

Dated November 10, 1944.
Received December 18, 1944.
Granted February 14 19 45

MEMBERSHIP NO 3042

*In due order
January 3, 1945
F.H. Reimers*

THE AMERICAN
INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
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WASHINGTON, D. C.



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

RECORD OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INSTITUTE

- A Name of applicant... Harry Alexander Bruno..... Chapter Northern California
- B Address of applicant... 4875 Harbord Drive, Oakland, California.....
- C Applicant proposed by... Frederick H. Reimers..... and..... Vincent G. Raney.....
- D Application received with check for \$ 10.00..... on..... December 18 1944.
- E Application returned for correction... (Incomplete second sheet - returned to be filled in)..... 19 .
- F Application in due order on..(application returned)..... January 3, 1945.
- Record of registration, Form S39, Sent (Calif.) Dec. 20, 1944. Received. January 9, 19 45.
- G Notices sent to chapter executive committee:
 - (a) Form S11, reasonable time ending on.. January 20, 19 45, on December 20 1944.
 - (b) Form S12, 30 day extension ending on..... 19...., on 19 .
- H Acknowledgments to applicant, proposers, and chapter on..... 19 .
- I Certified resolution of chapter executive committee recommending admission ~~in that application be denied~~ received on..... December 26, 19 44.
- J No report from chapter executive committee on..... 19 .
- K Application sent to The Board of Examiners on..... February 6, 1945.
- L The Board of Examiners reported on application on..... February 6, 1945.
- M Applicant was admitted on..... February 14, 1945.
- N Notice and certificate to applicant and notice of assignment to chapter and letter to proposers on..... February 14, 1945.
- O Notice of denial of application to chapter and applicant and \$..... returned to applicant on..... 19 .

CERTIFICATION OF ELECTION AND ASSIGNMENT

I, Secretary of The American Institute of Architects, hereby certify that, under authority vested in me by The Board of Directors, I have this day duly elected

Harry Alexander Bruno
to membership in The Institute, and hereby declare him to be a corporate member of The Institute and assign him to membership in the Northern California Chapter.

Date February 14, 19 45

Alexander C. Pollock
Secretary

THE AMERICAN
INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

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WASHINGTON, D.C.

File this original with The Secretary of
The American Institute of Architects.File the duplicate, on gray paper, with
the secretary of the local chapter of The
Institute.

The American Institute of Architects

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

I, the undersigned, do hereby apply for corporate membership in The American Institute of Architects.

1. My full name is **HARRY ALEXANDER BRUNO**

2. State whether a
natural or a nat-
uralized citizen.

2. I am a **NATURAL** citizen of **U. S. A.**

3. My legal residence is in the City of **OAKLAND**

County of **ALAMEDA** State of **CALIFORNIA**

4. State whether
residence or office
address.

4. My address in The Institute records will be

Number **4875** Street **HARBORD DR** [HOME]

City **OAKLAND** State **CALIF.**

5. State whether
as a practicing
architect, a teach-
er, a public offi-
cial, etc.

5. I am engaged in the profession of architecture as **HEAD OF ENGINEERING & DESIGN
DEPT**

6. I desire to be a member of the **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA** Chapter.

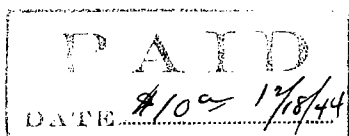
7. I declare that I have read the by-laws and the Principles of Professional Practice of The American Institute of Architects, and that I understand the duties, responsibilities and obligations thereunder of a member of The Institute, and I do hereby agree and declare that, if admitted to membership, I will to the best of my ability abide by and comply with such by-laws and Principles of Professional Practice.

8. I have filed the duplicate of this application with the secretary of the chapter above named. I am not indebted to The Institute or to any of its chapters or state association members.

9. I enclose my check for \$ **10.00**, for admission fee and the first year's annual dues. It is my understanding that if for any reason I am not admitted to membership all of said amount will be returned to me, except five dollars which The Institute will retain as an examination fee.

Date **NOV 10 1944.**

Harry Alexander Bruno
Applicant sign full name in ink



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STATISTICS

10. Date of birth **AUG 10 1908** Place of birth **KNOXVILLE, TENN.**

11. I am registered or licensed to practice architecture in the following named states:

(State or States) *By Examination*

(State or States) *By Exemption*

CALIFORNIA - C-296

(a) I hold a Certificate No. of the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards.

