

Nominee Information for Gebhart, Michael

Nominee Information

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Middle Name / Initial Francis

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***Nominee's assigned AIA Chapter** Boston Society of Architects

***Date nominee became AIA member** 1971

***Nominee Membership #**

***Are you a 1st, 2nd or 3rd year candidate for nomination?** 1

Please list in chronological order. Secondary education first, most recent education last.

Please list the Name and Location of the educational institution, the Number of Years attended and the Degree received.

***Nominee's Education** So.St.Paul,MN High School, 2 Yrs; Breck School,Minneapolis,MN (HS Diploma)2 Yrs; U of Colorado, 3 Yrs; University of Minnesota, 2 Yrs(Bachelor Architecture); Massachusetts Institute of Technology,Cambridge, Massachusetts, 1 Yr (Masters of Architecture)

State(s) or territory(ies) where nominee is licensed to practice architecture.

***Practice** Licensed Architect, Massachusetts
NCARB Certified

Nominee Information for Gebhart, Michael

Example: Firm owner, designer, educator, government architect, etc.

***Nominee is engaged in the profession of architecture as:** Architect, Firm Owner, International Architectural Design & Planning Consultant

Please list in chronological order starting with most recent.

Please list the Firm and Number of Years.

***Work History** 1990-President Michael Francis Gebhart Architect, AIA
International Design & Planning Consultant Cambridge, MA, 18 Yrs
1970-1990 Vice President The Architects Collaborative Inc. (TAC)
Project Architect Design Cambridge, MA, 20 Yrs
1969-1970 Project Architect Sasaki Dawson Demay Watertown,
MA, 1 Yr
1966-1969 Project Architect Hugh Stubbins and Associates
Cambridge, MA, 3 Yrs
1965-1966 Project Designer The Office of Eduardo Catalano
Cambridge, MA, 1 Yr
1960-1965 Project Designer Ralph Rapson and Associates
Minneapolis, MN, 5 Yrs

Sponsor

***Sponsor Name** Perry King Neubauer FAIA,
Sponsor Firm Name Perry King Neubauer FAIA, Architect
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Sponsor State MA
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***Sponsor Membership #**

Fellowship Nominee Information

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***Nominee Name** Michael Francis Gebhart

Category of Nomination

Pick only one from the following five objectives of nomination.

You can edit your submission up to the deadline date of October 17, 2008 at midnight Eastern Standard Time.

Nominee Information for Gebhart, Michael

1. To promote the aesthetic, scientific, and practical efficiency of the profession

1. Promote design

2. To advance the science and art of planning and building by advancing the standards of architectural education, training and practice

2. Advance

3. To coordinate the building industry and the profession of architecture

3. Coordinate

4. To ensure the advancement of the living standards of people through their environment

4. Ensure

5. To make the profession of ever-increasing service to society

5. Service

Section 1: Summary

Describe how the nominee's work may be considered notable and how it has advanced the profession of architecture.

***Summary Statement** Recognized by peers as one of the most gifted designers currently practicing architecture, Michael Gebhart has produced a distinguished, influential body of international work. As a mentor, collaborator, and visualizer, he is the paradigm designer-architect.



06 October 2008

Chair, Jury of Fellows
Walter Schamu, FAIA
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20006-5292

SUBJECT **Sponsor letter for Michael Francis Gebhart**

Dear Mr. Schamu and Fellow Jury Members:

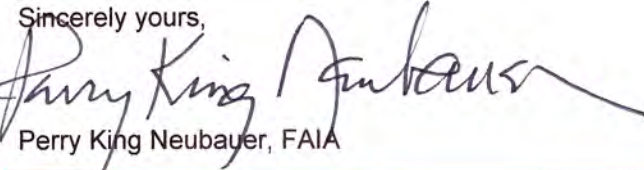
It is my great privilege to nominate Michael Francis Gebhart for the AIA College of Fellows. In my 40-plus years of practice, Michael is the best designer I have known. He has amassed a diverse body of work in the US and overseas of the highest design quality. The many competitions he has won speak for themselves, beginning with the Johns Manville project in Colorado and most recently the competitions in Kuwait.

I have known Michael Gebhart since the early 1970s when he joined The Architects Collaborative. He quickly gained a reputation as a genius in developing insightful solutions while his delineation techniques made his projects irresistible to clients! Add in his humility and willingness to mentor younger architects, and you have a truly extraordinary architect. Within a collaborative practice, Michael Gebhart became a "star" because his buildings are among the best the firm ever produced. In fact, Michael's design work became the signature image for TAC.

Michael and I worked together on a number of projects including the following. The award-winning National Library in Abu Dhabi had small window openings, deep arcades, and lushly planted courtyards, creating a 20th century version of vernacular architecture in a hot, dry climate. At Florida International University in Miami, Michael envisioned a master plan that doubled the size of the campus; later he designed one of FIU's award-winning premier buildings. In Tallahassee, Michael molded the program for the Florida Department of Education building into a tower of exquisite proportions, turning it on a 45-degree angle to face the state capitol building.

Since leaving TAC in 1990, Michael has capitalized on his abilities by creating a career as an independent design consultant, working on both domestic and foreign projects. He has added the computer to his repertoire of skills – a rare accomplishment for someone who has practiced for 40-plus years and continues to draw by hand and visualize extremely well. We have remained in close touch and I have seen his architecture mature over the years. As a Modernist, his projects in this country and overseas have had a profound influence on our profession.

In short, Michael Gebhart is an Architectural Treasure. He enriches the lives of all who have known him. It has been an honor to have worked alongside him. I commend him to you for this long-overdue honor of induction into the College of Fellows.

Sincerely yours,

Perry King Neubauer, FAIA

Summary Statement

Recognized by peers as one of the most gifted designers currently practicing architecture, Michael Gebhart has produced a distinguished, influential body of international work. As a mentor, collaborator, and visualizer, he is the paradigm designer-architect. The primary elements that constitute Michael Francis Gebhart's work are:

- **Major design competitions**
- **Academic and office building design**
- **International work**
- **Master planning**
- **Mentoring, teaching, and communicating**
- **Visualization**

Winning major design competitions demonstrates Mr. Gebhart's leadership in the profession. He was the lead designer in four successful competitions while at TAC: Johns Manville World Headquarters in Colorado; Noble Research Center, Oklahoma State University; Stillwater; Public Authority for Civil Identification Headquarters; Kuwait; and Harvard University Athletics Complex in Boston. In association with Gulf Consult Architects/Engineers, he recently won competitions for Kuwait Equate Petrochemical Company Headquarters, Kuwait National Petroleum Company Office Building, and Kuwait Oil Company Office Complex.

Academic and office buildings are a major focus of Mr. Gebhart's practice. He has designed administration buildings, classrooms, laboratories, auditorium, theatres, student unions, and athletic facilities for many institutions. The 255,000 SF Noble Research Center is a major achievement integrating a high-tech facility into existing Georgian-style architecture, unifying five main departments of the Agricultural College. This building, was at the forefront of current sustainable and renewable energy design, uses state-of-the-art energy conservation systems and creates 3 floor levels of spaces for student/faculty interaction. At Virginia Tech's Gothic-style campus, clad in "Hokie Stone," his design of the Pamplin Business School Addition created energy-efficient, interactive, solar atria. He designed the Squires Student Center around two previous additions, exposing a beautiful façade from the original building on one side of the atrium.

Office buildings form a large bloc of Mr. Gebhart's portfolio, which includes Johns Manville World Headquarters, the Summit at Westchester, NY, and the Summit, Reston, VA. The master plan for Johnson Wax Headquarters in Racine, WI, links a proposed 200,000 SF office facility to the Frank Lloyd Wright Tower. At AT&T Bell Labs' one million SF campus in Freehold, NJ, Mr. Gebhart designed a corporate research/development center, encouraging interaction among staff and scientists. The Department of Education tower in Tallahassee was an important addition to the TAC-designed Master Plan for the Florida State Capitol.

International work shows Mr. Gebhart's ability to design buildings in different climates and cultures. The National Library and Cultural Center in Abu Dhabi uses small window openings and arcades surrounding landscape courtyards to emulate traditional climate-sensitive architecture. The Khulafa Street Redevelopment in Baghdad and major projects in Kuwait, including the Gulf Investment Corporation Headquarters, Public Authority for Civil Information, Public Authority of Applied Education & Training Master Plan (PAAET), College of Technology, Stadium and Sports Complex, and the University of Kuwait College of Arts and Social and Political Science, established a contemporary architectural style that reinterprets basic Islamic principles into modern expression, using state-of-the-art technologies.

Master planning demonstrates Mr. Gebhart's ability to work at a large scale. The Harvard Athletic Facilities project unified the existing stadium and field house with new program requirements of pool, hockey rink, tennis/squash courts, and track/field structure. At PAAET and Florida International, he dealt with diverse programs for academic, cultural, and athletic facilities. Other major master planning efforts included Kuwait College of Engineering, Hampshire College, Noble Research Center, Johnson Wax, Johns Manville, and the ATT/Bell Labs.

Teaching at architectural schools and informal mentoring has allowed Mr. Gebhart to inspire a new generation of architects with accumulated knowledge from his academic and professional experiences with Ralph Rapson, Hugh Stubbins, Pietro Belluschi, I.M. Pei, Eduardo Catalano, Hideo Sasaki, and Walter Gropius' legacy at The Architects Collaborative (TAC). He served on TAC Design Review Committees and was a Visiting Design Critic at Harvard's Graduate School of Design and California Institute of Technology-Pomona. The process of designing single-family homes also enabled him to energize his clients and communicate architectural design and thinking.

Mr. Gebhart's **visualization** abilities, in both sketches and renderings—hand-drawn and computer-generated—have conveyed and communicated his design intent to his team and clients, as well as to the architects mentioned above and people all over the world.

