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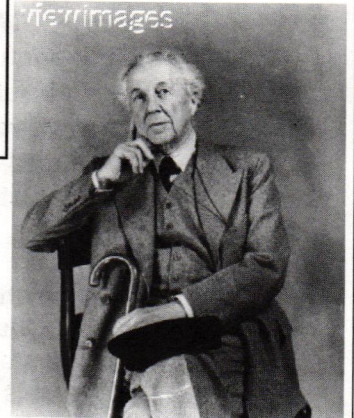
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Complimentary tickets are available for AIA Members and guests. Contact the AIA office at 895-0936 and arrange your ticket today.

Wednesday, February 20th - 5:45PM Overview of the Opera by Composer Daron Hagen in Hamm Hall / 6:15PM AIA Reception in Judy Bailey Lobby / 7:30PM "Shining Brow" one-concert performance. February Meeting is sponsored by Arizona Tile.

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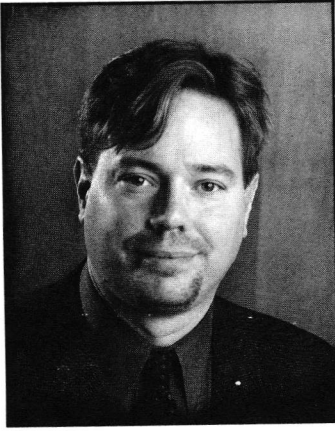
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## AIA LAS VEGAS PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Brandon Sprague, AIA

It seems sometimes that we all get so busy that we forget what a strong community the architectural profession is. We all spent the long nights at studio (and some at the local bars), we all hated structures

class, we all spent time being frustrated all-knowing interns, we suffered together through all nine parts of the exam, we all come together when major issues face the profession...

So why is it that we are all isolated and do not communicate our existing work or new ideas?

Is it that we are taught in school to be individuals...  
Is it that we are too competitive...  
Is it that we think we deserve every new project...  
Is it that this is just the way it is...

I, for one, hope not

Our  
Canons of Ethics and Professional Responsibility  
*especially*

### **CANON V**

Obligations to Colleagues  
**Members should respect the rights and acknowledge the professional aspirations and contributions of their colleagues.**

It would seem that communication and mutual respect would be the founding daily essence of who we are as the shapers of our community.

My hope for this year is that we can use the numerous opportunities that are provided through our AIA Chapter – our membership meetings – our design awards programs – our social events – to get to know each other and to learn from each other. Let us not be too restrained or too inhibited to share our experiences and our ideas with each other. It can only build a stronger, better profession in Las Vegas.

## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

### ARCHITECTS

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## LORA PELUSO

We are extremely saddened to learn that our treasured friend and AIA member, Lora Peluso (American Insurance & Investment) is gravely ill.

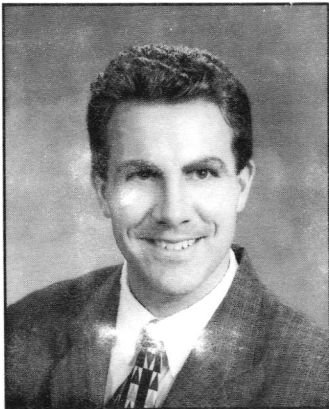
On January 18th, she was diagnosed with pancreatic cancer, and several masses and lesions were found on her

liver. With conventional treatment, her life expectancy is from 6-8 months.

In order to spend time with her family, Lora will be returning to Oakland, California in February. She would love to hear from all her friends and associates by email or snail mail. Email is [lora@pclv.com](mailto:lora@pclv.com) (which will change after her move). We will advise the new email and snail mail addresses.

Lora would like to concentrate on the good times she has shared with all her friends and associates and particularly wants to recall the stories and remembrances of the great times she has shared with you.

**Lora's friends and AIA associates are invited to join with ACEC and APWA and all members of the architectural community to celebrate Lora's birthday on Wednesday, February 13th at 6PM at the Los Prados Clubhouse. Dinner and Birthday cake will be served (\$20.00) If you would like to attend this celebration of Lora's life, please RSVP to 895-0936.**



## AIA NEVADA PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Mark Johnson, AIA

Of all of the activities I have had a chance to participate in as a member of the AIA Nevada executive committee, Legislative Affairs has been the most educational. Prior to my

involvement on the committee, my experience in the political realm was limited to visits to local council meetings and neighborhood advisory boards – typically as it related to a current project. However, since AIA Nevada is responsible for the majority of the AIA legislative efforts at both the local and national levels, I have been introduced to a much wider spectrum of the political process. From assisting with the creation of position papers to following the progress of a bill through committee to shaking hands with local and national Assembly and Senate members, it has been a great experience.

