Public Artists, Urban Planners & Designers, Environmentalists, Architects, Civic Leaders, Journalists, Landscape Architects, Activists...
...come from around the world to the Harvard Graduate School of Design with one unifying purpose:
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To have greater impact on critical social issues.
A powerful network of colleagues passionately committed to social change.

Social unrest in cities, racial injustice, environmental threats, and a vital need for leadership—these defined the late 1960s, but might as well describe today. In the face of “a crisis in our cities,” John and Frances Loeb established the Loeb Fellowship to bring promising innovators together, provide them with support and resources, and challenge them to do more and do better to make our world more sustainable and more humane. Through the Fellowship, accomplished practitioners are fortified to become more effective leaders and visionaries.

Since 1970, over 500 Loeb Fellows have applied their skills and optimism, and the tools and networks they acquired during their resident year at the Harvard Graduate School of Design, to redressing some of society’s most pressing problems. Our 50th anniversary year, 2020–2021, was a year of unparalleled challenge for our communities as well as for the design fields. The pain and urgency of the COVID-19 pandemic around the world, coupled with the climate crisis and the fight for racial justice and for dismantling systemic racism, demand our collective and continued response.
Loeb Fellows do not shy from crises or seemingly intractable problems. They seek to uncover opportunities, nurture assets, and make the most of inflection points to help communities all over the world strengthen and transform themselves. This makes them uniquely suited, as practitioners in the built and natural environments, whose work is advancing positive social outcomes in the US and around the world, to respond to the challenges of the present day.

The mission of the Loeb Fellowship has never been so relevant, or so imperative, as it is now. And never have the vision and energy of Loeb Fellows and alumni been so important to share with each other and with the world.
Loeb Fellows are people of exceptional skill who design, plan, preserve, critique, and champion the spaces where we live.

Whether they have traditional credentials or unconventional career paths, Loeb Fellows have demonstrated creativity, leadership, and a willingness to ask hard questions.
a passionate commitment to building healthier communities
The Loeb Fellowship is a unique environment for practitioners to step away from their busy professional lives and prioritize learning.

Fellows unleash their curiosity, expand skills in the midst of a great university, and chart the next phase of their careers to become more effective agents of change. They gain new knowledge, expand networks, strengthen resolve, and stretch the limits of the possible.
the opportunity to learn, connect, and grow
After the year in residence, Fellows join an unparalleled worldwide network of professional colleagues.

They have the opportunity to gather every year and frequently collaborate, both formally and informally, to support each other’s professional activities. Additionally, as alumni of the Graduate School of Design, they may participate in the GSD alumni community and events.
a lifelong global network
Once limited to the United States, the Fellowship expanded to include international fellows in 1997 and, year by year, continues to increase its geographic reach and diversity.
The Fellowship @ 50

The Loeb Fellowship is a year unlike any other: one of intense learning and discovery, a unique time to explore new ways of thinking and challenge assumptions.

The Fellowship is built on the foundation of a group experience among individuals with different backgrounds, skills, and interests and the generative thinking that can produce. In a typical year, up to 10 individuals from across the US and the world spend an academic year at the Harvard Graduate School of Design (GSD). The powerful intellectual and personal relationships with their Loeb class, with students and faculty of the GSD, and with Loeb alumni can forever change the magnitude of Loeb Fellows’ social impact when they return to practice.

Our 50th anniversary year was far from typical. With the onset of the corona virus pandemic in Spring 2020, the decision was made to suspend the selection of Fellows for academic year 2020–21. One of the Loeb Fellowship’s great strengths is its flexibility, and faced with obstacles, Loeb typically look for creative opportunities and inflection points. In a sense, our 50th anniversary year was like the Loeb Fellowship getting a Loeb Fellowship. We turned our attention and resources to refining the Fellowship program; celebrating our 50th anniversary year virtually with alumni and friends; developing new public and alumni programming; investing in our values of...
racial equity, social justice, diversity, inclusion, belonging, and equity; and—with the help and continued involvement of the Loeb alumni—working together to amplify the Loeb Fellowship’s impact.

In Spring 2020 the Loeb Fellowship Alumni Council launched two new platforms for information sharing among Loebs: an alumni website and a Google forum, both now in active use. The website includes Alumni Council meeting notes and initiatives, Alumni Grant reports, and alumni news. Online Loeb Alumni Community Gatherings, curated by Chee Pearlman LF ’11 and LaShawn Hoffman LF ’15, bring in Loebs worldwide to hear about the powerful work of colleagues actively engaged with the issues we face in this moment. Further, we have launched an Oral History project to strengthen the connection between the Fellowship and alumni and produce a meaningful, diverse range of Loeb stories and perspectives from the last half century.

And this is just the start. While in 2020–21 we met with every class virtually, we look forward to bringing Loebs back to campus for our 50th reunion celebration October 6–9, 2022. As always, we take our inspiration from the Loeb Fellows and their steady focus on the long game: building relentlessly toward a more beautiful, more just, more accessible, and more sustainable world.

1. George Gund Hall, opened in 1972, remains home to the Graduate School of Design and the Loeb Fellowship. Image: Photo by Tom Landers/The Boston Globe via Getty Images
2. Loebs at the Guthrie Theater in Minneapolis, MN on the 2013 Loeb Fall Study Tour. Image: Julie Campoli
To the Loeb community,

Since the start of the Fellowship in 1970, Loebbs have made dramatic contributions to the GSD community.

The diversity in each Fellowship class—of background, experience, practice, and perspective—is a critical element in the powerful intellectual and personal relationships they forge with GSD students. Bringing the challenges of design into focus through the lens of social justice, Loeb Fellows inspire students to apply their skills and knowledge to solving urgent social challenges and influence the scope and scale of their ambitions.

Loebbs have made lasting contributions to the quality of life on campus, providing guidance and support to students in initiatives like the African American Student Union, Women in Design, the Stockard Fund, and the William A. Doebele Fellowship for Community Design. They have created exhibits, installations, and classes; provided a pressure valve with dance parties and storytelling nights; and offered critiques and mentorship. Engaging with students and faculty alike, Loeb Fellows cross departments and disciplines, weaving their activism, intelligence, and passion for how design can improve the world into the fabric of the GSD.

Sarah M. Whiting
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Dear alumni & friends,

The 50th Anniversary of the Loeb Fellowship has been an opportunity to honor and celebrate our legacy of social engagement through practice, and it has also been a call to action.

While coronavirus caused us to suspend the 2020–21 Fellowship year, it also created a rare opportunity for us to find new and better ways of deepening our commitment to our mission and strengthening the program and the impact. As individuals and as an institution, we cannot be silent in the face of systemic racism, gender inequity, class marginalization, political oppression, environmental injustice, and all of the other ways the violation of human rights manifests in the built and natural environment.

Activism is in the Loeb Fellows’ DNA. Around the world Fellows are taking action in response to these societal challenges and sharing their experiences with each other in online conversations and through Loeb Alumni Community Gatherings. With an eye to amplifying our collective impact, the Loeb Fellowship is working to fortify our integration with the GSD, deepen the engagement among past Fellows, and develop new programming beyond the Fellowship’s core activities.

Fifty years and over 500 alumni since the origin of the Fellowship, we continue to seek ways to act as agents of social reform individually and collectively within the environments we create. As global citizens and as practitioners, this is our work to do.

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At the nexus of art, fashion, and academia, Dario Calmese is an artist, creative director, and urbanist based in New York City. In 2020 he made history as the first Black photographer to shoot a cover for Vanity Fair, with his portrait of Oscar-winning actress, Viola Davis. During 2020 he also launched his widely-acclaimed podcast, *The Institute of Black Imagination*, featuring conversations from the pool of black genius through the lens of design.

Calmese serves on the global advisory board for Estee Lauder Companies and is a professor at the New School’s Parsons School of Design in New York City. He is also a NYC Urban Design Forum fellow and his show direction for the fashion brand Pyer Moss has been consistently hailed in *Vogue* and the *New York Times* as the “best show of Fashion Month.” Most recently, he collaborated with Adobe Lightroom to design presets specifically for people of color.

Classically trained in the performing arts, Calmese uses his knowledge of movement, gesture, and psychology to create complex characters and narratives that explore history, race, class, and what it means to be human. He received his master’s in photography from the School of Visual Arts and his bachelor’s in psychology at Rockhurst University in Kansas City.
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Pamela Conrad, PLA, ASLA, LEED AP, is a landscape architect and climate advocate with 20 years of experience improving the social and ecological impacts of the built environment. Her Midwestern farm upbringing and science background drive her mission to increase equitable and resilient climate change solutions through design.

Over the past decade she has served as a design and advocacy leader through her roles as principal at CMG Landscape Architecture, founder of Climate Positive Design, and climate action committee member for the International Federation of Landscape Architects and American Society of Landscape Architects. She has been recognized as an Architecture 2030 Senior Fellow, 2018 LAF Fellow for Innovation and Leadership, and 2019 San Francisco Business Times NCRE Woman of Influence.

In 2019, Conrad launched Climate Positive Design to inspire climate action in the exterior built environment. This global initiative enables voluntary emissions reductions while increasing carbon sequestration and co-benefits through free and accessible tools, guidance, and resources. In 2021, she spearheaded the IFLA Climate Action Commitment that was shared at the UN Climate Change Conference (COP26) to embolden accelerated government policy and united 70,000 landscape architects from 77 nations. To catalyze ongoing change, Conrad speaks and publishes works on landscape architecture, climate action and resilience.
Claudia Dobles Camargo is an architect and presidential advisor, with more than 12 years of experience in urban mobility, affordable and social housing, community engagement, climate change, and fair transition. She currently lives in San José, Costa Rica, where until recently she was first lady of Costa Rica, working as a leading political coordinator for the infrastructure, transport, and mobility sector and co-leading, along with the president, the Costa Rican National Decarbonization Plan. As a presidential advisor, Dobles advocated creating a legal framework for the first time in Costa Rica so the first lady or the first gentleman can go beyond traditional duties. Prior to becoming the first lady, she worked in the private sector as a regional design leader for a multinational firm, working on large scale projects in Latin America and the United States.

Dobles graduated as an architect from the University of Costa Rica in 2011, and participated as a visiting student at Kanto Gakuin University in Yokohama, Japan, to study a sustainability approach in architecture.
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Natalia García Dopazo is an Argentinian feminist born in Buenos Aires. She has been the infrastructure of care program coordinator at the National Ministry of Infrastructure and professor of urban planning at the School of Architecture, Design and Urbanism in the University of Buenos Aires. Dopazo is a senior advisor to governments and multilateral agencies on gender affairs, public policy, and participatory methodologies for urban design projects and public contracts. She also helps bottom-up organizations build capacity and make their voices heard.

With a background in anthropology, Dopazo cofounded the feminist collective City of Desire and the Spatial Cooperative Project and has been an activist for urban rights in vulnerable neighborhoods for the last 10 years. She has written articles and is a popularizer of feminist urbanism in academic and professional arenas and local media.
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Badruun Gardi is cofounder of GerHub, a nonprofit social innovation firm that develops creative solutions to the challenges caused by rapid urbanization in Mongolia. GerHub primarily works in the ger areas of Ulaanbaatar, where over 60 percent of the city’s residents live, with little access to basic infrastructure for water, wastewater, and heating. For the historically mobile society of Mongolia, crowded and sedentary urban living requires significant adjustments in housing and social structures. A key focus for GerHub is adapting the ger, the traditional nomadic dwelling, to be more suitable in an urban context.

Gardi collaborates with a wide range of stakeholders to develop innovative interventions and to nurture a new generation of creative problem solvers. A lifelong fan of film and the performing arts, he was until recently a creative executive at Salmira Productions, a company that develops, finances, and produces thought-provoking and conversation-catalyzing projects in film, theatre, television, and podcasts.

Gardi serves on the boards of the Asia Foundation, Arts Council of Mongolia, Mongolia Education Initiative, and Smart Air Mongolia. He is a 2022 World Economic Forum Young Global Leader and an alumnus of the Asia Foundation Development Fellows program. He holds a bachelor’s degree in psychology and communication from Stanford University.
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Shamichael Hallman is a social, civic, and tech innovator. Since 2017 he has served as the senior library manager of the historic Cossitt Library of Memphis Public Libraries. In this role he is helping oversee the multi-million-dollar renovation of the space. As part of the Reimagining the Civic Commons initiative, the renovated Cossitt Library will feature an outdoor gathering space, café, audio/video studio spaces, coworking areas, an enhanced collection of books and resources, and a variety of technology that will be available to the community. With an emphasis on advancing the library’s role as a community anchor, Hallman has worked with library leadership, staff, and community stakeholders to strategically develop programming, partnerships, and initiatives designed to bring together diverse groups of citizens who otherwise might not have the opportunity to interact or learn from each other.

His 2020 TEDx talk “Reimagining the Public Library to Reconnect the Community” garnered international attention among librarians and social innovators. In 2021 he co-founded Libraries as Bridges; a learning network of librarians and library professionals across the country focused on understanding, advancing, and evaluating how libraries build social cohesion, promote civic renewal, and advance the ideals of a healthy American democracy in the 21st century.
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Alberto is a Mexican developer interested in adaptive reuse, urban density, and living systems. He believes real estate development should produce positive environmental, social, and local economic impact.

He co-founded ReUrban, a real-estate developer with three premises: to reuse existing buildings, reactivate the street-level, and rethink living, working, and moving through cities. In the countryside, he founded Reserva Penón to protect a rainforest by creating a collectivist-model landscape-driven regenerative community around it that achieved water autonomy by harvesting rainwater.

His latest venture, La Laguna, focused on transforming a 90-year-old textile factory into a co-production hub for design-driven businesses, combining small-scale industrial production with cultural, social, and educational initiatives in Mexico City.

Alberto serves on the boards of an NGO delivering life skills to marginalized communities, a BCorp-Certified coffee producer, and Mexico’s largest 102-year-old ceramics manufacturer. He holds an MBA from Stanford, is a passionate photographer, and a devoted surfer.
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Rebecca McMackin is an ecologically obsessed horticulturalist and garden designer. She is director of horticulture at Brooklyn Bridge Park, where she manages 85 acres of diverse parkland organically and with an eye towards habitat creation for birds, butterflies, and soil microorganisms. She has spent the last decade overseeing construction and stewardship while also building out a Horticulture Department focused on cultivating urban biodiversity, serving the public, and modeling an ethical workplace. Their research has influenced thousands of people and entire urban parks systems to adopt similar approaches.

McMackin writes, lectures, and teaches about landscape management and pollination ecology, as well as designing small public gardens. She has been published by and featured in the New York Times, the Landscape Institute, and on NPR. She has served on the boards of the Ecological Landscape Alliance, the Torrey Botanical Society, and Metro Hort. She holds MScs from Columbia University and University of Victoria in landscape design and biology.
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Derwin Sisnett has spent the last fifteen years in community development, public education, and impact investing with a particular focus on coalescing and maximizing community assets. He is a cofounder and partner at Maslow Development Inc., a real estate and community development firm that advises, designs, and develops mixed use communities anchored by high quality schools.

Prior to Maslow, Sisnett cofounded and served as the CEO of Gestalt Community Schools, a management organization that develops high quality, community based charter schools in Memphis, Tennessee. Honored by the White House and the US Department of Education for improving school performance through community based partnerships, GCS grew into one of the highest performing networks of schools in Tennessee. It anchors over 40 acres of mixed-use development that Sisnett spearheaded, including a performing arts center and affordable housing.

Sisnett holds a bachelor of arts in psychology from Emory University, a master of fine arts in creative writing from Hollins University, and a doctor of philosophy in educational psychology from the University of Memphis, where his arts based research examined the effects of the built environment on marginalized communities. He is a Broad Fellow and a Fellow of the Aspen Global Leadership Network, where he was selected as a Braddock Scholar.
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Veyom Bahl is a senior fellow at MASS Design, where he is helping refine and advance the firm’s approach to social impact design and evaluation. Prior to the Loeb Fellowship, Bahl worked to advance urban economic opportunity as a social entrepreneur, public servant, and funder. This included designing public-private partnerships while at the Robin Hood foundation, supporting new social ventures at the White House, and securing capital for city and state governments at Morgan Stanley. Bahl is also a founding board member of the American LGBTQ+ Museum and was a Fulbright Scholar to Mexico.

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Andrea Bolnick is a social entrepreneur and an experienced urbanist. She has a keen interest in spatial injustice and efforts to reverse it. She has worked for over 20 years alongside urban poor communities, designing and implementing projects. Bolnick is a proven innovator. She has pioneered the design of fire and flood resistant informal shelters that are quick to build, durable, and affordable. She also engages the government around rapid shack upgrading as an immediate solution leading incrementally to formal housing. She was the driving force behind conceptualizing and implementing re-blocking projects, a participative design intervention that incorporates innovative shelter solutions with spatial reconfiguration. She is also the co-creator of the Empowershack project, an initiative that has received international acclaim. Bolnick is an Ashoka Fellow. She was a runner-up in the FT/Citi Ingenuity awards in 2013 and co-winner of a Digital Serious Games Competition in 2017.

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Will Hunter is the founder of the London School of Architecture, an alternative educational model to widen access into the UK’s architectural profession; in 2021 he departed as chief executive after a six-year period of sustained financial and student growth. Hunter is on the advisory panel to the Klosters Forum, a female-led collaborative organization seeking to address environmental challenges; is a founding board member of Fast Forward 2030, a network for impact entrepreneurs achieving the UN Sustainable Development Goals; and a former fellow at the Legatum Institute, a think tank committed to creating pathways from poverty to prosperity. He is formerly an editor of the *Architectural Review*, the *Architects’ Journal* and *Building Design*. Hunter is currently a fellow at MIT’s Senseable City Lab. His long-term goal is to establish ventures that make positive impacts at the intersection of the city, technology and society.

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Monica Rhodes works at the intersection of history, architecture and public engagement. Her impact on the industry ranges from local to international efforts to expand the field of preservation and public lands to new audiences. Prior to joining the Loeb Fellowship and her tenure at the American Academy in Rome, she led efforts at two of the largest national organizations focused on historic preservation and national parks. Rhodes developed the first national program designed to diversify the preservation industry and efforts to re-institute programs to preserve national parks that tell stories related to African American, LatinX, and Women’s history. Over the course of her career, Rhodes has helped raise and manage over $150 million and has directed preservation activities in 46 states.

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Elizabeth Kay Miller (Beth) is the former executive director of the Community Design Collaborative, a Philadelphia based nonprofit that strengthens neighborhoods through design. Founded in 1991, the Collaborative coordinates pro bono preliminary design services and amplifies the importance of community engaged design. Since 2001, Miller has worked with the Collaborative’s board, staff, and volunteers to leverage pro bono design assistance. The Collaborative has delivered responsive Design Grants to nearly 1,000 nonprofits throughout greater Philadelphia. In 2005, Miller also launched Infill Philadelphia, a design initiative to reimagine underutilized assets, convene conversations, and deliver pragmatic design solutions around emergent themes. Miller served on the Philadelphia City Planning Commission from 2011 to 2016 and the Design Advocacy Group from 2005 to 2011. She holds a master’s in government administration from the Fels School of Government at the University of Pennsylvania and a bachelor of arts in the growth and structure of cities from Bryn Mawr College.

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Deborah Helaine Morris is an urban planner working at the nexus of climate change and social equity. Most recently, as the executive director of resiliency policy, planning, and acquisitions at the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development, Morris created a new team for the development of policy and programs to lead aggressive climate change adaption in affordable housing, with a focus on flood risk mitigation. This work
includes flood resiliency standards for new affordable housing in waterfront communities; long term community planning initiatives, including the creation and implementation of the Resilient Edgemere Community Plan; and the management of a $90 million property buyout program. Morris received a master’s in city planning and urban design from Massachusetts Institute of Technology and a bachelor of arts from the University of Michigan. She was raised in Queens but currently calls Brooklyn home.

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Eleni Myrivili was deputy mayor for urban nature and climate change resilience for the city of Athens, Greece, between 2017 and 2019. Her work on heat adaptation has positioned Athens prominently in the international urban climate change discourse. Appointed Athens’ chief resilience officer in 2015, Myrivili created the first Office of Resilience and Sustainability, and in 2017 launched the Athens Resilience Strategy for 2030, driving innovative solutions that both protect the city’s most vulnerable populations and establish major blue/green infrastructure projects and policies. Myrivili was a member of Greek Green Party leadership from 2007 to 2010. She also wrote and hosted 13 hour-long episodes of a public television documentary series on sustainable living. She earned her PhD in anthropology from Columbia University and is a tenured professor at the University of the Aegean.