Selected Major Competitions

The Prophecy Al Hadeeth Al Shareef Center

Mishref Area, Kuwait
The Associated Engineering Partnership
MFG was Design Consultant
Invited Design Competition Entry 2007



Kangwon Hotel Resort & Resort
The Stubbins Associates/Aum & Lee
MFG was Design Consultant
Invited Design Competition Entry 1999

**Kuwait Gulf Oil Co. Headquarters**

Ahmadi, Kuwait
Gulf Consult Architects/Engineers
MFG was Design Consultant
Invited Design Competition Entry 2007



Public Institute for Social Security
Kuwait City, Kuwait
Pan Arab Consulting Engineers
MFG was Design Consultant
Invited Competition Entry 1996

**Equate World Headquarters Offices**

Ahmadi, Kuwait
Gulf Consult Architects/Engineers
Construction Start 2009
MFG was Design Consultant
Invited Competition Winner 2006



Public Authority for Civil Information
South Surra, Kuwait
TAC/Pan Arab Consulting Engineers
Completed in 1992
Invited Competition Winner 1986

**Kuwait National Petroleum Co. Office**

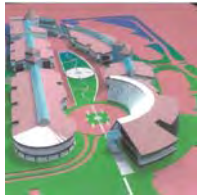
Ahmadi, Kuwait
Gulf Consult Architects/Engineers
MFG was Design Consultant
Invited Competition Winner 2004



**Oklahoma State University
Noble Research Center**
Stillwater, Oklahoma
TAC/Frankfort Short Bruza
Completed 1989
Invited Competition Winner 1983

**Kuwait Oil Company Headquarters**

Ahmadi, Kuwait
Gulf Consult Architects/Engineers
Construction Completion in 2009
MFG was Design Consultant
Invited Competition Winner 2004



**Harvard University Athletic Complex
Blodgett Pool**
TAC/Turner Construction Company
Completed 1978
Invited Competition Winner 1975

**Government Office Complex**

Abu-Dhabi
Pan Arab Consulting Engineers
MFG was Design Consultant
Invited Competition Winner 1997



Johns-Manville World Headquarters
Denver, Colorado
The Architects Collaborative
Completed 1976
*Invited Competition Winner 1973
AIA Honor Award 1979*



Selected Office Buildings

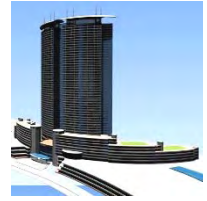
Government Ministry Building

Kuwait City, Kuwait
Gulf Consult Architects/Engineers
MFG Was Design Consultant
In Process 2008



Great Mall of Dubai

Dubai, UAE
Mixed Use
Carter/Burgess/Jacobs
MFG Was Design Consultant
Feasibility Study 2008



The Summit at Reston

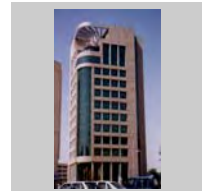
Reston, Virginia
TAC/Barry Rio Associates
Completed in 1994

National Association of Industrial Office Parks No. Virginia Chapter Award of Merit



Gulf Investment Corp. Headquarters

Sharq, Kuwait
Pan Arab Consulting Engineers
MFG Was Design Consultant
Completed in 2000



The Summit at Westchester

Valhalla, New York
TAC/Cappelli/Enterprises
Completed in 1996

1993 Northeast Building of the Year, BOMA Westchester Chapter



Awadi Commercial Complex

Sharq Area, Kuwait
Pan Arab Consulting Engineers
MFG Was Design Consultant
Feasibility Study 1997



Union Mutual Insurance Home Office

Portland, Maine
Hugh Stubbins Associates
Completed in 1973



801 Figueroa Office Building

Los Angeles, California
TAC
Completed 1988
Golden Nuggets Award



Public Authority for Civil Information

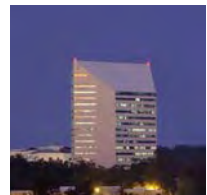
South Surra, Kuwait
TAC/Pan Arab Consulting Engineers
Completed in 1992

Invited Competition Winner 1986



Department of Education

Tallahassee, Florida
TAC/Jim Roberson Associates
Completed in 1987



Johns-Manville World Headquarters

Denver, Colorado
The Architects Collaborative (TAC)
Completed in 1976

*Invited Competition Winner 1973
AIA Honor Award 1979*



U.S. Embassy New Office, Chancery and Additions

Cairo, Egypt
TAC
Completed in 1985



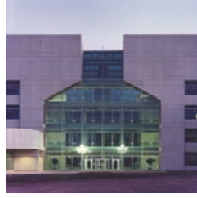
Selected Academic Buildings

Oklahoma State University**Noble Research Center**

Stillwater, Oklahoma

TAC/Frankfort Short Bruza

Completed in 1989

Competition Winning Entry 1983**PAAET****College of Technology**

Shuwaikh, Kuwait

Pan Arab Consulting Engineers

Completed in 2006

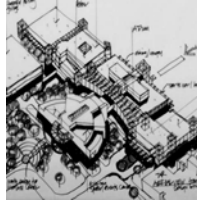
**Phylliss P. Marshall Student Center****University of South Florida**

Tampa, Florida

MFG/Jung-Brannen/Woodroffe Corp.

Feasibility Study

Completed in 1997

**Kuwait University****Colleges/Social/Legislative Sciences**

Shuwaikh, Kuwait

MFG/Kuwaiti Engineering Office

Completed in 2001

**Florida International University Physical Sciences Building**

Miami, Florida

TAC/Bellon Perez & Perez

Completed in 1991

AIA Award of Honor 1991**Kuwait University****College of Engineering**

Shuwaikh, Kuwait

TAC/Zamami & Jeda

In process 1988-1990 (*Put on hold as a result of the Kuwait Invasion*)**Virginia Tech****Creative Arts Center**

Blacksburg, Virginia

MFG/TAC/Dewberry/Davis

Feasibility Study

Completed in 1990

**William & Mary****Student Center**

Williamsburg, Virginia

TAC/ Dewberry/Davis

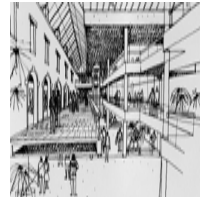
Completed in 1980

**Virginia Tech****Squires Student Center**

Blacksburg, Virginia

TAC/Smithy & Boynton

Completed in 1988

**Harvard University****Athletic Complex****Blodgett Pool**

TAC/Turner Construction Company

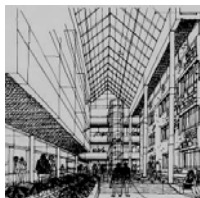
Completed in 1978

Competition Winning Entry 1975**Virginia Tech****Pamplin Hall Business School**

Blacksburg, Virginia

TAC/Smithy & Boynton

Completed in 1986

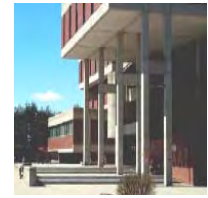
**Hampshire College****Central Library**

Amherst, Massachusetts

Hugh Stubbins Associates

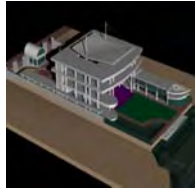
Project Designer

Completed in 1970



Selected Residences

The Adnan Baqsami Villa
Arabian Gulf Site
Fintas, Kuwait
Feasibility Study 2000



The Dr. Rochman Residence Addition
Newton, Massachusetts
Feasibility Study
2001



The Wrenn Residence
Nashua, New Hampshire
1996



Villa for Sheikh Khalifah Al-Khalifah
Prime Minister of Bahrain
Jidda Island, Bahrain
Pan Arab Consulting Engineers
Souza/True Structural Engineers
MFG was Design Consultant
1990



The Cahill Residence
Jackson, New Hampshire
Completed in 1989



The Lubrano Addition & Renovation
Moose Pond
Bridgeton, Maine
Completed in 1998



Dana Place Cluster Housing
Jackson, New Hampshire
Completed in 1980



The Ghassan Al-Saleh Villa
Fintas, Kuwait
Kuwait Engineers Office
MFG was Design Consultant
Completed 1996



The Wasco Residence
Jackson, New Hampshire
Completed in 1980



The Fisher Residence
Conway Lake
Conway New Hampshire
Completed in 1984



The Pillsbury Residence
Wazata, Minnesota
Ralph Rapson Associates
Design Assistant to Mr. Rapson
1991 AIA Minnesota 25 Year Award
Completed in 1965



The Louis Warlick Residence
Dana Place
Jackson, New Hampshire
1973



Other Selected Projects

The VIP Airport Terminal

Kuwait International Airport
The Associated Engineering Partnership/
Paul Andreu Architects
MFG was a Design Consultant
Feasibility Study 2008



Sahara Golf Course Clubhouse, and Chalets

South Surra, Kuwait
Gulf Consult Architects Engineers
Peter Haradine Golf Course Architect
MFG was the Design Consultant
Completed in 2006



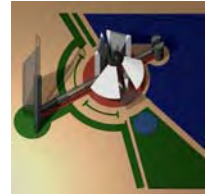
Cancer Care Hospital and Clinic

Bangalore, India
MFG/Source Development International
Feasibility Study 2007



Dubai International Wellness Clinic

Dubai, United Arab Emirates
The Valentine Partners
DiGiorgio Associates
MFG was the Design Consultant
Feasibility Study 2004



Al Deera Hospital and Clinic

Kuwait City, Kuwait
Kuwaiti Engineers Office
MFG was the Design Consultant
Feasibility Study 1992



Joslin Clinic Addition/Renovation/Housing

Boston, Massachusetts
Thompson Design Associates
MFG was a Design Consultant
Feasibility Study 2004



Kiran Resort Physiotherapy Center

Kiran, Kuwait
Kuwaiti Engineers Office
MFG was the Design Consultant
Feasibility Study 1994



Luxury HI-Rise Villas

Kuwait Waterfront Project-Phase IV
Pan Arab Consulting Engineers
MFG was the Design Consultant
Invited Design Competition Entry 1997



Schneider Childrens Hospital

Long Island, New York
The Architects Collaborative
Completed 1988



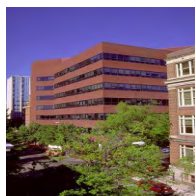
College of Education, Health and Rehabilitation

University of Maine Farmington, Maine
Robert Owens Associates
MFG was the Design Consultant
Feasibility Study 1992



Pharmacy/Pharmacology Building

VCU/Medical College of Virginia
Richmond, Virginia
Research/Lab/Office Facilities
The Architects Collaborative/HSMM
Completed in 1980



ATT/Bell Laboratories

Freehold, New Jersey
2 Million Sq. Ft.
Office/Lab Facilities
The Architects Collaborative
Feasibility Study 1981



International Design Awards

2006	Equate Petrochemical Office Complex Competition <i>Winning Entry, invited design competition</i>	Ahmadi, Kuwait MFG/Gulf Consult Architects/Engineers
2004	Kuwait Oil Company Office Complex Competition <i>Winning Entry, invited design competition</i>	Ahmadi, Kuwait MFG/Gulf Consult Architects/Engineers
2002	Kuwait National Petroleum Company Office Complex Comp. <i>Winning Entry, invited design competition</i>	Ahmadi, Kuwait MFG/Gulf Consult Architects/Engineers
1997	Gulf Investment Headquarters <i>Re-Designed Winning Entry, invited design competition</i> <i>Kuwait Postage Stamps show the building's exterior image</i>	Sharq, Kuwait MFG/Pan Arab Consulting Engineers
1996	Government Four Building Office Complex <i>Winning Entry, invited design competition</i>	Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates MFG/Pan Arab Consulting Engineers
1995	Commercial Food Market Competition <i>Winning Entry, invited design</i>	Jahra, Kuwait Kuwaiti Engineering Office
1986	The Public Authority for Civil Information <i>Winning Entry, invited design competition</i>	South Surra, Kuwait TAC/Pan Arab Consulting Engineers
1983	National Library and Cultural Center <i>Boston Society of Architects, Boston Exports Award for Excellence in Architecture</i>	Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates TAC
1976	Abu Dhabi National Library and Cultural Center <i>International Design Competition Winner</i>	Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates TAC

