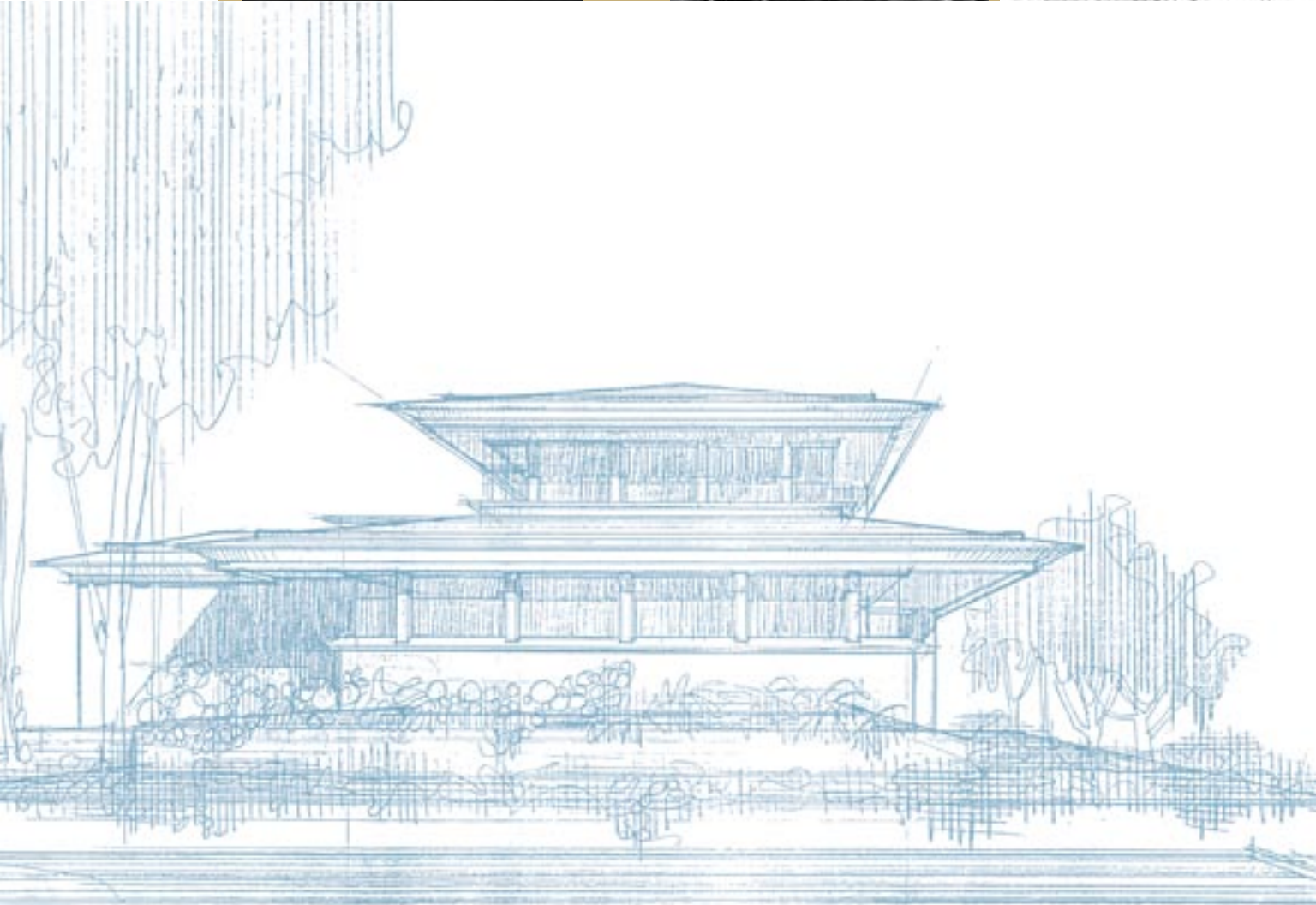


Architectural Institute of British Columbia
Making a Difference: Architecture in the Pacific Northwest

2006 Annual Report



AIBC Mission

The Architectural Institute of British Columbia (AIBC) is a self-governing body dedicated to excellence in the profession of architecture for the benefit of its membership, the environment and society.

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vision statements

The visions statements represent a consensus of Council, staff and Board Chairs' collective understanding of AIBC priorities and directions, following a member survey, stakeholders' session and review of the strategic plan.

Vision for the Architectural Institute of British Columbia

1. The Institute effectively serves and represents the needs and interests of its members, the profession as a whole, and the public.
2. The Institute is an active and vibrant organization and serves as the primary resource centre for the public, members, and others associated with architecture.
3. The Institute has a widespread presence throughout BC and has an influence on government and other jurisdictions in society.
4. The Institute is financially secure.
5. The Institute enjoys an abundance of new and diverse members.
6. The Institute embraces and engages in continual renewal.
7. The Institute carries out its regulatory functions in ways which achieve a high level of satisfaction by the public and Institute members.

Vision for the Profession of Architecture in British Columbia

8. The profession readily accommodates change and establishes new directions.
9. The profession is inviting and attractive to young people.
10. The profession is valued and respected.
11. The profession is recognized as a leader in global sustainability and environmental design.
12. The profession accepts equitably assigned and limited liability.
13. The profession supports and encourages students and Interns throughout their development.

Vision for the Practice of Architecture in British Columbia

14. The public and clients are highly satisfied with the services of architects.
15. Architecture in the built environment demonstrates excellence in comprehensive design.
16. Architects are selected for projects on the basis of skills and expertise.
17. Architects are fairly remunerated for their work.
18. Architects are valued for their participation in all aspects of design and building. (Council, staff, and Board Chairs' collective understanding of AIBC priorities and directions, following a member survey, stakeholders' session, and review of the strategic plan.)

annual highlights

Memoranda of Agreement were signed with Building Designers and Interior Designers. The memoranda are the first step to including those groups under the proposed new Architectural Professions Act.

The AIBC co-hosted the 2006 Festival of Architecture, *Habitat Reloaded: The Power of Architecture* with the RAIC. The Festival was held in tandem with the UN's Habitat/World Urban Forum.

The 2006 annual conference was the largest to date; attendees at the Presidents' Dinner and Awards Gala received a special address from Lieutenant Governor.