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Wolfgang Rieder is an Austrian entrepreneur and strategist who is passionate about empowering indigenous people in the Pacific Northwest. He is CEO of the Rieder Group, which he joined in 2003. Contributing and giving back are of paramount importance for Rieder. His company is dedicated to launching the world’s first cement-free concrete façade panels and to being a resource
friendly building company. In keeping with the quotation by Samuel Beckett, “ever tried, ever failed, fail better;” Rieder is involved in multiple initiatives to become carbon neutral by 2025 and carbon positive by 2030. In addition to developing a cement-reduced and subsequently cement-free concrete, the company is planting over 500,000 trees to neutralize Rieder Group’s CO2 emissions and developing approaches for reuse of materials. Rieder has been a board member of the MDE program at Harvard since 2016 and holds a master of economics from the University of Vienna.

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Andrew Salzberg is passionate about building the sustainable transportation systems of the future. He is currently a lecturer at MIT where he created a first-of-its-kind Decarbonizing Urban Mobility course. He also advises a host of mobility and technology organizations working to combat climate change around the world. Before the Loeb Fellowship, he created and held a unique global role as Uber’s first director of transportation policy. In that role, he created Uber’s first teams focused on public transportation and environmental sustainability. Prior to joining Uber, Salzberg worked at the World Bank on a multibillion dollar lending program for China’s transport and urban development. Earlier, he worked at Transport for London through the MIT Transit Lab. Salzberg holds a bachelor of civil engineering from McGill University and master in urban planning from Harvard.
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Paloma Strelitz is a strategist, designer, urbanist, and educator whose work champions creative enterprise. She is co-founder and partner of Assemble in London, whose mission is to build capacity and engagement through the development of civic and cultural organizations. Projects include the Cineroleum, Folly for a Flyover, Sugarhouse Studios, Blackhorse Workshop, Goldsmiths Centre for Contemporary Art, Granby Four Streets, and Granby Workshop. Assemble’s social focus and impact were recognized with the 2015 Turner Prize. Strelitz writes, speaks, teaches, and advocates for civic engagement, creative industry, and inclusive urban development. Her strategic advisory roles include mayoral design advocate and mentor at social impact business incubator Zinc, and she is an international keynote presenter and panelist. In 2017, Dezeen named her one of 50 inspirational women in architecture and design, and in 2018, Open City selected her as one of the foremost 25 women shaping London.

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Michelle Joan Wilkinson is a curator at the Smithsonian Institution National Museum of African American History and Culture, where she is expanding the museum’s collections in architecture and design. She co-curated two inaugural NMAAHC exhibitions: A Century in the Making: Building the National Museum of African American History and Culture and A Changing America: 1968 and Beyond. In 2018, she served as lead organizer for the museum’s symposium, Shifting the Landscape: Black Architects and Planners, 1968 to Now. As a fellow of the Center for Curatorial Leadership in 2012, Wilkinson completed a short term residency at the Design Museum in London. She has also worked at the National Gallery of Art, the Smithsonian American Art Museum, the Studio Museum in Harlem, and the Reginald F. Lewis Museum. Wilkinson’s current research explores issues of representation in architectural renderings. She holds a BA from Bryn Mawr College and a PhD from Emory University.

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Stephen Burks believes in a pluralistic vision of design inclusive of all cultural perspectives. For his efforts with artisan groups around the world, he has been called a design activist. His ongoing Man Made project bridges the gap between authentic developing world production, industrial manufacturing, and contemporary design. Independently and through association with
the nonprofits Aid To Artisans, Artesanias de Colombia, the Clinton Global Initiative, Design Network Africa, and the Nature Conservancy, Burks has consulted on product development with artisan communities throughout the world. In addition, leading design-driven manufacturers have commissioned him to develop lifestyle collections that engage hand production as a strategy for innovation. Burks received the Illinois Institute of Technology Alumni Professional Achievement Award, the Brooklyn Museum Modernism Young Designer Award, the Architektur and Wohnen Audi Mentor Prize, the 2008 United States Artists Target Fellowship, and the 2015 Smithsonian Cooper Hewitt National Design Award in Product Design.

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Maria G. Cabildo is an urban planner who became an affordable housing developer through her desire to stabilize and revitalize Los Angeles’s disinvested communities. She believes that community residents most impacted by historic disinvestment must be significant players in land use and development decision making. In 1995 Cabildo cofounded the East LA Community Corporation and was president and CEO from 1999 to 2015. During her tenure, ELACC reshaped the Boyle Heights community through community organizing and affordable housing development, leveraging and investing more than $200 million. Cabildo worked in county government from 2015 until 2017, when she ran for Congress in a special election to represent California’s 34th district. She came in third, having earned the Los Angeles Times endorsement. She has served on state and local boards, including the Los Angeles Planning Commission. Her consulting firm, Fireflower Partners, works with clients to spark changes for a more just and equitable world.

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Jeana Dunlap has engaged with public and private interests to direct multimillion dollar federal initiatives supporting community development, sustainability, and historic preservation since 2004. She currently leads Louisville Metro Government’s Office of Redevelopment Strategies. She appreciates the need for multidisciplinary approaches when tackling disruptive redevelopment efforts to improve quality of life and place for residents. While facilitating change through the built environment is critical, she also believes that changing mindsets is paramount to achieving vibrant communities. Dunlap is a woman of color in municipal government, and she has the unique ability to find common ground and facilitate effective communication for greater understanding between disparate sectors of the community. With projects like Redlining Louisville: The History of Race, Class and Real Estate, she is promoting equitable investment practices and distribution of digital infrastructure, while instilling confidence and building capacity among those living in and personally vested in distressed neighborhoods.
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As president of the Rio World Heritage Institute and the Mayor’s Special Advisor for Urban Issues from 2009 to 2016, Washington Fajardo created policies and finance solutions to preserve heritage, regenerate buildings and places, and improve public services in Rio de Janeiro. His innovative initiatives revived cultural heritage in the city’s waterfront renewal and supported private owners to rehabilitate historic buildings. Fajardo created the Carioca Design Center and the African Heritage Historical and Archaeological Trail. He has won awards for Ver-O-Peso urban renewal in Belém in the Amazon Region, Pavuna Carioca Arena, and the New Imperator, an old movie theater converted to a multipurpose cultural center. He’s author of *Urban Transformations* and *Avenues of Rio*, and also kept a weekly column about urban issues in *O Globo* newspaper. Recently, in 2021, Washington Fajardo was appointed as Rio’s city planning commissioner and president of Pereira Passos Institute for Urbanism.

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Bryna Lipper, currently CEO of the Humboldt Area Foundation, has held leadership roles in government, nonprofit, and private sector organizations dedicated to advancing the quality of urban life. As co-founder and senior vice president for 100 Resilient Cities, she led the formation of its urban resilience practice and global network to enable cities to adapt to 21st century challenges. This work reshaped the policies, governance, and politics of cities within 47 nations. Prior to that, Lipper directed philanthropic research and initiatives for the Office of International and Philanthropic Innovation at the US Department of Housing and Urban Development, leading strategies to spur philanthropic partnerships, promote policy innovation, and increase aligned investments. She was vice president for marketing, communications, and government affairs at the National Building Museum. Lipper has spoken and consulted widely and has won numerous honors, including a PLACES Fellowship from the Funders’ Network for Smart Growth and Livable Communities.

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In spite of her abbreviated formal education, Andrea Reimer has run advocacy organizations and businesses, organized in communities, and been an elected official, pursuing her passions for environmental justice and supporting the empowerment of indigenous and marginalized communities. She served 3 terms on the Vancouver City Council from 2008 to 2018 and was the city’s first permanent deputy mayor. Her initiatives included the first comprehensive urban plan for the Downtown Eastside, a nationally significant framework for reconciliation with indigenous peoples, the largest municipal childcare program in Canada, and award winning environmental and open government policies. Earlier, Reimer served on the school board and ran the Western
Canada Wilderness Committee, the largest membership based environment organization in Canada. She led the Organizing for Change initiative; was president of a credit union and the Canadian Women’s Voter’s Congress; ran a small business; worked in service, retail, and manufacturing; and survived a street-involved youth.

Michael Smith-Masis

Architecture | San Jose, Costa Rica | Loeb Fellow 2019

The architecture of Entre Nos Atelier, co-directed by Michael Smith-Masis in San Jose, Costa Rica, encourages participation, collaboration, cooperation, and ownership by low income residents, rural and indigenous communities, and informal settlements—the true protagonists in the city. Smith-Masis has facilitated projects from housing to public space, guided by principles of replicability, efficiency, functionality, feasibility, and environmental sustainability. His work has received significant awards and honors, including the 2017 CICA Award for Young Architects Practice and the 2015 International Architecture Award at the Buenos Aires Biennial of Architecture. He also won the 2016 Grand Biennial Prize and the 2016 and 2014 Icomadera Prize at the International Biennial of Architecture in San Jose, Costa Rica, and the 2015 Sustainable Construction Award from the Costa Rican Chamber of Construction, among others. Alongside his architectural practice, Smith-Masis has taught and lectured worldwide to build capacity for transformation processes within distressed communities.

Katie Swenson

Architecture | Boston, Massachusetts, United States | Loeb Fellow 2019

Katherine W. Swenson (Katie) is a nationally recognized design leader, researcher, writer, and educator. She is senior principal of MASS Design Group, where her work investigates how critical design practice promotes economic and social equity, environmental sustainability, and healthy communities. A member of the second class of the Enterprise Rose Fellowship, Swenson founded the Design Initiative at Enterprise Community Partners and nurtured a diverse network of design leaders fostering community revitalization and affordable housing development throughout the US. Swenson founded the Charlottesville Community Design Center and has received numerous design and social innovation awards. She has written extensively about design activism and community design. Growing Urban Habitats: Seeking a New Housing Development Model, co-authored with Susanne Schindler and William Morrish, was published by William Stout in 2018. In Bohemia, A Memoir of Love, Loss and Kindness and Design with Love: At Home in America were published in August 2020.

Michiel van Iersel

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Michiel van Iersel combines his position as program lead at the NEWROPE Chair of Architecture and Urban Transformation at ETH Zürich with his work
as an independent urbanist, curator, writer, and teacher at the intersection of the arts, architecture, urban transformation, and heritage. He is part of Loom, an Amsterdam and Rotterdam based collective practice that focuses on the creation of public values and engagement and new rituals. The collective’s exhibitions, publications, research projects, and public events bring people and ideas closer together around such diverse topics as the future of heritage and the post-fossil city. Van Iersel co-founded De Verdieping, a temporary project space for experimental culture, and the ongoing research project Failed Architecture, about architectural and urban failures around the world. He recently co-edited Rewriting Architecture (Valiz, 2020), a book that explores the built environment as a ‘tabula scripta’: a multilayered and rich reality.

The Stonybrook Simons Center, a project by David Kamp and his firm Dirtworks, integrates technology, science, art and design. Photo: Dirtworks, PC

Class of 2018

Samuel Bonnet

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As senior advisor to the director general of the International Committee of the Red Cross, Samuel Bonnet provides guidance on operational and organizational adaptations necessary to an enhanced coordination of humanitarian and development efforts in countries affected by protracted armed conflicts. Previously, Bonnet was head of construction of the ICRC and led large scale health infrastructure projects in countries afflicted by armed conflicts and natural disasters. He oversaw projects in more than 20 countries, notably in Haiti, Central African Republic, South Sudan, Somalia, Iraq, Yemen, Afghanistan, Pakistan, and Myanmar. He authored the Physical Rehabilitation Centres Architectural Programming Handbook and participated in the writing of several inter-agency manuals on design standards in humanitarian environments. Bonnet graduated from a French Grande École and was a partner at a prominent Paris based international firm that pioneered sustainable construction. He has also taught urban planning at several graduate schools of architecture and urban planning.
Andrew Freear

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Andrew Freear, from Yorkshire, England, is the director of Rural Studio at Auburn University. Since 2000, Freear has lived in rural Newbern, Alabama, where he runs a program that questions the conventional education and role of architects. His students have designed and built more than 200 community buildings, homes, and parks in their under-resourced community. He is a teacher, designer, builder, advocate, and liaison between local authorities, partners, and students. His honors include the Ralph Erskine Award, the Global Awards for Sustainable Architecture and the Architecture Award from the American Academy of Arts and Letters. Most recently, Freear received the President’s Medal from the Architectural League of New York, and was elected to the National Academy of Design.

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Johanna Gilligan is an entrepreneur, educator, and developer whose work fosters stronger social cohesion and healthier communities. Working in post-Katrina New Orleans, she founded Grow Dat Youth Farm, a space for employment, education, and leadership development for young adults. Gilligan is now the senior director of community development for Homewise, a CDFI and developer in New Mexico. Her work spans Santa Fe and Albuquerque, two cities struggling with very different challenges that she is able to address through development, lending, placemaking, and job training programs. Gilligan was a Rockefeller Urban Innovation Fellow at Tulane University in 2012. Other awards include the Newcomb Young Alumnae Award (2014), the Tulane Scott Cowen Alumni Service Award (2016), Gambit’s 40 under 40 (2017) and City Business Woman of the Year (2015). Her work has appeared in HBO, NPR, the *Washington Post*, *Architectural Record*, *CityLab* and *Grist*. She is a contributor to *Huffington Post* and *Shelterforce*.

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Matthew Mazzotta is a public artist who works at the intersection of art, activism, architecture, design, and urban planning as well as ethnography, community building, and local government. His community specific public projects integrate new forms of civic participation and social engagement in which people from a range of backgrounds come together to explore new models of living that contribute to local culture beyond the economic realm. These efforts have resulted in over a dozen highly individual public art projects in the US, Europe, Asia, and the Middle East. Mazzotta received his BFA from the School of the Art Institute of Chicago and his MS in visual studies from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology’s program in Art, Culture and Technology, where he currently teaches.
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Shaney Peña-Gómez is the founder of Civica, a design office that operates in the space between architecture and urbanism, and between research (Cívica-Lab) and built work. The aim of Civica is to innovate new public policies regarding the built environment and develop tools and spaces for citizens to participate in architecture and urban decisions. Peña-Gómez lives and works in Santo Domingo, the largest city of the Caribbean Archipelago, where she conducts her professional practice as well as international collaborations and academic appointments. She develops projects in partnership with the public, private sector, and academic institutions. Within this framework, she developed the Green Santo Domingo Plan, sustainability ordinances for the capital city and the National Network of Ecological Parks, promoting land use conservation and parks creation. As part of this network, she designed a bi-national park between Haiti and the Dominican Republic and co-edited a book tackling the issue of green infrastructure development.

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Surella Segu was recently appointed chief heat officer for the city of Monterrey in Mexico, in partnership with the Arsht-Rockefeller Foundation Resilience Center. In addition she has been conducting research in informal settlements on housing and the collective space as possible activator of sustainable urban environments, from a gendered perspective. As an architect and urban designer based in Mexico City, Surella Segu has been focusing on urban rehabilitation best practices and the use of interdisciplinary approaches to develop comprehensive and sustainable solutions to housing deficits in countries facing urban expansion. Her interest rests in the incorporation of professional and technical knowledge to counter problematic urban development patterns still dominant in the Global South. Segu was head of the Urban Development Department at Mexico’s Institute of the National Housing Fund for Workers (Infonavit) since its creation in 2013 until the end of 2016.

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James Shen is co-founder of People’s Architecture Office and its spin-off, the Plugin House Company. His work aims to create a more diverse and connected society through a human-centered and cross-disciplinary approach that integrates architecture, product design, and public art. The People’s Canopies are building sized vehicles that animate the city as they are cycled by citizens and then expanded to form cultural event spaces. In the design of schools, PAO merges landscape design, architecture, and urbanism to enrich the experience of learning. With the Plugin House system, unskilled labor
can rapidly construct low cost and energy efficient housing. Plugins have been deployed to upgrade dilapidated areas through a “house-in-a-house” approach. These mass produced panels have also been used as accessory dwelling units, as well as transitional housing for the homeless. Shen has taught at Harvard and MIT and is a researcher at the Harvard Joint Center for Housing Studies.

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Zimbabwean born Tau Tavengwa is the co-founder, curator and editor of *Cityscapes* magazine, a hybrid journal/magazine print title focused on cities and urban life across Africa, Latin America, and South Asia. Each issue of the magazine presents nuanced stories and analysis focused on cities across the Global South and the people working, thinking, and fighting to make them more liveable and equitable. Tavengwa was a visiting fellow (2019–2021) at LSE Cities, London School of Economics, and a research fellow (2019–2021) at Max Planck Institute for Religious and Diversity Studies. He is a board member of Terreform’s UR Books and a member of the Sir Geoffrey Jellicoe Awards Nominations Committee of the International Federation of Landscape Architects.

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Eric Williams is the founder and creative director of the Silver Room, an innovative retail, arts, education, and community events space opened in 1997. The Silver Room is a boutique, gallery, and community arts center that intersects the worlds of fashion, music, and visual arts. To address disenfranchisement and foster equity for people of color and other marginalized communities, the venue provides space, support, and programming responsive to the core needs of the creative urban community. The Silver Room’s Sound System Block Party attracted more than 15,000 attendees in 2016. The 3 day CONNECT Hyde Park Arts Festival, a collaboration with the University of Chicago, activates empty storefronts near the university with pop-up art exhibits and speakers organized by some of Chicago’s leading curators. Williams holds a degree in finance from the University of Illinois at Chicago.

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As a community development practitioner and grantmaker, Karen Abrams establishes initiatives and creates funding opportunities to advance racial
equity and social justice efforts in land use, urban design, and planning practices. As the program officer for equitable development at the Heinz Endowments, her expertise is bridging conversations from boardrooms to church basements, building unlikely but lasting alliances. She is a member of the Urban Land Institute, serves on her local district council, and regularly participates on ULI/National League of Cities Daniel Rose Fellowship Advisory Panels. A native of Harlem, Abrams earned a bachelor’s degree in African and African American studies from the University of Virginia and a master of science in sustainable systems from Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania.

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Greta Byrum is the co-director of the Digital Equity Laboratory at the New School, a university center advancing digital equity through organizing, applied research, and policy strategy. She reimagines the way we design, build, control, and distribute communications systems. At the Digital Equity Lab Byrum works with students, policymakers, scholars, and communities to uncover and address structural inequities that persist and evolve as technology transforms our civic, cultural, social, and political systems.

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Emi Kiyota is associate professor at Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine and College of Design and Engineering at National University of Singapore, and
program director of Health District @ Queenstown. She is an environmental gerontologist and a consultant with over 20 years of experience in designing and implementing person-centered care in long-term care facilities and hospitals globally. In addition to making a vast array of contributions to national and international initiatives focused on quality improvement in the built environment for long-term care and aging services, Kiyota holds great concern for the needs of elders in the low-middle income countries. In 2010, she founded Ibasho, dedicated to co-create socially integrated, sustainable communities that value their elders, embodying in the Japanese concept of a place where one feels at home being oneself. Working with local elders in Ofunato, Japan, after the tsunami 2011, she led the development of the first Ibasho project.

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Mark Lamster is the architecture critic of the *Dallas Morning News* and a professor in the College of Architecture Planning and Public Affairs at the University of Texas at Arlington. He has championed progressive urban planning policy, the preservation of the built environment, and higher design standards for all citizens in writing that blends narrative, criticism, and advocacy. *D* magazine named Lamster the best critic in Dallas for three consecutive years, and he has received the Robert W. Decherd Award for Civic Journalism from the *Dallas Morning News* and the Dunnigan Media Award from the Greater Dallas Planning Council. He is the author of several books, including a recent biography of the late architect Philip Johnson, published by Little, Brown.

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Pallavi Mande, founding director of Tamraparni.org, has been involved with water centric environmental restoration work in the Boston metropolitan area for the last two decades. She provides pro bono planning and urban design services to environmental justice populations that are most vulnerable to climate change across MA. Pallavi formulated the Blue Cities Initiative at the Charles River Watershed Association in 2008 and grew it into a major program area for planning, design, and implementation of green infrastructure projects. As CRWA’s director of watershed resilience in 2019, she was also deeply involved in public outreach, advocacy, and climate justice. Pallavi received her BArch in Delhi, India, a MPhil in Environment and Development at Cambridge University, UK, and a MAUD at Washington University in St. Louis. Pallavi continues to serve as a design critic, studio instructor, juror, and guest lecturer at the Harvard, MIT, and Northeastern University.
David Molander

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David Molander works with digital photo and film collages and animation. He collects documentary material of urban environments, consisting of hundreds of photos and film clips that he dissects and reconstructs into large still or moving images, somewhere between documentation and fiction. His work puts emphasis on new relationships between visual traces of architecture, social environment, communication, living memory, and the humans within it. Beside his Loeb Fellowship, Molander has received awards and scholarships from the Beckers Artist Grant in 2014, Hasselblad Foundation’s Victor Fellowship and the Location One Residency in 2011, and Robert Frank Stipend in 2010. In addition, his work has been shown at Gothenburg Art Museum, Färgfabriken, Gothenburg City Museum, Kulturhuset, Fotografiska, Swedish Centre for Architecture and Design, Hasselblad Center, Stockholm City Museum, Harvard GSD, Storefront for Art and Architecture and Julie Saul Gallery in New York, and Musée de l’Elysée, Lausanne.