National Design Awards

1991	Florida International University Chemistry & Physics Building <i>AIA Award of Honor, State of Florida</i>	Miami, Florida TAC/Bellon, Perez & Perez
1993	801 Tower <i>Golden Nuggets Award</i>	Los Angeles, California TAC
1993	The Summit in Westchester <i>Northeast Building of the Year, BOMA Westchester Chapter</i>	Valhalla, New York TAC/Cappelli Enterprises
1989	Noble Research Center, Oklahoma State University <i>1983 Winning Entry, invited national design competition</i> (see below) <i>AS & U American School and University Citation</i> <i>Oklahoma A.I.A. Chapter Honor Award</i> <i>First Place - New Building, Outstanding Innovation and Advancement in Construction Technology</i>	Stillwater, Oklahoma TAC/Frankfort/Short/Bruza
1988	Copley Place <i>Urban Land Institute Award for Excellence</i>	Boston, Massachusetts TAC
1987	The Summit at Reston <i>National Association of Industrial Office Parks, Northern Virginia Chapter Award of Merit,</i>	Reston, Virginia TAC/Berry Rio Associates
1983	21st Century Center for Agriculture & Renewable Natural Resources Center Oklahoma State University <i>Winning Entry, invited national design competition</i> <i>Oklahoma A.I.A. Chapter Honor Award</i> <i>American School & University Citation, 1984</i>	Stillwater, Oklahoma TAC/Frankfort/Short/Bruza

National Design Awards (Continued)

1976	Johns-Manville World Headquarters <i>1973 Winning Entry, national invited design competition</i> <i>1979 AIA National Honor Award</i> <i>1979 AIA Regional Award Jefferson County, Colorado</i> <i>1979 Boston Society of Architects Honor Award</i>	Jefferson County, Colorado The Architects Collaborative (TAC)
1975	Harvard University Athletic Complex <i>Winning Entry, invited design/build competition</i>	Boston, Massachusetts TAC/Turner Construction Company
1962	Lakewood Mausoleum <i>Competition Winner</i> <i>1963 Progressive Architecture Award</i>	Minneapolis, Minnesota Ralph Rapson Associates
1963	Pillsbury Residence <i>1991, 25 Year Award, Minnesota Society of Architects</i>	Wayzata, Minnesota Ralph Rapson Associates

Academic Awards

1965-1966	Department of Architecture, Massachusetts Institute of Technology <i>1965-1966 Jonathan Whitney Fellowship</i> <i>1965-1966 Clark and Rapuano Fund Scholarship</i>	Cambridge, Massachusetts
1962-1965	College of Architecture, University of Minnesota <i>1965 Best Thesis Runner-up</i>	Minneapolis, Minnesota
1953-1957	School of Architecture, University of Colorado <i>1957 Tile Council of America Competition-First Prize</i>	Boulder, Colorado

Personal Awards

1965	American Academy in Rome Fellowship Runner-up to William Pedersen (Kohn Pedersen Fox Architects Co-Founder): <i>1965-1966 Scholarships (see above) to MIT Graduate School of Architecture</i>
1964	LeBrun Traveling Fellowship <i>Honorable Mention</i>
1959	Mastic Tile Competition <i>Achievement Award</i>

Professional Organizations

1979–Present	American Institute of Architects # 30002229 (Emeritus)
1979-Present	AIA Massachusetts
1979-Present	Boston Society of Architects
1995-1996	Kuwait Society of Engineers # 4047 (Former Member)

Articles **American School and University**, TAC, Noble Research Center, Oklahoma State University, 1989

Facilities Magazine, TAC, Noble Research Center, Oklahoma State University, 1989

Facilities Design & Management, TAC, Johnson Wax Campus, October, 1983

Florida Architect, TAC/Jim Roberson Assoc., Florida Department of Education Headquarters, November-December, 1989

Architectural Record, TAC, "In the center of downtown Boston: A revitalized South Station as Transportation Hub," 1981

Architectural Record, TAC, Johns-Manville World Headquarters, September, 1977

Process Architecture, The Heritage of Walter Gropius, #19 Tokyo, Japan, 1981
Johns-Manville World Headquarters and Mr. Gebhart contributed some drawings on several projects

A+U Architecture & Urbanism, #90, "New Work of The Architects Collaborative," Tokyo, Japan April, 1978

Architectural Record, "J-M, A Winner for J-M and TAC," Mildred F. Schmertz, September, 1977

L' Architecture D'Aujourd' Hui, "Johns-Manville World Headquarters, Denver," November, 1982

New England Architect, "TAC Wins Johns-Manville Competition," August, 1973

New England Architect, "Dana Place Pinkham Notch, N.H.," June, 1971
Design by A Design Association-Thomas Van Aarle/Michael F. Gebhart

AIA Journal, "Corporate Headquarters in the Foothills of the Rockies," Mary E. Osman, Mid-May, 1979

Wall Street Journal, "It's not Connecticut. And it's not for everyone. But it's perfect for Johns-Manville II", June 19, 1978

New York Times, "Coordinator of Psychology And Asbestos," July 15, 1973

Boston Globe, "Corporate Palace in the Wilderness," Robert Campbell, May 30, 1973

Boston Globe, "Catch this Bus Stop Hub's Soaring New Hub Combines Excitement, Efficiency," R. Campbell, Aug. 16, 1996

Books **Drawings by American Architects**, Kemper, J. Wiley and Sons, New York, 1974
Mr. Gebhart contributed some drawings

Drawings by American Architects, Kemper, J. Wiley and Sons, New York, 1977
Mr. Gebhart contributed some drawings

Graphic Thinking For Architects and Designers, P. Lasseau, Van Nostrand Reinhold Co., 1980
Mr. Gebhart contributed some drawings

Graphic Thinking For Architects and Designers, P. Lasseau, Van Nostrand Reinhold Co., 2000
Mr. Gebhart contributed some drawings

Architectural Presentation Drawings, William Atkins, Van Nostrand Reinhold Co., 1976
Mr. Gebhart contributed some drawings

Ralph Rapson, 60 Years of Modern Design, Jane King Hession, Rip Rapson, Bruce N. Wright, Afton Historical Press, 1999
Mr. Gebhart contributed some drawings

Ralph Rapson: Sketches and Drawings from Around the World, Ralph Rapson, Afton Historical Press, 2002
Mr. Gebhart contributed some drawings

Architects on Architecture, "New Directions in America," Ralph Rapson segment, Walker & Company, Paul Heyer 1966
Mr. Gebhart contributed some drawings

TAC The Architects Collaborative 1945-1970, Gustavo Gill S.A., Barcelona, Spain 1970
Mr. Gebhart contributed some drawings

Exhibit List

Selected Works Completed

Exhibit 1	Johns Manville World Headquarters 1978 The Architects Collaborative	Jefferson County, Colorado
Exhibit 2	Oklahoma State University Noble Research Center 1988 The Architects Collaborative/Frankfort Short Bruza	Stillwater, Oklahoma
Exhibit 3	Johnson Wax Corporation Office Headquarters And Master Plan 1981 The Architects Collaborative	Racine, Wisconsin
Exhibit 4	Sahara Golf & Country Club Kuwait 2006 Michael F. Gebhart/Gulf Consult Architects Planners Engineers, Kuwait	South Surra, Kuwait
Exhibit 5	Abu Dhabi National Library And Cultural Center 1976 The Architects Collaborative	Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates
Exhibit 6	Kuwait University Colleges of Social Sciences and Legislative Sciences 2001 Michael F. Gebhart/Kuwaiti Engineering Office, Kuwait	Shuwaikh, Kuwait
Exhibit 7	The Ralph D. Turlington Florida Education Center Building 1990 The Architects Collaborative/Jim Roberson Associates	Tallahassee, Florida
Exhibit 8	100 Summit Lake Drive At The Summit at Westchester 1990 The Architects Collaborative	Valhalla, New York

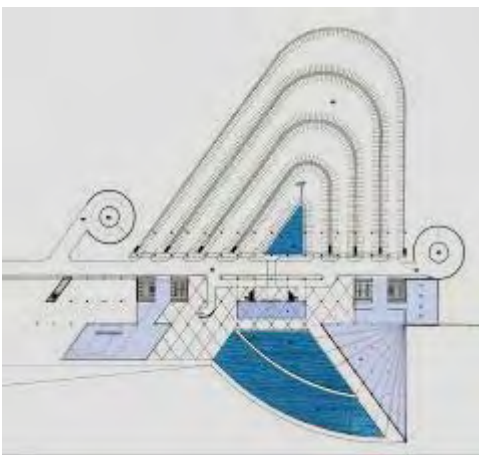
Works In Progress

Exhibit 8	Public Authority for Applied Education and Training-College of Technology Michael F. Gebhart/Pan Arab Consulting Engineers, Kuwait	Shuwaikh, Kuwait
Exhibit 9	Public Authority for Applied Education and Training Stadium & Sports Facilities Michael F. Gebhart/The Associated Engineering Partnership, Kuwait	Shuwaikh, Kuwait
Exhibit 10	Kuwait National Petroleum Company Michael F. Gebhart/Gulf Consult Architects Planners Engineers, Kuwait	Ahmadi, Kuwait
Exhibit 11	Equate Petrochemical Office Headquarters Michael F. Gebhart/Gulf Consult Architects Planners Engineers, Kuwait	Ahmadi, Kuwait
Exhibit 12	Competition for The Prophecy Al-Hadeeth Al-Shareef Center Michael F. Gebhart/The Associated Engineering Partnership, Kuwait	Mishref Area, Kuwait

Exhibit 1 The Johns Manville World Headquarters Building (Now Lockheed Martin) Jefferson County, Colorado



Selected JM Publications Refer to Section 2.3



Sketch Plan of Ground Level

Mr. Gebhart was Co-Project Architect for Design for The Architects Collaborative (TAC) that won a 9 firm invited national design competition for the design of the Johns-Manville World Headquarters, now Lockheed Martin, located on a 400-acre site in the foothills of the Rocky Mountains outside Denver.

The design objectives involved integrating the building into the rugged countryside in such a way that the integrity of the hills was preserved while the building was given the prominence and setting appropriate to an international headquarters.