During the 2001 legislative session, the executive committee and our lobbyist tracked bills dealing with issues as diverse as construction defects, document ownership, deregulation of the practice of interior design, and the business tax. It was a successful session for our profession, since the majority of the bills that adversely affect the practice of Architecture did not make it out of committee. While 2002 may not a legislative year in Nevada, the need to stay involved in the political landscape remains critical. Our lobbyist is monitoring the events at the state level and reporting any issues as they arise. Feel free to contact anyone on the executive committee if you have an issue you feel we should monitor or consider introducing.

On the National legislative front, David Frommer, AIA Nevada President-elect, and I are preparing for the Grassroots Leadership conference in Washington D.C. This annual event allows for component leaders to meet and discuss the legislative issues facing all architects, as well as compare legislative strategies and successes. The highlight is the visit to Capitol Hill where the Nevada contingent (the Nevada, Las Vegas, and Northern Nevada presidents and president-elects) meet with each of our U.S. Congressional Representatives and Senators. The focus is to present the AIA National Legislative Issues to our congressmen and women.

This year we have four issues that AIA National considers of paramount importance for our legislative efforts:

1. Building Security Through Design – encouraging the usage of architects in the development of design solutions to meet the challenges of building security
2. Brownfields Redevelopment – supporting tax breaks and financial incentives for businesses looking to develop properties with environmental contamination. This issue has been supported by the AIA for the past several years, and has resulted in the recent signing of a bill by President Bush.
3. School Modernization -- supporting legislation that gives tax credits for school districts to pay interest on modernization bonds, as well as other bills that would finance school modernization programs.
4. Truthfulness, Responsibility, and Accountability in Contracting (TRAC) Act – The AIA continues to oppose this bill, which would prevent any further use of private-sector resources by federal agencies. If the bill were signed, it would severely reduce government contract work for architects and engineers alike.

Grassroots 2002 runs from February 27<sup>th</sup> through March 2<sup>nd</sup>. David and I would welcome any comments about these issues or others that are of importance to the profession of Architecture in Nevada.

## 2005 AIA NATIONAL CONVENTION

AIA Las Vegas will host the 2005 AIA National Convention on May 12-14th, 2005. The Convention Committees are being formed....activities are being planned....the countdown clock is running.....

As of February 1st, 2002 there are ....

**1,198 Days**  
until C-Day!

Here are some facts to keep in mind.....

We expect to have the largest AIA National Convention ever - 2001 Denver's attendance was 18,000. We expect upwards of 20,000.

We will need approximately 300 Volunteers to assist with registration, tours, parties and events.

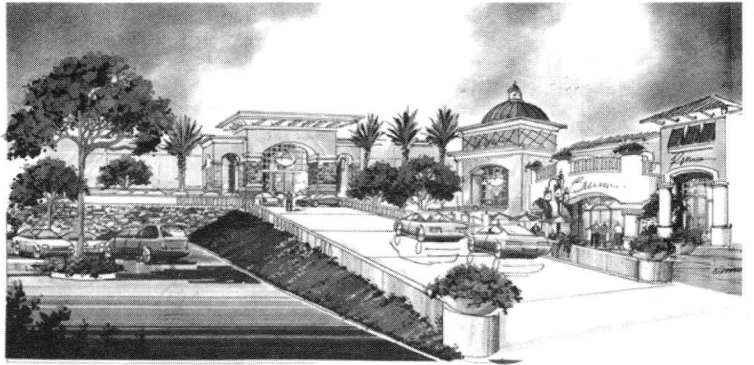
We will offer over \$300,000.00 in sponsorship opportunities

We need EVERY MEMBER to support our efforts and participate.



