

COMMITTEES WITH OPENINGS IN 2022

Committee Name	Description	Staff
Academy of Architecture for Justice Leadership Group	The Academy of Architecture for Justice (AAJ) promotes and fosters the exchange of information and knowledge between members, professional organizations, and the public for high-quality planning, design, and delivery of justice architecture.	Bruce Bland bbland@aia.org
AIA 2030 Working Group	The 2030 Commitment exists to support the 2030 Challenge and transform the practice of architecture in a way that is holistic, firm-wide, project-based, and data-driven. Nearly 1,000 companies have joined the program since 2009. The 2030 Commitment Working Group provides strategic direction for the program and may advise on tactical program implementation. The group meets virtually twice monthly.	Matthew Welker, Assoc. AIA matthewwelker@aia.org
AIA MasterSpec Mechanical Engineering Subcommittee	The MasterSpec Mechanical Engineering Subcommittee is one of several MasterSpec-related committees that perform an important service for AIA by providing the peer review of new MasterSpec sections and sections scheduled for major update.	Sandra Meyer sandrameyer@aia.org
AIA/AGC Joint Committee	This committee addresses issues of concern and interest to both architects and contractors , such as federal contracting and regulations, sustainability, project delivery, emerging professionals, and the economy.	Paula Seidel paulaseidel@aia.org
ArchiPAC Steering Committee	This committee's charge is to function as a “political organization” as defined in the Internal Revenue Code Section 527(e)(1), as amended or recodified from time to time; to operate for the purpose of directly or indirectly accepting contributions or making expenditures, or both for the function of influencing the selection, nomination, election or appointment of any individual seeking elective federal office or office in a federal political organization; to carry on “exempt functions” as defined in Internal Revenue Code Section 527(e)(2), as amended or recodified from time to time, including activities and expenditures directly related to and supporting the process of influencing the selection, nomination, election, or appointment of any individual to any federal public office or office in a federal political organization and the making of direct or indirect expenditures which are necessary to support such activities; and to provide members of the AIA with a positive vehicle for collective and active engagement in the political process.	Wendy Perez Young wendyperezyoung@aia.org

<p>Best Practices, in collaboration with The Practice Management Knowledge Community</p>	<p>The Best Practices committee develops and curates the AIA Best Practices collection, a collection of relevant, experience-based knowledge and expert advice on firm management, project delivery, contracts and more. The Best Practices committee works closely with the Practice Management Knowledge Community (aia.org/pm).</p> <p>Find the published best practices at https://www.aia.org/best-practices </p> <p>Learn more about the 2021 call for applications at https://network.aia.org/events/event-description?CalendarEventKey=71e8a675-cf45-41a9-a0c0-88cc722651d0&CommunityKey=3ef3ad32-6927-46d1-a4f0-53e517c1e0a9</p>	<p>Emma Tucker emmatucker@aia.org</p>
<p>Building Performance Advisory Group</p>	<p>The goal of the Building Performance Knowledge Community (BPKC) is to promote architects as leaders in the application of technical design for building performance; in the use of high-performance design criteria, codes, and standards; and in programming, designing and managing building performance. To advance, disseminate, and advocate—to the architecture profession, AIA members, building owners, the construction industry, the academy, and the public—design practices that create buildings that are healthy, energy efficient, and durable.</p> <p>www.aia.org/buildingperformance</p>	<p>Bruce Bland bbland@aia.org</p>