The 750,000 square foot building stretches 1,100 feet across the valley floor, its gleaming aluminum skin and mirrored windows contrasting dramatically with the surrounding landscape. Outstanding views of the mountains and the Denver skyline are available from throughout the building.

Concealed parking for 1,700 cars is located to the rear of the building and on the roof. The entrance drive extends throughout the middle of the building, giving direct access to the reception areas. Special facilities include a gallery and exhibition space, corporate library and information center, staff training and conference space, health center, cafeteria, greenhouse, and gymnasium.

The nine firms competing, in addition to TAC, included Welton Becket and Associates; Caudill Rowlett Scott, Inc.; Vincent G. Kling & Partners; Neuhaus and Taylor; I.M. Pei & Partners; William L. Pereira Associates; RTKL, Inc.; and Sert, Jackson Associates.

Completion:

1978

Awards:

TAC Winning Entry, National Invited Design Competition

AIA National Honor Award

AIA Regional Award Jefferson County, Colorado

Boston Society of Architects Honor Award

Photography:

Nick Wheeler/Wheeler Photographics

Architecture Firm of Record:

The Architects Collaborative

Declaration of Responsibility:

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Signature:

John P. Sheehy FAIA, RIBA,
TAC Chairman of the Board of Principals, 1993-

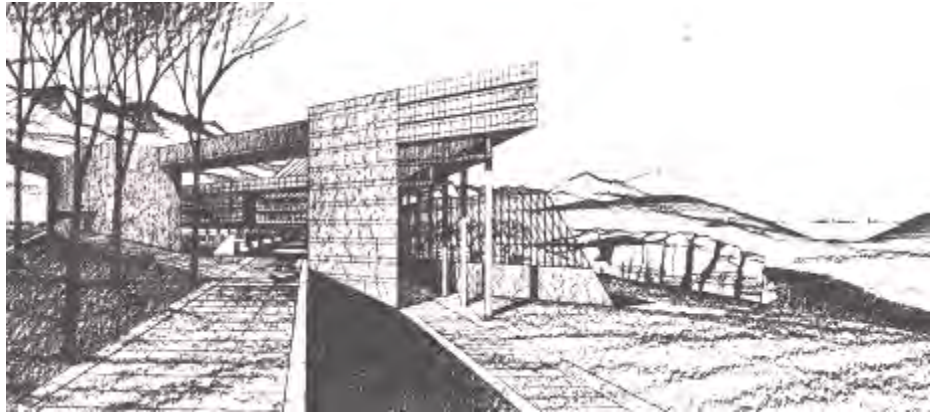
View of East Elevation Below



**Exhibit 1 The Johns Manville World Headquarters Building (Now Lockheed Martin)
Jefferson County, Colorado**

The Jury consisted of Harry M. Weese FAIA; Chairman Robert L. Geddes FAIA; Theodore C. Bernardi FAIA; W.R. Goodwin, President, Johns-Manville; and Hubertus J. Mittman ASLA. The Jury noted that "urban architects, given a natural setting of this scope and dimension, can experience difficulty with the quintessential problem of the manmade environment meeting nature." Their comments on the TAC entry: "the building is tied to Denver by a vista - an idea as old as architecture...The architects perceived that they could not fight with nature and there was no way to blend, so they chose to contrast...The J-M Building is an avowedly machine-made object." They commended "the striking appearance of the building as both thrilling and stunningly beautiful...the elegant clarity of the building, the simplicity of its shapes, the strength of its image..." "A singular design...a significant advance in the state of the art, a landmark and an influence to similar undertakings in the future."

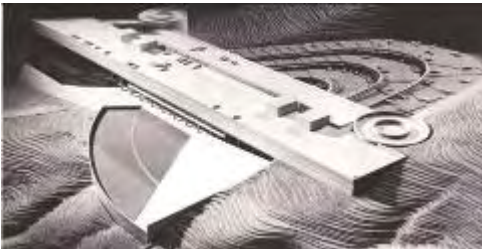
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Competition Sketch of Automobile Entry Above



Automobile Entry Above



Competition Model Above, Photo Below



Competition Sketch Along Automobile Access Above

Automobile Access Below



Competition Rendering Below



Exhibit 1

The Johns Manville World Headquarters Building (Now Lockheed Martin)
Jefferson County, Colorado

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View from Level Two towards the South Above



View from Cafeteria Above

View inside Cafeteria Below



Automobile Drop Off Above

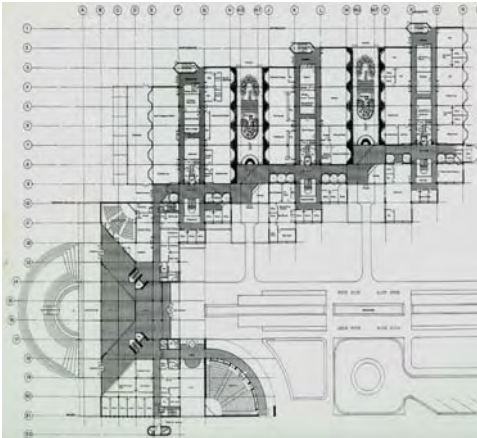
View towards Cafeteria Below



Exhibit 2 The 21st Century Center for Agriculture & Renewable Natural Resources (Noble Research Center)
Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, Oklahoma



Perspective by Art Associates



Sketch Plan of Ground Level

The Architects Collaborative (TAC) in association with Frankfort-Short-Bruza, won a 4 firm invited national design competition for The 21st Century Center for Agriculture and Renewable Natural Resources to provide laboratory spaces, faculty offices, lecture rooms, a 280-seat auditorium, and a major interactive space for the departments of plant pathology, entomology, microbiology, bio-chemistry, and geology.

The master plan established a new symbolic entrance to the campus, spatially completed the central library courtyard at the intersection of the major pedestrian crossroads of the campus and created a destination and identity for the facility along the north/south axis, providing a strong visual presence for the center and an appropriate contextual fit.

Building design goals included the innovative use of active and passive solar energy conservation systems that provided the latest technologies enabling the project to become a state-of-the-art "living laboratory" facility with flexibility, adaptability and various levels of student and faculty interaction spaces. The unique laboratory design placed the write-up spaces in the projected bay window exterior wall, cantilevered into the shared exterior atrium solar courtyard under a light shelf reflecting daylight into the lab spaces. All faculty offices, support and core elements are placed outside of the lab areas along the pedestrian streets, encouraging forced and casual interaction of faculty and students.

Completion:

1988

Awards:

TAC/FSB Winning Entry, National Invited Design Competition

Oklahoma A.I.A. Chapter Honor Award

American School & University Citation, 1984

Photography:

Nick Wheeler/Wheeler Photographics

Architecture Firm of Record:

Frankfort-Short-Bruza

Design Firm:

The Architects Collaborative

Declaration of Responsibility:

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That responsibility included:

Michael Gebhart was The Project Architect for Design.

Signature: _____

Jim Bruza AIA, Executive Vice President, Frankfort/Short/Bruza

Main Entry Below



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Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, Oklahoma

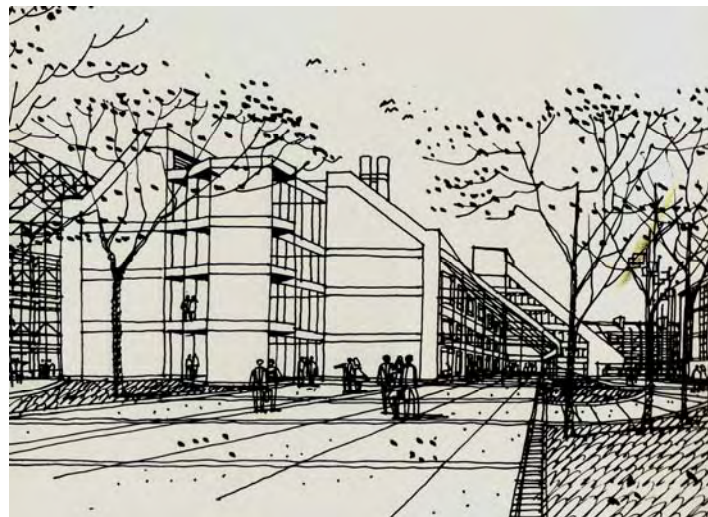
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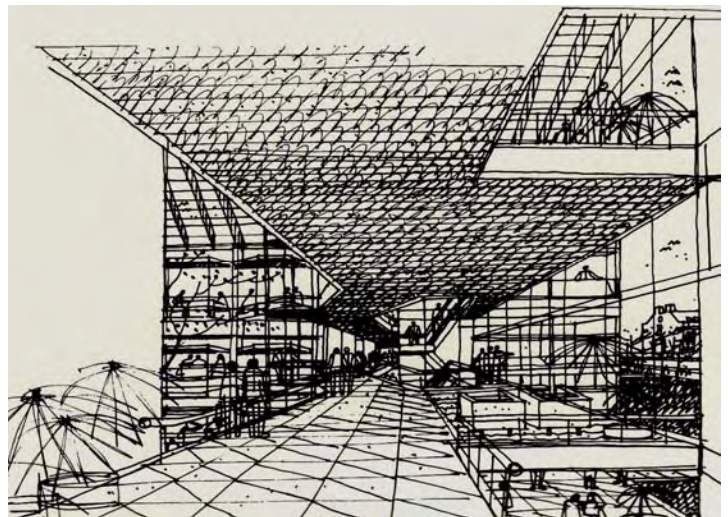
Sketch of Lab Module Below

Entry Plaza Rendering Above

Sketch of Interactive Circulation Below



Main Public Entry Showing the View thru to the Library Below



View Showing the "Neo-Georgian" Contextual Fit Below

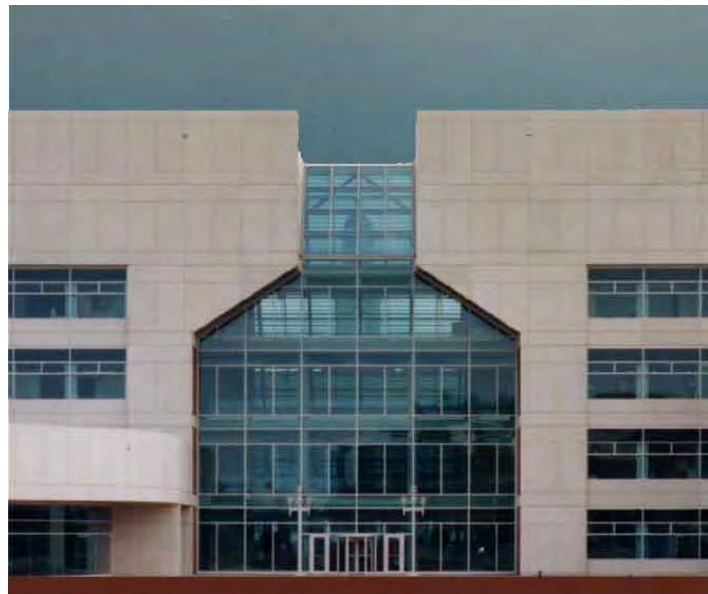


Exhibit 2 **The 21st Century Center for Agriculture & Renewable Natural Resources (Noble Research Center)**
Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, Oklahoma

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Central Atrium And Louvers Above



Typical Lab Modules One-bay Above

Auditorium Below



Central Atrium and Solar Roofs from the Central Library Courtyard Below



Exhibit 3

Johnson Wax Corporation Office Headquarters And Master Plan
Racine, Wisconsin

One of the most significant highlights in Mr. Gebhart's career as TAC's Project Architect for the design of a new facility for the Johnson Wax Corporation.