EDUCATION

12. I attended the following named schools (high school, private school, college or university); have held the following named scholarships; have travelled in the following named countries:

KERN COUNTY UNION HIGH SCHOOL
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA
C.I.F. SCHOLARSHIP
LEVI STRAUSS "

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

13. I list below, in chronological order, the periods of my training as draftsman, the names and addresses of my principal employers, and my classification as draftsman while employed by each:

C.C. CULLIMORE - BAKERSFIELD - 1927-1928 DRAFTSMAN
F.L. CONFER - BERKELEY - 1933-36 HD.

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

14. I list below, in chronological order, the periods during which and the states in which I have practiced architecture as an individual or as a member of a firm or corporation or as a public official or have taught architecture or the arts and sciences allied therewith. (State names of firms or corporations or public office and of schools or colleges).

INDIVIDUAL PRACTICE 1936 TO 1942
TAUGHT "HOME BUILDING" OAKLAND PUBLIC
SCHOOL ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAM 1941
NOW HEAD OF ENGINEERING DESIGN DEPARTMENT
FOR THE UNION OIL COMPANY AT OLEUM, CALIF.
LIMITED ARCHITECTURAL PRACTICE AT PRESENT

PRESENT OR PREVIOUS MEMBERSHIPS IN ARCHITECTURAL ORGANIZATIONS

- 15. Member of Institute from _____ to _____
- 16. Junior of Institute from _____ to _____
- 17. Associate of _____ Chapter from _____ to _____
- 18. Junior Associate of _____ Chapter from _____ to _____
- 19. Member of State Association in _____ from _____ to _____

ENDORSEMENT BY PROPOSERS

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I have read the statements made herein above by the applicant and believe them to be correct. I vouch for his honorable standing in this community and in his profession. I believe he is fully qualified for membership and I propose him therefor.

I have known the applicant for 3 years.
Frederick Beimers
Signed *Frederick Beimers*

I have known the applicant for 5 years.
Vincent G. Barney
Signed *Vincent G. Barney*

*223 Ober St
Berkeley Calif*
Proposer

Same
Proposer

Note: The two proposers must be corporate members of The Institute in good standing.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

AP No
3042

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.
Office of The Secretary

RECORD OF REGISTRATION
OF

Harry Alexander Bruno, Oakland, California
(Name of Applicant)

SECRETARY,
BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINERS,
San Francisco, California
Address

Dear Sir:

The above named applicant for membership in The American Institute of Architects is an architect practicing in your state.

To qualify for such membership, an applicant, if resident in a state having registration or licensing laws for architects, must be registered or licensed by the state to practice architecture therein.

Will you please answer the following questions relating to the applicant's registration, to assist The Institute in determining his eligibility for membership? A duplicate of the form is enclosed for your files.

Date December 21, 19 44
Alexander C. Robinson, Jr.
Secretary

1. Is the applicant registered or licensed to practice architecture in your state? YES
2. Was his registration or licensing by examination? YES or by exemption?
3. What was the scope of the examination? Written and oral examination
4. What was the period of the examination? 4 days. Written examination 32 hours; Oral examination one hours.
5. When examined, did applicant have a certificate from the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards? If so, give Certificate No.
6. Date of last registration January 19 44 Registration No. C- 296 Is it current? Yes

Jeanette Tolsherry
(Signature of Secretary of Board)

Date Jan 4, 19 45

California State Board of Architectural Examiners.
(Name of Board)

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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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February 14, 1945

Dear Mr. Bruno:

The Secretary is happy to inform you that your application for membership in The Institute was acted on favorably by The Board of Directors and that you were admitted to corporate membership in The Institute and assigned to membership in the Northern California Chapter, effective February 14, 1945. You will be a member of that Chapter, or of some other chapter if you later transfer thereto, until your membership in The Institute terminates.

Your certificate of membership, duly executed by the Officers of The Institute, will be sent in due course.

The Board of Directors welcomes you to membership in The Institute and The Secretary's office is at your service to the extent of its powers.

The policies and the activities of The Institute are developed largely from problems arising within the chapters. By taking an active part in your Chapter affairs you will contribute to the advancement of the objects of The Institute and will increase the benefits to be derived from Institute membership.

We bespeak your active cooperation.

Yours sincerely,

Secretary

Mr. Harry Alexander Bruno, A.I.A.
4875 Harbord Drive
Oakland, California

ACR:dd

cc to: Director, Sierra Nevada District, A.I.A.

Proposer: Mr. Frederick H. Reimers

Mr. Vincent G. Raney

COPY TO

FILE

PRESIDENT

SECRETARY

REASSEMBLER

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

COPY

September 18, 1947

Dear Mr. Bruno:

In accordance with the action of The Board of Directors of The American Institute of Architects in issuing a Charter to the East Bay Chapter of The Institute, this will advise that you have been formally transferred, as a Charter Member, to the East Bay Chapter from the Northern California Chapter, effective August 1, 1947 - the date of the Charter.