The 2006 annual conference featured renowned speakers from around the world, including Shigeru Ban, Raymond Moriyama, Bruce Kuwabara, Steve Badanes, Graeme Bristol MAIBC and many others.

The Architecture Centre Gallery welcomed *The Poetics of West Coast Modernism*, an exhibit co-curated by Barry Downs MAIBC. Fred Hollingsworth (Retired Architect) attended the opening with Downs, where they signed their newly-published books.

2006 saw the publication of books by Patkau Architects, Richard Henriquez MAIBC, Gregory Henriquez MAIBC and Arthur Erickson AIBC Honourary Member.

Innovations to the Licensing and Registration process were made to expedite the registration of alternatively qualified, foreign-trained and broadly experienced architects.

The Peer Review Program, introduced at the Festival of Architecture, evolved into the Practice Standards Consultation Service upon Council's approval in October, 2006.

AIBC client-architect contract 6C, which involves separately engaged architect and engineer, was drafted and will be published in early 2007. It will include customized conditions to be used in health care projects.

New Building Code Letters of Assurance were improved and updated.

The AIBC worked closely with the provincial government on several issues, including the recognition of foreign-trained architects, new legislation, the implementation of TILMA and the Modernization Strategy.

New Vancouver Director of City Planning Brent Toderian was introduced to members, developing a partnership to help promote architecture.

The AIBC Council hosted the Five Presidents meeting including from US: AIA, NCARB, AIAS, ACAS and NAAB; from Canada: RAIC, CCAC, CASA, CCUSA and CACB.

AIBC Registrar Gord Richards MAIBC was appointed to the Board of the CABC.

Stuart Howard MAIBC, Chair of the CCAC, elected by acclamation as the BC and Yukon representative to the RAIC.

In conjunction with the Registration and Licensing and Practice Boards, the Oral Conduct review process was created. The process better serves the public interest and the profession by allowing in-depth and structured review of members' practice and competency in terms of Professional Conduct concerns.

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1986

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1987

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1988

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Hugh Shirley MAIBC

1989

Terry Cattell MAIBC
Rick Hulbert MAIBC
Brian Hulme MAIBC
Doug Massie MAIBC

1990

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1991

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1992

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Eva Matsuzaki MAIBC
Derek Neale MAIBC
J. Brian Sim MAIBC

1993

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1994

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Brian Romer
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1998

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2001

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2002

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2003

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2004

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2005

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Neil Griggs
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John Neilson 1998 -1999
Bryce Rositch 1997 -1998
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Walter Francl 1994 -1995
Paul Bridger 1993 -1994
Selwyn Dodd 1991 -1993
Derek Neale 1990 -1991
N. Gerald Rolfsen 1988 -1990
Brian Hulme 1986 -1988
Richard Hulbert 1985 -1986
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George Nairne 1939 -1941
William F. Gardiner 1937 -1939
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William Bow 1933 -1935
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A. L. Mercer 1929 -1931
Percy Fox 1927 -1929
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Ted Moudis (New York)
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2006 Governance Chart

MEMBERS ■

■ Council

■ Executive Director

■ Ad Hoc Task Forces

- AIBC Joint Task Force
- Government Relations
- Honourary Members Review

■ Standing Task Forces

- Financial Health
- Governance
- Nominations
- Policy Monitoring

■ Council Liaisons

- Architecture Foundation
- Practice Board
- Professional Conduct Board
- Professional Development Board
- Registration+Licensing Board
- Communications Board

■ Administration

- Chapters: Interior, South Fraser, Vancouver Island
- Walking Tours Advisory
- Design Resource Library

■ Directors + Staff

■ Communications Board

- Advisory Services
- Annual Conference
- Sponsorship Program
- Awards Program
- Editorial Advisory
- Gallery Advisory
- Architecture in the Schools

■ Practice Board

- Building Envelope
- Design Panel
- Educational Facilities
- Energy + Environment
- Health Care Facilities
- Liability Insurance
- Practice Standards Consultation Services
- Regulatory Coordination

■ Professional Conduct Board

- Investigations
- Consensual Resolution Review Panel

■ Professional Development Board

- Continuing Education System
- Annual Conference PD Program (sub-committee)

■ Registration + Licensing Board

- Act Enforcement
- Architectural Technologist
- Architectural Technologist Admissions
- Experience Review
- Intern Architect
- Oral Review Roaster
- Qualifications



President's Report

Patrick R. Stewart MAIBC

I want to start by thanking the members of the AIBC and Council for two very exciting years as your President. It has been the ultimate rush. It was a very frenzied time with never enough time or energy to accomplish all I had started out to do. The rose coloured glasses are off and I can see the mountain of work yet to be done just to complete the work on the current Council agenda.

Again this year, Council has had the good fortune to oversee an Institute that is in an increasingly better financial position with each passing year, thanks in no small part to the hard work and diligence of our Executive Director Dorothy Barkley and her able staff. Council also had a clearer decision-making process this year due to the small army of volunteers who make up the many Task Forces, Boards, Committees and Working Groups that make the governance process work as well as it does. Let us not forget that the Institute is the members.

It's now been eight years since the AIBC Council adopted the current Policy Governance Model. In the words of then-Council President, John Davidson MAIBC, Council's challenge in adopting a new governance model was to "give substance and reality to its Vision Statements". Eight years on and Council continues to meet the challenge of interpreting the Vision Statements. Council made great strides this year

in its governance by establishing an oversight committee, aptly named the Policy Monitoring Committee.

This past year saw a momentous opening up of the AIBC with the signing of the Memoranda of Understanding (MOU's) with the Interior Designer Institute of BC (IDIBC) and the Building Designers Institute of BC (BDIBC). These agreements lay the context and framework for continued dialogue. There is much to be done. It is anticipated that parallel with these discussions will come further work on a new *Act*, whatever it ends up being called. For the past 87 years it's been the *Architects Act*. It may continue with that name but there is a chance that as the profession opens up to other practitioners, the time has come for a broader, more inclusive title. Time will tell.