TAC was selected from a list of distinguished firms to create a master plan for the corporate headquarters and phased state-of-the-art office buildings, in which the famous Frank Lloyd Wright tower (View Below) is the centerpiece. The initial 200,000 sq ft facility required perimeter offices and flexible/expandable open plan interior office spaces, which led to a series of connected octagons attached to a continuous 3-level main atrium circulation spine. A reflecting pool/winter skating pond, connecting the tower with the new perimeter offices in a park, opened the campus to the Racine neighbors.

The octagon geometry provided the most perimeter office faces to match the building program requirements. The octagons are connected by the triangular solar courtyards on the main campus green side. All support and core elements are placed outside of the office pod areas, along the pedestrian spine, encouraging forced and casual interaction of staff and management.

When the project was in design development, Johnson Wax decided to reduce its staffing requirements, eliminating the need for a new facility at that time.

Completion:

1982 (on hold)

Publication:

Facilities Design & Management, October 1983

Photography:

Johnson Wax Facilities Planning Office

Architecture Firm of Record:

The Architects Collaborative

Declaration of Responsibility:

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That responsibility included:

Mr. Gebhart was TAC Project Architect

Signature:

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John P. Sheehy FAIA, RIBA, Chairman,
TAC Board of Principals 1993-1994



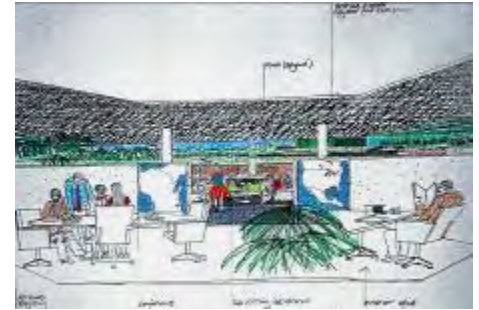
Proposed Facility and Johnson Wax Tower along reflecting pool Rendering by Steve Oles



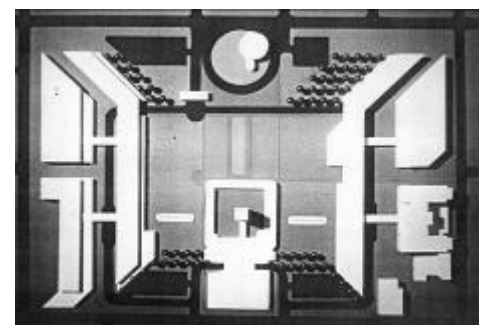
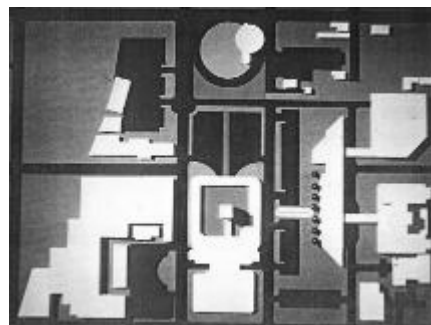
Proposed Phase I Master-plan Model Above



Interior Sketches Above



Phase I and Phase II Site Models Below



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Exhibit 4

**Sahara Golf & Country Club Kuwait
Surra, Kuwait**

Mr. Gebhart was commissioned by Gulf Consult Architects /Engineers (G.C.) to provide concept and schematic design for the Sahara Golf & Country Club, clubhouse, chalets, and wedding hall near Subhan area, Kuwait, the first grass course in Kuwait. The course is designed by the famous international golf course architect Peter Harradine.

The luxurious 9,500-square-foot Clubhouse contains "Tamarind" Restaurant serving members and visitors, Coffee shop, "Caffecino" café and snack bar, outside balcony-terrace, golfers' lounge, conference and meeting facilities, golf shop, Golf Academy, fully equipped driving range, ladies-only health and fitness facilities, tennis and squash courts and indoor pool, Jacuzzi, steam room, sauna, gymnasium and studio classes. Elegant chalet accommodations are built adjacent to the clubhouse.

Completion:
2006

Photography:

Gulf Consult, Sahara Golf Club

Architecture Firm of Record:

Gulf Consult Architects (G.C.)

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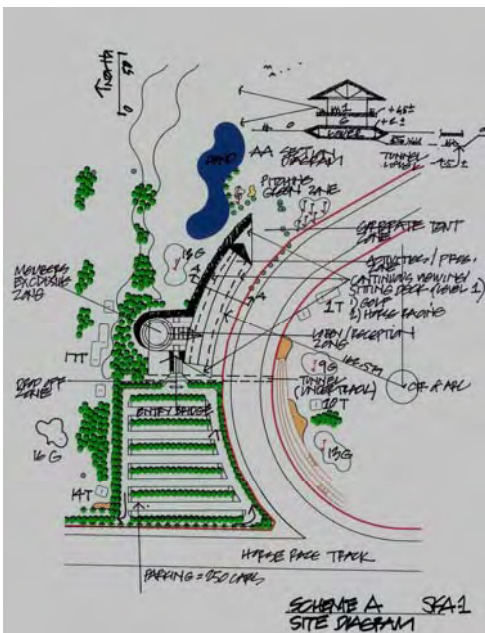
That responsibility included:

Mr. Gebhart was the Concept Design Consultant for the Clubhouse.

Signature: _____

Aziz Mamuji RIBA, Director, Gulf Consult

Site Plan Concept Diagram Below



Main Entry Concept Image of Clubhouse Above



Concept View of the Clubhouse Below

View of the Clubhouse Above



Exhibit 5

Abu Dhabi National Library and Cultural Center
Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates



View of main courtyard Above



View from the Roadway Above

Typical Arches and Arcades View Below

Mr. Gebhart, The Architects Collaborative (TAC) Project Design Architect, modified TAC's winning entry in an International Design Competition in 1976.

The building complex is composed of three buildings: a 1,000,000 volume National Library, a performance auditorium and a Conference/Exhibit Center. The site includes a main entrance court with a central fountain, an amphitheater for public & children's performances and a parking facility. , the design is representative of most modern construction technologies but incorporates local architectural styles and elements, such as decorative glazed brick tiled arcades.

Awards:

Winner of International Design Competition

Completion:

1982

Photography:

Nick Wheeler

Architectural Design Firm :

The Architects Collaborative

Declaration of Responsibility:

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That responsibility included:

Mr. Gebhart was TAC Co-Project Architect for Design.

Signature:_____

Perry King Neubauer, FAIA,
Principal
The Architects Collaborative (TAC)



Aerial Context View of The Cultural Center Complex Below



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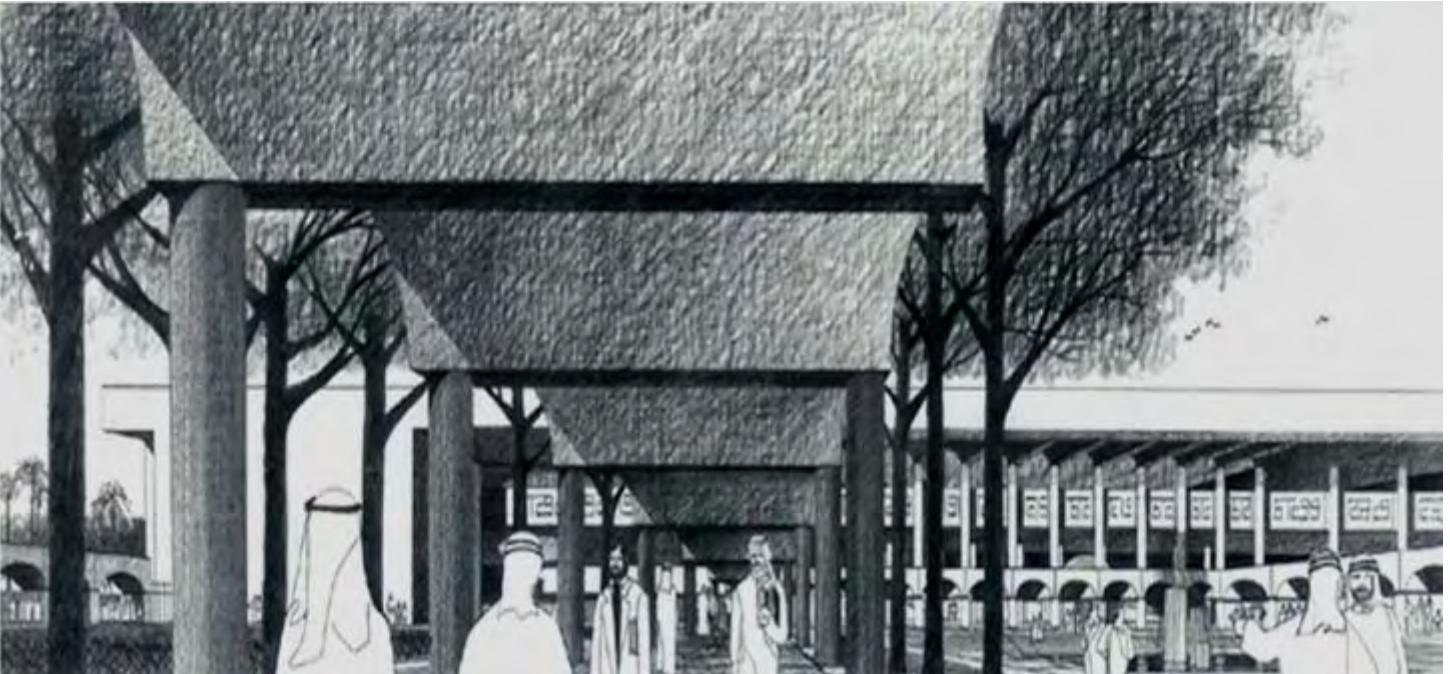
Abu Dhabi National Library and Cultural Center
Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates



VIP Automobile Arrival Above



Atrium Commons Above



Arched Arcade Pedestrian Link Above

Central Courtyard View Towards the Entry Below



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Exhibit 6

Kuwait University Colleges of Social Sciences and Legislative Sciences
Shuwaikh, Kuwait

Site Plan Diagram

As a design consultant to KEO International Consultants (KEO), Mr. Gebhart designed a new state of the art teaching facility within the existing historic College of Arts perimeter buildings on the Kuwait University Shuwaikh Campus.