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Alessandro Petti is an architect who combines theoretical research with an architectural, artistic, and pedagogical practice engaged in the struggle for justice and equality. In 2012 with Sandi Hilal he founded Campus in Camps, an experimental educational program in the Dheisheh refugee camp in Bethlehem. With Sandi Hilal and Eyal Weizman, Petti created DAAR—Decolonizing Architecture Art Residency in Beit Sahour, Palestine, an architectural studio and residency program that has gathered architects, artists, activists, urbanists, filmmakers, and curators to work collectively on politics and architecture. Petti and Hilal coauthored *Architecture After Revolution*, revisiting today’s struggles for justice and equality not only from the historical perspective of revolution, but also as a continued struggle for decolonization. Petti is a professor of architecture and social justice at the Royal Institute of Art in Stockholm.

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Emmanuel Pratt is co-founder and executive director of the Sweet Water Foundation. His professional and academic work has involved investigations in architecture, urbanization, race and identity, gentrification, and most recently, transformative processes of community economic development through intersections of food security and sustainable design innovation. While most of his early work was anchored in the fields of architecture and art, Pratt’s work has since explored the role of art and social praxis as key components of urban design, urban farming, and sustainability, with a particular concentration on the creation of a new paradigms for regenerative
neighborhood development. Pratt is a 2019 recipient of a MacArthur Fellowship and is currently a visiting lecturer at Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning at the University of Michigan.

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Founder and director of Raas Architects, one of the leading architecture firms in Ethiopia, Rahel Shawl prides herself on designing quality building projects and being a leader, mentor, and role model for young architects in her country. Amid the challenges within the construction industry, her responsible and equitable practice has garnered accolades within her community. Shawl received the Aga Khan Award for Architecture in 2007 as architect of record on the Royal Netherlands Embassy, and in 2017 she received the AEA Best Architecture Piece Award for her collaboration on the South African Embassy and the Abyssina Award for Social Engagement. She was a finalist for the 2018 Dorfman Award at the Royal Academy of Arts in London and was also a finalist in the 2019 Women of Excellence Awards in Ethiopia.

Class of 2016

Neha Bhatt

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Neha Bhatt has spent over two decades as community advocate, researcher, and policy advisor. Today, she is working overseas as associate dean of academic affairs at India’s Anant National University, a private, not for profit design school offering a liberal arts training in how to solve problems of all kinds. Previously, Bhatt was founding director of the Local Leaders Council of Smart Growth America, supporting elected and appointed city officials who stand up for inclusive, livable communities. As policy advisor at the Washington, DC, City Council, she developed legislative proposals for green transportation, stormwater management, and the nation’s first plastic bag fee. At the Sierra Club, Bhatt worked as a community organizer, lobbied Congress to increase public transit funding, and strove to put infrastructure decisions in the hands of neighborhood residents. She is ever on the lookout for research, policy, and community pilot collaborations anywhere in the world.

Liliana D. Cazacu

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Liliana Cazacu, Romanian architect and consultant, is lately focused on turning her PhD into an interdisciplinary work between architecture, history, and future development of the traditional settlements of her region. More than 200 buildings located in as many different villages and small towns in Transylvania can now be seen as a comprehensive database of highly valuable real estate assets that all share a common trait: their former
function. Cazacu works to identify the potential of each building to serve as a catalyst for local economic development. The ultimate goal is to grow the impact by connecting the places in a network, thus creating a model that can be replicated in other regions and countries.

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In 2018, Janelle Chan was appointed by Governor Charles Baker as undersecretary of the Massachusetts Department of Housing and Community Development. She spent 2 years as chief of real estate at the MBTA, and prior to her Loeb year, she was director of the Asian Community Development Corporation. In that role she faced off against displacement of the ethnically and culturally cohesive working class immigrant community in Boston’s historic Chinatown, while working to foster a thriving and connected regional community. She successfully used a three part strategy of increasing affordable housing, ensuring community engagement in planning processes and creating public-private partnerships.

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Kimberly Driggins is the executive director of the Washington Housing Conservancy, which is committed to creating thriving, inclusive, mixed income communities throughout the D.C. region. WHC preserves affordable and workforce housing, prevents displacement, and promotes economic mobility, especially for low and moderate income African Americans and other people of color. Driggins has an extensive background in urban planning and real estate development and served as director of strategic planning for the City of Detroit’s Planning and Development Department. She also was associate director of citywide planning for the District of Columbia’s Office of Planning from 2008 to 2015. Driggins is a nationally recognized expert in urban placemaking and has creative placemaking projects in both Detroit and Washington, DC. She currently serves on the boards of Project for Public Spaces and PennPraxis. Driggins has a BA degree from Hampton University and an MPP from the University of Chicago Harris School of Public Policy.

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Alejandro Echeverri believes in the ethical responsibility of designers to contribute towards a better society. He is co-founder and director of URBAM, the Center for Urban and Environmental Studies, at EAFIT University in Medellin, Colombia. His experience combines architectural, urban, environmental projects, and planning. He is a member of the International Advisory Board of UCL Institute for Global Prosperity’s RELIEF Centre.
initiative and was given the Obayashi Prize in 2016. Between 2004 and 2008 as director of EDU, the Empresa de Desarrollo Urbano of the Municipality of Medellin, and then as the city’s director of urban projects, he led the social urbanism strategy to improve the most impoverished neighborhoods, with the support and partnership of the city’s mayor Sergio Fajardo, making Medellin a blueprint for the future for other distressed cities worldwide.

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Since he co-founded Our United Villages in Portland, Oregon, Shane Endicott grew the organization into one of the region’s most visible examples of triple bottom line values in the sustainability movement. OUV strengthens the environmental, economic, and social fabric of local communities by reclaiming reusable building parts and dismantling obsolete structures, while promoting strategies for using the materials for community building activities. During his Loeb Fellowship, Endicott expanded his strategies for sustainable development, community engagement, and team building and collaboration.

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Prior to the Loeb Fellowship, Arif Khan coordinated partnerships for the UN World Humanitarian Summit to improve global disaster preparedness and response. Internationally, he has managed millions of dollars of humanitarian aid, built temporary settlements, and implemented relief and resilience projects for victims of natural disasters and conflicts. In the US, he has led initiatives to improve disaster resilience, promote urban walking and bicycling, increase urban green space, and build social capital, and has planned hundreds of miles of bikeways and trails. Khan founded Depave to transform underused parking lots into greenspaces and gardens. He spearheaded the development of the first food garden on international territory at the UN Headquarters in New York, in partnership with New York City. Currently he owns and manages a small restaurant called the Hoot Owl in the New York Hudson Valley with his wife Sabeen.

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Brett Moore is chief of the Shelter and Settlement Section of the Office of United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, where he coordinates humanitarian shelter actors in both preparedness actions and disaster response. Prior to joining UNHCR, he was humanitarian shelter, infrastructure, and reconstruction advisor with World Vision International, deploying to conflict and disaster zones around the world. He led teams to ensure a coordinated humanitarian response for significant global emergencies, and guided rebuilding efforts for disaster and conflict affected communities ranging from refugee camps to urban slums. During his Loeb
year, he examined the social, technical, and institutional aspects of recovery and reconstruction in the US and how communities build resilience against future disasters.

Euneika Rogers-Sipp

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Euneika Rogers-Sipp is a creative researcher at the Destination Design School of Agricultural Estates. Working at the intersection of conceptual and material practice, she develops projects that deal with the natural environment’s role in culture, examining the significance of mainstream industrial production in developed countries and local production in developing countries. Her current work explores the social and philosophical dimensions of reparation ecology, the curious intersections of the humane and inhumane, and art as a means of engagement, education, critique, and healing. She is interested in codesigning curricula and workshops globally that address ecological crises.

Class of 2015

Gísli Marteinn Baldursson

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A city councilor and television talk show host for over a decade, Gísli Marteinn Baldursson has been a key figure in putting sustainable urban planning on the political agenda in Reykjavík and Iceland. Concerned with the increasing urban sprawl and related problems of air and water pollution, traffic congestion, and public health issues, he has devoted himself to the improvement of his city by writing, speaking, and building consensus for redensification and smart planning. As chairman of the Committee for Environment and Transport, Baldursson introduced Green Steps for Reykjavík, which outlined measures like recycling, public transportation, and bicycle friendly streets. In a contentious political environment, all political parties endorsed his Bicycle Master Plan, which has significantly contributed to a tenfold increase in bicycle commuting over 10 years. He believes the recently completed municipal plan for Reykjavík, which he has worked on since 2006, will be a turning point in the development of the city.

Jamie Blosser

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Jamie Blosser is an architect and the executive director of the Santa Fe Art Institute, which cultivates creative leadership and invests in community, culture, and place to re-imagine a more equitable world. She has based her practice on issues of equity, resilience, and participatory processes. After her Loeb Fellowship, she was an AIA delegate for the UN Habitat III convening in Quito in October 2016. Blosser was the director of the Santa Fe office of AOS Architects for 10 years. Her community design work with Ohkay Owingeh, a
Pueblo tribe in Northern New Mexico, led to revitalization of a historic plaza area and has been published in several magazines and books. She founded the Sustainable Native Communities Collaborative to support culturally appropriate and sustainable development in American Indian communities. Blosser received her master’s in architecture from the University of Pennsylvania, and was a Frederick P. Rose Architectural Fellow from 2000 to 2003.

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Shahira Fahmy, founder of Shahira Fahmy Architects in Cairo, has been hailed by Phaidon as one of the Architects building the Arab future for her projects in the Middle East, London, and Europe. Her works have appeared in publications like Financial Times, Architectural Record, Architectural Review, and T magazine. In addition to her Loeb Fellowship, Fahmy was a Berkman Fellow and a Hutchins Fellow with the W.E.B. Du Bois Research Institute. She has been a visiting professor at Columbia GSAPP and is a respected speaker. Most recently, Fahmy made her acting debut in Hong Sang-soo’s drama Claire’s Camera, alongside Isabelle Huppert, premiering in the 2017 Cannes Film Festival, followed by a role in A.B. Shawky’s Yomeddine, a nominee of the Palme D’Or at the 2018 Cannes film festival. Fahmy is fluent in French, English, and Arabic, and lives in New York, Paris, and Cairo.

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LaShawn is a civic and community leader who advocates safe, healthy, and economically viable communities. LaShawn has spearheaded a wide range of programs focused on community improvement, public health and economic growth, working with community advocates, academic partners, and agencies to promote partnerships using the community-based participatory research model. LaShawn has stepped up to facilitate the community-based planning necessary to achieve sound conservation and growth strategies. The intersection of public health and community development is an important factor in LaShawn’s approach to comprehensive community revitalization and development. LaShawn leads a boutique consultancy focused on smart community development, strategic neighborhood planning, community building and civic engagement, traditional and non-traditional land-use, community engaged research and successful, influential non-profit management.

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One of the leading voices on community revitalization, Andrew Howard is seeing his people-focused design approach and rapid implementation strategies replicated around the world. Howard began the Better Block project in 2010 with Jason Roberts and one year later co-founded Team Better Block, bringing grassroots revitalization to over 150 communities in four nations. The project demonstrates how temporary sustainability improvements to a single city block can build momentum for long term financial, social, and environmental advancements, transforming neighborhoods from blighted to thriving. ASLA called it “a 21st century version of what the Chicago World’s Fair did in 1893.” Howard’s goal is to equip new leaders to take action in their communities with a three step method: give it a name, set a date, and
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Thaddeus Pawlowski is the director of the Center for Resilient Cities and Landscapes at Columbia University, which seeks to integrate resilience and climate change adaptation into the long-term development patterns of cities through the design of projects, policies, and programs. CRCL’s applied research brings together local leaders and global experts to drive the implementation of resilient projects around the world. Before founding CRCL, Pawlowski planned for disasters at NYC Office of Emergency Management, worked to reduce the likelihood and impact of disasters at NYC Planning, and then helped the city recover from Hurricane Sandy at the NYC Mayor’s Office. He has master’s in architecture from University of Pennsylvania.

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Kolu Zigbi’s Liberian clan members in the Upper Guinea rainforest first began organizing against a logging concession just before her Loeb year. Over time the company has changed hands and the regulatory framework
has ostensibly improved, but the land (over 44,444 hectares) remains at risk for deforestation. They seek to enhance the lives of residents while also restoring habitat devastated during the civil war. As they secure their control under a new law allowing collective land deeds, they look to create landscape scale ecological and social health anchored by indigenous forest stewards. In 2020 Zigbi transitioned out of a 20-year run in philanthropy into running her own consulting firm, WKZ Consulting to support action towards a Just Transition, particularly through collective stewardship of land and other resources by directly affected peoples. She believes that by centering marginalized people we can better see leverage points for positive reform and systemic transformation.

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Baye Adofo-Wilson is real estate developer, lawyer and consultant with an expertise in arts and cultural districts, sustainability, affordable and mixed-income housing development. He has a real estate development and consulting firm, BAW Development LLC, where he focuses on developing transformative, residential and mixed-use projects in urban communities. In his prior role as deputy mayor of the City of Newark, he headed the Department of Economic and Housing Development. Before his Loeb Fellowship, he co-founded, built, and directed the Lincoln Park Coast Cultural District and managed North Jersey’s Green Jobs Training and carbon abatement programs. He created the Lincoln Park Music Festival and co-founded the National Hip-Hop Political Convention to increase political participation of young people. Following a stint in the US Army (he won the 1987 Soldier of the Year Award) Adofo-Wilson got a BA at Rutgers, a master’s in Regional Planning from Cornell, and a law degree from University of Pennsylvania.
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Helen Lochhead is an architect and urbanist, who combines practice with academic and advisory roles. She is an emeritus professor of architecture and urbanism at UNSW Sydney, and former dean of UNSW Built Environment. Her career has focused on city shaping projects ranging from public buildings to citywide improvement programs and major urban regeneration projects. She has worked in private practice and in senior public roles in the US and Sydney and now maintains a diverse portfolio contributing to public debate and publications, exhibitions and symposia, and competition juries, panels, nonprofit boards and public commissions. Her projects have been recognized through numerous architecture, urban design and sustainability awards, while her leadership in the profession and the advancement of women has also been recognized. Notably, she was named one of the 100 most influential women in Australia in 2019 for her contributions in this arena.

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Matt Nohn is an urban economist and development planner with 20+ years of experience across 40+ countries. His work untangles the integrated value and delivery chains along the housing, infrastructure, land, employment, transportation, environment, and governance conundrum during rapid urbanization. He has completed projects for the World Bank, UN, Cities Alliance, European Commission, bilateral agencies, governments, Gates Foundation, as well as the private sector, academia, and think tanks. He serves as World Bank part-time staff, principal of Rapid Urbanism, founder CEO of the non-profit IAUAI, and faculty. At IAUAI he develops the Rapid Urbanism Explorer: an augmented intelligence platform for iterative prototyping of integrated spatial, temporal, social, environmental and economic scenarios of city extensions, to support multi-stakeholder decision making.

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Florencia Rodriguez is an Argentinian architect based in Chicago, IL. She is the director of the School of Architecture at UIC. An editor, writer, and educator, she has created a range of cultural initiatives. In 2010, she founded PLOT, a publication she directed until 2017. She then created -NESS and from that platform she edited journals, books, and organized activities committed to the dissemination of new narratives and alternative forms of design criticism. Rodriguez has taught, lectured, curated exhibitions, and organized international symposia in different institutions, principally in the Americas. She has received awards for her editorial work and published several articles in books and specialized media. Her more recent works are America, the 48th issue of the Harvard Design Magazine, guest edited with Mark Lee; and MCHAP 2 Territory & Expeditions (IIT Architecture Press, Actar and NESS).
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Eli Spevak moved to Portland, OR, in 1994 as a construction supervisor with Habitat for Humanity and managed the development of over 250 units of affordable housing. He served on the board of Portland’s community land trust for its first 5 years and worked with residents of Dignity Village, a self-built homeless camp. In 2006, Spevak launched Orange Splot LLC to pioneer new models of affordable and community-oriented housing. Completed projects have been featured in the New York Times and Sunset magazine, and Cully Grove received a 2016 AIA Housing Award. Spevak has led tiny house bike tours, advocated for accessory dwelling units, and co-founded the accessorydwellings.org website and an advocacy organization, Portland for Everyone, to support diverse, abundant, and affordable housing. He serves on Portland’s Planning and Sustainability Commission, and he continues to launch new communities and hopes they go well enough to fund his policy habit.

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Alexie Torres, executive director of Access Strategies Fund, has spent 30 years as activist, community organizer, philanthropy leader, and urban planner in low income communities of color. Her work has been dedicated to the intersection of spirituality, economic, environmental, and racial justice. She founded Youth Ministries for Peace and Justice in Bronx, NY, the Bronx River Alliance, the Southern Bronx River Watershed Alliance, and most recently, the Center For the Soul of the Movement to support healing and spirituality within social movements. Torres’s awards include the 2008 Rockefeller Foundation’s Jane Jacobs Medal for New Ideas and Activism, the Caritas Medal from the Vincentian Society, and the Servitor Pacis award from the Permanent Observer Mission of the Vatican to the UN. In 2009, Utne Reader named her one of 50 Visionaries Who Are Changing Your World. President Obama appointed her an advisor on the White House Council of Faith and Neighborhood Partnerships in 2015.

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Ramiro Almeida is president and chief strategy officer at Optimus Ride. After his Loeb Fellowship, he was appointed instructor and scholar at the MIT Media Lab. His research focused on innovation in the areas of design, technology, and entrepreneurship, developing strategies to introduce new technologies to society and designing systems adaptable to urban environments with specific characteristics. His research work underwent a transformation into a MIT spin-off company, Optimus Ride Inc., which he founded along with Ryan Chin,
Albert Huang, Jenny Larios Berlin and Sertac Karaman. The company designs self-driving vehicle technology to be deployed at a global scale, with fully driverless systems to solve the first and last mile mobility gaps and other system applications for driverless transportation alternatives in geofenced environments.

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Karen Lee Bar-Sinai is a licensed architect and a co-founder SAYA/Design for Change. Her work, widely published and disseminated among leaders and policymakers worldwide, focuses on demonstrating how peace could look, mainly in the context of the Israeli-Palestinian conflict. She was trained as an architect in the Technion Israel Institute of Technology, holds a master’s degree in cities from the London School of Economic and Political Science, and is now a PhD candidate at the Technion Israel Institute of Technology, researching technology and adaptability in urban design. Bar-Sinai leads the Jerusalem Lab in the Urban Design program at the Bezalel Academy of Art and Design, Jerusalem.

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Jim Lasko is a founder and the chief creative officer of Guild Row, a social club for the artisinally curious on a custom built campus bracing the Chicago River. The club is organized around an open courtyard and features a teaching kitchen and woodshop, along with membership lounge, bar and café, and flexible gathering spaces where classes and events are held. Previously, Lasko was executive artistic director of Redmoon Theater, a civically engaged theater that performed all over the world. His work was seen at the Disney Center in Los Angeles, the Museum of Contemporary Art and Steppenwolf Theater in Chicago, and Off Broadway. In the later years, Lasko began to focus on transforming the urban landscape and building community with events in untraditional locations as varied as the Chicago River, the front lawn of the White House, and the Salamanca Arts Center in Hobart, Tasmania.

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has become an international sensation and has been replicated in Northern Ireland and London. In 2016, Artichoke was commissioned by the City of London to commemorate the 350th anniversary of the Great Fire of London. That year Marriage was made a Member of the Order of the British Empire.

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As Project LEARN’s executive director, LZ Nunn builds cross sector partnerships and develops resources so that Lowell’s next generation will have 21st century skills to succeed and thrive. In this role, she designs programs that support cradle to career learning for public school students in Massachusetts’ fourth largest community. Before coming to Project LEARN, Nunn was the development director for the Greater Lowell Community Foundation. From 2005 to 2012, she held the position of executive director of the Lowell Office of Cultural Affairs and Special Events. She coordinated placemaking initiatives and citywide cultural events and festivals, developed strategic partnerships, and led fundraising and marketing initiatives. Nunn holds a BA from the University of Washington and an MFA from Emerson College.

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Lynn Richards is president and CEO of the Congress for the New Urbanism. Previously, Richards had a long and distinguished career at the US Environmental Protection Agency, holding multiple leadership roles over 13 years including acting director and policy director in the Office of Sustainable Communities. She worked with dozens of state and local governments to implement placemaking approaches by developing policies, urban design strategies, and environmental solutions for vibrant, prosperous neighborhoods. Additionally, she produced groundbreaking research on water and land use strategies.