This past year has also been a turning point for the practice of architecture in BC, one that continues to challenge Council. The country is experiencing an

increasing regulatory regionalism in architecture. There is no longer an effective national regulatory framework. The Canadian Committee of Architectural Councils (CCAC) is but a shell of its former self. The NCARB exams are being questioned and a made-in-Canada ARE is being considered. The AIBC's strength is as a regulatory body and Council has struck a Working Group to study the AIBC/RAIC Relationship. Their mandate is to investigate the validity, feasibility and impact of forming an RAIC Chapter in BC as was recently done in Alberta. Though the idea is only being studied by a Council Working Group at this time, there will be a process for dialogue by the membership in the upcoming Council year. Where will this leave us? Hopefully we'll have a more focused Institute that will govern within a new legislative framework. Advocacy and professional issues can then be driven by architects within a national framework of like-minded professionals.

In the face of a new *Act*, Council has committed to strengthening internal and external relationships. A newly reconstituted Government Relations Task Force will consult with members to address key elements within all levels of government that may affect architects and the practice of architecture in British Columbia.

As we continue to be busy in our practices running up to the much anticipated 2010 Olympic Games, let us not forget the community within which we live. There are those less fortunate who for whatever reason live in poverty in our province. As architects we must put our collective will together to address this situation. As creative problem solvers, can we do worse than the federal government who, back in 1989, began Campaign 2000? This was the campaign initiated by a vote in the House of Commons to eradicate child poverty in Canada by the year 2000. Why then, are there still over one million children living in poverty in this country? If anything, poverty in this country has been institutionalized, often by the same politicians. They need help. They need our help.

As I close, I wish all of you a prosperous year in your pursuit of excellence in architecture. I want to thank everyone who willingly helped me along these past two years. One couple of note that I want to thank for their support is Past President Stuart Howard MAIBC and his wife, author and photographer Dani O'Riley. As Stuart steps away from the Council table I wish him well. He has put in long days and many miles on behalf of the Institute, more than most will know. To Dani, thank you for your time and effort on behalf of the Gallery.



Executive Director's Report

Dorothy D. Barkley

2006 was a very productive year for the Institute, with much more effort placed on national, as well as provincial and regional matters, with governments, other professions, industry stakeholders, the public and individual members past and present. Nothing could or would have been possible without our members informing, assisting and advising all along the way. It is appreciated every single day; thank you!

Member numbers are up significantly, Intern numbers have increased dramatically, as have the Architectural Technologists and student categories. There were no fee increases assessed.

AIBC finances continue to be excellent; not in small part due to the participation of those partner firms who provide sponsorship to AIBC events, most notably the annual conference. In 2006 the AIBC co-hosted the Festival of Architecture with the RAIC, easily the largest conference ever held by the AIBC, at the Westin Bayshore Conference Centre adjacent to Stanley Park. Notable speakers included Japan's Shigeru Ban, Canada's own Bruce Kuwabara and Ray Moriyama, Steve Badanes from Seattle, Graeme Bristol MAIBC from Bangkok, and many others.

Nationally, the Canadian Committee of Architecture Councils (CCAC), has continued to command attention as differences between Ontario, Manitoba and New Brunswick and the Committee have caused

problems. The Institute has provided accounting services to the CCAC for a second year, but will cease to do so at the end of December 2007. The Ontario, Quebec and Alberta associations have been focused on the development of a Canadian examination. This has alerted the other jurisdictions to issues of future inter-provincial recognition, particularly in light of the Trade Investment Labour Mobility Agreement (TILMA) between Alberta and BC. The Agreement is due to come into force in April 2007, and will remove any existing trade barriers between Alberta and BC.

It is interesting to know that the NCARB, through its committees, executive and board, has been meeting in Vancouver with increasing frequency. In September 2006 they held that which they call their "Five Presidents" meeting. This is an annual meeting where the Past Presidents, Presidents and Executive Directors of the AIA (advocacy), NCARB (registration), AIAS (schools), ACAS (students) and NAAB (certification & accreditation) convene to discuss matters of overlapping interest. The Canadian equivalents, RAIC, CCAC, CCUSA, CASA and CACB also met in Vancouver at the same time. The Council of the AIBC hosted a highly successful reception for all.

Another Institute priority that has consumed a large amount of time is the speedier recognition of foreign-trained architects (FTAs). This has involved the Canadian Architectural Certification Board (CACB),

every provincial licensing authority, HRDC and the BC Ministry of Economic Development. HRDC sponsored a CACB organized forum for all the provincial representatives, RAIC, the RAIC Syllabus and the university schools of architecture to identify ways and means to expedite the process of recognition and qualification of FTAs. The CACB, with its very exacting educational certification process, has been seen as a key challenge. We received a legal opinion this year advising that the AIBC can use both Sections 36 and 37 from the *Act* to qualify applicants which further opened up our ability to receive and process applications. BC is seen as having a big advantage with its alternative qualification route, which serves as an effective example of experience assessment demonstrating qualification to practice.

Provincially, it has been an active year. The Institute has struggled for the last four years to gain the government's agreement on a number of initiatives, most notably new draft legislation, reduction of the ultimate limitation period, the removal, and if not that, then the requirement for joint and several coverage for all participants in any project's design and construction process, with varying results.

With regard to new legislation, the Minister of Advanced Education, the Honorable Murray Coell, advises that a new *Architects Act* is a priority for his Ministry; unfortunately it does not appear to be a priority to the Government Caucus. The government

has received our delegations several times, most recently following the signing of Memoranda of Agreement between the AIBC and the Building Designers Institute of BC (BDIBC) and the Interior Designers Institute of BC (IDIBC). The Ministry appears to be taking our appeal seriously, and has directed us to also consider the inclusion of the BC Society of Landscape Architects (BCSLA) under the *Act*. We have approached the BCSLA and they would like to explore this possibility too. We shall know in early 2007 and, if so, will likely sign an MOU together shortly afterwards. There are many reasons to pursue this goal, the chief among them being the removal of the exclusions in the *Act* to protect the public by ensuring all designers meet education, experience, examination and ethical standards.

In 2005 the provincial government initiated an investigation into building code compliance and competence, information management, liability insurance, continuing education and competency which they called the Modernization Strategy. Many members and Institute staff have been involved from the beginning with this fast tracked project, which is anticipated to be complete by mid-2007 and, if it goes forward as legislation, will be enacted in the spring of 2008. It will bring many changes, some potentially profound, all of which will benefit the public and the profession.