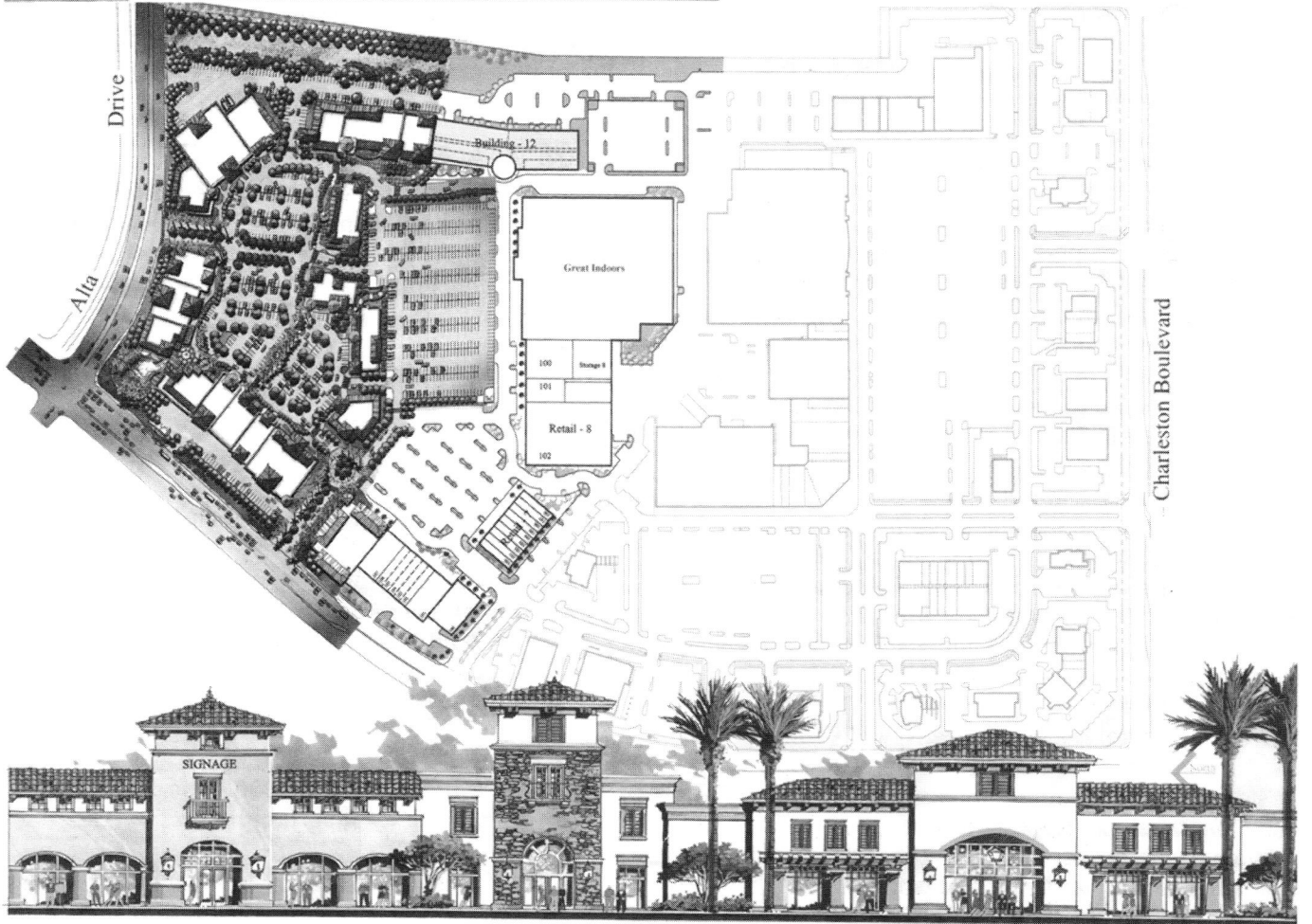
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# 2002 MEETINGS AND EVENTS

## FEBRUARY MEETING

### "SHINING BROW: Frank Lloyd Wright Opera

The February Meeting will be the one-concert performance of "Shining Brow" the Frank Lloyd Wright Opera, being presented and recorded by Paul Kreider, Associate Dean of the UNLV Fine Arts Department and the Southern Nevada Opera Association on Wednesday, February 20th.

The evening will begin at 5:45PM with a brief presentation and explanation of the opera by the composer Daron Hagen in Hamm Hall. The reception for AIA members and guests will begin at 6:15PM in the Judy Bailey Theatre Lobby, followed by the performance at 7:30PM in Atrium Hamm Hall. To attend AIA members must RSVP to the AIA office and pick up their complimentary ticket.