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Deanna Van Buren is among the nation’s leaders advocating for restorative justice centers and a radical transformation of the criminal justice system. She sits on the national board of Architects, Designers, and Planners for Social Responsibility and is a co-founding partner of Designing Justice and Designing Spaces, an architecture and real estate development firm dedicated to ending mass incarceration. Van Buren spent 16 years as design lead in the offices of Eric R. Kuhne and Associates London, the Buchan Group Sydney, Michelle Kauffman Designs, and Perkins and Will. Her recent social impact work includes Restore, a multi-use hub for restorative justice and work force development; the Pop-up Village, health, nutrition, and wellness
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Ann Yoachim is director of the Albert and Tina Small Center for Collaborative Design and professor of practice at the Tulane School of Architecture. As educator, scholar, and administrator, she facilitates interdisciplinary collaboration toward shaping built, natural, and social environments that impact health and wellness in rural and urban settings. This work has ranged from projects on climate change adaptation and resilience to strategic planning and design thinking facilitation for philanthropy. Her work falls at the intersection of design, equity, and ecology. Yoachim’s undergraduate and graduate courses require students to engage with complex societal challenges using an interdisciplinary approach, and to take ownership of their individual and collective learning. Yoachim holds a master of public health degree from Tulane University and a bachelor’s degree in environmental studies and political science from Dickinson College.

Class of 2012

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Jean Brownhill is founder and CEO of Sweeten, an award-winning service that helps homeowners and business owners find the best vetted general contractors for major renovation projects. In 2015, Brownhill was one of only 11 African American female entrepreneurs to raise more than $1M in venture capital. She is also a co-founder and chairwoman of the African American Student Union at Harvard’s Graduate School of Design, an organization that supports African Americans in architecture, real estate, and urban planning. Previously, she served as senior manager for Global Architecture at Coach, where she created web tools to facilitate the design and construction of the company’s 200 stores, for which she was recognized with the Chairman’s Award in 2005. Brownhill holds a BArch from Cooper Union and is a member of the 2018 class of Henry Crown Fellows at the Aspen Institute.
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For Anna Heringer, architecture is a tool to improve lives. As architect and honorary professor of the UNESCO Chair of Earthen Architecture, Building Cultures, and Sustainable Development, she focuses on the use of natural building materials. She has been actively involved in development cooperation in Bangladesh since 1997. Her diploma work, the METI School in Rudrapur, was realized in 2005 and won the Aga Khan Award for Architecture in 2007, and she has created projects in Asia, Africa, and Europe. Heringer lectures worldwide and was a visiting professor at various universities, including institutions in Stuttgart, Linz, Vienna, and Zurich. She has received numerous honors, including the Global Award for Sustainable Architecture, the Architectural Review Emerging Architecture Awards of 2006 and 2008, and a RIBA International Fellowship. Her work has been widely published and exhibited in MOMA New York, the Victoria and Albert Museum in London, and the Venice Biennale, among other places.

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Since 2012, Andres Lepik has been chair of History of Architecture and Curatorial Practices of the Technische Universität München and director of the Architecture Museum of TUM. His focus is the history and theory of architecture exhibitions and contemporary developments in the architectures of social engagement and participatory architectural structures. He studied art at the University of Augsburg and received a fellowship for his doctoral studies on the Architectural Model in Italy 1353–1500 at the Bibliotheca Hertziana in Rome. He was personal assistant to the general director the Berlin State Museums and later head of the 20th/21st century architecture collection of the Art Library. In 2007 he became curator of the Architecture and Design Department of the MoMA in New York, where his exhibitions
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Ian Lockwood is Orlando, Florida, office director of Toole Design Group and a recognized national leader in sustainable transportation policy and urban design. As a former partner in Orlando-based Glatting Jackson (which later became AECOM), Lockwood led a wide variety of transportation projects aimed at making communities more walkable, bikeable, and transit friendly. He also served as the city transportation planner for West Palm Beach, where he transformed state arterial roads, local roads, and the city’s approach to parking to help the city overcome blight and evolve into an economically and socially successful community. Lockwood’s current projects emphasize walkability, one-way to two-way street restoration, taming arterials, creating shared spaces, and policy reform, and he designs main streets, campuses, and downtowns. Lockwood has guest lectured at several universities and is occasionally interviewed on National Public Radio.

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1999, she began writing a weekly column called “Changing Skyline.” Saffron has won many awards for her insightful and pointed critiques of architecture, planning, and urbanism in her city, including the Pulitzer Prize for Criticism in 2014. She received the Vincent Scully Prize from the National Building Museum in 2018. She is the author of two books: *Becoming Philadelphia: How an Old American City Made itself New Again*, a selection of her columns, and *Caviar: The Strange History and Uncertain Future of the World’s Most Coveted Delicacy*, a cultural history of the sturgeon.

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Bryan Bell is the founder of Design Corps, founder of the Public Interest Design Institute, and co-founder of SEED—Social Economic Environmental Design. He has supervised the Structures for Inclusion lecture series for ten years, which presents best practices in community based design. Bell has published two collections of essays on the topic and has coedited the *Public Interest Design Guidebook*. In addition, he has lectured and taught at numerous schools, including the Rural Studio with Samuel Mockbee. Bell has received an AIA National Honor Award in Collaborative Practice, and his work has been exhibited in the Venice Biennale and the Cooper Hewitt Museum Triennial. In 2011, the year of his Loeb Fellowship, he was a co-recipient of the 2011 AIA Latrobe Prize for public interest design.

**Andy Cao**

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Andy Cao is a landscape artist based in Los Angeles. He is the founder of Cat Perrot in Los Angeles, Paris, Singapore, and Ho Chi Minh City with partner Xavier Perrot. Cao attended the University of Houston College of Architecture, and received a BS in landscape architecture from California State Polytechnic University, Pomona. He was a recipient of the Rome Prize Fellowship in Landscape Architecture at the American Academy in Rome (2002), and he has taught landscape design at USC School of Architecture, and Cal Poly Pomona. The Architectural League of New York named Cao Perrot among the Emerging Voices 2013. Blurring the line between art and landscape has been a Cao Perrot leitmotiv for two decades. This singular approach—making places for dreaming—has resulted in a diverse portfolio, which includes intimate gardens, public art installations, special events, and park design.

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He is a respected expert in creating livable cities around the world, marked by the inspiring and innovative use of water to solve urban environmental challenges. He is adept at connecting technology with aesthetics and encouraging people to take care and ownership for places and has realized groundbreaking contemporary projects in urban design, urban hydrology, water art, stormwater management, planning, and landscape architecture. Dreiseitl founded Atelier Dreiseitl, now called Rambøll Studio Dreiseitl, and directs Liveable Cities Lab, a new Rambøll think tank where he focuses on urban initiatives, academy activities, and research in collaboration with universities like MIT, Harvard, and the National University of Singapore. He lectures worldwide and has authored many publications, including three editions of Recent Waterscapes: Planning, Building and Designing with Water.

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James Brown is an architect, contractor and developer from San Diego, California. Since leaving Cambridge, he and his wife Isabel Dutra have dreamt themselves into a challenging and stimulating large scale project. They are owners and co-curators of Bread and Salt, an arts collective located in a former bakery in Barrio Logan on the edge of the growing downtown. One major goal is to retain the artists in the downtown community, fighting artist flight to affordable work space by providing stability in rental rate and community support. When completed, the project will house 35 affordable live and work spaces for artists and artisans, as well as 5 galleries and instructional spaces. The project will achieve these things naturally—without local, state, or national subsidies.

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Roger Cummings is an artist and designer and a founding principal of Juxtaposition Arts (JXTA), a 22 year old visual arts and design social enterprise that mentors, trains, and creates pipelines for youth to the creative industries of architecture, landscape architecture, urban planning, graphic design, and contemporary art. Cummings has produced mobile charretting bikes, sculptures, pocket parks, and functional enhancements to public space that facilitate urban people’s ability to see themselves included, represented, and civically engaged in establishing the visual identities of their neighborhood. Cummings believes that art and culture are for everyone and should be where people are. JXTA supplies a vital conduit of community problem solvers into the lifeblood of the entire metro area. Largely Black and largely from North Minneapolis, the apprentices represent a broad range of cultures, interests, gender identities, ethnicities, social classes—as well as styles of learning and communicating. These apprentices are anything but at risk youth.
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Edward Morris and his collaborator Susannah Sayler (Sayler/Morris) work with photography, video, writing, installation and open source projects. Of primary concern are contemporary efforts to develop ecological consciousness and the possibilities for art in support of social movements. In 2020, they initiated Toolshed, a new platform for collaborative work whose mission is to gather and share tools for a livable future. From 2006 to 2020 they co-directed the Canary Project, a studio that produced art and media that deepen public understanding of climate change. In addition to the Loeb Fellowship, Sayler/Morris have been awarded fellowships including the New York Artist Fellowship (2016) and the Smithsonian Artist Research Fellowship (2014). Their archives are collected by the Nevada Museum of Art Reno Center.
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Janet Echelman sculpts at the scale of buildings. Her work defies categorization, intersecting sculpture, architecture, urban design, material science, and structural and aeronautical engineering. Echelman’s art transforms with wind and light, shifting from an object you look at, into an experience you can get lost in. Her TED talk has been translated into 35 languages with over two million views, and Oprah ranked Echelman’s work #1 on her List of “50 Things That Make You Say Wow!”. Echelman received the Smithsonian American Ingenuity Award in Visual Arts, honoring “the greatest innovators in America today.” She also received the Guggenheim Fellowship, Aspen Institute Henry Crown Fellowship, and Fulbright Sr. Lectureship and was named an Architectural Digest Innovator for “changing the very essence of urban spaces.” Echelman’s artworks have become focal points for urban life on five continents. Permanent commissions can be visited in Portugal, Canada, and around the US.

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Deborah Frieden is a cultural project planning consultant assisting nonprofits and municipalities in the creation of new museums, cultural centers, district initiatives or the expansion and re-envisioning of existing facilities and institutions with the goal of increasing their community impact. In 2019, she
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The border barrier in Tijuana, Mexico visited during the 2019 Loeb Fall Study Tour.
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*Spirit Plaza in Detroit, one of Kimberly Driggins’ projects during her time with the Detroit Planning Department. Photo: City of Detroit Planning and Development Department*
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Cara McCarty is curator emerita, Smithsonian, and an independent curator and writer on contemporary design. As director of curatorial at Cooper Hewitt, Smithsonian Design Museum until 2020, she helped lead the institution’s 2014 renovation and transformation into a 21st-century museum, from its master plan to expanded visitor participation to acclaimed, timely, socially relevant exhibitions. Previously at the Saint Louis Art Museum, she headed the Department of Decorative Arts and Design, where she established the museum’s 20th- and 21st-century design collection, and was instrumental in selecting the architect, David Chipperfield, for the museum’s expansion. McCarty’s dedication to showcasing the transformative impact design can have on our lives began with her early, seminal exhibitions at the Museum of Modern Art. In 2019, she was a cultural leader at the World Economic Forum Davos and has served on numerous design juries. She is vice chair of the Pulitzer Arts Foundation board.

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Working on his own or with others, Seitu Jones has created over 40 large scale public artworks. He integrated artwork into 3 LRT stations along the Green Line connecting St. Paul to Minneapolis. An award from the Joyce Foundation allowed Jones to develop CREATE: The Community Meal, a dinner for 2000 people at a table one-half mile long, focusing attention on access to healthy food and food justice. In addition, he worked with members of his neighborhood to create a 12 acre farm and park in St. Paul. Jones is the recipient of the Distinguished Artist Award from the McKnight Foundation and his HeARTside Community Meal in Grand Rapids, MI, was awarded the Grand Juried Prize for ArtPrize Nine. During his Loeb Fellowship he researched cultural landscapes. He holds a BS in landscape design and an MLS in environmental history from the University of Minnesota.

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Rick Lowe’s unconventional approach to community revitalization has transformed a long neglected neighborhood in Houston into a visionary
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Virginia Prescott is the award winning host of *On Second Thought* at Georgia Public Broadcasting. She was the founding host of *Word of Mouth* and *The 10-Minute Writers Workshop* podcasts and the *Writers on A New England Stage* series on New Hampshire Public Radio. She earned her chops as editor, producer, and director for NPR programs *On Point* and *Here and Now*; and directed interactive media for New York Public Radio. Throughout her radio career, Prescott has worked to build sustainable independent radio in the developing world and has trained journalists in post conflict zones from Sierra Leone to the Balkans. She has been honored with a Gracie award for her work on *Word of Mouth* and was a member of the Peabody Award winning production team for *Jazz from Lincoln Center* with Ed Bradley. Prescott loves working in public radio, but regrets that so many good outfits go unnoticed.
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Richard St. John is a nationally published poet whose books include Book of Entangled Souls (Broadstone Books, 2022), Each Perfected Name (Truman State University Press, 2015), The Pure Inconstancy of Grace (published in 2005 by Truman State University Press as first runner-up for the T. S. Eliot Prize for Poetry), and Shrine (a long poem released as a chapbook in 2011). He has read widely across the country, connecting not only with university and literary audiences, but also with listeners new to poetry. During the four years immediately following his Loeb Fellowship, St. John initiated and coordinated an arts-based civic engagement project called Conversations for Common Wealth. Since then, he has facilitated reflective, meaning-making conversations on an occasional basis, while also working professionally for a variety of nonprofit organizations. He lives in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, with his wife, Kate.

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Tony Irons came to the Loeb Fellowship as the city architect of San Francisco. He had been appointed by Mayor Willie Brown following the successful completion of the $300 million restoration of City Hall, a Beaux-Arts masterpiece and National Historic Landmark. Irons returned to San Francisco as a deputy superintendent of the school district. Millions of dollars had been stolen through fraudulent construction contracts. Irons was asked to find out who did it and how it was done and to restore public trust in the school system. Three people went to prison, and a new bond measure was approved by the voters. Irons again returned to the city to oversee the $4 billion renovation of the Hetch Hetchy water system, which stretches from Yosemite to North Beach. The project received numerous engineering awards. Irons now spends his time writing novels, living in Baja and New Hampshire with his wife, Lee.

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Paul Okamoto practices architecture in the San Francisco Bay Area, primarily on multifamily affordable housing. Current projects are located in San Francisco, Berkeley, Marin County, Napa, East Palo Alto and Morgan Hill. He is also an adjunct professor at the University of San Francisco in the Architecture and Community Design program, where he teaches sustainable
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Roxanne Qualls was originally elected to Cincinnati City Council in 1991 and served as mayor from 1993–1999. She led the city’s efforts to redevelop the central riverfront and create the new downtown neighborhood known as the Banks. She prioritized cleaning up neighborhoods, improving safety, and increasing homeownership. She emphasized openness and transparency in governance and established “Mayors Night In,” where once a week anyone could meet with her on any subject. After leaving office, Qualls served as a fellow in the Institute of Politics, a Loeb Fellow in the Graduate School of Design, a Malcolm Weiner Fellow in Social Policy at the Kennedy School of Government, and in 2002 earned an MPA. She returned to Cincinnati in 2004 and taught until 2007. She again served on Cincinnati City Council from 2007–2013. Roxanne currently is a senior sales vice president for Sibcy Cline Realtors in Cincinnati Ohio.

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Susan Chin, an accomplished architect, urbanist, and civic leader, from 1995 until recently served as executive director of Design Trust for Public Space, a nationally recognized incubator that catalyzes New York City’s landscape, along with public agencies, community collaborators and design professionals. Under her leadership, Design Trust received the esteemed Cooper Hewitt National Design Award and American Society of Landscape Architects Olmsted Medal, among others; advanced from founder led to independent nonprofit. It launched Five Borough Farm, Future Culture, Laying the Groundwork, Making Midtown, Under the Elevated, World’s Park, and the Equitable Public Space Fellowship. She served as assistant commissioner for Capital Projects at NYC Department of Cultural Affairs for over 20 years, supporting architecture and public art, and vice president of the AIA board (2013–2014). She received numerous awards: AIA New York State’s James William Kidney Gold Medal and Del Gaudio, and Ohio State University’s Distinguished Alumna.

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Arnold Valdez, principal of Valdez and Associates and Rezolana Farm in San Luis, Colorado, obtained a MArch at the University of New Mexico in 1992. He was recognized as a George Pearl Fellow in 2008 for his work in the UNM Historic Preservation and Regionalism Graduate Certificate Program. As an adjunct associate professor at the UNM School of Architecture and Planning he taught courses in alternative materials and methods of construction, cultural landscape planning, preservation technologies, and adaptive reuse. He also co-taught seminars on recording historic resources on Route 66—HABS measured drawings, and HAER-acequia documentation for La Cienga and La Bajada Acequias. The courses collaborated with the National Park Service, Santa Fe County, and the Graduate Certificate Program in Historic Preservation at UNM. Currently, Valdez operates Rezolana Farm, a Certified Naturally Grown farm specializing in heirloom crops and seeds and industrial hemp.
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Lisa Germany is a writer and editor. Although she received her master’s degree with a thesis on Fra Angelico, modern architecture became her primary interest. Following several years as architecture critic for Texas Monthly and as a journalist covering architects for dozens of shelter magazines, she began to write more seriously about architecture. She authored monographs on modernist Harwell Hamilton Harris and maverick Malibu architect Harry Gesner, as well as a study of the unique and storied homes of Texas. For the *New York Times* she critiqued buildings by Ricardo Legorreta and Rafael Moneo, among others. She has edited many books, including Michelle Dunkerly’s chronicle of the work of modernist Hank Schubart. Germany spends her summers in the panhandle of Nebraska volunteering at the Sandhills Institute, an artists’ residency founded by Mel Ziegler, which fosters the civic engagement of artists with the rural community.

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Lisa Purdy lives in Denver and spent most of her working life in real estate development and historic preservation. In addition she was a facilitator at the community level to win passage of many controversial measures, including obtaining historic district status for LODO, the Lower Downtown area in Denver. These days Purdy is a full time artist. She does large scale abstract oil paintings and she sculpts in stone. She has a large studio in Denver and is represented by Space Gallery. She and her husband also own a house in Santa Fe, New Mexico.

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The intersection of landscape and architecture has inspired Glenn LaRue Smith’s 40 year urbanism career, focused on the city as a cultural and artistic medium for practice. Smith has developed a unique design methodology that interprets place specific imagery to develop highly unique and sculptural design forms. As an application of this passion, he has participated in urban design workshops and competition juries in major American cities. Smith brings extensive management and leadership experience to PUSH studio, based on prior roles as acting deputy director of the Prince George’s County,
Maryland, Redevelopment Authority and academic chairmanships at Florida A and M University and Morgan State University. He has served as president of the New York Chapter of ASLA. Smith received a master of landscape architecture degree from the University of Michigan Ann Arbor and a bachelor of landscape architecture degree from Mississippi State University. He is a fellow of the American Society of Landscape Architects (FASLA).

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Mel Ziegler currently lives and works in Nashville, Tennessee, and is the Paul E. Shwab Endowed Chair in Fine Arts and professor of art and community engagement in the Department of Art at Vanderbilt University. Ziegler’s practice has examined the role of art in public space, the socially constructed dimensions of our natural environment, the value of manual labor, and the importance of collaboration between artist and community. He is the founder and executive director of the Sandhills Institute, “a catalyst for the creation of civically engaged integrated art in and around the agricultural community” on the historic Davis Pine Creek Ranch near Rushville in northwest rural Nebraska. Ziegler is renovating a 4,000 square foot building on Main Street to develop a gallery and community oriented cultural space specifically to enhance the programing and goals of the Sandhills Institute and embrace the economics and cultural heritage of this rural region.

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In a career spanning 40 years, incorporating practice, teaching, research, and advocacy, David Kamp’s leadership and unique contributions promoting health through design are at the forefront of the profession. Kamp founded Dirtworks Landscape Architecture to explore the extent to which design with nature can restore and protect the wellbeing of individuals and communities, elevate individual and collective experiences, and advance the stewardship of our cultural and natural resources.

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Matthew Kiefer’s land use law practice is at the intersection of private initiative and public policy. He helps project proponents earn parcel dispositions and entitlements from public agencies for complex urban projects—market oriented developments, affordable and mixed income housing, and facilities and master plans for museums, hospitals and universities, including Harvard. He plays leadership roles in the Boston Municipal Research Bureau, a think tank devoted to municipal governance, and the Boston/New England District Council of the Urban Land Institute. He has been elected to Honorary Membership in the Boston Society for Architecture and the AIA and was appointed by Boston’s mayor to the Community Preservation Committee, which awards grants for affordable housing, open space and historic preservation projects. He teaches field studies courses through the real estate program at the Harvard GSD and writes and speaks regularly on land use planning and policy.

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Peggy King Jorde is a cultural projects consultant combining more than 30 years of experience in architecture and historic preservation projects in New York City and beyond. King Jorde served under three NYC mayors, providing comprehensive oversight of all capital construction projects specific to New York’s cultural landmarks, public art, and art museums. King Jorde took the lead in advocating and shepherding the creation of New York’s African Burial Ground Memorial and Interpretive Centre. She is now an advocate for the preservation of the African burial ground discovered on Saint Helena Island, which she discussed in a recent UN forum. The island is an important marker of the Middle Passage of the transatlantic slave trade, located midway between Africa and the New World on the routes used by slave traders.

