

Greg L. Roberts, FCSI

*"For your efforts to educate others about the value of environmental stewardship; for your dedicated promotion of CSI to students through the professional and academic communities; and for your service to the Institute as a "master of collaboration" resulting in increased recognition and respect for CSI within Houston's construction community, you are advanced to Fellowship in the Institute on the 22nd day of April 2005."
Chicago, Illinois*



GREG L. ROBERTS understands environmental stewardship as a systemic endeavor. In his professional practice and volunteer initiatives, Roberts has combined his passion for a healthy, sustainable environment with his expertise in architectural specifications to shape "green" building programs.

Roberts' respect for the land and sustainable lifestyle is rooted in his farm family heritage and reinforced by his early naturalist experience in the hills of Arkansas. As a student at the University of Arkansas, under the tutelage of his professors, including E. Faye Jones, FAIA, he learned the value of designing "organically" with the environment, and of the importance of resource efficiency. His holistic view of architecture led him to specification writing, which not only requires an appreciation of design and the value of quality but also demands a deep understanding of construction practices and technical issues of codes, materials, and systems.

Roberts' leadership in development of sustainability standards, particularly the pioneering guidelines for the healthcare industry, has had a profound impact on the design

and construction activities in healthcare worldwide. Among his most influential contributions are -- serving on the Steering Committee of the "Green Guide for Health Care" and the Core Committee of the LEED™ for Healthcare, two national initiatives that recognizes the profound impact of the built environment on the health of occupants, local communities, and global ecology and encourages design strategies that enhance the healing environment for patients, healthy and productive work environments for staff, and responsible ecological stewardship.

Articulate and respected, Roberts influences architecture education and practices across the country through his writing and speaking.

Today, Roberts is a leader in the national transformation to incorporate sustainable principles as an integral part of architectural practice. He is making a critical difference in the profession by developing green building standards for healthcare architecture, and by rallying his peers, architectural students, and healthcare facilities professionals across the country to embrace sustainable, health-based design.

CSI Membership

Houston Chapter, 1978-1985

Houston Chapter, 1994

Institute Offices, Committees

Member, Environmental Task Team, FY 2002-2004

Region Offices, Committees

Chair, Education Committee, FY 2004

Chapter Offices, Committees

Director, CSI Houston Foundation, FY 2003-2007

Immediate Past President, FY 2004

Chair, Nominating Committee, FY 2003

President, FY 2003

Director, FY 1999-2001

Chair, Continuing Education/Tech. Committee, FY 2002

Chair, Technical Committee, FY 2000

Chair, Education Committee, FY 1979

Awards

Institute

Outstanding Chapter President Award, 2003

Certificate of Merit and Appreciation, 2003

South Central Region

Certificate of Commendation, Chapter President, 2003

Award for Special Publications, 2003

Certificate of Appreciation, Education Committee, 2004

Houston Chapter

Certificate of Appreciation – Committee Service, 1999

Certificate of Appreciation - Chapter Director, 1999, 2001

Chapter Presidential Citation, 2000, 2002, 2004

Environmental Award, 2003, 2004

Hall of Fame, 2007

Education Award, 2007, 2008

Other

Fellow, American Institute of Architects, 2009