This production of "Shining Brow" will be followed by three days of recording sessions for ARSIS Audio, which will release the world premiere full recording of the opera. The part of Frank Lloyd Wright will be sung by Paul Kreider, Associate Professor and Chair of the Music Department at UNLV. This performance will be the first to be recorded and distributed nationally.

To help underwrite the costs of the production and the recording, sponsorships are being offered to individuals and firms in the architectural community. For \$1,000.00 (or more) the names of supporting firms will be included on the CD cover graphics. For less than \$1,000.00, supporting firms will be included in the printed program of sponsors. Please contact Randy Lavigne at 895-0936 if you would like to support this recording through sponsorship.

The opera is composed by Daron Aric Hagen, with Libretto by Paul Muldoon. "Shining Brow", the translation of the Welsh Taliesin, is the name Wright gave to his homes in Wisconsin and Arizona. The period of time covered in the opera, includes some of the most tumultuous years of Wright's life, from 1903 to 1914. The work portrays Wright's relationship with client, Mamah Cheney, who leaves her husband, Edwin, for the architect. Their affair is further complicated by the fact that Catherine, Wright's wife, refuses to grant a divorce. Wright visits Sullivan in Chicago, and it is here that he learns that Taliesin has been destroyed by fire. Mamah has been killed, along with six other victims. As the opera closes Wright imagines rebuilding Taliesin in Mamah's memory.

To secure your ticket to the reception and performance, contact the AIA Office at 895-0936. You must have a ticket to attend.

## MARCH MEETING

### "SUSTAINABILITY" -The Weidt Group

Sustainability is a very important issue particularly in our desert region. In March we will have the pleasure of meeting David Eijadi, from The Weidt Group who will be our special guest speaker. The Weidt Group is nationally known as advocates and experts on sustainable architecture and the firm have partnered with many firms across the country, including our own Dekker, Perich, Holmes, Sabatini Architects.

The meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 20th, at the Monte Carlo Hotel (2nd floor ballroom) with reception beginning at 6PM, dinner at 7PM and the program at 8PM. RSVP's are required.

## APRIL MEETING

### AIA NATIONAL DESIGN CONFERENCE

As our membership meeting in April, AIA Las Vegas is pleased to host the Reception for the AIA National Design Conference. The reception will be held at 6PM on Saturday, April 13th, at the Lied Discovery Museum on Las Vegas Boulevard.

Windom Kimsey, AIA, National Chair of the event, has planned an exceptional conference. Attendance will include 150-200 of the most noted and respected architects and designers in the country. The conference will showcase the architecture of our city and some of the work of our own AIA members.

Members are invited to provide project display boards for exhibit at the Reception. Please notify the AIA office if you would like to provide a project board.

Please join us on April 13th to welcome the members of the National Design Committee. RSVP to the AIA office at 702-895-0936.



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FEBRUARY MEMBERSHIP MEETING

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**Don't miss this opportunity to attend this very exceptional performance.**

Presented by the  
UNLV Fine Arts Department  
And the  
Southern Nevada Opera Association

February Meeting Sponsored by  
**ARIZONA TILE**

Wednesday, February 20th, 2002

5:45PM – Overview of the Opera by Composer Daron Hagen – Hamm Hall

6:15PM – AIA Reception – Judy Bailey Theatre Lobby

7:30PM – One Concert Performance – Hamm Hall

**YOU MUST HAVE A TICKET TO ATTEND THE PERFORMANCE**

TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE (*WITHOUT CHARGE*) FOR AIA MEMBERS & GUESTS  
THROUGH THE AIA LAS VEGAS OFFICE.

**RSVP TODAY CALL 895-0936**

To arrange to pick up your tickets  
**OR HAVE THEM MAILED TO YOU.**

# AIA Las Vegas

A Chapter of The American Institute of Architects

## 9th Annual (Spring) AIA Las Vegas Putting Tournament

Date: Friday, April 19th  
Shotgun Start: 3:30PM (Team captains report by 3:15PM)  
Location: Angel Park Golf Club Putting Course  
Fee: **\$35.00 per player** (\$210.00 per 6 person team)  
Fee includes dinner and door prizes

Players:  
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3. \_\_\_\_\_  
4. \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Please invite spouses and friends to play!**

2002 Golf & Putting Chair: Brandon Potts – Allied Director AIA LV  
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**Please make checks payable to: AIA Las Vegas**

Mail to: AIA Las Vegas  
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Phone: 895-0936 - FAX – 895-4417

Limited to first 108 Paid entries received.  
Players signing up individually will be assigned to a team.