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Jeff Logsdon

Jeffrey Logsdon’s work experience is divided between education and interdisciplinary practice in architecture, landscape architecture, and art. His design projects and land use planning activities engage with existing sociocultural and ecological systems and the place based relationships in rural and urban settings. Logsdon is the former head of Writtle School of Design, University of Essex, and director of the Landscape Architecture program. He directed the formation of the design school and led development and accreditation of the undergraduate and graduate Landscape Architecture programs. From 2013 to the present he has consulted in landscape architecture, urban design, planning, and design competitions. In addition to his teaching and practice, Logsdon’s personal projects include writing; studying German culture; developing a free library cafe for art, architecture, landscape, and music; and renovating a castle close to Leipzig as a home for development of the Centre for Art, Architecture, Landscape and Music, which he co-directs with Carolin Widmann. He studies socio-cultural art and design relationships to “heimat,” the parentheses in everyday life and the phenomena of liminal landscape.

Richard T. Reinhard

Richard T. Reinhard has spent four decades improving cities. Today he is principal of Niagara Consulting Group, which advises religious institutions and communities on how to reuse and redevelop the tens of thousands of U.S. and
Canadian houses of worship that are declining or empty. He worked as a leader in the United Methodist Church for five years. Before that, he managed urban revitalization organizations in Washington, DC; Atlanta; Buffalo; Richmond, VA; and Derry, Northern Ireland. He served as chief of staff to the mayor of Buffalo and, as consultant to the mayor, developed the strategic plan for the Buffalo-Niagara Medical Campus. He began his career as a reporter for his hometown Syracuse newspaper. He has a BS in biology from the College of William and Mary and a master’s of business and public management from Rice University.

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Pilar Viladas has written about design and architecture since 1979, as an editor at Interiors, Progressive Architecture, House & Garden, and the New York Times, and currently as a freelance writer and editor.

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In 2018 Patricia Zingsheim embarked on a new endeavor in architecture, ecology and renewable energy, relocating from DC to Spring Green, Wisconsin, in the distinctive Driftless Area. In revitalizing a prairie style, mid-century architectural gem, restoring native prairie, and researching geothermal and solar solutions, she is following her passion for environmental issues and seeking sustainable solutions for the American prairie. Prior to this Zingsheim worked in the DC Office of Planning for 15 years as associate director of design. She focused on citywide urban design systems, high impact local and federal projects, and neighborhood livability projects. The most rewarding projects combined creativity, design quality, and durability. She has worked for local governments and private consulting firms and has undertaken projects in both small and large communities. She also taught as adjunct at the Iowa State University Department of Architecture and the Harvard GSD Department of Planning and Urban Design.

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Craig Barton

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Craig Barton is university architect and professor in practice of architecture at Brown University. Previously he was provost and senior VP of academic affairs of the School of the Art Institute of Chicago and a professor in the Department of Architecture, Interior Architecture, and Designed Objects. He held faculty and administrative positions at Arizona State University and University of Virginia and has had leadership roles in national academic organizations, including the National Architecture Accrediting Board and
the Association of Collegiate Schools of Architecture. Barton’s architecture and design practice investigates issues of race, memory, and identity and their interpretation and assists African American communities to preserve and utilize cultural resources to stimulate community development. His design firm RB Studio has developed projects throughout the South and Northeast. Barton has published widely and is the editor of Sites of Memory: Perspectives on Architecture and Race, and his work has been featured in numerous exhibitions.

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Elizabeth Courtney is a grandmother, an environmentalist, a darned good chef, and a gardener. She is an advocate, a poet, a memoirist, a landscape architect, and coauthor of Greening Vermont, The Search for a Sustainable State. She serves at the pleasure of the governor on the Vermont Natural Resources Board and is a member of the Governor’s Council of Environmental and Energy Advisors. She paints watercolors of skies and pears, of ponds and apples. In the late 1980s and early 1990s, she served on and then chaired the Green Mountain State’s unique land use appeals court.

Kate Ericson
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Kate Ericson was born in 1955 in New York City and shared an artistic practice with Mel Ziegler from 1979 until her death in 1995. Synthesizing conceptual, land art, and interventionist strategies, they developed a distinctly American community based art outside the orbit of NY. Ericson and Ziegler received BFAs from Kansas City Art Institute and MFAs at CalArts. Working with local iconography, sites, and communities across America, they created works and staged interventions with and for these communities. They were the subject of solo exhibitions at the MOMA, the San Francisco Art Institute, and the Austin Museum of Art, and their work is in major collections including the Whitney Museum and the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art. Ericson was due to enter the Loeb Fellowship in 1994. After her passing, Ziegler became a Loeb from 1996 to 1997 and continued an artistic practice founded on the strategies established during their collaboration.

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Annie Hillary had a distinguished career with the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration and is currently engaged in volunteerism and translating her career accomplishments to fulfill her continued concerns for the environment. At NOAA, Annie was recognized for her innovative work on marine protected areas. She collaborated with UNESCO’s World Heritage Center to establish the Marine World Heritage Program that began a global initiative to recognize outstanding marine and coastal areas for inclusion.
on the World Heritage List. Hillary is currently engaged in volunteer efforts that fill her soul. She is a volunteer at the National Museum of African American History and Culture, a master gardener and an Anne Arundel County Watershed Steward. Hillary also volunteered at the Banneker-Douglas Museum in Annapolis, Maryland and served as an assistant curator on the photograph collection of Thomas Baden. She spent the summer 2017 working at Omega Institute Center for Sustainable Living.

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John Loomis

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John Loomis is a retired architect and professor at San José State University. His Loeb Fellowship furthered his academic and practice activities in the areas of urban manufacturing as well as in architectural culture in Cuba with a focus on the Escuelas Nacionales de Arte in Havana. He ended his career with the position of resident director of the Florence Study Center for California State University in Florence, Italy.
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Ed McNamara’s 45 years of experience in construction, real estate, and community development includes work in the private, public, philanthropic, and nonprofit sectors. He was the executive director of a CDC and worked for a foundation to create CDCs in other Portland neighborhoods. He was in charge of development for the company that bought the old railroad yards that became Portland’s Pearl District. In 2002, McNamara started his own development company, focusing on midrise affordable housing in the central city. In 2012 and 2013, he put his business on hold to work on urban renewal issues for Portland’s mayor, and in 2017, he sold his partnership interest and retired. McNamara’s year as a Loeb Fellow had a profound impact on his life and career. It shaped what he has done and continues to do since then to take a leadership role in making a positive change in the community.

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Robert E. Snieckus, FASLA, PLA, is a consulting landscape architect based in Silver Spring Maryland. He retired in 2017 as national landscape architect with the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service in Washington, DC. He has extensive experience in ecological restoration, conservation, visual simulation, watershed planning, and recreation design.

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Most of Michelle Sullivan’s professional and volunteer life has focused on the development of dynamic and connected communities. Currently, she is principal of Sullivan and Associates, a consulting firm that works with not for profit organizations and private foundations to more intentionally achieve their goals, and serves as a trustee for the University of Wyoming. She is also developing the Center for Inspired Learning Environments. CenterILE will connect the most recent scientific research about how children and adults learn to the design of educational environments and approaches in education. When she can, Sullivan helps to teach a course at Harvard on the use of cognitive science research to design effective approaches to teaching and learning. This has helped to support the development of that bridge between research and practice.

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Kathleen Coakley Barrie has a consulting firm with her husband Dennis based in Cleveland, Barrie Projects, which specializes in developing new museums and new exhibitions, and cultural planning. Their past big projects are the International Spy Museum in Washington, DC, and The Mob Museum: National Museum of Organized Crime and Law Enforcement in Las Vegas, as well as visioning for Uptown, a new mixed use neighborhood in Cleveland’s cultural district and a Rudy Bruner finalist for 2015. Currently on the drawing boards are the US Olympic Museum in Colorado Springs, with Gallagher and Associates and Diller Scofidio and Renfro, and art master planning for Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland.

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Coleman Coker is the first professor of practice at the University of Texas at Austin School of Architecture and director of the Gulf Coast DesignLab, a community outreach program focusing on environmental education. The Gulf Coast DesignLab has been recognized for its design excellence with state, national and international awards. Coker holds a Rome Prize from the American Academy in Rome. He has taught at numerous schools of architecture and is past director of the Memphis Center of Architecture, an urban design program that focused on thinking through the hands as students explored local ecologies through the art of building. He has over thirty years as principal of his own firms, founding building studio in 2000 after a thirteen year partnership with Samuel Mockbee as Mockbee/Coker Architects. He has lectured extensively at professional forums and universities and has received numerous honors, including National AIA Honor awards.

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For 35 years after leaving the partnership of a big Boston law firm, Buzz Constable did soup-to-nuts for Boston commercial real estate, doing historic renovation and new construction as well as administration and board work. That also left him time for some state, regional, and local planning and environmental commissions, agencies and NGOs. As his CRE career closes, Constable has board or consulting involvement with nine advocacy and nonprofit programs, five grandchildren, newfound love of the Yellowstone River, and a generally superb life.
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Charles McKinney is a practical visionary; he provides design and park-making guidance to municipal governments and nonprofit groups seeking to create or restore parks. He solves longstanding problems, envisions new futures and finds ways to weave motivated community members into park and community development plans. His methods are illuminated in his 2016 TEDx talk “The Embracing City.” As the former principal urban designer for NYC Parks, McKinney led the preparation of major park master plans that corrected problems, highlighted natural attributes, and addressed emerging recreational needs. Previously, as chief of design at NYC Parks, he provided design direction for the largest investment in parks since the 1930s. His projects improved the happiness, fitness and health of community members and addressed climate change. The American Institute of Architects and the American Society of Landscape Architects recognized his achievements by awarding him honorary membership.

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Kevan Moss closed her design office as of December 2017; however she continues to do pro bono work for projects that are of particular interest to her.

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Guy Nordenson is a structural engineer and professor at Princeton University. Recent projects include the Kimbell Art Museum, the Menil Drawing Center, and the National Museum of African American History and Culture. Since 2008 he has led research projects on coastal resilience and climate adaptation and co-written three books on the subject: On the Water/Palisade Bay, Structures of Coastal Resilience, and Four Corridors. Nordenson has co-curated exhibitions at MOMA, including Tall Buildings and Rising Currents, and published Tall Buildings, the Felix Candela Lectures, and Structured Lineages: Learning from Japanese Structural Design. He was awarded the AIA’s Institute Honors for Collaborative Achievement Award, was Bernoudy Fellow at the American Academy in Rome, and is a member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. From 2006 to 2015 he was commissioner of the NYC Public Design Commission and is a currently member of the NYC Panel on Climate Change.
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Sarah Peskin retired from the National Park Service in 2009 after a 30 year career leading the planning and legislative office of the North Atlantic Region. She was planning director for the Lowell Historic Preservation Commission, which coordinated development of Lowell National Historical Park, and was instrumental in the establishment of new NPS areas—Weir Farm NHS, Marsh-Billings-Rockefeller NHP, and Boston Harbor Islands NRA. Peskin led planning for the Schoodic section of Acadia National Park, and managed design and planning of award-winning Harbor Park Pavilion on the Rose Kennedy Greenway in Boston, and Morgan Cultural Center, Boarding House Park, and the Park Trolley System in Lowell, Massachusetts. She chairs the board of the Frances Perkins Center in Newcastle, Maine, and led the campaign to acquire the Frances Perkins Homestead National Historic Landmark as a public site. Peskin holds a master’s degree in urban planning from New York University.

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Sally Siddiqi’s artwork grew out of her career as a landscape designer and executive for environmental design organizations both nationally and internationally. Her work captures the sense of place, from the most representational paintings to the most abstract. She believes that there are a myriad of unseen forces in the landscape, which she captures through a range of techniques and media. Siddiqi graduated from the University of Washington in landscape architecture. She served as executive director for the US Green Building Council New York Chapter and as executive director of the American Institute of Architects New York Chapter and the American Institute of Architects Foundation for Architecture New York Chapter. She also directed global programs for the United Nations Environment Programme. Siddiqi studied drawing and painting with Jon DeMartin in New York City and more recently, painting and printmaking at the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts.

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Having an architecture career that has spanned five decades, Rob Stein has had the opportunity to work on many building types across the US. Collaboration has been the hallmark of his career, and he has won accolades from clients and design awards from colleagues. Stein’s specialty is the planning aspect of architecture—site, building, and space. It is interacting with clients and creatively finding solutions for them that he finds most rewarding. In addition, Stein has a lifelong interest in art, having been an art history major in college. Since 2003, he has been an avid collector of photography, which has afforded him a widespread knowledge of the field, and he has helped clients purchase and place art in the workplaces he has designed. Since 2016 he has been delighted to be president of the Loeb Alumni Council, now serving a second term that runs until November 2022.
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Elizabeth Watson works to enhance historic communities and landscapes. She coauthored *Saving America’s Countryside*, the guidebook that inspired a generation of practitioners and documented the groundbreaking cultural landscape listing of 25 square miles of Oley, Pennsylvania, in the National Register. During her Loeb year, she worked to establish a system of National Heritage Areas when just three existed; Congress has now recognized 55 such unique American regions. Watson completed management plans for eastern PA’s Delaware & Lehigh National Heritage Corridor in 1993 with Mary Means and Associates and in 2014. From that 1993 plan, she and her partners at Heritage Strategies, LLC (founded in 2009) went on to create National Heritage Area plans for the Shenandoah Valley, northeastern Iowa, Abraham Lincoln territory in Illinois, the Erie Canal, the Sangre de Cristo Mountains (CO), Niagara Falls, the Santa Cruz Valley (AZ), the Lower Susquehanna River (PA), and Revolutionary War landscapes in NJ, MA, and NH.

Lawrence Braman  
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After attending Columbia School of Architecture, Lawrence Braman renovated abandoned buildings in urban neighborhoods and worked with local nonprofits to develop affordable housing in the Boston area. He managed geographic information systems to support the city’s neighborhood redevelopment initiatives and served on the state board responsible for promulgating and enforcing accessibility regulations. Braman’s most recent role involved assisting the City of Cambridge with plan review and code compliance.

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Ignacio F. Bunster-Ossa is a landscape architect with a 40+ years of experience in the planning and design of urban landscapes. Currently he is the vice-president for Resilience and Landscape Urbanism at the Collaborative, a Boston-based and minority-owned practice specializing in community planning and design. He is co-author of *Green Infrastructure: a Landscape Approach*, a planning advisory report published by the American Planning...
Armando Carbonell

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Armando Carbonell has led the urban planning program at the Lincoln Institute of Land Policy since 1999. After attending Clark University and Johns Hopkins University, Carbonell spent the early part of his career as an academic geographer. He went on to initiate a new planning system for Cape Cod, Massachusetts, as the founding executive director of the Cape Cod Commission. After his Loeb Fellowship, Carbonell taught urban planning at Harvard and the University of Pennsylvania and served as an editor of the British journal *Town Planning Review*. He has consulted on master plans in Houston, Texas, and Fujian Province, China, and is the author or editor of numerous works on city and regional planning and planning for climate change, including *Nature and Cities: The Ecological Imperative in Urban Design and Planning*. Carbonell is a fellow of the American Institute of Certified Planners, as well as a fellow of the Academy of Social Sciences and lifetime honorary member of the Royal Town Planning Institute in the UK.

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Nedra Sims Fears is the executive director of the Greater Chatham Initiative of Chicago. GCI supports housing stability, business and workforce development, and public safety in the Auburn Gresham, Avalon Park, Chatham, and Greater Grand Crossing Black neighborhoods. GCI created FoodLab Chicago, which stabilized and scaled 40 Black-owned restaurants with $2.8 million in loans and grants. GCI, also produced the 75th Street Boardwalk on Restaurant Row that transformed a 2-block corridor and received the Chicago Neighborhood Development Award, Congress for the New Urbanism award, and the 2020–2021 Merit Award for Design from the Illinois Chapter of the ASLA. She also marketed Chatham to attract new residents—Chatham’s population increased 2% from 2010–2020. Previously she financed low and moderate income housing for Fannie Mae, City of Chicago, and Community Investment Corporation. She is a Community of Practice co-chair for Middle Neighborhoods, and governor for the Metropolitan Planning Commission.

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Alex Jaegerman, FAICP, has been director of planning and development in Yarmouth, Maine since 2015, where he instituted a form based code in Yarmouth Village and Route 1, Main Street Streetscape Plan. He also planned a Complete Street Plan for Route 1, design elements of Rt. 1/Main Street bridge, the extension of the Beth Condon Memorial Pathway, and Yarmouth’s first local historic preservation program. Previously, Jaegerman spent 34 years as chief planner for the City of Portland, Maine where he planned for historic preservation, the Bayside Vision and Bayside Trail, Downtown Vision, Waterfront and India Street plans, public art program and arts district plan, among many other projects and programs. Jaegerman holds a BA in economics from Antioch College and a master’s in city planning from MIT School of Architecture and Planning. He serves on the board of directors of Portland Trails and Greater Portland Landmarks.

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As project leader for urban farm site development at the Urban Farming Institute of Boston, Barbara Knecht turns abandoned lots into commercial urban farms, social infrastructure and productive open space in urban neighborhoods. She is a principal at Strategies for Cities/Kruckemeyer and Knecht. With an MArch from Columbia University, she joined the NYC Mayor’s Office of Construction, the start of her fascination with infrastructure and urban systems. In her next two positions for the City of New York, she conceived and managed design and development of housing and service programs, health care, and open space projects. Knecht’s articles and papers have appeared in *Architecture, Architectural Record, Design Book Review, Frontiers, Applied Ergonomics*, and *Enterprise Quarterly*. She also served as director of design at the Institute for Human Centered Design and codirected an international, experiential academic program that examined cities through the lens of people, planning and politics.

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Andy Lemer is a consultant and researcher with wide international and domestic experience in planning and policy for urban and regional development, multimodal transportation, and civil infrastructure systems. He has led multidisciplinary teams to develop regional growth strategies, new town plans, and economic development feasibility studies throughout the US and Africa, the Middle East, Southeast Asia, and Latin America; for example the initial master plans for Abuja, Nigeria, and Batam Centre, Indonesia. He also has directed research programs at the National Academies of Science, Engineering, and Medicine related to infrastructure asset management,
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Cathleen McGuigan is editor-in-chief of *Architectural Record*, the nation’s leading architecture publication for more than a century. Under her stewardship, *Record* has won numerous journalism honors, including the Grand Neal award, the top American Business Media award for overall excellence. Since she took over in 2011, the magazine has greatly expanded its presence online and on social media. In 2014, she created *Record*’s annual Women in Architecture Design Leadership awards, the only honor of its kind in the US. A former architecture critic and arts editor of *Newsweek*, McGuigan has a BA from Brown University. She has taught at Columbia University’s Graduate School of Journalism and has been a Poynter Fellow at Yale. Besides *Newsweek* and *Record*, her articles have appeared in such publications as the *New York Times Magazine*, *Smithsonian*, and *Rolling Stone*. She sits on the board of trustees of the Skyscraper Museum and the Center for Architecture in New York.

A tour of the USS Constitution with the Class of 2016. Photo: Kimberly Driggins
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Carla Picardi is an author, consultant, keynote speaker, and lecturer. She has a degree in architecture and design and over 35 years experience leading people to create a vision and to make that vision a reality in design, property development, concept development, project management, and people development. Picardi presented at the TEDx Padova Salon in 2017 and is the author of *The World According to YOU! - How Our Choices Create It All*. As project executive for Canary Wharf, London, she created the concept and implemented the first 4.5 million square feet, and as project director of the iconic Gherkin in London she secured the first planning permission in over 30 years for a tall building in the City of London. The project won the 2004 Stirling Prize. Other past roles include vice president for Citibank, strategic development adviser to the BBC, and director of the Leadership Development Program at CIMBA.

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Cindy Freidmutter assists governments, hospitals, and community providers to develop and implement innovative behavioral health services and programs that improve health outcomes and community stability for New Yorkers with complex disorders and social challenges. In recent years, her focus has been on integrated behavioral and primary care, innovative crisis and care transition services, care management, and managed care implementation. Freidmutter is a graduate of NYU Law School and a retired member of the bars of New York, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania.

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Architectural historian and preservation planner Genevieve Keller is a founding principal of the award winning firm Land and Community Associates. As current chair of the Preservation Virginia Board of Trustees, she is co-leading the organization’s strategic planning initiative for the dual challenges of responding to the COVID-19 pandemic and implementing an equitable and inclusive approach to historic preservation in the nation’s oldest statewide preservation organization. She is the coauthor of several award winning cultural landscape publications addressing cultural landscape theory and practice. Keller was visiting professor of Architectural History at the University of Virginia School of Architecture in 2014–15 and has remained as practitioner and distinguished fellow of the school’s Center for Cultural Landscapes and adjunct faculty teaching preservation planning. Previously, she served two terms on the City of Charlottesville Planning Commission, Place Design Task Force, and Board of Architectural Review, and currently serves on the Board of Zoning Appeals and Historic Resource Committee.