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The AIBC has also been involved in the Ministry of Economic Development's pilot project to map the administrative means we use to process applications to identify inefficiencies and artificial barriers to recognition of FTAs. While the Institute is not perfect, we had few areas that had not already been addressed as the Registration and Licensing Department has been focused on improving and streamlining processes all year, with an emphasis on service to Interns, ATs and members. We have a way to go, and a lot will depend on new Legislation, but working within the constraints we have, we are achieving change that is permitting the quicker recognition of many more architects annually.

Locally the Institute has been active on a number of matters, many that include or overlap with the engineering profession. The AIBC has formed a coalition with the APEGBC and CEBC, as well as the Institute of Chartered Accountants, to address shared concerns over Professional Liability Insurance and have been working since September to develop a brief for submission to the Premier and Attorney General; a task force has been struck to review the AIBC/APEGBC Memorandum of Agreement.

Much staff and member time and effort was devoted to the support of a proposed bylaw that would make PLI mandatory for all members. The bylaw was approved by a majority of members, but was insufficient to meet the two-thirds requirement of our Legislation. The irony of this is that should the Modernization Strategy be successful, government will impose this very thing on members because it is in the public's interest.

In ascertaining member needs, views and desires, the Institute has begun surveying members and, to that end, issued three surveys in 2006: Salary & Benefits, Intern and Design Library. Recently, we have expended much effort to develop the first comprehensive member satisfaction survey. We anticipate distributing short, 10-15 question surveys monthly, which will give us snapshots of members' needs and preferences.

Finally, CES has had a stellar year with only four non-compliant members. PD Director Maura Gatensby MAIBC accepted her new position in January, which permitted Michael Ernest MAIBC to devote his energy to Professional Practice on a full-time basis, much to the relief of members needing his assistance and advice.

Our goals for the 2007, all of which stem from 2006's activities and the Institute's Vision Statements, include continuing emphasis and work to achieve new legislation. This becomes more critical daily if we are to adequately address the needs of the public interest and the ability of the profession to practice. We plan to offer a comprehensive new support program for foreign-trained architects and those seeking recognition through alternative qualifications. The newly reformed Government Relations Task Force is going to be aggressively and energetically looking to develop a strategy to achieve a mutually effective and useful relationship with the provincial government.

I would like to acknowledge and extend my thanks to all of the members and staff who are solely responsible for the many accomplishments of the year.

Treasurer's Report



Geoffrey T. Nagle MAIBC

The ongoing fiscal health of the Institute is reflected in its continued financial stability over the past year and it is my pleasure to report that the AIBC's most recent fiscal year, which ran from January 1 through December 31, 2006, ended with a budgetary surplus. The Institute was once again in the position to both reduce the outstanding balance on the demand loan secured by the AIBC premises, and to contribute as planned to the contingency fund.

The strong growth of the construction sector of the British Columbia economy continues to create conditions under which the membership of the Institute both prospered and grew. Over the past year, the Institute has recorded a 2.8 per cent increase in the number of Licensed Members and an 11.1 per cent increase in Intern Architect numbers. Fees collected from Temporary Licenses also grew an additional 10 per cent during the year.

The four-day 2006 Annual Conference: *Habitat Reloaded*, a joint endeavour with the RAIC, attracted almost 1,100 participants from across Canada and as far away as Thailand. The Annual Conference incorporated both a successful sponsorship drive and expanded professional development offerings.

Other positive events that impacted the financial status of the AIBC during 2006 included:

- Institute administrative functions that continue to support Council's directives.
- Ongoing review of business plans for departmental operating budgets, Boards and programs.

- Three-year budgetary projections, enabling council to plan for the future.
- Reduced legal costs due to the success of the Consensual Resolution Process.

Given the current robust state of the provincial economy and the related opportunities for success and growth among the AIBC membership, the foreseeable future of the fiscal status of the Institute appears excellent. The continuing ability of the AIBC to operate in a fiscally prudent manner is a testament to the value provided by all of the volunteers, staff and systems currently in place.

Sources of Cash

Interest Assessments Misc.	3%
Advertising Revenues	4%
Revenues from tenants	6%
PD Program revenue	5%
Annual Conference	21%
Fees	61%
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Increase to Contingency Fund	3.1%
CCAC Assesment	2%
Interest Paid	2.4%
All other suppliers	16.9%
Annual Conference and Meeting	18.1%
PD program delivery	1.5%
Peypayment of long term debt	8.1%
Board, Committees and Task Forces	2.8%
Purchase of Capital Assets	0.9%
Salaries and Benefits	44.2%



Registrar's Report

Gordon C. Richards MAIBC

In November 2005, I was pleased to be appointed by Council to take over as Registrar from Joan Hendricks, MAIBC (who resigned as Registrar in order to fully engage in her new career as a mother) for the remainder of the previous term. I was returned to Council at the June elections of this year and re-appointed as Registrar by Council. I have now been in this position for one year. Very recently, I was nominated to the Canadian Architectural Certification Board (CACB) by the CCAC, and attended my first meeting of the CACB on the weekend of October 28th, 2006. At this two-day event, we sat in on a joint meeting with the National Architectural Accreditation Board (NAAB) which is our American counterpart. This was fascinating for me as it gave me a chance to see how the national organizations are wrestling with the same issues that we are in the Registration and Licensing Department at the AIBC. For instance, it is refreshing to observe that both the Canadian and American national certification bodies are making a concerted effort to facilitate the evaluation of the academic qualifications of internationally trained architects.

I am particularly pleased to report an overall boom in AIBC membership in 2006. As reflected in the end of the year Register Tally below, Intern Architects (+11.1 per cent) and Architectural Technologists (+9.1 per cent) showed the biggest increases over the same time the year before. Our annual visits to the UBC School of Architecture and BCIT are helpful in introducing students to potential careers

in architecture and encouraging students to take advantage of the free student membership offered to them by the AIBC.

In total there were 31 new Certificates of Practice issued for 2006, 17 of which were new corporations. While the number of corporations and Temporary Licences have increased somewhat over 2005, partnerships and sole proprietorships reflected a slight decrease overall in 2006.