\*\*\* ANNOUNCING \*\*\*

# The 29TH ANNUAL AIA LAS VEGAS GOLF TOURNAMENT

This year the Las Vegas Chapter of The American Institute of Architects will hold our annual Golf Tournament at **SPANISH TRAIL GOLF COURSE**

**ON  
MONDAY, MAY 13, 2002**

The Golf Tournament is the only annual tournament of its kind and provides a great promotional opportunity for local businesses. Already our supporters include CivilWorks, Inc. and Mercury / LDO Reprographics. We invite you to join this prestigious duo of corporate sponsors by contributing at one of the following levels:

## HOST SPONSOR --\$1,000.00

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Closest To Pin Contest.....	\$500.00	Tee Box "Booth" Each Hole.....	\$250.00
Closest To Pin Contest.....	\$500.00	Greens "Signage" Each Hole.....	\$250.00

We are also excited about any donations of product your company may be willing to donate for door prizes as well as, items for our Silent Auction. Your sponsorships help to support and make possible programs and events provided by The Las Vegas Chapter of the American Institute of Architects (a not-for profit) organization), such as the AIA Scholarship program.

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# 2002 MEETINGS AND EVENTS

## 9th ANNUAL SPRING PUTTING TOURNAMENT

The AIA Spring Putting Tournament will be held on Friday, April 19th at Angel Park Golf Course. In previous years we have experienced "bad weather" (cold and windy), so this year in an effort to make it more comfortable for everyone, we will start the tournament at 3:30PM in the afternoon. Plan to arrive at 3PM to register. This is a sell out event every year so don't lose any time. Use the enclosed Putting Tournament Sign-up Sheet to reserve your team.

## 2002 GOLF & PUTTING SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE

Want to get in on a good thing? Yeah! Then you should secure your sponsorship for the 2002 AIA Golf & Putting Tournaments NOW.

**Spring & Fall Putting Tournaments** are always "sell-out" events and offer great sponsor exposure. Opportunities for both events are available for ...

- Host Sponsors @ \$750.00
- Tee & Event @ \$500.00
- Tee Sponsor @ \$250.00

Spring Tournament-- Friday, April 19th -3PM  
 Fall Tournament -- Friday, Sept. 6th- 6:30PM  
 Both at Angel Park Golf Course

**The 29th Annual AIA Golf Tournament** grows bigger and better every year. This year the tournament will be held at Spanish Trails on Monday, May 13th. Now is the time to secure your sponsorship.....

- Host Sponsors @ \$1,000.00
- Tee & Event @ \$750.00
- Tee Sponsors @ 250.00

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Hole In One Contest	500.00
Tee Box "Signage" Each Hole	250.00
Tee Box "Booth" Each Hole	250.00
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Contact this year's Chair -  
 Brandon Potts at 876-3474 to get in on a good thing.

## 3rd Annual AIA Las Vegas INTERN DESIGN COMPETITION

Due to the agenda of the January Membership meeting we were unable to release this year's design challenge and apologize for any inconvenience this might have caused.

This year's Intern Design Competition "design challenge" will be issued at a special meeting on Friday, February 8th at 6PM in the Auditorium at the UNLV School of Architecture. Competition packages will be available at this meeting, and at the AIA office anytime thereafter. The deadline for registration is March 8, 2002, and the submittal deadline is April 8, 2002 (both at the AIA office).

This year's competition will be unlike those of the past. It will require reflection, inspiration and out-of-the-box-thinking. Remember, this is an "IDEAS COMPETITION", so we want to see your creativity. The winner(s) will receive a \$1,500. cash prize to be used for travel.

The competition it is actually open to the whole architectural community. If you are a student in at least your 3rd year of Architecture school.... a graduate student...or an intern ... or if you work for an architect .... you can enter and participate.

Plan to attend the Intern Design Competition meeting on Friday, February 8th, and pick up your entry packet. Please direct any questions to:

Dwayne R. Eshenbaugh, Assoc. AIA  
 Intern Director  
 263-7111 or dwayneo@lgainc.com

## KLAI::JUBA LECTURE SERIES UNLV School of Architecture

Reed Kroloff, Editor in Chief of Architecture Magazine was the first guest speaker in the 2002 Klai::Juba Lecture Series, appearing on January 28th.