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J. Timothy Keller, FASLA, is a founding principal of Land and Community Associates and professor emeritus in the Department of Landscape Architecture at Iowa State University. He has directed a variety of significant landscape planning and conservation projects throughout the US and overseas. He is recognized for his award winning publications and projects addressing distinct cultural communities, historic landscapes, and transportation corridors. As an advocacy planner to special cultural groups, he lived with and advised the Amanites of the Amana Colonies in Iowa and the water based community of Tangier Island in the Chesapeake Bay, worked with the Plain Sect communities of Lancaster County, PA, and assisted the diverse cultural community of Hanalei Valley on Kauai. Keller, who holds a BA in anthropology and an MLA from UVA, currently serves on the Albemarle
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Class of 1991

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As executive vice president of the Pennsylvania Horticultural Society, J. Blaine Bonham, Jr. founded the urban greening program Philadelphia Green in 1974 and grew the grassroots initiative into the most comprehensive program of its kind in the nation. Philadelphia Green created the Green City Strategy, a vacant land management program that converted acres of derelict land in Philadelphia to green space. Bonham has presented the program to Congress and the White House, and in 2006, he collaborated on the Philadelphia episode of the acclaimed PBS series Edens Lost and Found. After he retired from PHS in 2010, Bonham received the prestigious Curtin Winsor Award.
He has served on the mayor’s Sustainability Advisory Board, which oversees implementation of Greenworks Philadelphia. In addition, he has chaired the boards of the Pennsylvania Environmental Council GreenSpace Alliance and the Norris Square Neighborhood Project, an environmental education organization serving the Latino community in North Philadelphia.

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Emily Gabel-Luddy, FASLA, worked for more than 30 years in progressive planning and urban design capacity for the City of Los Angeles. In 2006, she established the award-winning Urban Design Studio in the LA City Planning Department. Three years later, LA City Council adopted new street and urban design standards that constructively changed the urbanism of Downtown LA. Restless after retirement, she was elected to Burbank City Council in 2011, and became the longest serving mayor in the City’s history. She continued to advocate for the return of nature to the City, a paradigm shift from sterile lawns to native flora and fauna. Affordable housing was also a cornerstone
of her service: to promote community advancement absent gentrification and promotion of unique community identity. She now serves her city as an Airport Commissioner seeking platinum-level, self sustaining architectural excellence for the new Burbank Passenger Terminal.

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Carol Gladstone has over 40 years of experience in both public and private real estate and project management. Since 2015, she has served as the commissioner of DCAMM, Massachusetts’ agency for capital projects and real estate. Prior to this appointment, Gladstone was a principal in project management and real estate at Stantec Consulting, an international architecture and engineering firm, following the acquisition of her firm GLC Development Resources. GLC was cofounded in 2000 and provided real estate development and advisory services to private, public, and non-profit clients. Gladstone’s public sector experience includes three years as the assistant receiver for community and economic development for the city of Chelsea during the state receivership following her time as a Loeb Fellow. She began her career as a project manager at the Beacon Companies, where she was responsible for the award winning Rowes Wharf mixed use waterfront project and the Hotel Meridien (now Langham Hotel).

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Bill Klein was director of Research and Advisory Services for APA between 1991 and 2013. He and his staff engaged in high quality applied research delivering practical guidance and training to planning practitioners in the field—technical guidance reports, widely recognized studies on topics of national interest, leadership institutes, and work on planning standards. He supervised a staff of 10 to 20 professionals on 80 sponsored research projects involving over $17 million in outside funding. Klein was the executive editor of Planning and Urban Design Standards (John Wiley and Sons), arguably the most definitive, comprehensive sourcebook on planning practice in the US. Prior to joining APA, Klein was planning director on Nantucket Island, where he conceived and implemented a real estate transfer tax that has raised over a third of a billion dollars for shaping the settlement pattern and protecting habitat, viewscapes, and shore access.

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Bonnie Loyd, an urban geographer, has worked in media as a writer and editor. She was the editor of the journal Landscape in Berkeley for more than a decade, after the retirement of the founder J.B. Jackson. At the same time she frequently contributed award-winning essays on the built environment
to public radio, with partial funding from the NEA. Bonnie spent 25 years at the Exploratorium, the museum of art, science, environment, and informal learning in San Francisco. She has taught at several universities, published in newspapers and professional journals, and contributed to long range plans for several universities.

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Steven Moore is Bartlett Cocke Regents Professor Emeritus of Architecture and Planning at the University of Texas at Austin where he taught design and interdisciplinary courses related to the philosophy, history, and application of sustainable technology. He has served as director of the Graduate Program in Sustainable Design (2002–16) and is co-founder of the University of Texas Center for Sustainable Development. Moore is a fellow of the National Endowment for the Arts and the recipient of an Individual Scholar Award from the National Science Foundation. He is the author of many articles, twenty-six book chapters and seven books on the topic of sustainable architecture and urbanism. He now lives and continues his research program from Great Diamond Island, ME.

**Class of 1990**

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James Carpenter has worked at the intersection of art, engineering and the built environment for nearly 50 years, advancing a distinctive vision based on the use of natural light and glass as the foundational elements of the built environment. Carpenter founded the cross disciplinary design firm James Carpenter Design Associates in 1979 to apply these aesthetic principles to large scale building projects. Carpenter has also co-founded Carpenter Norris Consulting, which develops custom daylighting systems for architectural structures, which reduce reliance on electrical lighting. Carpenter has been recognized with numerous national and international awards, including an Academy Award in Architecture from the American Academy of Arts and Letters and a MacArthur Foundation Fellowship. He holds a degree from the Rhode Island School of Design.
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Lawrence Cheng is a principal at Bruner/Cott Architects in Boston, Massachusetts, and an adjunct lecturer at the Massachusetts College of Art and design. His practices focus on multifamily housing, community facilities, higher education projects, and reuse of existing historic complexes. He translates his commitment to socially and environmentally responsible architecture into innovative projects that are sustainable, build human capacity and connection, and promote the wellbeing of both the community and the planet. Cheng has been involved in the Boston’s Chinatown since the late 1980’s, including community organizing and protest, working with the city on zoning regulations, co-founding the Asian Community Development Corporation, and facilitating several community master plans. He is currently a board member of the Chinatown Community Land Trust. He had also served as board member in organizations such as First Night Boston, the Boston Urban Gardeners, Cambridge Montessori School, and the Boston Society of Architects.
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Albert G. Dobbins III, AICP, is the sole proprietor of Al Dobbins Consulting, which focuses on land use planning and zoning, community development planning, heritage area planning, project management and coordination, strategic planning, public engagement, and photographic survey. From 2007 to 2014, Dobbins was deputy director of the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission Prince George’s County Planning Department, and he was principal planning and development consultant with A. G. Dobbins and Associates from 1995 to 2000. From 1977 through 1995, he was DC planning director, deputy director of the Brooklyn Borough Office of the New York Department of City Planning, associate director for planning with Richmond Renaissance, Inc. in Richmond, VA, and senior planner for the City of Richmond. A native of Detroit, Dobbins earned a BS in mechanical engineering from the University of Michigan and a master of urban and regional planning degree from Virginia Commonwealth University.

Phile Freelon

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Philip G. Freelon, the founder of the Freelon Group, designed the National Center for Civil and Human Rights in Atlanta, the Reginald Lewis Museum in Baltimore, Emancipation Park in Houston, and the Museum of the African Diaspora in San Francisco. The team of Freelon Adjaye Bond/SmithGroup led the design for the Smithsonian’s National Museum of African American History and Culture, which opened in 2016. Prior to his death in 2018, Freelon lectured at scores of universities across the country, his work was published in national journals, and he was on the faculty at MIT’s School of Architecture and Planning. He served on numerous design award juries and earned many design awards, including the AIA Thomas Jefferson Award for Public Architecture. In 2012, President Obama appointed Freelon to the US Commission of Fine Arts. He was named 2017 Architect of the Year by Co.Design.

Judith LaBelle

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Judith LaBelle’s career has been spent at the intersection of sustainable food, land use, and community development. She was the founding president of Glynwood, a nonprofit located in New York’s Hudson Valley that is devoted to regional food systems and sustainable development. After serving in that position that for 17 years, she transitioned to retirement by serving as senior fellow for two additional years. LaBelle now spends most of the year in her home in Costa Rica where she continues to pursue her interests through activities in Costa Rica as well as the United States.
Susan Motley

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Susan Motley was born and raised in Chicago and attended Lawrence College in Wisconsin and Roosevelt University, Chicago. During her thirty year career she was instructor of philanthropy, public policy and community change and co-director of the Case Studies in Philanthropy Project at Loyola University Chicago. She was senior program officer at the MacArthur Foundation and program officer at the Ford Foundation Local Initiative Support Corporation. She also served as a commissioner on the New York City Planning Commission, director of housing and assistant to the vice president at Princeton University, and visiting associate professor at Pratt Institute’s Graduate School of Architecture and Planning. Now retired, she serves on several nonprofit boards. She is an aspiring writer and was an artist in residence at the Ragdale Foundation.

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Shane Smith founded and became the director of the Cheyenne Botanic Gardens in 1977. In March 2018 he retired but continues to direct the nonprofit partner of the gardens, the Friends of the Cheyenne Botanic Gardens. His career capstone was overseeing a 28,000 square foot Grand Conservatory and the funding and development of the world’s first LEED certified children’s
garden. Under his direction, the Cheyenne Botanic Gardens received awards from Presidents Reagan; Bush, Sr.; and Clinton. Individually, Smith is the recipient of the American Public Garden Association Award of Merit, the American Horticulture Society Great American Gardener Award, the National Garden Club Award of Excellence. Smith authored the bestselling garden book *Greenhouse Gardener’s Companion*. In 1982, he wrote the first manual on walk-in high tunnels. Smith has consulted and lectured for over 39 years and has worked with school gardens in Mexico and an orphanage garden project in Venezuela.

**Class of 1989**

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Cynthia Davidson is executive director of the nonprofit Anyone Corporation, an architecture think tank in New York City, and editor of the international architecture journal Log and the former ANY magazine, a tabloid she edited from 1993 to 2000. She is responsible for more than 40 books in print and oversees the Writing Architecture series published with MIT Press. She co-curated the US Pavilion at the 2016 Venice Architecture Biennale, started the popup architecture gallery Anyspace in 2017, and in 2019 began teaching writing for graduate architecture students at Pratt Institute. Occasionally she writes for periodicals that begin with the letter A, including *Architectural Record*, *Artforum*, *Arquitectura Viva*, *AA Files*, and *Abitare*. She received the Architecture Award from the American Academy of Arts and Letters in 2014.

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Since 1975, Tom Fox has designed and implemented urban park and waterfront projects. Fox was an NPS ranger at Gateway National Recreation Area in NY and NJ and a founding member of the Green Guerrillas, creating community gardens in underserved neighborhoods. In 1981, he founded the Neighborhood Open Space Coalition, advocating for the preservation and expansion of public open space and developing NYC’s first comprehensive open space policy. His book *The Struggle for Space* documented the scale and impact of the city’s community garden movement, and Fox spearheaded design of the award winning, 40 mile Brooklyn/Queens Greenway. Fox was a founding co-chair of the Brooklyn Bridge Park Coalition, founding president of the Hudson River Park Conservancy and co-founder of New York Water Taxi, which introduced small scale waterborne transportation to NY Harbor, where
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Ann Hershfang was undersecretary of transportation for Massachusetts from 1983 to 1988 and a board member of the Massachusetts Port Authority (1974 to 1981) and the Massachusetts Turnpike Authority (1988 to 1998). From 2009 to 2014, she chaired the Oversight Council for the Massachusetts $3 billion Accelerated Bridge Program, which aimed to repair 200 structurally deficient bridges over 8 years. In 1990, she co-founded WalkBoston, the first pedestrian advocacy group in the United States. Now retired, she is still an active advocate for walking. In 2020, she and her husband, Herb, moved—after 54 years—from Boston’s South End to Lasell Village in Newton MA, a retirement community that requires continuing education, volunteering, AND is three miles from her older daughter and family. They zoom with their younger daughter in Washington DC. Life is good.

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During Leslie Kerr’s 25 year career with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, she led preparation of award-winning conservation plans for Alaska national wildlife refuges, and eventually transitioned to refuge management at Selawik and later, Kodiak, refuges. Concurrently, she represented the US in the habitat protection element of the Conservation of Arctic Flora and Fauna program of the Arctic Council. In this capacity she assisted the World Commission on Protected Areas, of which she is a member, in drafting their initial Arctic policy. After leaving federal service, she co-founded the Heartistry Foundation Trust, a spiritual healing ministry whose programs combine ancient Spiritual Physics principles with holistic neurologic proprietary protocols to facilitate ascension of consciousness as well as restoration of the human body. She is a recipient of the Alfred B. LaGasse Medal from the Landscape Architecture Foundation and is a fellow of the American Society of Landscape Architects.

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Jerry Pucillo has been involved in real estate development for over 35 years. He spent his first 15 years developing elderly and family housing for the
Archdiocese of Boston and delivered over 1000 units at that time. Following that, he opened the local Bovis Construction office in Boston as well as the local RISE group office, both of which specialized in construction and program management. He has maintained a real estate development consulting practice known as Centergreen for 10 years and provides development management services. Pucillo specializes in strategic planning and managing the development process for both for profit and not for profit clients. He has focused on delivering sustainable projects wherever possible.

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Raised in a community-minded family in Alaska, Leif Selkregg began his career during the construction of the Trans-Alaska Pipeline and trained as an architect at the University of Oregon. Through his Loeb experience and connections, he began his first international endeavor to develop and lead a program management division for an international construction company in London focused on a master plan for Canary Wharf. Selkregg has provided program management on large scale projects for leading companies internationally. His latest company Ascent has worked on projects as diverse as a major transportation infrastructure expansion in Boston, Children’s Hospital of Chicago’s facilities master plan, Sky Landing in Chicago—the first permanent artwork by Yoko Ono in the Americas, and a presidential library for Harvard graduate Theodore Roosevelt. Selkregg and his team managed all aspects of the Harvard Art Museums project completed in 2013, which consolidated three museums and four research centers into a single state of the art facility.

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Rebecca Barnes is newly liberated from career commitments and is exploring ways of making her experience and knowledge useful to others. Barnes is an award winning urban designer, planner, and strategist with leadership experience in public and private sectors with complex development programs and organizational structures. She has acted in a range of roles: client representative, strategic advisor, appointed official, project and design manager. Committed to achieving well integrated environments that support human activity and enjoyment, Barnes enjoys participating in initiatives designed to bring about practical, inspiring, and beautiful places. She is a resource for teamwork, leadership, and mentoring. Her experience includes city and campus planning and policy development, architectural, landscape and urban design, public engagement and communications, community and economic development, transportation and infrastructure planning, and implementation planning. Barnes loves to work with good humored partners and teammates to make good things happen.
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In 2016, Laurie Beckelman became the associate director of the Shed in NYC, a nonprofit cultural organization which opened in spring 2019. Beckelman spent several years as lead consultant for the project since its inception and was a member of the executive management team, overseeing all aspects of the design, construction, and technical operations of this multi-arts space. In addition, she is responsible for all government relations and supports the Shed’s fundraising efforts. Situated on the far west side of Manhattan where the High Line meets Hudson Yards, the Shed, designed by Diller Scofidio and Renfro in collaboration with Rockwell Group, is a 200,000 square foot, six level structure. The radically flexible structure can physically and operationally accommodate the broadest range of performance, visual art, music, and multidisciplinary work.

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Marked by strong historical, cultural, and educational content, Ann Beha’s projects advocate for innovative contemporary design within historic settings and for the sustainable renewal of existing buildings. Her clients have included universities and museums, the US Department of State, and the Smithsonian Institution. Beha is a graduate of Wellesley College and received a master of architecture from MIT. A past distinguished visiting professor of architecture at City College of New York, she has been a trustee and president of Historic New England, served on visiting committees at the MFA, and is a member of Harvard University’s Design Advisory Panel. Beha has been honored with a Lifetime Achievement Award from the New England Chapter of the Victorian Society in America, an Anniversary Award from the Massachusetts Historical Commission, the Alumnae Achievement Award from Wellesley College, and the Women in Design Award of Excellence from the Boston Society of Architects.

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Bill Geary is a Boston native and a product of the city’s great institutions: English High, UMass Boston (BS Political Science and American History), Northeastern University (MA Public Management and American Government), and Suffolk Law School (JD). Geary was commissioner of the Metro Police and the chairman of the Metropolitan District Commission, which has provided over 6000 acres of parklands in Boston and 50 communities. It includes, in addition to Olmstead’s Emerald Necklace, the Boston Harbor Islands, the Esplanade on the Charles River, and numerous woodland reservations.
along with 650 miles of parkways, two zoos, reservoirs, dams, and water and sewer services. Geary left state government to become executive VP/general counsel for Clean Harbors Environmental Services and later became president of Clean Harbors Development LLC to develop solar energy at the company’s facilities. He currently serves as special counsel to the mayor of Quincy, MA, overseeing the downtown redevelopment program.

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Edy Netter splits her time between rural Maine (Denmark) and Boston. She is enjoying her grandkids, writing the story of her grandmother’s escape from Germany in 1941, gardening, hiking, and learning to play the guitar. She will work to elect new leadership during the midterm elections—there’s a contested seat where she lives in Maine. She hopes she can help make a difference!

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Norma Burns served two terms on the Raleigh City Council and practiced architecture for 20 years in her own firm, Burnstudio Architects, PA. As an assistant professor at the North Carolina State University College of Design, she taught architecture design studio and co-taught a combination design studio of architecture and landscape architecture students in the design of campus and public spaces. Retiring in 1998, she purchased a small farm in Chatham County, NC, where she specialized in organic heirloom produce and lavender, including lavender products. In 2018, through an online essay application process, she selected a young family of aspiring organic farmers to maintain the farm and carry on its original intent. The farm now carries an agricultural conservation easement issued by the Triangle Land Conservancy.

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After 40 years practicing in the fields of architecture, urban design, and city planning, Antonio Di Mambro retired and closed his office Antonio Di Mambro + Associates. He currently serves as a strategic advisor to nonprofit organizations that seek to improve the quality of large scale infrastructure projects and neighborhoods. He also continues to engage in teaching studios at the university level. Most of all, he enjoys mentoring students and young professionals who want to work on complex projects that require multidisciplinary solutions.

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Tessa Huxley is a park management consultant with a career devoted to green spaces: building and maintaining public landscapes and nurturing the communities that support and sustain those special places. Her passion runs from urban gardens on vacant lots to adventure playgrounds, from
intensely used public parks to community dog runs. She was executive director of the Green Guerillas for 5 years and executive director of Battery Park City Parks Conservancy for 28 years. In 2017 to 2018 she was temporary managing horticulturalist at the Met Cloisters. Currently she is on the steering committee of Gardens Rising, Neighbors to Save Rivington House, and the advisory board of Bard Early Colleges. She is at heart a cultivator of both plants and people. Whether managing a staff of 100 with a $12 million budget or volunteering her time, her philosophy and approach are the same: plan carefully for a sustainable future, promote diversity, prune as needed, and encourage growth.

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Donna Moffitt retired as the director of the North Carolina Aquarium at Fort Fisher in 2011. During her 40-year career, mostly in public sector positions in addition to being aquarium director, she was the state’s coastal management director and assistant director of the NC Soil and Water Conservation Division, and ran the Governor’s Outer Continental Shelf office overseeing offshore oil and gas leasing activities and proposed exploration of private companies. Upon receiving her law license in 1983, Moffitt worked for a while with the Nature Conservancy. In retirement, she and her husband are avid scuba divers, downhill skiers, and adventure travelers.
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Susan M. Rademacher is currently developing Origin Park on the Ohio River in Southern Indiana—epicenter of the region’s natural and cultural history—as executive director of River Heritage Conservancy. Formerly parks curator for the Pittsburgh Parks Conservancy, Rademacher sees parkmaking as the art of connecting people and place—rooted in an ethic of stewardship for natural and cultural resources—and is an advocate for the power of parks to transform people’s lives. From 1991 to 2007, Rademacher was founding president of the Louisville Olmsted Parks Conservancy and assistant director of Louisville Metro Parks. Prior to Loeb, she was editor in chief of *Landscape Architecture* and *Garden Design* magazines. Rademacher is an honorary member of the American Society of Landscape Architects and the Garden Club of America, which awarded her the Historic Preservation Medal in 2022.