Both Chapters have been so advised.

Sincerely yours,

Alexander C. Robinson III
Secretary

Mr. Harry A. Bruno, A.I.A.
4875 Harbord Drive
Oakland, California

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NOMINATION

1. HARRY A. BRUNO, of the East Bay Chapter A.I.A.,
(name of nominee) (chapter assignment)
and corporate member of the AIA since 1945,
(date of election)

is nominated for fellowship for his notable contribution to the advancement of the profession of architecture. The nomination is made by:

(check and sign either 1a. or 1b.)

1a. Vote of governing Board
of East Bay Chapter A.I.A.
(name of component organization) H. Ashijan
[Signature] Secretary
(signature and title of Chapter President or Secretary)

1b. Individual corporate members and/or fellows as follows:
(written signature) (typed signature and chapter)

2. The nominators designate the following member to be the sponsor of this nomination:

Name Lee Stuart Darrow, A.I.A.
Address 3798 Grand Avenue, Oakland, California
Telephone Number (415) 444-4008

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DIGEST OF THE CAREER AND ACHIEVEMENTS OF

HARRY A. BRUNO

OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA 94607

Design

Nominee's projects cover a wide range: schools residences, restaurants, marinas, office buildings. His design is free from passing fads while at the same time it is as new as tomorrow. Nominee received from A.I.A. in 1969 "Citation for Excellence in Community Architecture" in the design of the individual buildings and the over-all planning at Jack London Square.

Service to Profession

Past President of East Bay Chapter A.I.A.
Past Vice President of East Bay Chapter A.I.A.
Member of local and State committees.
At present, Chapter Delegate to California Council, A.I.A.

Public Service

President, Oakland Chamber of Commerce
Commissioner, Bay Conservation & Development Commission
Vice Chairman, Board of Examiners & Appeals, Oakland Building Department
Past Chairman, Construction Industries Committee
Member, Oakland Economic Development Council
Past member, Board of Governors, Oakland Cultural Foundation
Past President, North Oakland Kiwanis Club
Member of many community betterment committees

REFERENCES

1. Ronald Reagan
Governor of California
State Capitol, Sacramento
Appointed nominee to
Bay Conservation and
Development Commission
2. John Reading
Mayor of Oakland
City Hall, Oakland, California
Appointed nominee to
several committees
3. Mel Lane
Menlo Park, California
Chairman, Bay Conservation
and Development Commission
4. Don Hardison, F.A.I.A.
522 Washington Street
San Francisco, California
Served together on
California Council
5. Vernon De Mars, F.A.I.A.
2161 Shattuck Avenue
Oakland, California
Attended University of
California together
6. Henry Wright, F.A.I.A.
1125 w 6th Street
Los Angeles, California
Served together on
California Council
7. Fred Guirey, F.A.I.A.
38 North Central Avenue
Phoenix, Arizona
Attended University of
California, Berkeley
together
8. Silvio Barovetto, A.I.A.
718 Alhambra Boulevard
Sacramento, California
Attended University of
California, Berkeley
together
9. C. J. Paderewski, F.A.I.A.
525 C Street
San Diego, California
Attended University of
California, Berkeley
together
10. Malcolm Reynolds, F.A.I.A.
3833 Piedmont Avenue
Oakland, California
Served together on
East Bay Chapter

EXHIBITS (PHOTOGRAPHIC)

<u>Project</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Year of Completion</u>
1. Diablo Valley College Student Union Building	Concord, California	1956
2. Grotto Restaurant	Oakland, California	1965
3. Summer Home	Clear Lake, California	1961
4. McDonnell Nursery	Walnut Creek, California	1954
5. McDonnell Nursery	Walnut Creek, California	1954
6. McLeod Residence	Piedmont, California	1949
7. Seawolf Restaurant	Oakland, California	1952
8. Seawolf Restaurant	Oakland, California	1952
9. Ranch House	Mendocino County, Calif.	1953
10. Convention & Banquet Bldg.	Oakland, California	1955
11. Convention & Banquet Bldg.	Oakland, California	1955
12. Trans International Airlines Building	Oakland, California	1968
13. The Boatel	Oakland, California	1964
14. The Boatel	Oakland, California	1964
15. Twilight View of JACK LONDON SQUARE (Seawolf Restaurant on left, The Boatel on right)	Oakland, California	

DECLARATION OF AUTHORSHIP

The following certification must be signed by anyone in possession of full knowledge concerning EACH separate project illustrated in the photographs. This might be the Chapter President, a member of the Executive Committee of the Chapter, a partner of the nominee, or even the nominee himself. In partnership the signature of another partner would be most significant. If the various examples were developed under different conditions respecting authorship, the various statements below should be keyed to the proper exhibits.