The new Infill Concept, a 48,000 square meter facility, contains the Colleges of Social Sciences and Social Work, Political Sciences, Psychology, and Library and Information Sciences.

The program of spaces provides the 2,394 students and 73 academic staff with research spaces, classrooms, seminar and breakout spaces, auditorium, faculty/student offices, student/faculty dining rooms, and a kitchen.

Mr. Gebhart conceived of the design as a totally modern high-tech facility set within the regional context, using materials which fit in and complement the existing built environment. The complex is located at the crossroads on main north-south, east-west axes of the campus.

Completion:

2001

Photography:

Nasar Gafoor

Architecture Firm of Record:

KEO International Consultants

Declaration of Responsibility:

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That responsibility included:

Michael Gebhart was Chief Architect for Design in the Office of KEO during the design phase of the project.

Signature: _____

Babji Rao B. Arch (Hons), Vice President, KEO

Main Exterior Commons Courtyard Photo Below



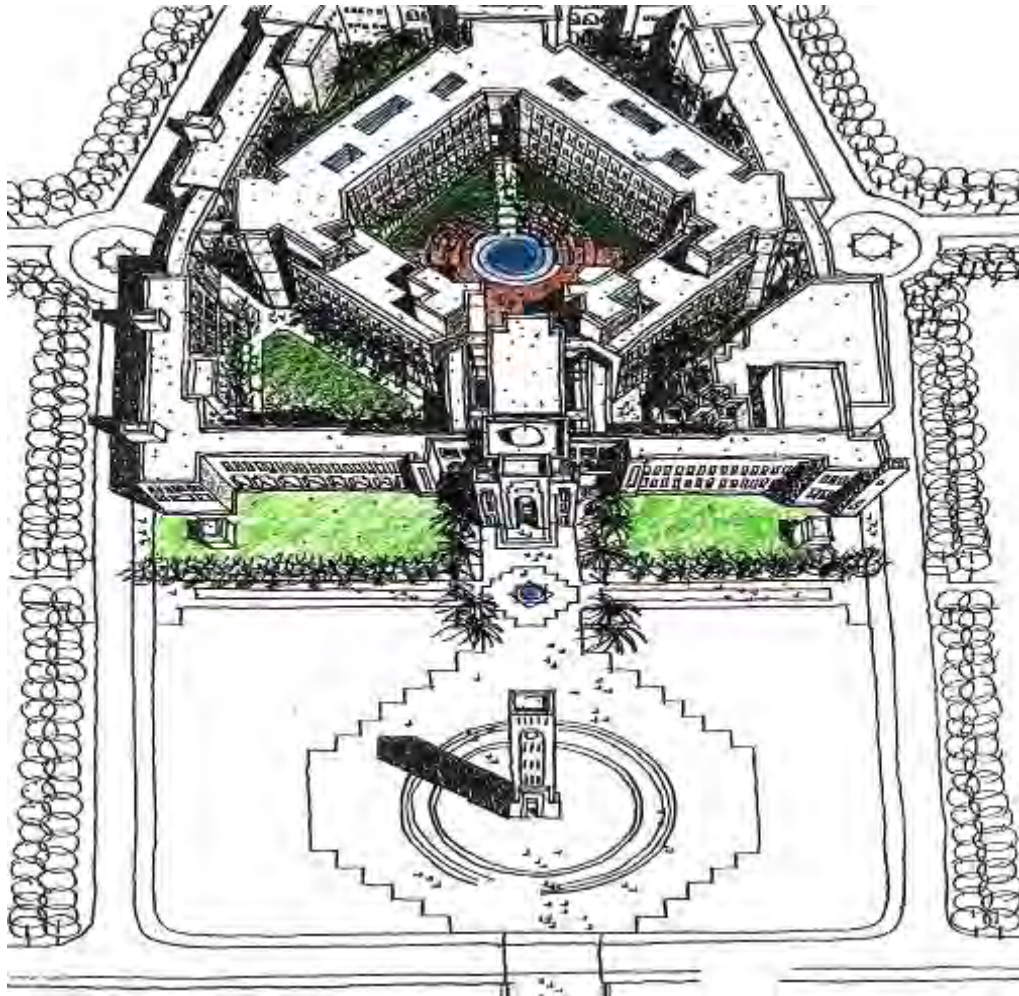
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Kuwait University Colleges of Social Sciences and Legislative Sciences
Shuwaikh, Kuwait



Courtyard View from Existing Edge Building Above

View from Administration Office to Central Commons Fountain Above



Aerial Site Context Below

New Infill Academic Buildings Concept Sketch Above

Aerial Panoramic View with New Complex Below

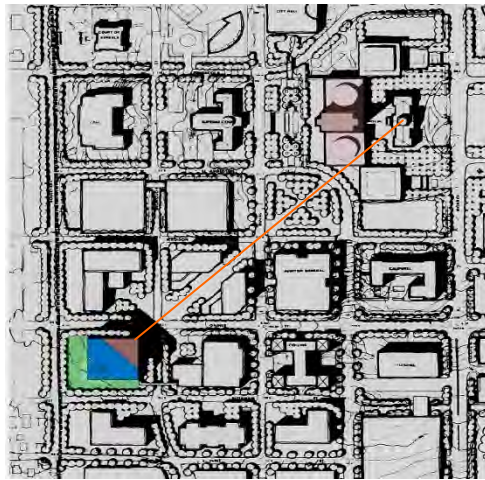


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Exhibit 7

The Ralph D. Turlington Florida Education Center Building
Tallahassee, Florida

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Capital Center Plan showing DOE Building

The 19-story tower, for 1,500 Department of Education (D.O.E.) staff, defines the southwest corner of Capitol Center. By turning the building and focusing it toward the Old Capitol, Mr. Gebhart anchored the southwest corner of the Capitol Center. The northeast façade is on a perfect axis with the Old Capitol's cupola, and there are excellent views of it from every floor. Pedestrian plazas and other public amenities related to the wide open space corridor along King Boulevard. These plazas give the building a humane quality by offering a delightful place for pausing and spending time outdoors.

The building contains offices and conference facilities, a day care center, employee cafeteria, exhibition space, and underground parking. A bridge connects to the 500-car garage across the street.

Completion: 1990

Publications:

Florida Architect, Nov./Dec., 1989

Photography:

Nick Wheeler, Timothy Moore

Architecture Firm of Record:

Jim Roberson Associates

Architectural Design Firm:

The Architects Collaborative

Declaration of Responsibility:

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Michael F. Gebhart was the Project Design Architect for TAC.

Signature:—

Perry K. Neubauer FAIA, RIBA, Principal,
President, TAC



View of the DOE and the Florida State Capitol Buildings

Gaines Street View Below



Ground Plan Below



Concept Rendering Below

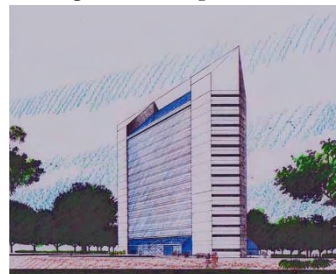


Exhibit 8

100 Summit Lake Drive At The Summit at Westchester
Valhalla, New York



Google EarthView of 100 Summit Lake Drive



View Towards 100 Summit Lake Office Entry Above

Atrium Structure Below

Mr. Gebhart was the Project Design Architect of the award winning Summit at Westchester Office Complex, a 1.3 million sq ft complex on a 102-acre wooded ravine site, within a corporate headquarters park located in the heart of Westchester County. 100 Summit Lake Drive was the first building of a projected 7-building project. The 8-floor 500,000 sq ft office complex is composed of two 45 degree wing-shaped office buildings, separated by an entry atrium which connects at 90 degrees to a large 5-level atrium, creating a series of balconies that overlook the lobby reflecting pool and scenic wetlands. The office structure is constructed over a 1,000 car parking structure, and has day care, cafeteria, and health club services.

Completion:

1993

Awards:

BOMA Northeast Region
Building of the Year Award

Photography:

TAC, Cappelli Enterprises

Architecture Firm of Record:

The Architects Collaborative

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John P. Sheehy FAIA, RIBA, TAC Chairman
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North Wing View Above



Atrium Fountain Below



Columbus Ave. View Below



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Exhibit 9 Public Authority for Applied Education and Training Stadium & Sports Facilities Shuwaikh, Kuwait

Mr. Gebhart created a concept for the consortium of The Associated Engineering Partnership (TAEP) and Weidleplan. The site plan organization consisted of three interactive zones: Zone One includes the student/user arrival sports plaza connecting the loop road bus system which includes a Swimming Hall with an Olympic size pool/diving facility; an indoor Gymnasium Hall, including 4 basketball courts linked by the Administration Offices and Student Facilities over and Squash Courts, Spa and the user's locker facilities under the plaza below. Zone Two is a trellised walkway connection, with outdoor basketball, tennis, and volleyball courts along the path, between Zone One and Zone Three. Zone Three is the 8000-seat Soccer Stadium and indoor team lockers, training support facilities, media booths, user concessions connected to the stadium arrival lobby adjacent to the auto arrival and parking lots. Previously, Mr. Gebhart was involved in the creation of the PAAET Master Plan and the design concept of the College of Technology Expansion, which was the first project built employing the new Master Plan. Currently, the project is in the Tender Documents Phase.

