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AIA Colorado Recognizes 2013 Young Architects and Designers

DENVER (April 26, 2013)—The American Institute of Architects Colorado Component (AIA Colorado), presented 11 awards and honors, as well as 17 scholarships and grants from The Architectural Education Foundation, AIA Colorado, during its annual Young Architects Awards Gala (YAAG), held Friday, April 26, at L2 Arts and Culture Center in Denver.

The following awards and honorable mentions were selected from entries submitted by firms, designers, students and young architects (licensed 10 years or less) from across the state. The entries were judged by a jury of architects and community leaders, facilitated by Dr. Mark Gelernter, Ph.D., Assoc. AIA, Dean of the College of Architecture and Planning at the University of Colorado Denver.

2013 YAAG AWARD WINNERS

Young Architect of the Year

Michael Piché, AIA

Instructor of the Year

Frederick Andreas, AIA

(John Lanterman - Honorable Mention)

Mentor of the Year

Brandon Anderson, AIA

Student Portfolio

Caleb White

Alex McCann

Graphics – Digital Media

Joey Pruett, Assoc. AIA

(Graham Bowman, AIAS - Honorable Mention)

Craftsmanship – Artistic

Caitlin Blythe, Assoc. AIA

Unbuilt Architecture

Alex McCann

(Kathryn Swasey, AIAS, and Stephan Hall, Assoc. AIA - Honorable Mention)

Built Architecture

Colorado Building Workshop at the University of Colorado Denver; including instructor Rick Sommerfeld, Assoc. AIA; Caitlin Blythe, Assoc. AIA; Nicole Bruechner, AIAS; Michael Bucher, Assoc. AIA; Nicole Davis; Carrie Hadley, AIAS; Katherine Hawkins, Assoc. AIA; Christopher Johnston, Assoc. AIA; Robert Kiester; William Koning; Milen Milev; Rachel Mott; Will Murray, AIAS; Gerald Reynolds; JD Signom, AIAS; Astrid Vander

2013 HONORS – UCD COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE & PLANNING

Alpha Rho Chi Medal

Maria Alejandra Delgado de Leon, AIAS

Henry Adams Medal

Stephan Hall, Assoc. AIA

Henry Adams Certificate of Merit

Adam Boyd Steinbach

The following 17 scholarships and grants were awarded by The Architectural Education Foundation, AIA Colorado.

2013 TRAVELING SCHOLARSHIPS

James M. Hunter, FAIA, Scholarship - \$2,000

Jade Polizzi, Assoc. AIA, and Stephen Eckert, AIA

Arthur A. Fisher, AIA, & Florence G. Fisher Traveling Scholarship I - \$2,700

Cynthia Fishman, AIA

Arthur A. Fisher, AIA, & Florence G. Fisher Traveling Scholarship II - \$2,300

Frederick Andreas, AIA

Rodney S. Davis, AIA, Traveling Scholarship - \$4,000

Tyler Jessen

Hobart D. Wagener, FAIA, Traveling Scholarship - \$5,000

Eric Watson, Assoc. AIA

2013 GRADUATE ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS

Mike Kephart, AIA, Scholarship - \$1,000

Iassen Vladimirov, AIAS

Temple Hoyne Buell, FAIA, Scholarship - \$2,500

Maeve Kinsey, AIAS

William C. Muchow, FAIA, & Priscilla W. Muchow Scholarship - \$5,000

Brandon Bain, AIAS

2013 UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS

AIA Colorado North Chapter Scholarship - \$1,000

Vanessa Rief, AIAS

Gary G. Landin, AIA, Scholarship - \$1,500

Ingrid Torales Rios, AIAS

Anniversary Scholarship - \$1,500

Graham Bowman, AIAS

C. Gordon Sweet, AIA, Scholarship I - \$1,500

Anjelica Gallegos, AIAS

C. Gordon Sweet, AIA, Scholarship II - \$1,500

Adam Meis

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Robert K. Fuller, FAIA, Scholarship - \$2,000
Kathryn Swasey, AIAS

Kenneth R. Fuller, FAIA, Scholarship - \$2,000
Anthony Gengaro, AIAS

DeVon M. Carlson, FAIA, Scholarship - \$2,500
Sayed Mahdi Alavizadeh

2013 OTHER SCHOLARSHIPS

Oscar R. Sanchez, Assoc. AIA, Scholarship - \$2,000
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About AIA & AIA Colorado

Founded in 1857, members of The American Institute of Architects consistently work to create more valuable, healthy, secure, and sustainable buildings, neighborhoods, and communities. Through nearly 300 state and local chapters, AIA advocates for public policies that promote economic vitality and public well being. Members adhere to a code of ethics and conduct to ensure the highest professional standards. AIA provides members with tools and resources to assist them in their careers and business as well as engaging civic and government leaders, and the public to find solutions to pressing issues facing our communities, institutions, nation and world. Visit www.aia.org.

With more than 2,400 members, AIA Colorado's mission is to be the voice of the architectural profession and the primary resource for its members. AIA Colorado inspires members to be leaders in a quality built environment. Visit www.aiacolorado.org.

About The Architectural Education Foundation, AIA Colorado

Since the first \$600 scholarship was presented in 1961, The Architectural Education Foundation, AIA Colorado, has awarded more than \$1,000,000 in scholarships, grants and other prizes to more than 400 students, architects and teachers. The annual awards program exceeds \$50,000 from income received through investments and donations. The foundation continually seeks new funds in the way of endowments, donations and memorials from the design community and the AIA Colorado membership at large.