Out-of-province interest in practicing architecture in BC is also reflected in new registration of architects. The number of architects registered with the AIBC shows an increase of 2.8 percent slightly higher than in 2005. In 2006, 40 percent of new MAIBCs were registered through reciprocity with another Canadian province or territory. Registration through inter-recognition with a US State accounted for 16 percent of new MAIBCs. The number of registrations through successful completion of the IAP accounted for 30 percent of new MAIBCs. The remainder of the newly registered architects came in under Section 37 of the *Architects Act*.

Due to the increased numbers of new Intern Architects and continued interest from architects registered elsewhere, we anticipate significant growth in registration numbers over the next five years.

AIBC Register Tally (as of Dec 15, 2006)

		31-Dec 2002	31-Dec 2003	31-Dec 2004	31-Dec 2005	15-Dec 2006	Difference Dec 05 vs. Dec 06
INDIVIDUALS (excluding deceased):							
Registered Members	LM	1334	1309	1333	1371	1411	2.8%
Honourary Members	LH & H	24	24	24	24	26	7.7%
Intern Architects	IA	304	358	392	415	467	11.1%
Intern Technologists	IT	13	13	15	20	19	-5.3%
Previously Registered Members	AS	91	99	91	81	75	-8.0%
Retired Architects	RA	109	118	116	124	125	0.8%
Architectural Graduates	GA	22	19	18	18	19	5.3%
Architectural Technologists	AT	31	44	46	50	55	9.1%
Total of above Categories		1917	1984	2035	2103	2197	4.3%
Student Associates - (Technologists)	ST	156	131	134	189	70	-170.0%
Student Associates - (Architectural)	SI	84	51	53	61	63	3.2%
Student Associates - (Syllabus Program)	SA	156	28	34	39	42	7.1%
Total students		259	210	221	289	175	-65.1%
Affiliates	AF	32	23	24	24	23	-4.3%
FIRMS (Active):							
Certificate of Practice - Corporations	C	272	279	292	304	314	3.2%
Certificate of Practice - Partnerships	P	62	61	52	55	53	-3.8%
Certificate of Practice - Sole Proprietorships	SP	369	360	356	360	352	-2.3%
Certificate of Joint Practice	JC	9	7	6	4	4	0.0%
Total firms		720	707	706	723	723	0.0%
Temporary Licences	TL	29	28	40	52	53	1.9%
Inactive Firms	IN	127	147	146	151	143	-5.6%

Council Task Forces + Committees

financial health task force

Members: Geoffrey Nagle MAIBC (Chair), Lori Mathison LLB BCL CGA; **Staff Liaison:** Dorothy D. Barkley and Carla Brown-John MBA.

The ability of the AIBC to provide consistent, high-quality service to both the membership and the public over the long-term is dependent upon the Institute being operated in a fiscally prudent and financially sustainable manner. The primary mandate of the Financial Health Task Force is to periodically review the financial status of the AIBC, and consider methods or means of ensuring the continued long-term financial viability of the Institute. Providing comment to Council regarding the financial implications of any proposed Council initiative is also an important responsibility of the Financial Health Task Force.

The Architectural Institute of British Columbia is currently on stable financial ground, and well positioned to proceed confidently into 2007. Goals for the Financial Health Task Force for 2006 included:

- Having signed an agreement with a leasing agent to secure a reliable long term tenant;
- To continue to monitor and comment on the financial implications of any initiatives proposed by the Membership, Staff or Council of the AIBC;
- To support initiatives that will enhance the financial sustainability of the AIBC.

governance task force

Members: David R. Wilkinson MAIBC (Chair), Stuart Howard MAIBC MRAIC AIA, Lori Mathison B.Comm LLB BCL CGA, Eamonn Percy B.Eng. MBA, David Hewitt MAIBC MRAIC, Patrick Stewart MAIBC; **Staff Liaison:** Dorothy D. Barkley.

The Governance Task Force meets monthly to review the activities and actions of Council from the perspective of our agreed Governance Model. The GTF's mandate includes oversight of policy planning, review of submissions to Council for governance compliance, review of outcomes from preceding meetings, and the setting of Council's agenda for the upcoming meeting. The GTF can also be called upon by Council to render an initial opinion on matters of governance that arise throughout the year.

nominations

Members: David R. Wilkinson MAIBC (Chair), Stuart Howard MAIBC MRAIC AIA, Patrick Stewart MAIBC.

With the 2006 retirement of Council members F. Russell Hollingsworth MAIBC, Joan Hendriks MAIBC, Chris Macdonald and Sean Ruthen IA.AIBC and the end of term of several Council positions, the slate put forward by the Nominations Committee consisted of David R. Wilkinson MAIBC, Gordon C. Richards MAIBC and Patrick Stewart MAIBC (all standing for re-election). Wally Ewert MAIBC, Pierre Gallant MAIBC, Veronica Gillies MAIBC and Barry Weih MAIBC, all current AIBC volunteers with a long history of volunteerism with the Institute, were also nominated for election. Malcolm Cairns AT.AIBC was recruited as the first nominee to the newly created seat at Council for an Architectural Technologist and Lisa Kwan IA.AIBC was the nominee for the vacated Intern Architect seat at the Council table. MAIBC's Wilkinson, Richards, Stewart, Gillies and Gallant were the successful member candidates elected to Council; AT Cairns and IA Kwan were the successful associates elected to Council.

policy monitoring committee

Members: Janet Lutz MAIBC (Chair), Peter Levar MAIBC, Eamonn Percy B.Eng. MBA, Patrick Stewart MAIBC.

A revised format for the monitoring of Council policy, as translated into operational programs by the Institute, was developed and adopted by Council in October 2006. Constraints Policies are monitored for compliance. Ends Policies are monitored for progress toward expressed goals and compliance with intent. Each policy is monitored annually as per the Carver Policy Governance Model. This format provides a thorough overview of the work of both the AIBC Council and the Institute, providing a transparency to the vision and its implementation for the AIBC membership and stakeholders. The format and the revised process are in their inaugural year and will evolve as both Council and the Institute work with them. If all goes well this Committee's work will be complete and the Committee can be disbanded.

the joint task force

Members: Grant Longhurst MA (Chair), David Wilkinson MAIBC, Dave Mackey MAIBC, Carson Nofle RBD, Joe Rommel RBD, Keath Seeton RID, Carol Jones RID.