<p>Center for Practice</p>	<p>The mission of the Center for Practice (CFP) is to facilitate easy and effective access to and integration of relevant AIA resources and services to enable its members' practices to thrive.</p> <p> ROLE OF CFP ADVISORS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide strategic guidance and constructive feedback on AIA's role in delivering the firm value proposition and resources for architects as employers • Review progress on goals and priority areas in strategic and annual operating plans • Serve as ambassador for firm engagement <p>Serve as a focus group for 2022 projects:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prosperity benchmarks for firms—the first phase of an AIA firm recognition program. • New vehicle for content currently in the Architects Handbook of Professional Practice and best practices. • Market research data and business intelligence strategy including product expansions. <p> RESOURCES REQUIRED:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide feedback via email or survey approximately 10 times per year, 1-week to 1-month turnaround for requests • Participate in 4 half-day virtual working sessions <p> TERM: One-year term with an optional one year extension.</p>	<p>Kathleen McCormick, CAE kathleenmccormick@aia.org</p>
<p>Codes and Standards Committee</p>	<p>Architects' leadership in the development of construction codes, standards, and other regulations directly affects the success and prosperity of AIA members, the profession, and our communities.</p> <p>First formed in the 1950s, the AIA Codes and Standards (C&S) Committee powers the AIA's leading role in developing and promoting the national model building codes and standards published by the ICC, NFPA, and ASHRAE. The C&S Committee proactively participates in the building codes and standards development process to create a built environment and communities that are safer and more resilient—updating codes, pushing them beyond the bare minimum, and ensuring they encourage business growth.</p> <p>The C&S Committee members will be guided by, and support implementation of, the AIA Blue Ribbon Panel on Codes report “Disruption, Evolution, and Change” (http://bit.ly/2Kp9c0u). If you have ever wondered how the codes and standards architects use every day are created and applied, this is your opportunity to help shape them across the United States.</p>	<p>Paul Karrer PaulKarrer@aia.org</p>

Committee on Architecture for Education Leadership Group	The Committee on Architecture for Education (CAE) is a large and active group of architects and allied professionals concerned with the quality and design of all types of educational, cultural, and recreational facilities.	Bruce Bland bbland@aia.org
Committee on Design Advisory Group	The Committee on Design was founded to promote design excellence among members of the AIA, the broader design community, and the public at large, both nationally and internationally. There are over 12,000 AIA members who belong to this important knowledge community. These members are active in the AIA and, for the most part, lead their respective firms in the quest for quality architecture.	Susan Parrish sparrish@aia.org
Committee on the Environment Advisory Group	The Committee on the Environment (COTE®) is an AIA Knowledge Community working for architects, allied professionals, and the public to achieve climate action and climate justice through design. We believe that design excellence is the foundation of a healthy, sustainable, and equitable future. Our work promotes design strategies that empower all AIA members to realize the best social and environmental outcomes with the clients and the communities they serve.	Melissa Wackerle MelissaWackerle@aia.org
Construction Contract Administration Leadership Group	<p>Through webinars, live presentations, interactive discussions, and our growing library of white papers, the Construction Contract Administration knowledge community informs architects of the importance of construction phase services. These programs and papers cover a broad variety of CCA-related topics from beginner to expert, including best practices, changing roles and responsibilities, and opinions on controversial subjects. aia.org/cca</p> <p>Learn more about the 2022 call for nominations at https://network.aia.org/events/event-description?CalendarEventKey=3486460a-8122-4a52-a820-f0e4996a3f39&CommunityKey=7f559f04-304e-4451-be28-808158489e42</p>	Emma Tucker emmatucker@aia.org
Continuing Education Committee	The AIA Continuing Education (CE) Committee provides guidance and oversight for the implementation of an AIA continuing education strategy that advances the goals of the Institute by linking education and practice to develop and sustain lifelong learning by fostering collaboration, promoting a seamless transition from the academy to practice, and ensuring access to quality continuing education programs for AIA members. CE Committee members support excellence and best practices in their own education and practice and, by example, mentor other members.	Stephen Martin stephenmartin@aia.org

<p>Contract Documents Committee</p>	<p>This committee writes and revises AIA Contract Documents to create and maintain nationally applicable baselines for the legal terms and conditions governing the building process. The committee also reviews and advises the AIA on educational, marketing and delivery options related to the proper dissemination of the documents into the marketplace. Each Committee member is asked to commit to serve for 10 years. In some circumstances qualified candidates may be asked to make an initial commitment of 5 years, with the prospect of extending service to a full 10-year term. For more information about the current composition and the history of the Documents Committee, see https://www.aiacontracts.org/committee.</p>	<p>Kenneth Cobleigh, Esq. kcobleigh@aia.org</p>
<p>Corporate Architects and Facility Management Advisory Group</p>	<p>The Committee of Corporate Architects and Facility Management (CAFM) facilitates the generation and exchange of knowledge valuable to AIA members working for, or within, corporations or other client organizations.</p>	<p>Susan Parrish sparrish@aia.org</p>
<p>Custom Residential Architects Network Executive Committee</p>	<p>Support: It is our mission to support all architects whose practices focus on custom residential work. CRAN addresses the unique issues related to custom residential practice. As a forum, we provide for an exchange of ideas, resources and more that affect the residential practitioner.</p> <p>Advocate: Through vehicles such as the “Style Blind” position paper and working closely with NARI and NAHB to develop new contract documents, CRAN is finding new avenues to advocate for the residential practitioner.</p> <p>Educate: Through programs and events, a website at AIA.org, and its very own Wiki-site, CRAN strives to provide continuing educational opportunities for its members, the general public and our allied team members for all aspects of residential architecture practice.</p> <p>See here for more information: http://network.aia.org/customresidentialarchitectsnetwork/home/leadership/</p>	<p>Susan Parrish sparrish@aia.org</p>
<p>Design for Aging Advisory Group</p>	<p>The mission of the Design for Aging Knowledge Community (DFA) is to foster design innovation and disseminate knowledge necessary to enhance the built environment and quality of life for an aging society.</p>	<p>Isabella Rosse isabellarosse@aia.org</p>

