** at the Center for Architecture beginning **Friday, April 15**, with an opening reception from 6-8pm. The exhibition, designed by **Tsto**, will remain on view through Saturday, June 25.

Honors and Awards Luncheon and Upcoming Programs

In addition to the Jury Symposium, winning projects will be recognized at the **Honors and Awards Luncheon, Friday, April 15**, at Cipriani Wall Street (www.aiany.org/awardslunch).

The Luncheon will also fete *Medal of Honor* recipient **Annabelle Selldorf, FAIA**; *Award of Merit* recipient **Robert M. Rubin**; and *Stephen A. Kliment Oculus Award* recipient **Iwan Baan**. The Luncheon serves as an important fundraiser for AIA New York and the organization's ongoing mission to show that design matters.

Members of the press are invited to all events. Jurors and a list of the winning projects are on the following pages. For project details or for press RSVP to Design Awards events, contact Camila Schaulsohn at AIA New York, 212-358-6114 or cschaulsohn@aiany.org.

2016 AIANY DESIGN AWARDS JURORS

Elizabeth Chu Richter, FAIA, CEO, Richter Architects

Shane Coen, Founder and Principal, Coen+Partners

Julien De Smedt, Founder, JDS Architects

Mark Johnson, Assoc. AIA, Co-founder, Civitas

Lorcan O’Herlihy, FAIA, Founder, Lorcan O’Herlihy Architects (LOHA)

Shih-Fu Peng, AIA, Co-founder, heneghan peng architects

Michel Rojkind, Founder, Rojkind Arquitectos

Michael Speaks, Dean, Syracuse University School of Architecture

WINNING PROJECTS

Winners Statistics:

31 Awards Conferred

ARCHITECTURE – 20 total (9 honor; 11 merit)

INTERIORS - 5 total (3 honor; 2 merit)

PROJECTS - 4 total (1 honor; 3 merit)

URBAN DESIGN - 2 total (1 honor; 1 merit)

ARCHITECTURE

HONOR AWARDS

Architects: Dattner Architects in association with WXY architecture + urban design

Project: Manhattan Districts 1/2/5 Garage and Salt Shed

Location: New York, NY

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Architects: Diller Scofidio + Renfro in collaboration with Gensler

Project: The Broad Museum

Location: Los Angeles, CA

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Design Principals: Susan T. Rodriguez, FAIA (Ennead Architects); Frank Lupo, FAIA; Randy Antonia Lott

Project: Chipakata Children’s Academy

Location: Chipakata Village, Zambia

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Architect: Marvel Architects

Project: St. Ann’s Warehouse

Location: Brooklyn, NY

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Architect: nARCHITECTS

Project: Carmel Place

Location: New York, NY

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Architect: Selldorf Architects

Project: David Zwirner

Location: New York, NY

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Architects: Snøhetta with Ziedler Partnership Architects

Project: Ryerson University Student Learning Center

Location: Toronto, Canada

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Architect: Tod Williams Billie Tsien Architects | Partners

Project: Lefrak Center at Lakeside in Prospect Park

Location: Brooklyn, NY

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Architect: WEISS/MANFREDI Architecture/Landscape/Urbanism

Project: Novartis Pharmaceuticals Building

Location: East Hanover, NJ

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MERIT AWARDS

Architects: Adjaye Associates with SLCE Architects

Project: Sugar Hill Housing

Location: New York, NY

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Architect: Bernheimer Architecture

Project: Quonochontaug House

Location: Charlestown, RI

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Architect: Diller Scofidio + Renfro

Project: Berkeley Art Museum and Pacific Film Archive

Location: Berkeley, CA

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Architect: Mack Scogin Merrill Elam Architects

Project: Ernie Davis Hall at Syracuse University

Location: Syracuse, NY

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Architect: Murphy Burnham & Buttrick

Project: Public School 330Q

Location: Queens, NY

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Architect: Murphy Burnham & Buttrick
Project: St. Patrick's Cathedral Restoration
Location: New York, NY
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Architect: o'neill rose architects
Project: Choy House
Location: Queens, NY
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Architects: Renzo Piano Building Workshop in collaboration with Cooper Robertson
Project: Whitney Museum of American Art
Location: New York, NY
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Architect: TEN ARQUITECTOS
Project: CENTRO University
Location: Mexico City, Mexico
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Architect: TEN ARQUITECTOS
Project: Mercedes House
Location: New York, NY
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Architect: Thomas Phifer and Partners
Project: Corning Museum of Glass
Location: Corning, NY
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INTERIORS

HONOR AWARDS

Architect: A+I
Project: Horizon Media Expansion
Location: New York, NY
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Architect: Clouds Architecture Office
Project: CRS Studio
Location: New York, NY
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Architect: Collective-LOK
Project: Van Alen Institute
Location: New York, NY

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Architect: Architecture Workshop

Project: Pivot

Location: New York, NY

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Design Architect: INABA WILLIAMS

Executive Architect: SLAB

Project: Red Bull New York Office

Location: New York, NY

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PROJECTS

HONOR AWARDS

Architect: BIG – Bjarke Ingels Group

Project: 2 World Trade Center

Location: New York, NY

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Architect: Architecture Research Office

Project: Chicken Coop

Location: East Hampton, NY

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Architect: Kohn Pedersen Fox Associates

Project: 390 Madison

Location: New York, NY

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Architect: NBBJ

Project: Reinvent Paris: Creative Mixed-Use Hub

Location: Paris, France

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URBAN DESIGN

HONOR AWARD

Architects: W Architecture & Landscape Architecture

Project: Plaza 33

Location: New York, NY

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MERIT AWARDS

Architect: ROGERS PARTNERS Architects+Urban Designers

Project: The New St. Pete Pier

Location: St. Petersburg, FL

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