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Laura Rosen’s subject has always been the landscape, people, and energy of New York City. She first explored the city as a photographer, often from high windows and rooftops that looked over a whole world of turrets, gargoyles and gardens. This became the subject of her book, *Top of the City: New York’s Hidden Rooftop World*, first published in 1982. Her second book, *Manhattan Shores: An Expedition Around the Island’s Edge*, published in 1998, was an exploration of Manhattan’s entire waterfront. She now depicts the city with watercolor, ink or graphite, creating pieces varying in size from over 3 feet wide on stretched paper to a mere 3 inches wide in a sketchbook. Inspiration in NYC is endless, ranging from a person daydreaming in a café to marching mastodon skeletons at the Museum of Natural History to a lone sunbather on a roof.

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Until recently, Michael Adlerstein was assistant secretary general of the UN and executive director of the 7-year Capital Master Plan to restore and renovate UN Headquarters in NYC. Before joining the UN, he was vice president and chief architect at the NY Botanical Garden, where he headed a multiyear restoration and design initiative. In the National Park Service he was in charge of the planning, design and construction program for the northeast region, including partnership projects at Gettysburg, Valley
Forge, Acadia, and Jamestown. In the 1980s, he was project director for the restoration of Ellis Island and the Statue of Liberty, which garnered him national recognition. Adlerstein was a Peace Corps volunteer in Colombia, obtained his architectural degree from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, and has worked as a State Department consultant on preservation, including of the Taj Mahal. He has won awards for his achievements and was made a fellow of the AIA.

**Simone Auster**

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Simone Auster’s focus was on civic betterment. She was president of Rebuilding Together Boston, which provides no cost repair and renovation services for low income homeowners and nonprofits to stabilize and revitalize neighborhoods, and the Emerald Necklace Conservancy, restoring the Olmsted designed Boston park system. She worked for the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce for 18 years designing and implementing school- business partnerships and city planning reviews and programs. Her last position was special assistant to the president of Rogerson Communities, which provides affordable housing, adult day healthcare and memory loss care.

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Rolf Diamant, retired national park superintendent and writer, is adjunct associate professor of history and historic preservation at the University of Vermont. In his previous career with the National Park Service, Rolf was a park manager and steadfast advocate for environmental humanism and relevance. He worked with the National Park System Advisory Board to develop policy initiatives on large landscape conservation, civic engagement, urban national parks, and collaborative leadership. His column Letter from Woodstock, addressing the future of national parks, appears regularly in the University of California - Berkeley journal, Parks Stewardship Forum. Current publications include two books on national parks: *A Thinking Person’s Guide to America’s National Parks* (Braziller - 2016), and *Olmsted and Yosemite: Civil War, Abolition, and the National Park Idea*, with Ethan Carr, (Library of American Landscape History - 2022.)

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Haig Khachatoorian has practiced internationally in architectural, exhibit, graphic, interior, and product design as consultant, educator, and designer since 1967. He has devoted a significant portion of his life to design education and professional practice in the US and abroad and has spent over 25 years on the faculty of the masters and PhD in Design programs at the College of Design at North Carolina State University, where one of his courses was cited by *Forbes* magazine in 2010 as “one of the top-ten innovative business courses in the United States.” Khachatoorian has also held academic positions at Ohio State University, Ball State University, and Bezalel Academy of Art and Design in Jerusalem. His design background has included positions at Dave Ellies Industrial Design, Designet, Nexus America (Fitch), and Retail Planning Associates and consulting for corporations, government, and institutions. Khachatoorian has been a guest lecturer at universities all over North America.

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Loeb Fellows at Shelburne Farms on the 2007 Loeb Fall Study Tour to Vermont.

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Stephen Norman is executive director of the King County Housing Authority, which covers the Seattle suburban metropolitan area. The Authority owns 11,500 units of housing and subsidizes an additional 10,000 households renting from private landlords. The Housing Authority is an active housing developer, with a pipeline that includes the creation of a 120 acre mixed income, mixed use community in White Center. KCHA works closely with local governments, school districts, and community stakeholders to house the region’s lower income workforce as well as elderly and disabled community members. It is particularly focused on addressing the region’s homeless issue, promoting family self sufficiency and supporting educational and life success for the 20,000 children assisted through its programs. Among various board roles, Norman is president of the Council of Large Public Housing Authorities and chair of the board of the Corporation for Supportive Housing.

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Since leaving his firm in 2015, John Syvertsen has been working as board chair of Archeworks, an alternative, socially focused design school in Chicago. He is also teaching at Illinois Institute of Technology, and giving tours as a docent and board member of the Chicago Architecture Foundation.

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James Batchelor, president and CEO of Arrowstreet, has been responsible for award winning architectural, planning, and research projects incorporating sustainable design and energy conservation. These include the Artists for Humanity EpiCenter, which earned a first-in-Boston Platinum LEED rating from the US Green Building Council and the Boston Society of Architects/ New York AIA Honor Award for Sustainable Design, among other awards.
Batchelor has extensive experience with downtown development and also has completed multiple projects for QROE Farms, an organization dedicated to responsible, low impact development and the preservation of farmland and open space. Batchelor was president of the Boston Society of Architects in 2009 and chair of the Northeast Sustainable Energy Association Conference in 2007 and is currently chair of the Brookline Preservation Commission. He has taught at the MIT Center for Real Estate and has masters degrees in architecture and city planning from MIT.

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Writer, editor, curator, and founding editor of the art and architecture publishing program at MIT Press, Roger Conover was the first full time art and architecture editor there and the only one for more than 40 years. He was responsible for the selection and publication of over 1500 books, many by first-time authors who later became luminaries in their fields. Earlier, he was a commercial fisherman and an editor at The Architects Collaborative. Trained as a poet (BA Bowdoin College; MA University of Minnesota), Conover’s writings have been widely published and anthologized. He has written extensively about avant-garde poets and artists, and edited two editions of Mina Loy’s poems. A dual citizen of the USA and Slovenia, he has curated exhibitions on contemporary art for museums and galleries in Istanbul, Austria, and New York. He is now writing a biography of the Dadaist-poet-boxer Arthur Cravan.

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Edward Frenette dedicated his professional life to facilitating design excellence within corporate organizational structures as director of design in large firms. The thesis he developed in his Loeb year, “The Large Firm Artistically Considered,” was published by Architecture Boston, Architecture Minnesota, and Northwest Architecture magazines. His environmental research led to The Form of Energy and the Energy of Form (Pergamon Press) and a Sustainability Design Manual for the federal government. Most recently he authored Quality Management during Schematic Design published in the current Architectural Handbook of Professional Practice, Fifteenth Edition. His design work has received numerous awards from the AIA, where he has served as chairman of design committees in Minneapolis, Boston, and Providence chapters. Now retired, Frenette continues writing about the product, process, and personalities producing design excellence within corporate structures in Director, Directing and Directed Design.
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William Karg is an architect and a gallery owner who ranks justice and beauty higher than the many other considerations of these two professions. Fortunately, neither of these professions exclude justice and beauty, leaving him with the enviable task of choosing the course that fits his principles. As an architect who has facilitated low income, self-built housing in Africa and as a gallery owner who has brought contemporary African art to the public eye, he feels gratified that he has been offered these opportunities. The Loeb Fellowship did not launch these interests and activities, however it certainly buttressed his resolve and confidence that with these courses of action he could offer a contribution.

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A graduate of Yale College, Carter Wiseman earned a master’s degree in architectural history from Columbia University. He was the architecture critic...
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Preservationist Ellen Beasley’s writing has shone a light on the historic architecture of Galveston, Texas. She is the author of The Alleys and Back Buildings of Galveston (Rice University Press), reprinted in 2007, and Galveston Architecture Guidebook, reprinted last year by Texas A and M University Press. Her Waxahachie Architecture Guidebook (Texas Christian University Press) was published in 2021. She is in the early stages of creating companion publications about the small houses and the corner stores of Galveston, which will complete the trilogy she dreamed of when arriving in Galveston in the mid-1970s. In addition to her Loeb Fellowship, Beasley has received the Rome Prize in Urban Planning and Design at the American Academy in Rome.

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Glenn Garrison, AIA, is the founder and managing principal of Glenn Garrison, Inc., an architectural and management practice providing quality executive project management for architects and designers to improve their office practice operations. Before founding his firm in 1993, he was with Philip Johnson and John Burgee as a principal, doing high rise office buildings all over the country—IDS Center, Minneapolis, Pennzoil Place, Houston, PPG Place, Pittsburgh, The Crescent, Dallas. With Kohn Pedersen Fox in executive project management he did the St. Paul Companies Headquarters and NASA Headquarters, in Washington DC. He has been active as a volunteer in environmental work with groups such as Tree People in LA and Architects, Designers, Planners for Social Responsibility in NY. He is a student, doing independent study online with edX, formed by MIT and Harvard.
Charlotte Kahn co-founded Boston Urban Gardeners as an antidote to Boston’s violent 1970s school desegregation, developing community gardens, neighborhood open space plans, and job training programs. After a stint at the Tax Equity Alliance for Massachusetts, she joined the Boston Foundation as director of the Boston Persistent Poverty Project and co-founded the Boston Indicators Project, which democratized access to public data and enabled analyses by ten sectors, race and ethnicity, and nested geographies. The U.S. Government Accountability Office twice selected the project as a national model, after which the OECD invited Kahn to introduce it globally at its 2007 World Forum in Istanbul. Since retiring in 2013, Kahn has written a biweekly column on climate change, a comprehensive plan.
for a Maine community, and a successful proposal to recharge aquifers and reduce coastal erosion through green infrastructure. She continues to engage in political action, in ecological, climate-resilient gardening and may yet write a climate action handbook.

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As an architectural photographer in pre-Photoshop days, Jane Lidz worked with a 4” x 5” camera under a dark cloth. Her first job after receiving her master of architecture degree was as a photographer for the Historic American Building Survey. That body of work is in the Library of Congress. Next Skidmore, Owings and Merrill hired her to photograph Davies Symphony Hall in San Francisco. She worked happily in that profession from 1980 to 2001. During that time she authored several published books. Titles include Rolling Homes: Handmade Houses on Wheels and photographed Water and Architecture with text by Charles W. Moore. For the past 20 years she has worked as a mixed media artist in San Francisco.

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Michael Pyatok has been an architect and professor of architectural design for over 45 years, during which his office designed over 35,000 units of affordable housing for lower income households in the US and abroad, and developed participatory design methods to facilitate community involvement throughout the process. He has been widely recognized for his contribution to the design of affordable housing and has earned accolades from Residential Architect (2001, Architect-of-the-Year), Professional Builder Magazine (2002, a Thought Leader of the development industry), Builder Magazine and the NAHB (2007, one of the 50 most influential people in the US housing industry), and the AIA (2013, Thomas Jefferson Award for Public Architecture). He has taught housing design at many universities and is professor emeritus at the University of Washington and a visiting professor at the University of Oregon.

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In a career that spanned more than 40 years, Jim Vaseff pursued multiple professions: architecture, film and photography, economic development, community development, urban design, governmental relations, university teaching, and issue management. When he retired, he confounded the Coperniche Research Institute to contribute expertise to developing economies and served for 5 years as vice chairman and member of the
board. Currently he is a docent in a venue devoted to high performance transportation and design (i.e. 67 MPGe at 93MPH) with Porsche Cars North America. This brings him full circle to his roots. Forty years ago he was acting chief of the Historic American Engineering Record of the US Department of the Interior, and on a team 24 years ago which set a world record for running an electric vehicle 831 miles in 24 hours. He is doing some writing on the history of the topic.

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As co-founder and chair of CSG Advisors, the nation’s leading financial advisor for affordable housing, Gene Slater has structured more than $10 billion of financings for public agencies. During the financial crisis, Slater helped design the US Treasury’s New Issue Bond Program to support first-time home buyers and affordable rental units. He is senior advisor to the state housing finance agencies of Colorado, Massachusetts, Minnesota, and NY, and has designed programs and major developments for many of the country’s largest cities. Slater has a master in city planning from MIT and a BA from Columbia, had a traveling fellowship to the London School of Economics, and recently completed a master of liberal arts from Stanford. During his Loeb Fellowship he created MIT and Harvard’s first joint seminars on public-private partnerships.

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As president of the local Historical Society, Michael Curran designed, built, and operated the Rico Historic Museum located in Rico, Colorado. He also helped design and build EPIC mountain bike trails in the states of Arkansas and Colorado.

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Michael Horst is retired and living in New York City. He was senior vice president for the Robert C. Larson Leadership Initiative at the Urban Land Institute and was the senior resident fellow for Leadership. Earlier he
oversaw ULI’s District Council Program and was co-founder of the ULI Sustainable Development Council, vice chair of the Program Committee, and a governor of the ULI Foundation. Since beginning his career in 1970, he has been a real estate consultant, educator, and developer, including senior positions with research consultancies, developers, and nonprofits. Horst has taught at Harvard, UC Berkeley, Georgetown, UCLA and the University of Southern California. He was a co-founder of Shenoa Retreat and Learning Center in Northern California and serves on the board of the New York Open Center. He has a BA from University of California Santa Barbara and an MBA from Stanford University.

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Kenneth Kruckemeyer is a longtime resident of Boston’s South End neighborhood and a founding member of the LivableStreets Alliance. An activist at heart, he focuses on moving dreams to reality through advocacy, based on his experience in the public and private sectors. In detail, he is a transportation strategist, specializing in the design of civil infrastructure, with a focus on integrated public transport systems, pedestrian and bicycle facilities, and roadway and bridge design. Kruckemeyer was associate commissioner of the Massachusetts Department of Public Works and project manager of the Southwest Corridor Project in Boston. He taught transportation, engineering systems and urban design at MIT, and was co-director of the School for International Training International Honors Program’s Cities in the 21st Century program.
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Mary Means is retired. For 35+ years she led Mary Means & Associates, a small but mighty community planning firm serving public interest clients engaged in heritage based vision planning, plans for large scale heritage corridors, and strategic planning. She’s best known for leading creation of the Main Street revitalization initiative, which grew from a three town pilot in the 1970s to a national movement and network of 40 states and 1600 communities by 2020. She was named a Planning Pioneer by the American Planning Association in 2018, and in 2020 received the Louise du Pont Crowninshield Award, the highest honor in historic preservation. Her proudest achievement: communities with Main Street organizations were able to pivot and respond strongly to Covid pandemic conditions. Her book *Main Street’s Comeback and How It Can Come Back Again* was published in 2021. In retirement, when not keynoting conferences, she is writing a memoir and enjoying life with her wife Archene Turner.

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Steve Oles, FAIA, is a practicing architect, teacher, and architectural visualist. A graduate of Texas Tech and Yale universities, he has taught at RISD, Yale, MIT, and Harvard. He received an AIA Institute Honor in 1983, and co-founded the American Society of Architectural Illustrators the following year. He is the author of two seminal books on drawing, and in 1989 was advanced to fellowship in the AIA. In addition to his work in illustration, he heads Interface Architects, which has been responsible for the design and construction of elderly housing, energy efficient residential design, and bridge design—all were commissions won in regional competitions. His projects honored by AIA include two residences, one of which provides a home and office for himself and his wife Susan Thompson. His most recent project is a LEED Gold certified residence on a dramatic promontory overlooking the entire City of Santa Fe and the Sangre de Cristo mountain range.

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David Slovic earned an undergraduate degree from Cornell University and a master’s in architecture from the University of Pennsylvania. There he won the Paul Cret Gold Medal for Design in 1966, and following graduation, took a job with Louis Kahn. He was among the leading architects of the postmodernist period, known for his use of decoration and pattern. He also
held the Henry Luce professorship at Tulane University. In 1993, Slovic and his wife, Ligia, designed the Latimer House in Philadelphia for their family, modeled after courtyard houses of Latin America and Europe, and filled it with their extensive art collection. Slovic also practiced photography and fine arts and had exhibitions at the Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, the Venice Biennale, Yale University, and the Delaware Museum of Contemporary Art. He died in 2018.

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Traveling, and living in great cities shaped N. Scott Smith’s beliefs about architecture and urban design. As a Rotch Traveling Scholar, he focused on climate, culture, and context as they influence architecture and public spaces. These interests have remained the foundation of his practice, and they inform his definition of beauty. In 2009, after 25 years as a principal with Sasaki Associates, he founded Artichoke Design Company as a platform to advance an expanded worldview of architecture, planning, and global warming and to promote new models for climate action, resiliency, and environmental and social justice. Smith initiated the Blue Poche Project as a companion to his design practice: artworks and commentary conceived to provoke awareness and curiosity and to further study of global warming and its effects. Smith practices in San Francisco and at the Sea Ranch.

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Qualified by more than 40 years of experience in management, consulting, and research with nonprofit, government, and business organizations (34-plus years at the chief executive officer level), Fred Bartenstein managed the Dayton Foundation, the Victoria Theatre Association, and Books and Co. before initiating an organizational development consulting practice in 1992.

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Jerry Hagstrom is a prize winning journalist specializing in agriculture and food. Since 2011, he has produced the *Hagstrom Report*, a daily online publication. He also writes for the *Progressive Farmer* and is a columnist for *National Journal Daily* in Washington, DC. Hagstrom grew up in North Dakota where both sets of his grandparents were pioneer settlers. Before beginning to write about agriculture in 1996, he covered politics and state and local government for National Journal. He was long associated with Neal Peirce, whose column on state and local government was syndicated by the Washington Post and with whom he coauthored *The Book of America: Inside the 50 States Today*. Hagstrom is also the author of *Beyond Reagan: The New Landscape of American Politics* and of *To Be: Not to Be Seen: The Mystery of Swedish Business*. He lives in Washington and on the family farm near Wilton, North Dakota.

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Charles Laven has over 40 years of experience providing financial advisory and consulting services to housing finance agencies, mortgage and investment banking firms, developers, foundations, and nonprofit organizations. He spent 12 years as a partner at Hamilton, Rabinovitz and Alschuler, Inc., a New York based consulting firm, and assisted in municipal bond financings and provided real estate advisory services with the firm of Caine Gressel Midgley Slater. In the 1970s and early 1980s, Laven was founder and executive director of the Urban Homesteading Assistance Board, a New York City nonprofit organization responsible for the rehabilitation of abandoned buildings and their conversion to cooperative ownership. Laven has been a member of the faculty of Columbia University Graduate School of Architecture, Planning, and Preservation since 1981. From 1986 to 1993, he directed the Master of Science in Real Estate Development program and is currently an adjunct professor of real estate.

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Before her Loeb fellowship, Emily Lloyd was transportation advisor to the mayor of Boston and then traffic and parking commissioner. She was engaged in both public space and environmental and alternative transit issues. As a Loeb she explored how policies and projects become priorities: who makes the decisions, and who influences them. During the year she roamed from the Kennedy School to the Divinity School to the Business School to learn how to frame and drive change in how a city serves its residents and addresses environmental stewardship. Moving to New York, Lloyd was NYC sanitation commissioner; executive VP of Columbia, addressing community as well as University priorities; and then commissioner of the NYC Department of Environmental Protection, addressing the effects of climate change on the
watershed as well as on storm water and wastewater infrastructure. Her Loeb year shaped her understanding of how cities can address change and garner support for policies that require doing things differently.

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Peter Stein is managing director of the Lyme Timber Company, a specialized timberland investment firm with an extensive track record in the conservation of working forests and realized returns for investors. Over more than 25 years, the firm has invested in and conserved more than one million acres in twelve states plus Canada. Stein is a current board member of the National Alliance of Forestland Owners and a former board member of the Land Trust Alliance, Hubbard Brook Research Foundation, Forest History Society, and Appalachian Mountain Club. He also serves on the investment advisory board of the Rose Smart Growth Fund and Spring Point Partners. He is the co-founder of the Conservation Finance Network and the International Land Conservation Network. Stein received the Kingsbury Browne Fellowship Award by the Land Trust Alliance and Lincoln Institute of Land Policy in 2012.

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As a senior fellow at World Wildlife Fund and at Duke University’s Nicholas Institute for Environmental Policy Solutions, Gordon Binder is fully engaged in land and water conservation, freshwater, energy, and climate change, which increasingly is about adaptation and resiliency. He worked with the BP oil spill commission and continues to track action (or lack thereof) on the report’s recommendations. He also worked with a member of President Obama’s Global Development Council on the future of US foreign assistance, with a focus on climate smart agriculture and restoration of degraded lands. Earlier, he was chief of staff at the Environmental Protection Agency under President George H.W. Bush. Binder works pro bono with the National Mall Coalition in
DC, advocating for a comprehensive plan for this iconic landscape and major urban park. His passion is painting, and his work is shown at Studio Gallery, where he serves as treasurer.