<p>Disaster Assistance Committee</p>	<p>Established in 2006, members with pre and post disaster experience provide leadership and guidance on disaster preparedness and response as well as hazard mitigation and resilient disaster recovery. The ongoing work of the Disaster Assistance Committee includes advising on emergency disaster situations and equipping members and components with the tools and resources they need to lead their own local disaster assistance programs through advocacy, building safety assessment training, and developing volunteer and partner networks. Additionally, the committee provides guidance to mitigate building damage and recover more safely and quickly from disasters. Special focus in 2021 will include authorship of the AIA Disaster Assistance Handbook 4th edition and COVID-19 reoccupancy resources, as well as development of building vulnerability assessment guidance.</p> <p>Members will meet virtually, typically on a monthly basis, be asked to complete 1-4 hours of volunteer efforts per month and may attend one 2-day meeting in 2022.</p>	<p>Lindsay A. Brugger, AIA LindsayBrugger@aia.org</p>
<p>Global Practice Committee Advisory Group</p>	<p>The Global Practice Committee explores and monitors global practice and policy issues to be considered by the Board of Directors, and ensures communication among the different international constituencies and stakeholders within the AIA. The committee strives to promote excellence in global architectural practice; to serve as a resource to members by disseminating information in global markets, practice, and design; to develop expertise in global policy and trade issues to advise AIA on global practice; to facilitate and enhance the global practices of the membership; and to foster relationships with architects abroad.</p>	<p>Derek Washam derekwasham@aia.org</p>
<p>Historic Resources Committee Advisory Group</p>	<p>The mission of the Historic Resources Committee (HRC) Knowledge Community is to identify, understand, and preserve architectural heritage, both nationally and internationally.</p>	<p>Douglas Paul dpaul@aia.org</p>
<p>Housing and Community Development</p>	<p>The AIA Housing and Community Development Knowledge Community (HCD) is a network of architects and allied stakeholders that promotes equity in housing, excellence in residential design, and sustainable, vibrant communities for all, through education, research, awards, and advocacy.</p>	<p>Bruce Bland bbland@aia.org</p>
<p>Interfaith Design Leadership Group</p>	<p>The Interfaith Design knowledge community encourages and supports excellence in the design of worship spaces and their accoutrements. The community is composed of professionals whose primary interest is religious facilities in a broad array of traditions.</p> <p>Learn more about the 2022 call for nominations at www.aia.org/id</p>	<p>Isabella Rosse isabellarosse@aia.org</p>
<p>Interior Architecture Knowledge Community</p>	<p>The Interior Architecture Knowledge Community provides leadership and expertise to practitioners of interior architecture and design.</p>	<p>Isabella Rosse isabellarosse@aia.org</p>