The JTF was formed following the successful signing of the memoranda of agreement between the AIBC and the BDIBC and the IDIBC respectively, with a view to identifying and answering the questions that would be raised by the changes that would be brought about as a result of the new model legislation under discussion. Some questions were: what were the next steps that needed to be taken in this process; what were the integration issues and how to address them; how to effectively lobby the government on behalf of our proposed new legislation; how to administer a newly configured organization, what needs to be in bylaws and the like. Initial meetings were held, and a joint meeting with the Ministry attended in Victoria. At the meeting with the Ministry, the Assitant Deputy Minister suggested that our group might consider including the BC Society of Landscape Architects in our discussions. Since then, initial exploratory discussions have been held with the BCSLA, with a determination to be made in mid-2007 whether or not it is possible to establish a similar relationship as has been agreed to with BDIBC and IDIBC.

the honorary membership review task force

Members: Chip Barrett MAIBC, Dan Howard MAIBC, Eamonn Percy B.Eng MBA.

Members requested, following last year's annual meeting, the review of the criteria and the process for nominating candidates for members' consideration as Honorary Members. The concern expressed at the meeting, and prior, was that the criteria were not being met and the quality of the nominations was not meeting the intent of the award. We were tasked to review the existing nomination form and compare it with those put forward by the American Institute of Architects (AIA) and the Royal Architectural Institute of Canada (RAIC), then to make recommendations. Following our review, we determined that the AIBC's criteria was sufficient, as was the nomination process, but recommended that an independent committee be

established to review the nominations to ensure that only those who meet the intent of the award, and the specified criteria, be forwarded to the members for approval.

the government relations task force

Grant Longhurst MA (Chair), Selwyn Dodd MAIBC, Dave Mackey (previously registered member), Peter Levar MAIBC, Stuart Howard MAIBC MRAIC AIA, David Wilkinson MAIBC, Lori Mathison LLB BCL CGA.

Having continued in its work to develop a model Act for presentation to the Provincial government in 2005, the Task Force' focus over the course of 2006 was the development of Memoranda of Agreement between the AIBC and the BDIBC and the IDIBC respectively. The IDIBC and the BDIBC fielded similarly-sized teams to work with the AIBC representatives. The AIBC reached agreement with the IDIBC in the spring and held a public signing ceremony of the MOA at the lunch immediately preceding the 2006 annual meeting. This followed an excellent presentation by Bonita Thompson QC on the development process of the proposed new legislation and what it is intended to accomplish. by Bonita Thompson QC. Public signing ceremony with the BDIBC took place at thier annual meeting in September.

Several meetings were held with the Ministry of Advanced Education in Victoria, both with Ministry executives and with the Minister. In one meeting the delegation included Keath Seeton of the IDIBC, and at the next Carson Nofle of the BDIBC also joined the delegation. A delegation also met with the Chapter to make a presentation on a new *Act*, an expanded membership and a proposed Liability Insurance bylaw. In the autumn, with the successful signing of both MOAs, the Government Relations Task Force in this configuration was dissolved to be replaced by a smaller team tasked to work similarly downsized IDIBC and BDIBC teams.

UBC School of Architecture + Landscape Architecture

Following the appointment of Dr. Ray Cole as the School of Architecture and Landscape Architecture's inaugural Director in July 2006, a new governance model and executive committee has been established to guide the combined programs. Efforts are currently being directed at a fundraising campaign to create a state-of-the-art facility, through renovation and building expansion, that complements the School's presence in the Frederic Lasserre building.

BCIT Architectural Science Degree

In June of 2006, BCIT conferred its first graduates of the Bachelor of Technology in Architectural Science degree program. It is still young, but with much hope for future growth. Two of the recent grads went on to continue their studies in Architecture at the University of British Columbia and the University of Toronto Master of Architecture programs, respectively. Meanwhile the others are all gainfully employed in architectural offices, with some of them applying to graduate school for 2007.

The success of the students in their graduate studies and employment opportunities is an indicator that the program is meeting the goals for which it was intended. These are to produce Architectural technologists with a set of skills meeting today's industry needs with an opportunity for academic advancement.

Building on a foundation of a strong diploma program which has been in existence for over 40 years, the Architectural Science degree program heightens the awareness of the students to the importance of sustainable and integrated design practices. In addition there is also a more advanced emphasis on the technological issues in dealing with the building envelope and courses on Green Roof Technology and Heritage Preservation and Conservation.

2006 was also the first studies abroad program in which our degree students participated. It was an International School of Architecture Summer Workshop, which was held by the University of Zagreb, Faculty of Architecture in Motovun, Croatia.

This is also a time to reflect on the existing curriculum to ensure that we remain current with industries' needs and practices. The best way that this is done is through feedback from a Professional Advisory Committee comprised of practicing professionals, past graduates and faculty.

If you have any questions about our Architectural Science Degree Program do not hesitate to contact me directly.

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The Architecture Foundation

Election: 2006

During the 2006 Annual General Meeting, Graham McGarva MAIBC and Bob McKay were re-elected for another two-year term. It was agreed that Edmund Lee will stay as the AIBC appointee. Patrick Stewart MAIBC will be the Past President and Stuart Howard MAIBC will become a member. Jane Thomsett IA.AIBC, Larry McFarland MAIBC and Rolf Paterson will be terminating their terms in 2007. Burton-Brown was re-elected as the Chair for another year. Larry McFarland MAIBC was nominated and agreed to be the Vice Chair, Grant Longhurst MA agreed to fill the position of secretary and Rolf Paterson agreed to remain in the position of treasurer. The AIBC staff members to be assisting the Foundation are Dorothy Barkley and Mona Jahedi.

Golf tournament

This year's Golf Tournament took place on Friday, September 22nd, 2006 at the Beach Grove Golf Club. The weather was superb, the course in brilliant shape, the meal delightful and the enthusiasm of the participants was evident throughout the event. At the awards program following dinner, the sponsors were recognized to all in attendance as the Foundation's supporters. Burton-Brown gave a brief summary of the AFBC's mission at the dinner, followed by recognizing all the sponsors, donors and volunteers. This year's tournament was very successful, generating \$27,646. The sponsors were also mentioned in the Architectural Institute of BC's electronic newsletter, *eNews*, which goes to all members, but also to Architectural Technologists, Interns, stakeholders and colleagues from all over the province, the country and beyond. Following the tournament, Neil Pelman MAIBC was approached for the position of the Golf Tournament's chair. Pelman accepted the position and agreed to attend the board's tournament-related meetings and also to report back to the board. He has been working towards gathering a Golf Tournament committee with subcommittees to take charge of various tasks.

