



# Fellowscope



*THE ELECTRONIC NEWSLETTER FOR ALL MEMBERS OF THE AIA COLLEGE OF FELLOWS*  
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## SPECIAL ISSUE!!!

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*Fellowscope* is now available online. Go to the COF website noted above and click on *Fellowscope*.

*The purpose of the College of Fellows is to stimulate a sharing of interests among Fellows, to promote the purposes of the Institute, to advance the profession of architecture, to mentor young architects, and to be of ever-increasing service to society.*

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## Chancellor's Message

Dear Colleagues:

The last few years have been difficult for our profession and especially for young architects trying to find their way in a changing profession. Fortunately, the upturn in the economy bodes well for a more positive future.

If you have followed my messages in *Fellowscope*, you know that the College of Fellows is focused on supporting the Young Architects Forum, with grants to assist local components in programs that address the needs of the next generation of professionals. The College also sponsors the prestigious Latrobe Prize for Architectural Research.



Until a few years ago we were able to achieve our goals through the generous contributions of a small segment of our members and through the growth of our investment funds. However, because of the previous economic downturn, both our investment funds and our annual contributions have been very slow in returning to their previous levels. On the other hand the need for support of programs has increased.

Last year only 211 of the more than 2800 Fellows contributed to the COF Fund. Despite the relatively low number, we remain grateful to each of them. To the other 2600 or so, I ask you to remember how you felt as you stood on the Investiture stage and received your medal for contribution to the profession. With that honor came an obligation.

Please help! You can contribute online at [www.aia.org/cof](http://www.aia.org/cof) and clicking on "Support COF" tab and then the "Donate Online" link. Or you can mail your contribution to the AIA (Attn: Terri Stewart) using the donation form I mailed you in October. You may also print and fill in the form at the end of this newsletter.

Your contributions to the College of Fellows Fund will go a long way in furthering the purposes of AIA Fellowship. We encourage you to thoughtfully include the College of Fellows in your end of the year giving.

I hope that you have a great holiday and that 2015 brings you, your family and your colleagues, good health and prosperity.

Warm Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "W. Stanley III". The signature is stylized and fluid.

William J. Stanley III, FAIA  
2014 Chancellor

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# **Why is it important for you to support the COF Fund?**

## **What has the fund supported over the years?**

The AIA College of Fellows Fund supports significant research and mentoring activities annually.

- Mentoring of young architects is a fundamental purpose of the College of Fellows. It has been supported through a variety of programs by components and Regional Representatives.
- Latrobe Prize: every-other year this program supports architectural research. It is the largest of its kind in the industry.
- Component Grants to sponsor programs and events to mentor young architects and emerging professions.
- Meetings with YAF leadership and the COF ExCom to assure effective communication to promote better programs for young architects and emerging professionals.

The following are recent examples:

## **An Exemplar Mentoring Program of the Northwest and Pacific Region:**

### **Goals**

A main goal of the AIA College of Fellows (COF) is to advance the profession of architecture and to mentor young architects. The purpose of the Young Architects Forum (YAF) and the National Associates Committee (NAC) is to address important issues on the minds of emerging professionals (EPs). The AIA Northwest and Pacific (NW&P) Region developed this Mentoring Program to bridge the gap between these groups and by doing so advances the missions of all involved. Through participation in this program our Region's EP's will be exposed to meaningful learning opportunities outside of their offices and established professional circles so that they may continue to strive to develop as well-rounded, successful architects and community leaders.

The AIA NW&P Mentoring Program has been set-up to build leadership skills and foster career development through cross-generational interaction between Emerging Professionals EPs and FAIA members. The goals for this program are to:

- Connect our Region's Fellows with emerging professionals
- Enhance the careers of the next generation of Architects.
- Encourage Architects at every stage of their career to develop strong leadership skills.
- Inspire participation and new leadership within the AIA at the local, regional and national levels.

### **How does it work?**

The idea is a simple one: pair AIA Fellows with young architects and associate members by identifying 20 AIA Fellows who will serve as mentors for this program. Each of them will be assigned four emerging professionals

(two architects and two interns) to form a mentor group that will meet a minimum of six times throughout the year. As a part of the application process for the program, architects and interns will highlight specific areas of interest that will help the Region match them with Fellow mentors who share in those interests.



After pairing the groups together based on locale, similar interests and expectations, each group is provided with a “toolkit” of suggested activities, such as building tours, sketching trips, round table discussions and more informal social activities. The activities that the pairs ultimately undertake throughout the year are entirely up to them. Since reaching out to our members about this exciting new mentorship program in late January, we already have a large number of participants lined up. We look forward to working with each group and our Region’s leadership to evolve this program over time.