Leadership Group		
MASTERSPEC Electrical Engineering Subcommittee	The MasterSpec Electrical Engineering Subcommittee is one of several MasterSpec-related committees that perform an important service for AIA by providing the peer review of new MasterSpec sections and sections scheduled for major update.	Sandra Meyer sandrameyer@aia.org
National Ethics Council	The National Ethics Council (NEC) is responsible for review of the Code of Ethics and Professional Conduct, and to review violations of the Code of Ethics by AIA members.	T. Francis Ona, Esq. tona@aia.org
Practice Management Knowledge Community Leadership Group	The Practice Management knowledge community identifies and develops information on the business of architecture leading to high quality practices in the professional and business environment. aia.org/pm Learn more about the 2022 call for nominations at https://network.aia.org/events/event-description?CalendarEventKey=82f1da2c-7ee0-4137-a0f1-69797032792e&CommunityKey=3ef3ad32-6927-46d1-a4f0-53e517c1e0a9	Emma Tucker emmatucker@aia.org
Project Delivery Knowledge Community Leadership Group	The Project Delivery Knowledge Community (PDKC) promotes the architect's leadership role in all project delivery methods by assembling and distributing knowledge and best practices for a variety of project delivery methods, e.g. design-build (DB), integrated project deliveries (IPD), and public-private partnerships (P3). aia.org/pd Learn more about the 2022 call for leaders at https://network.aia.org/events/event-description?CalendarEventKey=6b45720d-9388-4ded-bfa1-1d48c2a7e827&CommunityKey=f631dcdc-53a0-44fb-beb7-9dbba243fe10	Emma Tucker emmatucker@aia.org
Regional and Urban Design Leadership Group	The Regional and Urban Design knowledge community aims to improve the quality of the regional and urban environment by promoting excellence in design, planning, and public policy in the built environment. Learn more about the 20221 call for nominations at www.aia.org/rudc	Susan Parrish sparrish@aia.org

<p>Resilience and Adaptation Advisory Group</p>	<p>Members of the Resilience and Adaptation Advisory Group (RAAd-AG) advise and produce guidance for AIA members with their expertise in resilience, climate adaptation, risk management, and the intersection of equity with climate change as it pertains to the practice of resilience in architecture. Projects will focus on AIA's resilience education, policy and practice resources and will include mentoring the Resilience Network. In your letter of interest, please highlight demonstrated interest or experience in the business case for resilience, integrating resilience into architectural practice, and/or community resilience. The RAAd-AG will coordinate with the AIA Disaster Assistance Committee and other AIA member groups as needed.</p> <p>Members will meet virtually, typically on a monthly basis, be asked to complete 1-4 hours of volunteer efforts per month and attend one 2-day meeting in 2022.</p>	<p>Lindsay A. Brugger, AIA LindsayBrugger@aia.org</p>
<p>Retail and Entertainment Knowledge Community Leadership Group</p>	<p>The Retail and Entertainment Knowledge Community (REKC) fosters the creation, discussion, and dissemination of knowledge about the retail and entertainment environments among practitioners, clients, retailers, and the general public to advance the practice and improve the quality of retail and entertainment environments.</p>	<p>Isabella Rosse isabellarosse@aia.org</p>
<p>Small Firm Exchange State Representative</p>	<p>The mission of the AIA Small Firm Exchange (SFx) is to advance the mutual interests of architects practicing in small firms. We: 1, advocate for small firms within the AIA and in outside organizations and agencies; 2, promote leadership in Small Firm professional development and practice; and 3, facilitate and support the local component round tables and small firm networks.</p> <p> ROLE OF SFx REPRESENTATIVES:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Serve as a liaison to components in your state • Serve as a small firm advisor to the AIA national organization • Facilitate small firm content development <p> RESOURCES REQUIRED:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Passion to support our professional community, especially the needs of small firms • 6 - 12 hours per month including conference calls and personal tasks <p> TERM: One-year term, renewable for up to 5 years total.</p> <p>Full Position Description and rolling application at www.aia.org/sfx</p>	<p>Kathleen McCormick, CAE kathleenmccormick@aia.org</p>

<p>Small Project Design Advisory Group</p>	<p>The Small Project Design (SPD) Knowledge Community supports, celebrates, and promotes small projects by engaging designers and the public.</p> <p>Learn more about the 2022 call for applications at www.aia.org/spd</p>	<p>Susan Parrish sparrish@aia.org</p>
<p>Technology in Architectural Practice Leadership Group</p>	<p>The AIA Technology in Architectural Practice (TAP) Knowledge Community serves as a resource for AIA members, the profession, and the public in the deployment of computer technology in the practice of architecture.</p> <p>TAP monitors the development of computer technology and its impact on architecture practice and the entire building life cycle, including design, construction, facility management, and retirement or reuse.</p> <p>Learn more about the 2022 call for leaders at https://network.aia.org/events/event-description?CalendarEventKey=31d43562-8584-4994-b665-7755af8cf155&CommunityKey=79d8bdfe-0ff1-430c-b5c9-7aef1aa8fd0a</p>	<p>Emma Tucker emmatucker@aia.org</p>