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Howard Cohen’s career has been spent in advocacy for the creation and preservation of affordable housing communities. He is the founder and board chair of Beacon Communities LLC, with a portfolio of some 18,000 apartments for predominately low and moderate income families in New England, New York, Virginia, and Pennsylvania and investments in other affordable housing companies. Cohen was a legal services attorney, general counsel to the Cambridge Housing Authority and Massachusetts Housing Finance Agency, and special counsel to the receiver of the Boston Housing Authority. He spent fifteen years as a partner at Mintz, Levin, Cohn, Glovsky, and Popeo. He is the co-founder of both New Lease for Homeless Families, an industry and publicly supported organization with a mission of moving homeless families into affordable housing developments, and the Council of Larger Affordable Housing Organizations, providing best business practices for affordable housing companies in other parts of the country.

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Boris Dramov is an architect and urban designer focused on design of the public realm and recycling of urban lands to meet higher standards for quality of life and diverse social opportunity. He has helped transform urban waterfronts throughout the US and world, and has left a major imprint on
his home waterfront in San Francisco and the downtown parks, plazas, promenades, piers, and streets that reconnect it to the surrounding city. For 35 years, he led ROMA Design Group, a multidisciplinary firm in San Francisco where he brought in many other talented individuals that today carry on its traditions. Under Boris’ leadership, ROMA entered and won the design competition for the Martin Luther King Jr. National Memorial in DC from a field of over 1,000 entries. Boris is a fellow of the AIA and the American Institute of Certified Planners and was named Distinguished Alumnus at University of Southern California, where he received his BArch before attending Columbia University.

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As a consultant and founding CEO of Living Cities, Reese Fayde has worked with foundations, lenders, public administrators, residents, and community-based organizations to rebuild, revitalize, and manage affordable housing complexes in urban neighborhoods. She does project workouts, org. development, and gives coaching support to senior leadership. Operating her consulting firm, Reese Fayde & Associates, for more than 40 years, clients have included HUD and local housing authorities, major foundations, investor consortiums, city and state governments, nonprofits and businesses. Her board of director service has included FHLBNY, Blue Hub Capital and I’m Still Here. She has a digital marketing business and is building a virtual resource center for Baby Boomers who are looking at their options for aging-in-place and want to do it with a little style. Reese is an active member of the Loeb Alumni Council and looks forward to opportunities to serve on juries for GSD student work.

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Genevieve Ray is a civic activist whose current project is Hard Bargains: a new public artwork. A 2011 Loeb Alumni Council grant inspired a collaborative art project, now in the final stages of creation by Genevieve Ray and Ross Miller ’93. Building on the 1777 editing and agreement on the Articles of Confederation in York PA, the sculptural work explores the questions and negotiations behind this document, the direct precursor of the US Constitution, and one of the first texts to name the United States of America. The 2011 grant featured a panel of five Loeb Fellows in an “Art for All” program hosted by Ray and featuring Miller, Kathleen Barrie ’94, Donna Graves ’09 and Rosemary Noon ’92. Until her retirement, Ray was principal of Urban Conservation and Design, a consulting firm in city planning, urban redevelopment, historic preservation and citizen involvement.

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Eleanor White worked at the US Department of HUD from 1967 to 1983 and was deputy director and co-CEO of the MA Housing Finance Agency between 1983 and 1995. Since 1995 she has been president and CEO of Housing Partners, Inc., an affordable housing consulting firm. She is a member of the boards and leadership of many nonprofit organizations relating to housing, real estate, and the Jewish community. Originally from the South Side of Chicago, White has been a longtime resident of Newton, MA. She is married to Barry B. White, an attorney and US Ambassador to Norway (retired) and she is the parent of 3 grown sons.
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Elizabeth Estill spent her career in natural resources management and protection, and lectures and consults on natural resource Issues. Until her retirement in 2007, she was deputy chief of the US Forest Service, responsible for strategic planning, policy development, fiscal accountability, legislation, and communications with the public and policymakers. She received the Distinguished Rank Award for Senior Executives in Government from President George W. Bush “in recognition of visionary, global leadership in involving corporations, volunteers and communities in collaborative natural resource management.” She was lauded for leadership that “resulted in a new generation of more diverse and effective Government leaders”. Earlier, Estill was the regional forester of the 13-state Southern Region and provided management direction and oversight for the National Forests and State and Private Forestry programs throughout the Southeast. Her Southern Forest Resource Assessment is used by decision makers at all levels of government.

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Henry Eugene Hampton Jr. was an African-American filmmaker. His production company, Blackside, Inc., produced over 80 programs—the most recognizable being the documentary Eyes on the Prize, which won Emmy Awards, Peabody Awards, and was nominated for an Oscar. Blackside became one of the largest minority-owned non-theatrical film production companies in the U.S. during the mid-1970s and until his death in the late 1990s.

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Over his career Richard Kobayashi served as a mayor’s aide, originator, and planning director of a statewide program to improve all facets of local government for Lawrence, MA. He has been a planner for the Metro Boston water system and consultant in formerly socialist countries under US Government auspices. He helped found the Collins Center for Public Management at UMass Boston where he continues to work. Kobayashi served as an elected official in his home town, Belmont, MA and served as a founding member of the Loeb Fellowship Alumni Council, where he served as his class representative for thirty years. He is married with children and grandchildren.
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After George McClure—known as Bert—completed his BArch at the University of Virginia and Architectural Association School program in 1968, he joined Colin Buchanan and Partners and later worked at CETE in Aix en Provence, where his work integrated traffic, urban planning, and environmental impact studies. After his Loeb year in 1978, McClure enlarged the quality of life dimension for sensitive sites in France, the Middle East, China and Morocco. His non-planning activities have included directing the Nimes Planning Agency, participating in the EDF evaluation of electrically powered vehicles’ role for the city of the future, and directing the master’s degree program in Urban Planning at the French Ecole National des Ponts et Chaussées. McClure is coauthor of “Paris Walking Guide” for Le Monde newspaper and co-author of “Le Corbusier walking guide to buildings open to the public” for the Centre Pompidou in Paris. He is a journalist and translator.

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Bob Peck is a principal at Gensler, where he is a senior workplace strategist and co-leader of its Government and Defense Industry practice. He leads portfolio evaluation, workplace programming, and public and public-private projects. In the Clinton and Obama Administrations, Peck was commissioner of public buildings at the US General Services Administration, responsible for design, construction and operation of the federal government’s nationwide civilian real estate inventory. He is best known for launching the Design Excellence program and instituting businesslike real estate metrics. Peck has worked in private sector real estate, on staffs of the American Institute of Architects and the National Endowment for the Arts, and as chief of staff to the late US senator and public design advocate Daniel Patrick Moynihan. He is a graduate of University of Pennsylvania in economics and Yale Law School and is an honorary member of AIA and ASLA.

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His Loeb experience and a “what do I want to do when I grow up test” at Harvard Business School led Roger Ralph to spend three decades in the health club industry he loved. Since retiring in 2012, he has mentored young adults interested in business and volunteered at Boys and Girls Clubs in
Annapolis and Sarasota. He has incorporated many lessons about creating, operating, and sustaining successful enterprises on his web site Rogerralph.com, including the wisdom of industry leaders he worked with over the years and people in other fields. Ralph believes, “As in life, success in business is all about relationships. Your success as a leader, manager, supervisor, and employee is almost always about the quality of your relationships with others and the respect you have earned. Effective leaders inspire others to continuously narrow the gap between their vision and dreams and the day’s reality.”

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James Stockard, an expert in affordable housing, retired in 2014 after 17 years as the curator of the Loeb Fellowship. For over 25 years, he consulted nationally with nonprofit groups and public agencies on affordable housing development, property management, neighborhood revitalization, and housing policy. He was the court-appointed special master for the public housing agency in Washington, DC. Stockard has taught and written about housing policy for 40 years and continues to teach at the GSD. He was the principal investigator for the Public Housing Operating Cost Study commissioned by the US Congress. He served as a commissioner of the Cambridge Housing Authority for 40 years, is a founding trustee of the Cambridge Affordable Housing Trust Fund, and a past president of the Citizens Housing and Planning Association. Stockard was a Fulbright Senior Scholar in Scotland in 2016. He holds an MCP degree from the GSD.
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Kent L. Barwick is a historic preservationist who lives and works in New York City. He is best known for partnering with Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis to save Grand Central Terminal in the 1970s. Following graduation from Syracuse University, Barwick became involved in the historic preservation movement in support of a project in Cooper Square. In 1975, the New York State Supreme Court overturned Grand Central Terminal’s NYC Landmark status, which opened the door to demolition by the bankrupt Penn Central railroad. Barwick and Onassis successfully took the case to the Supreme Court, which upheld the NYC Landmarks Law. Barwick had a long professional relationship with the Municipal Art Society, serving as the Society’s executive director from 1970 to 1975 and its president from 1983 to 1995 and 1999 to 2009. He also chaired the New York City Landmarks Preservation Commission and cofounded the Historic Districts Council, which granted him its Landmarks Lion award in 1997.

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Carol Lamberg was executive director of Settlement Housing Fund from 1983 to 2014. Settlement Housing created over 8,800 affordable apartments and now owns 25 buildings with 1082 apartments in the Bronx, Manhattan, and Brooklyn, with more underway. Lamberg was also staff director and then co-chair of the NY Housing Conference and was responsible for numerous amendments to federal, state, and local housing legislation.

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Chester Mattson began his career in Hackensack, NJ, for the Hackensack Meadowlands Commission as director of planning and environment. Subsequently, he was director of the Port Authority of NY and NJ, CEO and director for the Liberty State Park Development Corporation, and director of planning for Bergen County, NJ. He was a planner on loan for projects such as the NJ Transportation Planning Authority and the Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution. He received a BA at Tufts University, a master’s at Yale University and a PhD in Urban Studies at MIT. Mattson retired in 2002 and with his wife, Joan, relocated to Skidaway Island, Georgia. He died in 2017.

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Terry Minger has retired as the CEO of Piton Foundation. He continues to work in philanthropy, sustainability, urban planning, and mountain resorts and has taken a role with the National Civic League, All American Cities, Rocky Mountain PBS, and Vail Centre.

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Patrick Too has worked for the Department of City Planning, City of New York for 35 years before retiring in 2017. He was the principal urban designer in the division of Manhattan Planning Office responsible for spatial design of major planning initiatives and urban design reviews of major private development projects by the department. His experience and expertise in the design of urban landscape, public space and neighborhood conservation have won him high regards from members of the design profession.

**Class of 1976**

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Matthew Coogan is a transportation consultant specializing in intermodal and multimodal planning, who has recently retired as director of the New England Transportation Institute for the last decade. He is the author of many studies of multimodal transportation, having led projects for the Cooperative Research Programs of the Transportation Research Board. He served as Massachusetts undersecretary of transportation and helped found the Coalition of Northeastern Governors Task Force on High Speed Rail. Coogan is a founding member of the board of directors of the International Air-Rail Organization in London. He was appointed by the National Academy of Science to the Committee on High Speed Ground Transportation and the Committee to Critique the National Maglev Initiative, and by the Transportation Research Board to the National Academy of Science Committee on Intercity Passenger Travel.

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Ronald M. Druker, president of the Druker Company, has been involved in development activities encompassing retail, hotel, residential, and office projects. His recent focus has been on urban mixed use developments, including Heritage on the Garden in Boston’s Back Bay and Atelier 505 in
Boston’s South End. Both won the coveted “Oscar” of the profession, The ULI Award for Excellence from the Urban Land Institute. The Druker Company currently has two Boston Redevelopment Authority approved projects which are being leased: a mixed-use retail and office building across from the Public Garden and a retail and office complex in the South End. Druker is a graduate of Franklin and Marshall College and Columbia Graduate School of Business and was a member of the GSD’s Urban Design faculty from 1975–1983. He is active on many civic, educational and cultural boards.

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Raquel Ramati, architect and urban designer, is president of Raquel Ramati Associates Inc. She has earned an international reputation as an urban designer and planner, first as the head of the Urban Design Group at the NYC Department of City Planning, and later as a private consultant working with developers, government agencies, nonprofit organizations, and community groups. Ramati designs master plans and acts as a development consultant for site selection, zoning analysis, design guidelines, processing, and architectural and open space planning. Internationally, she has worked in Poland, India, Japan, Italy, and Israel and is the author of a signature planning book, How to Save Your Own Street, published by Doubleday. Ramati is presently an adjunct professor in the Real Estate Graduate Program at the Columbia University School of Architecture and at the NYU Schack Institute of Real Estate.

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Stanley Abercrombie learned architecture in the offices of Marcel Breuer and John Carl Warnecke. While practicing, he began writing reviews of architecture books and exhibitions for the Wall Street Journal, and later became a senior editor at Architecture Plus and the AIA Journal and editor in chief of Interiors, Abitare in America, and Interior Design. In all, he has written a dozen books and more than 1,500 articles in 46 publications. He was director of the Society of Architectural Historians, lecturer at the Smithsonian Institution, curator of the 1993 exhibition Industrial Elegance at the Guggenheim SoHo, and visiting critic at many architecture and design schools. He was awarded an honorary doctorate by the New York School of Interior Design and is a fellow of the American Academy in Rome, AIA, and the American Society of Interior Designers. Now retired, he is a curator and exhibition designer for the Sonoma Valley Museum of Art.

Terrence Moore holds a bachelor of arts degree in government and a master of arts degree in public administration from the University of Oklahoma. He currently provides consultation on planning and management of protected areas within the US and internationally. He retired from the US National Park Service in 2011, where he was chief of planning and compliance for the NPS Northeast Region, beginning in 1999. Mr. Moore previously served for 20 years as the executive director of the New Jersey Pinelands Commission, which administers the 1.1 million acre Pinelands National Reserve. He has most recently been a consultant to the Mongol Ecology Center for park planning in three Mongolian protected areas, Parques Nacionales Naturales de Colombia, Peru’s National Park Agency, and Paraguay’s Protected Areas Directorate in the Ministry of Environment and Sustainability.
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Daniel O’Connell is retired from many careers: army officer, lawyer, public administrator, urban planner, law school and college professor.

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Anthony Pangaro has worked in private real estate development since 1980, completing over $3 billion of work in Boston. He was a principal in the joint venture formed in 1997 between his firm MDA Partners of Boston and Millennium Partners of New York City. Prior to that, he managed the development of Boston’s Southwest Corridor transit project, which includes a five mile long public park. He has also held positions at the New York State Urban Development Corporation and the Boston Redevelopment Authority. Pangaro earned degrees from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in architecture and in building science, and a master’s in architecture from Harvard University. He has served as a director on numerous Boston community and nonprofit boards and is a member of the board of overseers of the Museum of Fine Arts and a member of the executive committee of the board of the Esplanade Association. He is a fellow of the Massachusetts Historical Society and the chair of the Friends of the Italian Cultural Center of Boston and was named a Caviliere by the Republic of Italy.

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Belden Hull Daniels, founder of Economic Innovation International in 1960, is a pioneer in creating the triple bottom line social impact private equity industry that invests globally in poor communities. His work has created jobs and revitalization for those living in these communities, green renewable resource development, and high returns for investors. Daniels has created 125 social impact funds investing $490 billion in poor communities throughout the world. While building these funds, he has traveled all the world’s continents overland on last class busses and on the world’s longest rivers: the Amazon, the Nile, the Ganges and the Irrawaddy in Myanmar. The Mississippi is next in 2021. Daniels was a Fulbright Scholar in India in 1959 and a Penfield Traveling Fellow in Asia in 1960 with his wife, Pamela. He taught community development finance at Harvard from 1974 to 1981, and at MIT from 1981 to 1983.

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As of June 2018, Steve Demos is officially retired. Of course, this is the third time he’s done so, but as it’s his 85th year, he thinks this time it’s for good. His house on Peaks Island, Maine, started in 1993, is now at the 95 percent complete mark, but, of course, has no certificate of occupancy. When the summer people have finally deserted for sunnier spots, he enjoys beach picnics and small village life. Since his Loeb year, Demos taught a studio at the Harvard GSD for several years while working as chief architect at the state housing agency until retiring. He worked for the Sandinistas in Nicaragua for a while; worked for a sub-subcontractor, Fort Point Associates, on the Big Dig; retired again; and went to work for the Institute for Human Centered Design until recently.

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In a remarkable 50-year career, Bill N. Lacy, FAIA, who died August 25, 2020, became an international ambassador for design. Constantly promoting the inherent values of planning, the graphic arts, and architecture, Lacy achieved leadership positions in academia and government and was an advisor to museums, universities, government, nonprofits, and corporations. His projects rank among the most important structures and places in the 20th century. Moreover, the academy wove a strong cord throughout his career. He was assistant dean at Houston’s Rice University, founding dean of the architecture school at the University of Tennessee, president and professor at the American Academy at Rome, and president of Cooper Union and SUNY Purchase. Finally, he was director of architecture and design at the National Endowment for the Arts and executive director of the Pritzker Architecture Prize from 1988–2005.

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Todd Lee’s architecture and planning practice included an assortment of educational facilities, casinos and hotels, residential structures, and planning projects. Highlights include renovations to a 15th to 18th Century maison particulaire in Burgundy; renovations to King’s Chapel, Boston; resort master plans for Mayaguana, Bahamas, and Tai Hang Shan Resort, China; and research space at Harvard for the Menil Foundation. Now mostly retired, he continues consulting and pro bono activities. Lee cofounded the civic illumination organization Light Boston and has been president since 2014. His Light Lechmere international design competition was deemed a 2019 success. In these troubled times of imperative regime change, BLM and realignment for racial justice, pandemic and emerging planning opportunities, and increasing environmental disaster looming, his varied life with wife of 25+ years, K-C Dalton, and family with seven grandchildren is full of joy, striving, and purpose.

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Robert McNulty has used his abilities of coalition building and creativity to develop the organization Partners for Livable Communities. Partners has
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During her 30 years in government and industry, Claudia Pharis worked in economic and community development, education, institution building, politics, and science and technology policy. She was chief of staff and senior policy advisor to Congresswoman Chaka Fattah and served at HUD, OMB, and the House and Senate Budget Committees. She worked on Wall Street, grew a business, and founded a company that won awards for its educational multimedia product. Most recently, Pharis founded the Catalyst Institute for Applied Policy, a social systems intermediary solving problems in community and economic development, education reform, the arts, and policy design and implementation. Catalyst’s successful initiatives address arts based conflict resolution, career development, and job training in middle and high schools; participation of African Americans in STEM fields; and management assistance for nonprofit startups.
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Ellen Berkeley was a senior editor (at Architectural Forum and Architecture Plus), before she and her husband became Vermonters. Four decades later, she’s had five books published. She authored three books: Maverick Cats (1982), her own encounters with domestic cats gone wild and research from around the world; Keith’s People (2003), a thriller based on recent info from Vietnam; and TNR: Past, Present and Future (2004), details on the growing trap-neuter-return movement to control feral cat numbers. On two books, she was editor: Architecture: A Place for Women (1989), 22 great discussions on women’s work in this profession, and At Grandmother’s Table (2000), a history book with 68 women writing about their grandmas and providing heirloom recipes. Berkeley also writes freelance articles and essays on many subjects. She has taught courses at top architectural schools and now teaches memoir writing closer to home.

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Judith Olans Brown is retired. She was professor of law at Northeastern Law School.

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Kenneth Frampton is an architect, architectural historian, and critic who has taught architecture at Columbia GSAPP since 1972 and at other leading institutions in Britain and Europe. He trained at the London Architectural Association School of Architecture. His numerous publications include, L’Altro Movimento Moderno (2015), A Genealogy of Modern Architecture: Comparative Critical Analysis of Built Form (2015), and Studies in Tectonic Culture (1996). He is currently at work on an expanded fifth edition of Modern Architecture: A Critical History. Frampton’s teaching was the subject of the 2017 exhibition.
Educating Architects: Four Courses by Kenneth Frampton at the Canadian Centre for Architecture, where his archive is held. Metropolis named him a Gamechanger in January 2018, and he was recognized with the Golden Lion for Lifetime Achievement at the 2018 Venice Biennale for Architecture.

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David O’Malley founded O’Malley Partners and Community Research and Development in 1995 as a vehicle to provide a team approach to planning, design and project management for developers, investors, and governments. He has been responsible for the planning, design, and development of residential, retail and hotel projects in Los Angeles, Las Vegas, Colorado, Wyoming, Florida, India, and Lebanon. O’Malley has taught at Harvard GSD and lectured at the University of Maryland, the Art Center College of Design, Pepperdine University, and UCLA Graduate School of Architecture and Urban Planning.

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Richard Tustian is an architect, planner, and educator with over 60 years experience in managing the built environment. He was an architect and planning consultant when he became planning director of Montgomery County, Maryland, where he served for over 20 years. He gained national recognition for designing an innovative, comprehensive urban growth management system that has had a seminal influence on the field of urban planning. In later years, he provided educational and consulting services to governments, universities, and other institutions. He has been a senior fellow of the Lincoln Institute of Land Policy, adjunct professor at the University of Pennsylvania, and fellow of the American Institute of Certified Planners. Tustian has been published extensively and speaks publicly about urban planning, inclusionary zoning, affordable housing, farmland preservation, and land use planning.

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