Throughout this semester the series will present ...

- Lewis, Tsurumak,i Lewis Architects, New York City on February 21st
- Laurie Olin, Landscape Architect, Philadelphia in April (TBD)
- Anderson + Anderson, Architecture & Construction Seattle on April 18th

Updates on the Klai::Juba Lecture Series will be provided as more information becomes available.



## COMMITTEE FOR LIVABLE COMMUNITIES (CLC)

Chuck Kubat, AIA  
Co-chair, CLC

The Committee will meet on the 3rd or 4th Tuesday of every month at 4:30 - 6:00PM, (a change from last year's 5:30-6:30PM). We are experimenting with this time in the hope it will allow broader participation. The meeting dates are:

February 26  
March 26  
April 16  
May 28  
June 18

The location is the UNLV School of Architecture Conference Room. Please mark your calendars.

The focus for this year is greater member participation and education about valley-wide development and livability issues. The first presentation/discussion will be March 26th with Dale Scheideman presenting the Clark County School District approach to school location and prototype design process.

## COMMITTEE ON THE ENVIRONMENT

The COTE (Committee on the Environment) will meet on the second Wednesday of each month, from 5:30 to 6:30PM at the Lucchesi Galati Architects office located at 500 Pilot Road, Suite A.

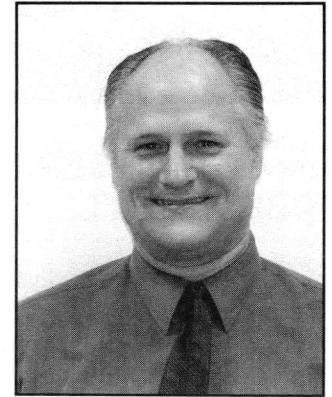
Starting in March the meeting dates are as follows:

March 13  
April 10  
May 8  
June 12  
July 10  
August 14  
September 11  
October 9  
November 13  
December 11

Please contact Lance Kirk by phone at 263-7111 or by email at [ljkkirk@lgainc.com](mailto:ljkkirk@lgainc.com) if you would like to join the COTE committee, have any questions or need additional information.

## UNLV REPORT

Bob Tracy, Assoc. AIA  
Interim Director  
UNLV School of Architecture



The faculty and students of the School of Architecture welcome the new year and the Spring 2002 semester. This new semester should be most interesting in a number of ways.

First, efforts are underway to expand the Sogg Architecture Building by building new spaces for studios, classrooms, offices, etc. We hope to be "turning or moving dirt" before mid April.

Second, the search for a new Director of the School of Architecture is well under way. Professor Attila Lawrence is chairing the search committee and we anticipate some top candidates to be invited to this campus for formal interviews by mid Spring.

And third (as if that wasn't enough!), the faculty and students are preparing for the arrival of the reaccreditation team in April as Architecture is due for its accreditation renewal this Spring semester.

Preliminary enrollment figures for the Spring 2002 semester indicate another increase in the number of students enrolling in the College of Fine Arts and the School of Architecture compared to last year's figures. We continue to experience the challenges associated with growth and look forward to meeting those challenges! The School continues to look to the professional community to help staff the many classes that need to be offered and we would like to thank those adjunct faculty and their offices for their generous help and continued support.

## NEW AIA CODES COMMITTEE

Currently all four entities (City of Las Vegas, City of North Las Vegas, City of Henderson and Clark County) have separate and different codes requirements which makes it very difficult for architects to accurately plan and design structures that meet the required codes. At the request of Jim Stroh, AIA, the AIA Las Vegas Board has established a new Codes Committee whose goal will be to publish a clear interpretation of the codes. Jim Stroh, AIA (past President of the Chapter) has volunteered to work toward that goal and to keep the Board and membership apprised of his progress. The committee will include input from the Clark County School District, as well as input and support from NAIOP, ULI, ACEC, AGC and other affiliated organizations. If you are interested in joining this committee or supporting this effort, please contact the AIA Las Vegas office at 895-0936.

**BRIEFS:**

**The Richardson Partnership, Inc.** is moving. The new address is 815 Pilot Road, Ste. B, Las Vegas Nevada 89119. Email and phone will remain the same.