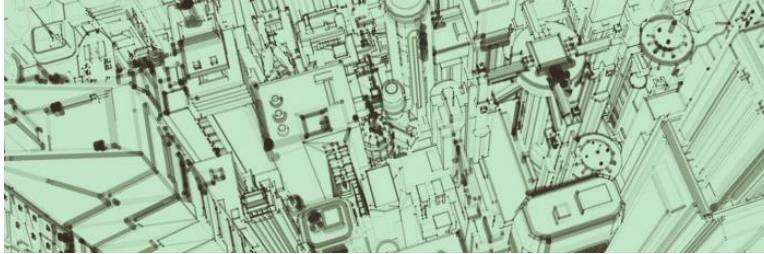
### **Latrobe 2013 Latrobe Prize:**

College of Fellows awarded the 2013 Latrobe Prize of \$100,000 to Joyce Hsiang, Yale University studio critic and Principal of Plan B Architecture & Urbanism, LLC and her Plan B colleague, Bimal Mendis, the Assistant Dean of Yale University’s School of Architecture.



This research studied the impact of population growth and resource consumption on the built and natural environment at the scale of the entire world as a single urban entity. This global problem demands a global perspective. An antidote to fragmentary analyses and arbitrary boundaries, the Urban Sphere projects global population and development as one unified urban entity without boundaries: the city of 7 billion.

The research created a holistic geospatial model of the world as a continuous urban topography. It integrated multiple sets of data, including demography, finance, geography and infrastructure to evaluate cause and effect relationships between competing demands. It also allowed for a finer grain analysis of specific areas and regions by new parameters. This research engaged other disciplines in the field of architecture, while also developing ways for architecture to play a role in global problems.



### **2013 Component Grant:**

The generous support of the AIA College of Fellows Component Grant in 2013 made it possible for AIA Baltimore to build on leadership initiatives for our Emerging Professionals and to engage them in our component's efforts to communicate the value of design to the public. There were two initiatives supported by the College of Fellows Grant: CivicLAB, and Architecture Seen: Emerging Professionals Photo Contest.



### **2014 Component Grant Submission:**

AIA Kansas City's YAF/Emerging Professionals committee received a grant for the chapter's ARE Success Team with the objective of increasing the number of registered architects in the chapter and inspiring those who have not yet started on the path to licensure. In January 2014, AIA Kansas City launched its inaugural ARE Success Team to assist Associate members with the Architect Registration Examination (ARE). Each member of the ARE Success Team is committed to taking all seven sections of the ARE within a 12 month period.



## **2014 COF Executive Committee meeting with YAF at Grassroots:**

The COF takes advantage of every opportunity to meet with the YAF leadership including 2014 at Grassroots. The two groups covered a plethora of topics – in a very short but effective meeting.

- 1) Repositioning and the formation of new alliances between YAF and the National Associates Committee (NAC), Knowledge Communities (KCs), the Association of General Contractors (AGC)
- 2) Program Updates for
  - a) Knowledge dissemination at Grassroots and Convention
  - b) Communications using *CONNECTION* and Tweet chats
  - c) Advocacy partnership with the Association of General Contractors
- 3) Proven Best Practices
  - a) A recap of 2013 research results
  - b) Regional reports
- 4) New ways of working together
  - a) COF/YAF Annual Luncheon
  - b) An innovative program that would join a Young Architect and a Fellow to enhance research – on such topics as practice, sustainability and technology, etc.



The YAF leadership and COF EXCOM are seen here engaged in an active dialogue at their meeting during Grassroots.



YAF Planning Meeting at AIA Atlanta Headquarters with William Carpenter, FAIA in attendance.

Please join us in support of these vital programs. It's easy to do. You can contribute online at [www.aia.org/cof](http://www.aia.org/cof) and clicking on "Support COF" tab and then the "Donate Online" link. Or you can mail your contribution to the AIA (Attn: Terri Stewart) using the form(s) on pages 8 and 9.

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- 1. **Contribution:** Cumulative past donations totaling \$10,000 or more.
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  - a. Securities in the amount of \$10,000 or more.
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  - d. Other non-revocable donation of \$10,000 or more.

Completing the following information allows the College of Fellows to update their records and assure members the recognition they deserve.

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_ I am a College of Fellows Legacy Member and have received my Lapel Pin Attachment.
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