AFBC web site

Hot House Marketing has been paid half of the money owed and has initiated the web site. They are ready to proceed with the web site design; however, they

need some feedback on their initial design ideas and questions from the Board. Burton-Brown and Longhurst have been in contact with them to provide them with the design direction towards the web site. There has not been much progress but the Board is working towards the web site development.

AIBC Annual Conference

In the course of the 2006 Festival of Architecture the Architecture Foundation was provided with the opportunity to co-host the Foundation Lunch on June 17th. The Conference preceded the World Urban Forum; therefore, provided a great opportunity for the Foundation to raise awareness and seek donations as the conference had the largest audience of architects in the city.

It was a very worthwhile effort and it will be repeated next year as well. Raffle tickets were sold for various prizes and the Lunch was turned into a fundraising event as the event was anticipating 400 participants. The Foundation's brochures were distributed along with registration forms and sponsorship forms for the Golf Tournament. The Foundation also took advantage of the exhibition space in the lobby during the Architecture Festival days, where the Foundation's brochures and other forms were displayed.

Recruiting new Board Members

The letter of submission was presented to the Council on November 14th, requesting the selection of a Council representative. David Hewitt MAIBC was selected as the Council representative; however there has not been a chance for him to be introduced to the Board since there was no meeting in the month of December.

Foundation Board Members:

Michael Burton-Brown MAIBC (Chair)
Stuart Howard MAIBC
Graham McGarva MAIBC
Larry McFarland MAIBC
Rolf Paterson (Treasurer)
Jane Thomsett IA.AIBC
Grant Longhurst MA

Chapters' reports

interior chapter report

Chapter Chair: Wilf Lunde MAIBC

The past year was the busiest in recent history for Architects in the Interior of BC.

We are experiencing unprecedented growth, which is mirrored in our workload, causing many firms to expand. Several firms have more than 20 employees!

Chapter activities were centred on Continuing Education themes. Six events were held last year with highlights including our meeting on Mandatory Liability Insurance with the AIBC President and executive, a two-day Healthcare Conference, Smart Growth BC, the Southern Interior Construction Association and CAD technology.

The most memorable event was a one-day conference sponsored by several local companies and organized by Terasen Gas. There was much debate about the documentary *"An Inconvenient Truth"* and the use of gas versus electricity in multi-residential construction. The debate continued from the Boardroom to a houseboat on Okanagan Lake, culminating in dinner at the Lake Okanagan Resort.

In closing, we want to wish everyone good health and a prosperous two double oh seven!

vancouver island chapter report

Chapter Chair: John Coe MAIBC

Chapter Treasurer: Charles Kierulf MAIBC

This year the Vancouver Island Chapter has continued to focus on the provision of presentations that relate to construction matters. The subjects were varied and addressed current matters such as water detection in building envelopes as well as unusual subjects such as the meticulous restoration of stone facing to the Royal Theatre in Victoria.

To expand the presentation topics it is hoped to include presentations from BDIBC as well as local land use planning offices.

Changes to the PCC negated the use of St. Ann's Academy as our venue. The change in venue to the Ambrosia Catering and Events Centre has provided a more comfortable setting for the Chapter meetings. The attendance has averaged 23 members at the meetings.

For 2007, arrangements will be made for a meeting prior to this year's Annual General Meeting with AIBC Council Members and representatives of the BDIBC and IDIBC.

Committee of Canadian Architectural Councils (CCAC)

2006 was a trying year for the CCAC. In October 2005 the Tri-National agreement with Mexico and the US was signed, and in the year since then eight of the 11 jurisdictions in Canada have ratified the document. The 55 jurisdictions of NCARB in the US ratified the agreement at their June 2006 AGM and now the individual jurisdictions can make it part of their respective legislations. The work remaining is to hammer out the details of the Tri-National Committee, which is scheduled to start in May 2007 with a meeting in Toronto. The negotiations with ACE, the regulatory agency of the Architects of the EU, continue somewhat slowly. Charles Henley, the Chair of the International Relationship Committee of the CCAC, has drafted an agreement that will be presented to the Europeans in May. Canada and the US have signed an MOU with the EU to work towards reciprocity.

Three of the jurisdictions in Canada, OAA, AAA and OAAQ, as a subcommittee of the CCAC, have started work on a 'made in Canada' registration exam. The exam will be based on the CHOP and will be available in both official languages. The AIBC has expressed some interest in the alternative exam as a tool for the registration of foreign-trained professionals; at this point however there is no reciprocity discussion with the jurisdictions in Canada or the US. The US at this point has stated that those people obtaining registration using the alternative exam will not be granted an NCARB certificate.

The Chair of the CCAC continues to attend the COE meetings that deal with the ongoing development of the Architectural Registration Exams and through this involvement we have been able to obtain more Canadian content and Canadian involvement in the actual test question writing. The Chair will also be participating in NCARB's practice analysis committee, which will update practice standards that are used to develop the ARE's. The CCAC meets on a regular basis with NCARB to discuss any issues with the inter-recognition agreement; the next CIC meeting is scheduled for February 2007.

The CCAC worked closely with its subcommittee CACB to lift the freeze on certification of degrees obtained over the last year in the RAIC Syllabus program. The program is in the first stages of a renewal program initiated by the RAIC, but the existing participants will be allowed to complete the program without penalty.

So while there continue to be distractions with the mandate of CCAC, the underlying reason for its existence is still important, and that is the need for a National voice to discuss issues between the regulatory associations of Canada and to be a contact point for international registration associations. Without the CCAC there would be no ability to deal with the important regulatory issues at a national level.

Royal Architectural Institute of Canada (RAIC)

Since Stuart Howard's election as the Board member for the RAIC for BC and the Yukon, a number of initiatives have been moving forward.

RAIC Syllabus Program: The program is being renewed after a number of years of inactivity on the profession's part. The RAIC task force has been working closely with both the existing syllabus management and distance-learning centre. When the program is implemented, the new syllabus program will grant certifiable degrees and will be accessible across Canada.