The accompanying photographs show examples of work with which the nominee's connection was as follows:

- The nominee was solely responsible for the design.
- The nominee was largely responsible for the design.
- The design was under the direction of the nominee.
- The nominee's firm executed the design.

(If the above statements do not depict adequately the nominee's participation in any of the projects illustrated in the photographs, add your own brief statement of authorship as follows.)

Signed Harry A. Bruno Title Principal

Name of Nominee HARRY A. BRUNO



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

February 22, 1972

Mr. Harry Alexander Bruno, FAIA
77 Jack London Square
Oakland, California 95607

Dear Mr. Bruno:

The Jury of Fellows has asked me to inform you of its great pleasure in elevating you to fellowship for your notable contribution to the advancement of the profession of architecture. With this action, you will be admitted as a member of the College of Fellows.

Those who have been elevated to fellowship will receive their medals, with appropriate ceremony, at the Investiture of Fellows to be held on May 8, 1972, at 6:00 P.M. in Houston, Texas. This event will be followed by the Annual Convocation of Fellows and further details will be sent at a later date.

The Officers of the Institute and the Jury of Fellows join with me in the hope that you will come to receive this honor in person. Please send your reply to the Institute at your early convenience.

Permit me to add my personal congratulations and good wishes.

Sincerely yours,

Preston M. Bolton, FAIA

Enclosures

cc: Lee Stuart Darrow, AIA, Sponsor

HARRY A
BRUNO
A I A

~~77 JACK LONDON SQUARE OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA 94607 441-8700~~

ARCHITECT

1.9.76

A. I. A.
1735 NEW YORK AVE
WASHINGTON DC

GENTLEMEN:

ON MAY 1 1975 I CLOSED MY
OFFICE AND RETIRED I HAVE APPLIED
AT THE EAST BAY CHAPTER OFFICE
FOR EMERITUS STATUS.

SINCERELY

Harry A. Bruno

4875 HARBOR DR
OAKLAND CA 94618

JAN 14 1976

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January 15, 1976

**Mr. Harry A. Bruno, FAIA
4875 Harbord Drive
Oakland, CA 94618**

Dear Mr. Bruno:

We have your letter of January 9 and are enclosing an application for Membership Emeritus.

As you probably know, such status would enable you to remain in the AIA and your chapter with full rights and privileges, while being relieved of further dues payments.

Please complete the form and return it to this office and we will be glad to see that it is given proper consideration.

Sincerely yours,

**Maureen Marx, Director
Membership Procedures**

**MM:hrs
Enclosure**

cc: Ms. Stickney, East Bay Chapter, AIA

Blind note to chapter: Please advise us of Mr. Bruno's standing and whether you approve of him being elected a Member Emeritus.

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East Bay Chapter of
The American Institute of Architects
[REDACTED] Street 315 - 14th Street
Oakland, California 94612
(415) 893-6834

January 21, 1976

Ms. Maureen Marx, Director
Membership Procedures
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20006

Dear Ms. Marx:

Mr. Harry Bruno was a charter member of the East Bay Chapter, AIA and has been in good standing since 1945. He has attained the age of 60 and is no longer in practice.

The Board of Directors of the East Bay Chapter, AIA therefore give their unanimous approval of the election of Harry Bruno to Member Emeritus.

Yours truly,



Sandra M. Stickney
Executive Director

JAN 28 1976

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YOUR

March 23, 1976

Mr. Harry A. Bruno, FAIA
4875 Harbord Drive
Oakland, CA 94618

Dear Mr. Bruno:

We have received a letter from the East Bay Chapter approving your election to Membership Emeritus. However, you did not return the application which we mailed to you on February 25. We are enclosing another.

Please complete the form and return it to this office and it will receive prompt attention.

Sincerely yours,

Maureen Marx, Director
Membership Procedures

MM:Mrs
Enclosure

cc: Ms. Stickney, East Bay Chapter, AIA

June 8, 1976

Mr. Harry A. Bruno, FAIA, Member Emeritus
4875 Harbord Drive
Oakland, CA 94618

Dear Mr. Bruno:

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I have the pleasure of informing you that you have been elected a Member Emeritus of the Institute.

The Board joins with me in expressing my great appreciation for your many years of support of the work and projects undertaken by the Institute towards creating better architecture and a better environment.

I hope your interest in the Institute and your chapter will continue, even though you now are relieved of all dues payments.

With best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

Hilliard T. Smith, Jr., FAIA

cc: East Bay Chapter, AIA
California Council, AIA