Jonathan M. Miller, FCSI

"For your exemplary service to the Vermont Chapter leading to a dramatic growth in membership that serves as an inspiration to others; for facilitating the creation of the Vermont Technical College Student Affiliate; for your Distinguished Service to the Northeast Region; and in recognition of your efforts to incorporate Environmental Attributes into specifications, you are advanced to Fellowship in the Institute on the 1st day of April 2006."



JONATHAN M. MILLER started life in 1955 as an Indiana Hoosier, the third of six children by Paul and Elaine Miller.

Miller earned a B.S. Design from Clemson (SC) University, and an M. Arch from the University of Minnesota. From 1976, off and on, until 1981, he was a staff member of the Planning & Engineering Department and a Special Assistant to the Director of the Harrisburg (PA) Redevelopment Authority. His varied career includes paperboy, dishwasher, roofer, Art & Architectural History Teaching Assistant at the University of Minnesota, and visiting lecturer teaching an architectural detailing lab at Vermont Technical College. With many years of architectural experience since 1983 as an AIT, Associate Designer, Project Designer, Staff Architect, Project Architect, Project Manager and Specifier with large (550+), medium (20 to 66), and small (>5 person) firms, including his own, Jonathan has focused his professional efforts on providing specification consulting services since 2002. Projects have ranged from state park facility renovations and a house, to embassy office fit-outs, theaters, college buildings, 80-story mixed-use highrises, cultural museums, hospital complexes, and mega-malls.

Miller's first CSI experience included sitting next to past president John C. Anderson, FCSI, CDT, who, along with Doug Lingren, Peter Norum, and Alana Griffith, imprinted networking and education as CSI's main benefit. Since 1982 Mr. Miller has volunteered and served on the boards of the Linden Hills Food COOP in Minneapolis, Minneapolis-St. Paul Chapter CSI, Vermont Chapter CSI, Vermont Green Building Network (VGBN), a USGBC chapter, and the Northeast Region, CSI.

Green and sustainable issues have been a personal and professional interest to Miller since his family was forced to temporarily relocate from the Three Mile Island incident on March 28, 1979. Many of his awards were for efforts involving environmental issues.

Jonathan is a Registered Architect in Vermont and is currently a Specification Consultant in Independent Practice in Middlebury, Vermont, where he provides specification and sustainability consultant services.

CSI Membership

Minneapolis-St. Paul Chapter, 1990 to 1994 Hartford Chapter, 1994 to 1997 Vermont Chapter, 1997

Institute Offices, Committees

Membership Committee, FY 2005-2007

Region Offices, Committees

Secretary, FY 2004, 2005 Vermont Director, FY 1998, 2002, 2003 Region Conference Co-Chair, FY 2002 Technical Chair, FY 2003 Training & Leadership Task Team Co-Chair, FY 2003 Membership Chair, FY 2006, 2007

Chapter Offices, Committees - Minneapolis-St. Paul

Vice President, Technical, FY 1992, 1993 Chair, Environmental Subcommittee of the Technical Committee, FY 1992, 1993

Chapter Offices, Committees - Hartford

Technical Chair, FY 1995, 1996

Chapter Offices, Committees - Vermont

President, FY 2000, 2001 Secretary, FY 1998, 1999, 2002 Treasurer, FY 1998, 1999 Chapter Director, FY 2004 Technical Chair, FY 1998, 1999, 2000, 2002 Program Chair, FY 1999 through 2005 Product Show Chair, FY 2000 through 2005 Membership Chair, FY 2000 through 2007

Awards, Institute

Institute Environmental Sensitivity Award, FY 2002

Awards, Vermont Chapter

Joseph S. Zajchowski Dedicated Service Award, FY 2004

Awards, Northeast Region

Conference Chairman Citation, FY 2001 Distinguished Service Award, FY 2004