Completion:

Tendered in the Spring of 2009

Photography:

TAEP

Architecture Firm of Record:

TAEP

Declaration of Responsibility:

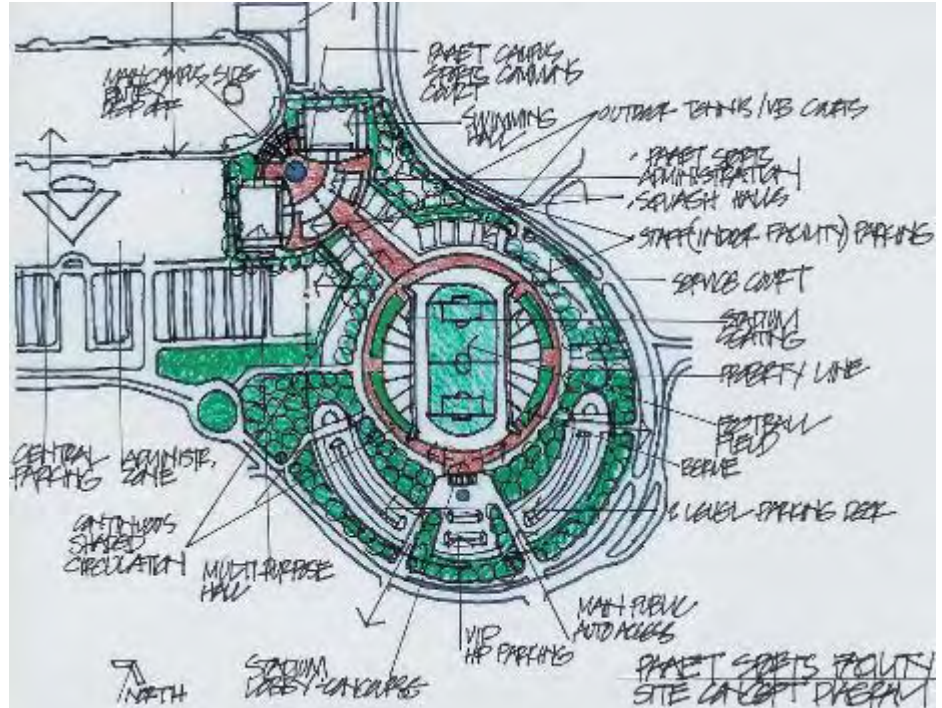
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Signature: _____

Charles T. Haddad AICP, Partner, TAEP



Concept Computer Model of Stadium Below

Concept Master-Plan Diagram Above



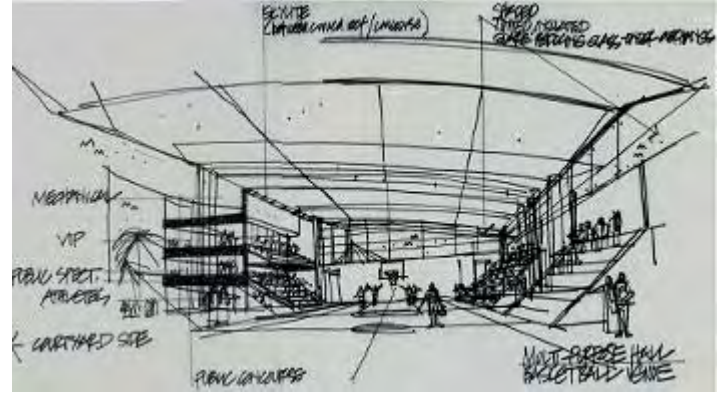
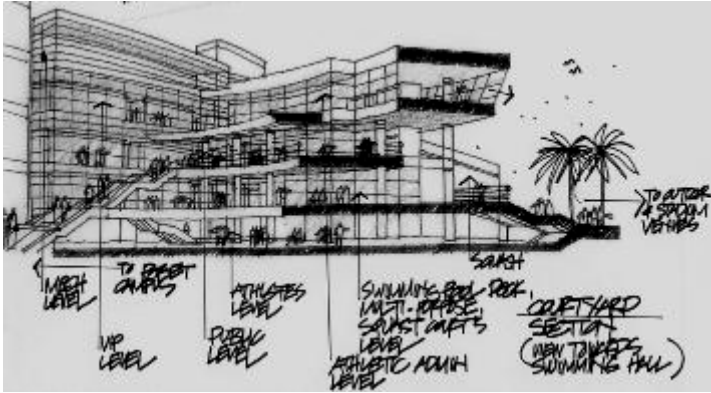
View of Stadium Automobile Entry and Arrival Atrium Below



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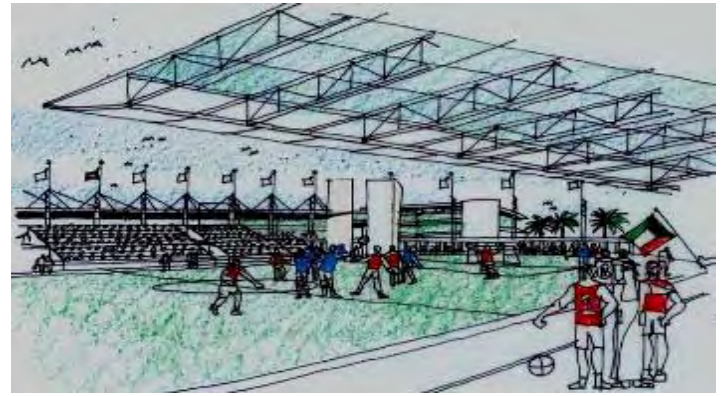
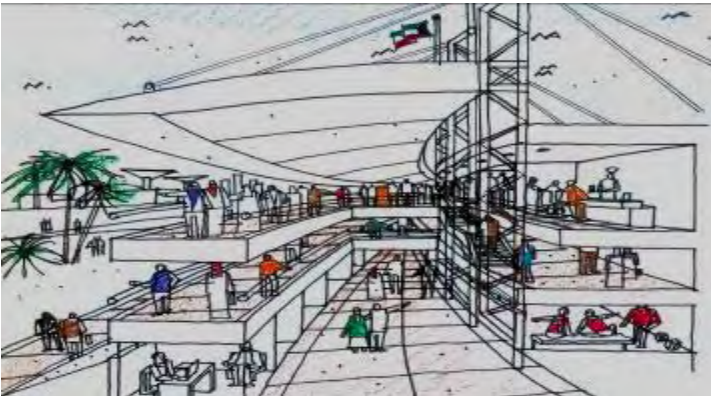
Exhibit 9

Public Authority for Applied Education and Training Stadium & Sports Facilities
Shuwaikh, Kuwait



Zone 1 Section Thru Public, User, Administration Facilities Above

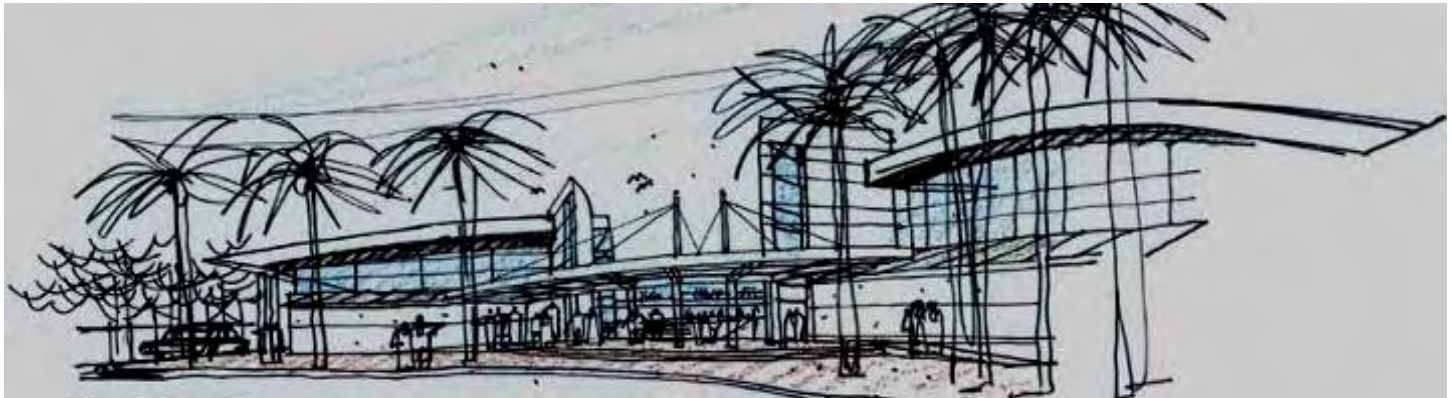
Zone 1 Basketball Hall Above



Zone 3 Soccer Stadium Concourse Above

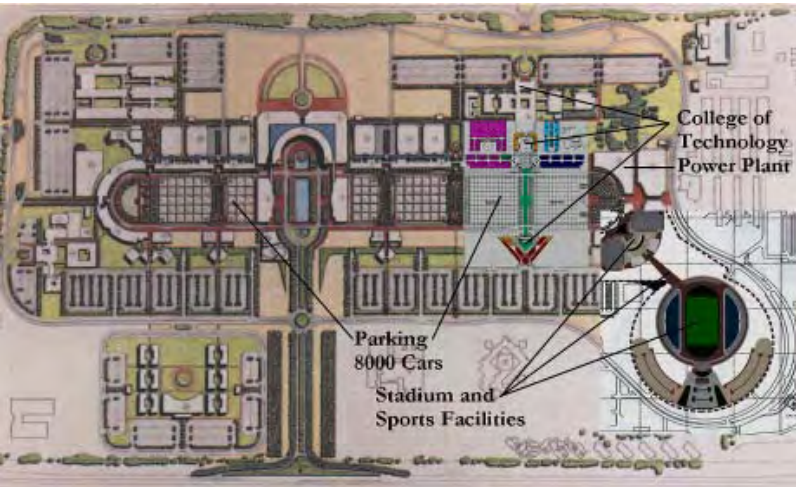
Zone 1 Campus Entry to Athletic Complex Below

Zone 3 Soccer Stadium Above



PAAET Master plan Showing Sports Facilities, College of Technology Below

College of Technology Entry Below



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Exhibit 10

Kuwait National Petroleum Company
Ahmadi, Kuwait



Site Plan Model Above



View of North-Oriented Atrium Commons Above

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Mr. Gebhart was contracted by Gulf Consult Architects to provide a concept design for the corporate office facility for KNPC, providing 200,585 square feet, world-class meeting, seminar and office space.

The design evolved as a response to the program diagram and the site parameters of access, solar orientation, and image requirements.

The project is a walkable, 4-level building organized around a continuous atrium providing a visually and spatially interactive space. The flexible facility responds to the needs of the changing socio-technological working environments and expansion strategies and optimizes the latest construction technology with time/cost parameters. The structure efficiently and economically integrates the project's structural, mechanical, electrical, and plumbing requirements and provides flexibility for change and maintenance with minimal disruption to the ongoing activities; it utilizes day lighting and other technologies which can help conserve energy, without compromising functionality. The project will employ fine aesthetic and durable materials found in the region.

Completion:

On Hold

Awards:

Invited Competition Winner 2002

Architecture Firm of Record:

Gulf Consult Architects Planners Engineers

Declaration of Responsibility:

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Mr. Gebhart was the Design Consultant.