**Phillip A. Whisenhunt, P.E., I.E.S.N.A** has been added to the **Harris Consulting Engineers** staff.

**Curt Carlson, AIA** is leaving **JMA Architecture Studios**. He has made the decision to pursue other personal and professional opportunities outside the firm. The number one item on the agenda is to take some time off and decompress a little bit. You may have noticed, he is a bit of a confirmed workaholic, and somewhere along the line, he realized he hasn't taken any time off in almost two years. Not to make anyone jealous, but, he has the opportunity to go back to Japan, Europe and is making last minute plans to go to the Olympics. He also has a desire to get to New York (for obvious reasons) and somewhere in all that, he's also planning some beach time.

Curt will not be out of JMA entirely. JMA has retained him as a consultant for a number of projects and they will continue to work together to provide a continuous workflow with the clients and their projects. He will still be in the JMA office for projects and can be reached at the office number. Congratulations and best wishes, Curt. Stay in touch.

**NEWS FROM THE NEVADA BOARD OF ARCHITECTURE**

**Three Board Members Reappointed**

The Nevada State Board of Architecture, Interior Design and Residential Design (NSBAIDRD) recently received notice from Governor Kenny Guinn's office that three Board members, Judith H. Fermoile, Susan Hobbes, AIA and Larry D. Tindall were all reappointed to another three-year term.

Fermoile, A Registered Interior Designer, is currently serving as the Board's Secretary/Treasurer. She was one of the first Registered Interior Designer members of the Board. She has over twenty years experience as an interior designer and is the founder and President of Fermoile Design Ltd. of Reno.

Hobbes, an Architect and a member of AIA was originally appointed to the NSBAIDRD in 1995 and served as its Secretary/Treasurer from 1998 to 2000. Hobbes resides in Las Vegas and has been a registered Architect in Nevada for 16 years. She is currently the Director of Planning and Construction for the University of Nevada Las Vegas.

Tindall, a Residential Designer, has been a member of the NSBAIDRD since 1997. He has been a registered Residential Designer for 15 years and resides in Las Vegas. He is the owner of his own firm, Larry Tindall, Residential Designer.

Other members of the nine-member Board currently include: Greg L. Erny, AIA, Chairman (Architect); George Garlock, AIA (Architect); John R. Klaii II, AIA (Architect), JoAnn Oppenheimer Gore (Public Member); Darrell Parker (Registered Interior Designer) and Gail Richie (Architect).

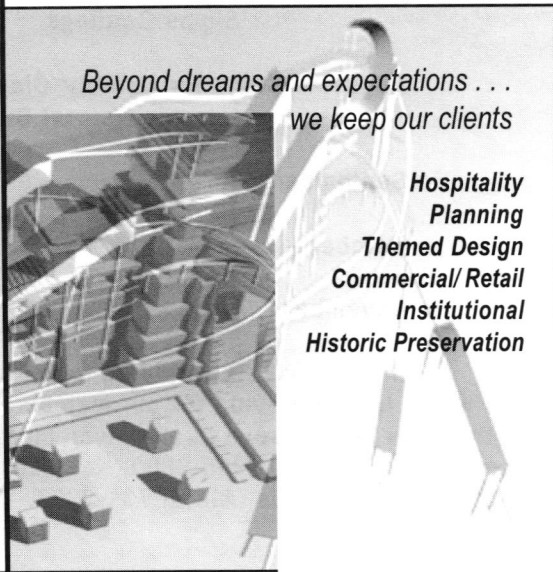
**Three New Registrants**

The Nevada State Board of Architecture, Interior Design and Residential Design (NSBAIDRD) swore in three new architects at its January Board Meeting.

The new architects are: Kenneth R. Bartlett (Sparks, NV), Marlene M. Siska, AIA (Henderson, NV) and Timothy A. Tremaine (Las Vegas, NV).

Individuals wishing to practice architecture, residential design or as registered interior designers in Nevada are required to become registered with the NSBAIDRD. All registrants must meet qualifications set by the state, including experience and education requirements, as well as pass a professional competency exam.

The mission of the Nevada State Board of Architecture, Interior Design and Residential Design is to safeguard life, health and property, and to promote the public welfare by improving the quality of human environmental design. The NSBAIDRD will empower and ensure that architects, registered interior designers and residential designers provide the highest quality of professional services.

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## CONTINUING EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

### THE MOLD MENACE

C.E. Luncheon Seminar  
Tuesday, February 5th  
3 AIA CE Credits & 3 HSW Hours  
12:00 Noon to 3:30PM - The Orleans Hotel  
\$125.00 - AIA Members  
\$150.00 - Non-Members

The Mold Menace...It's coming -- How to prepare, protect and respond when your firm is attacked? Mold to plaintiff's attorney's is the next asbestos and construction defect bonanza. It will affect and threaten your firm.