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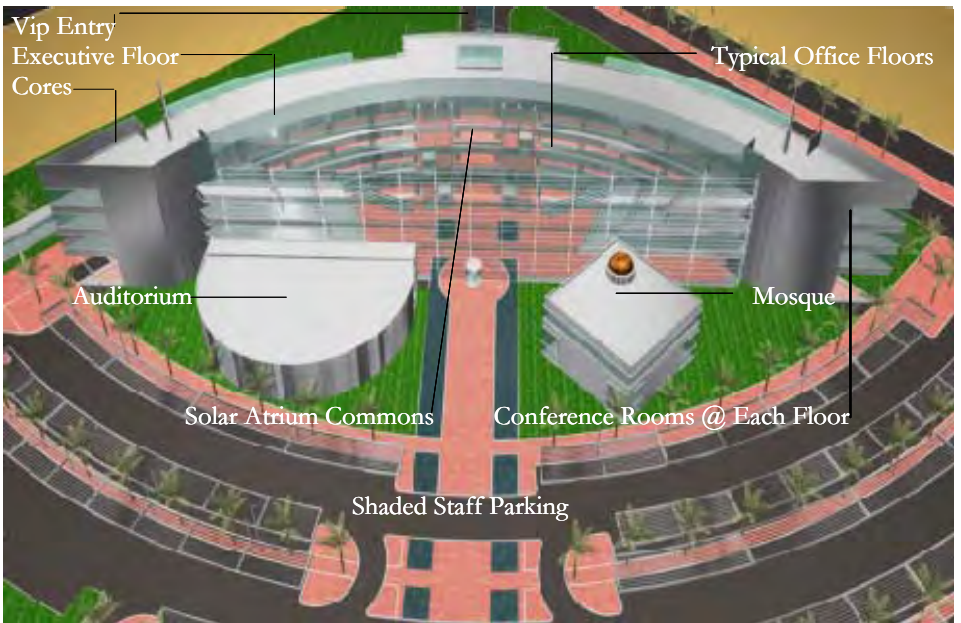
Aziz Mamuji RIBA Director, Gulf Consult



View of Staff Entry Above



View from Southwest Above



View of VIP Auto Arrival Plaza Below

Cut-away View thru the Building Above



Exhibit 11

**Equate Petrochemical Office Headquarters
Ahmadi, Kuwait**

Mr. Gebhart led the design team for the 10,000 square meters Equate Headquarters office complex. The complex consists of the main office building, a multipurpose building, a mosque, and a car park building, located on the main road leading into Ahmadi, next to the KNPC Headquarters. Equate is a wholly owned subsidiary of Dow Chemical Company and Boubyan Petrochemical Company.

The building program of spaces is arranged around a circular atrium with panoramic elevators and ceremonial staircases connected to General Departmental offices located on the first and second floors. The large ground floor of the main building public spaces include a multi-purpose hall, cafeteria, library, training halls, and a medical facility. Executive offices are on the roof-level terrace, providing panoramic views of the Arabian Gulf. A shelter and a data center are located in the basement. The circular atrium brings people together in a way that everyone has close contact with one another, fostering close company interactions.

Awards:

2006 Winner of an Invited Competition

Completion:

Construction Documents, To be Tendered 2010

Photography:

Gulf Consult Architects/Engineers

Architecture Firm of Record:

Gulf Consult Architects/Engineers

Declaration of Responsibility:

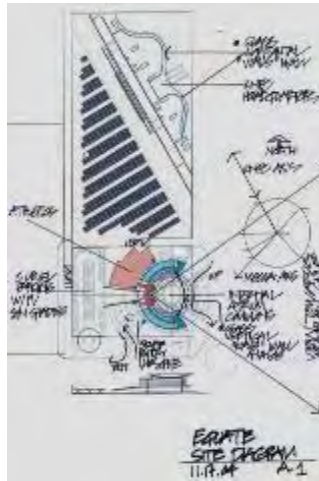
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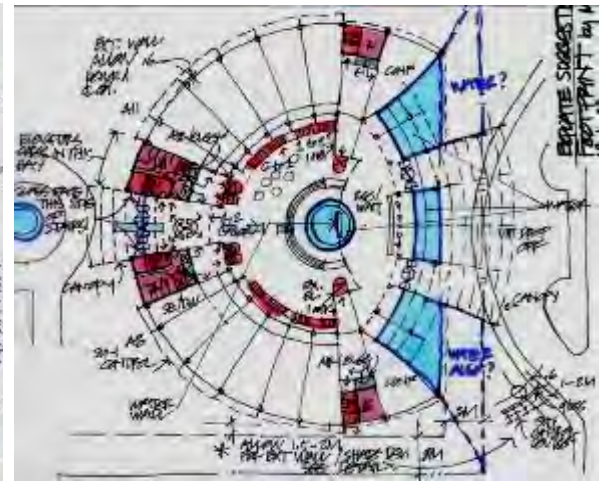
Michael F. Gebhart was the Design Consultant for Gulf Consult Architects/Engineers.

Signature: -

Aziz Mamuji RIBA, Director, Gulf Consult



Concept Site Diagram Above



Concept Ground Level Plan Diagram Above



Interior Atrium View Above

South-East View Below (Renderings by M. Raza, GC)



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Exhibit 12

**Competition for The Prophecy Al-Hadeeth Al-Shareef Center
Mishref Area, Kuwait**

Mr. Gebhart created a concept for the consortium of The Associated Engineering Partnership (TAEP). The primary objectives of the Invited Design Competition Entry were to create an Islamic landmark, convey true Islamic values, and highlight the achievements of the Islamic Civilization. Using the basic, geometrically powerful forms of an arc, cylinder, and cube, and materials properly proportioned to the context of the desert's endless scale achieves the project's goal. The cube, which symbolizes the "Kaaba," organizes the "Journey." The cylinder symbolizes the movement around the "Kaaba." The curved building fans out to symbolize spreading of the word of Islam and houses the supporting program elements. The fan shape and trellis spokes over the atrium reinforce the idea of disseminating the thoughts of Islam. The plan organization forms a dramatic first image of the curved volume housing the Center's administration, learning, and support facilities. The four main halls are hidden within the cube, connected by the central atrium interactive zone, which wraps around the hub of the theoretical world, symbolizing the "Journey."

Completion:

Pending Selection

Architecture Firm of Record:

TAEP

Declaration of Responsibility:

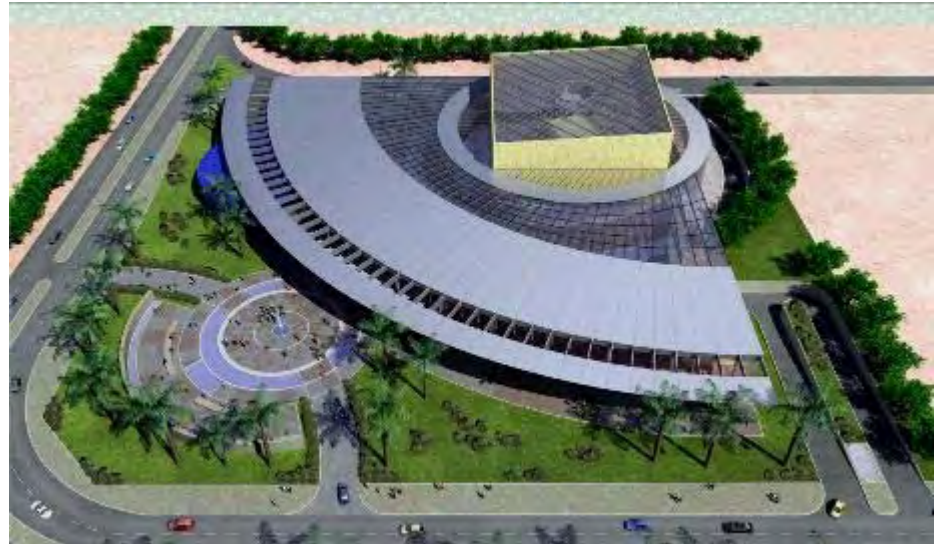
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Mr. Gebhart was the Architectural Design Consultant for the selected scheme.

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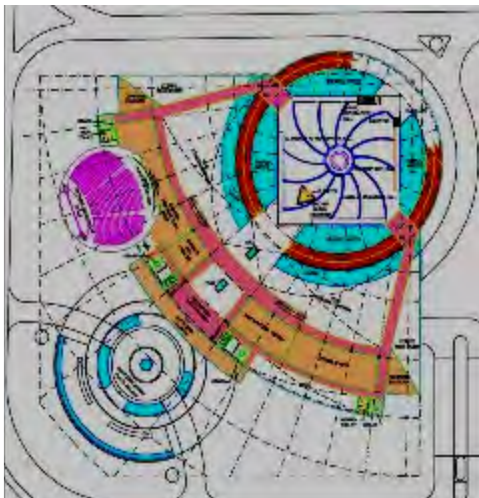
Site Aerial View Above

View of Atrium Commons Below



Main Arrival Plaza and Main Entry Below

Mezzanine Plan Below



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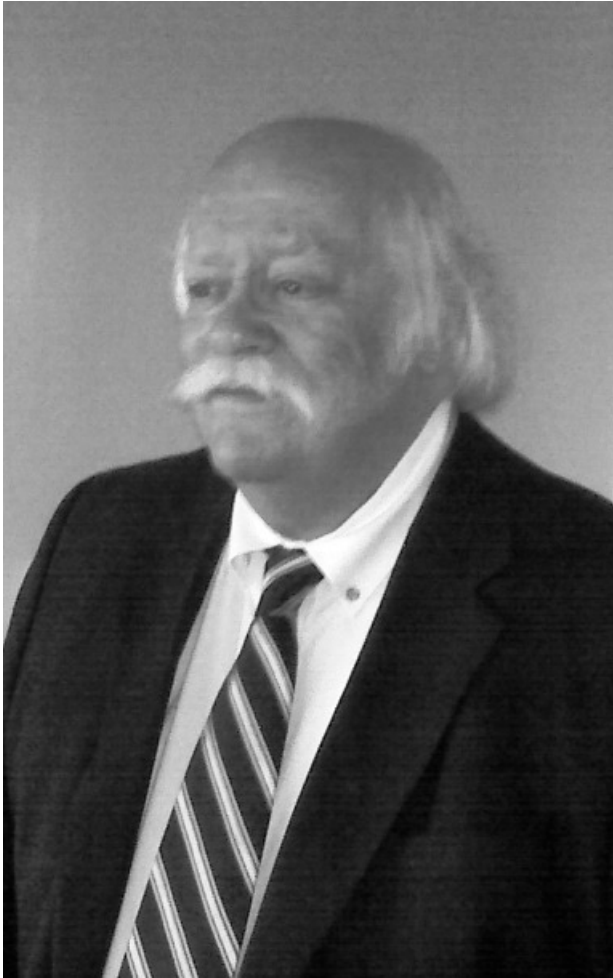


Start of "The Journey Below

View along "The Journey" Above



Nominee Photo



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