David Ericksen, San Francisco attorney, in a three hour interactive workshop, will share strategies to prepare and protect yourself for the onslaught through your design, contracts and construction administration.

**Don't Miss This One!**

### AIA LV CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAMS - How do we do it?

The Las Vegas Chapter of the AIA plans to hold monthly Continuing Education luncheons this year. Where else can you (Allied Member, vendor, manufacturer, service provider, consultant...) have the undivided attention of from 30-50 architects for an hour for the cost of lunch? Architects need their AIA C.E. Credits...they appreciate you providing the opportunity to get them...and the lunch...and you have the best value for your dollar.

Here's how it works: Your company sponsors a lunch at the establishment of your choice, and you provide a Continuing Education program approved by the AIA on your product, procedure or service. (This presentation MUST be truly educational in that those who attend must learn something of value to the practice of architecture.) The AIA Las Vegas office will register your program for AIA C.E. Credit and will promote your lunch program to the membership. We accept the RSVP's and advise you of how many will attend.

The average cost of those who provided programs last year was between \$300 and \$500 depending on the location and the menu.

If you would like to arrange a C.E. Luncheon contact Pat Deputy, Frazee Paint - 591-2631 or Larry Staples, JMA Architecture Studios - 731-2033.

Some requested subjects are Green Specs, Fire Protection, Lighting, Cultured Stone, Roofing, Metal Detail, Solar Energy, Exterior Cladding.

### 2002 C.E. LUNCHEONS

The following is a list of the C.E. Luncheons that have already been scheduled for 2002. Each will be held on the 4th Thursday of each month, unless otherwise noted. Location and time will be announced each month on this page of your FORUM. Watch for details.

Architects can receive all the AIA C.E. credits necessary to maintain their membership by attending these luncheons and our AIA functions.

February 5 - The Mold Menace  
American Insurance & Investment

March 14th - "Fabrication Shop Tour"  
Intertile Natural Stone Surfaces

April - "Fire Protection"  
Schirmer Engineering

May - "Health, Safety & Welfare"  
Swisher & Hall, AIA, Ltd.

June - "Structural/Commercial  
Developments"  
G.C. Wallace

July - "High-Tech Performance Coatings"  
Sigma Coatings

August - "Stone for Exterior Cladding"  
Intertile Natural Stone Surfaces

September - Burke & Associates  
"Topic TBA"

October - Open

November - Open

If you have a Continuing Education program you would like to provide for our members in addition to the ones listed above in any given month, please contact Pat Deputy at 895-9800, Kelly Lavigne at 895-0936 or Larry Staples, AIA at 731-2033.



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# CALENDAR

FEBRUARY

- 5 CE Seminar - The Mold Menace!  
\$150.00 - Lunch included
- 12 AIA Las Vegas Board Meeting  
11:30A - UNLV School of Architecture
- 13 Lora Peluso's Birthday Celebration  
6PM - Los Prados Clubhouse
- 20 AIA Membership Meeting  
6P - "Shingin Brow" Frank Lloyd Wright Opera  
Reception - Judy Bailey Lobby / Performance - Ham Hall  
Must have ticket from AIA office to attend.
- 21 AIA Nevada Ex Com Meeting  
11:30A - UNLV School of Architecture
- Feb 27 - Mar. 3 GRASSROOTS LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE  
Washington, DC

MARCH

- 12 AIA Las Vegas Board Meeting  
11:30A - School of Architecture
- 20 AIA Membership Meeting  
6PM - "Sustainability" - The Weidt Group  
Location TBD
- 21 AIA Nevada Ex Com Meeting  
11:30A - School of Architecture

APRIL

- 9 AIA Las Vegas Board Meeting  
11:30A UNLV School of Architecture
- 13 AIA Membership Meeting  
6PM AIA National Design Conference Reception  
Lied Discovery Museum - Las Vegas Boulevard
- 18 AIA Nevada Ex Com Meeting  
11:30A - UNLV School of Architecture
- 19 AIA Spring Putting Tournament  
3:30PM Angel Park Golf Course
- 24 AIA High School Design Awards  
5:00PM UNLV School of Architecture

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