The RAIC Model Architecture Policy: The RAIC has developed a consultation paper on Model Architecture Policy that can be used by government, institutions and universities to encourage public discussion about the role and importance of architecture and urban design in Canada. It will also assist those users to develop appropriate standards and guidelines within their jurisdictions. The Model Policy has been presented to a number of potential institutions and government agencies.

The Harmonization of Continuing Education: The RAIC conducted a round table in the fall of 2005, where the 11 jurisdictions in Canada started to discuss ways of harmonizing their mandatory continuing education standards. The goal of the harmonization is to allow for learning to be valid in all jurisdictions, so if someone is registered in multiple jurisdictions they are not subject

to multiple continuing education rules. The round table resulted in a task force that has redrafted the quality assurance document that formed the original continuing education system back in 1999. While there is still much to do, there is agreement and we are nearer to having reciprocity in continuing education.

RAIC Chapters: Prior to 1980 all architects became members of the RAIC when they registered in their respective jurisdictions. After 1980, membership in the RAIC became optional and the provincial associations slowly took on more advocacy roles in the practice of architecture. In recent years, there have been discussions at some provincial levels to separate the advocacy and regulatory roles. The forming of RAIC Chapters is one way of achieving this separation, which is the way the NCARB member boards and the AIA work in the US. Some provincial associations are well on their way to establishing full chapters in their provinces; both Alberta and Ontario have started discussions and Alberta has signed an MOU on becoming a Chapter. In BC a working group of AIBC Council is looking into the issue and may move forward with recommendations in 2007.

RAIC President: Kiyoshi Matsuzaki MAIBC FRAIC is the First Vice President and President-elect of the RAIC and will bring the President's Chair of the RAIC back to BC beginning in May of 2007.

BC Homeowner Protection Office Provincial Advisory Council/AIBC liaison

The Homeowner Protection Office (HPO) Provincial Advisory Council has been active since July 1999, constituted through the provisions of the *Homeowner Protection Act* and its regulations. The Advisory Council consists of representatives from the AIBC, building officials, contractors, engineers, condominium owners and managers, the development industry, municipalities, organized labour, warranty providers, the City of Vancouver and the HPO Executive. Its broad terms of reference are to:

- Provide advice to the Chief Executive Officer and the Board on the main program areas of the HPO.
- Identify new and emerging issues in the residential construction industry and make recommendations on appropriate responses.
- Provide advice on the research and education components of the HPO, particularly as they relate to building science matters, Building Code matters, building techniques, and consumer education.

In its educational mandate, the HPO continues to support such research projects as: the recently released #2 in the Builder Insight Series *2006 BC Building*

Code: Highlights of Changes for Part 9 – Residential Construction. The HPO continues to be an information source for consumers and the construction industry, with courses offered around the province, and documents available through their office and on their web site.

Last year the CEO of the HPO, Ken Cameron, along with the Board of Directors, released a paper entitled *Raising the Bar – Enhancing Professionalism in British Columbia’s Residential Construction Industry.* Work is continuing to develop approaches to increasing the qualifications necessary for licensing as a builder in BC. The report can be viewed at the HPO website at www.hpo.bc.ca.

The Provincial Advisory Council (PAC) to the HPO continues to be a valuable place for the AIBC to share a table with all of the players in the construction industry, which enables us to voice our concerns regarding practice, particularly in relation to building envelope issues.

Douglas Watts MAIBC P.Eng.

AIBC outreach representatives (2006)

municipal + provincial

Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of BC Building Code Committee

Yijin Wen MAIBC

Association of Professional Engineers + Geoscientists of BC Building Envelope Committee

Pierre Gallant MAIBC

Association of Professional Engineers + Geoscientists of BC Sustainability Committee

Bill Gies MAIBC

BC Building Code Interpretation Committee

Teddy Lai MAIBC

Michael Jaszczewski MAIBC

BC Building Policy Advisory Committee

Brian Bydwell MAIBC

BC Safety Regulatory System:

Modernization Strategy Working Groups

- **Letters of Assurance**
Michael Ernest MAIBC
- **Adaptable Housing**
Paul Kernan MAIBC
- **Compliance and Enforcement**
David Hewitt MAIBC
- **Existing Buildings**
Al Hepburn MAIBC
- **Alternative Solutions**
Ed MacKinnon MAIBC

BC Swimming Pool Regulations Committee

Vic Davies MAIBC

Building Envelope Research Consortium

Richard Kadulski MAIBC

Certified Professional Advisory Committee

Martin Bruckner MAIBC

Alan Brown MAIBC

Steve Hart MAIBC

City of Vancouver Development Permit Advisory Panel

Bruce Haden MAIBC

Mark Ostry MAIBC

James Hancock MAIBC

Executive Directors and Registrars of Professional Organizations BC

Dorothy D. Barkley AIBC Executive Director

Home Owners Protection Office (HPO) Advisory Council

Douglas Watts MAIBC P.Eng.

Liability Insurance Coalition

(AIBC, APEGBC, CEBC + ICABC)

Dorothy D. Barkley AIBC Executive Director

Provincial Bid Depository Advisory Committee

Rod Windjack MAIBC

BC Building Code Appeal Board

Edward MacKinnon MAIBC

Maura Gatensby MAIBC

Public Construction Council of BC

Brad Shuya MAIBC

Peter Genge MAIBC

Michael Ernest MAIBC (alternate)

TILMA Coalition

(AIBC, AAA, APEGBC + APEGA)

Dorothy D. Barkley AIBC Executive Director

national

Canadian Commission on Building and Fire Codes

Steven Hart MAIBC

Canadian Construction Documents Committee (CCDC)

Michael Ernest MAIBC (chair)

Committee of Canadian Architectural Councils (CCAC)

Stuart Howard MAIBC (chair)

AIBC Boards and Committees Portfolio

communications board

Members: Elisa Brandts MAIBC (Chair), Janet Lutz MAIBC, Chris Macdonald, Gary Sim AT.AIBC, Steve Akers IA.AIBC, Peeroj Thakre IA.AIBC.

The Communications Board met in May, October and November 2006. The Board's mandate is to meet quarterly in order to provide updates to Council and to assist in Policy development. The Board members agreed that 2007 will be a more productive year with new Board members who have committed themselves to the valuable function that this group provides. The most important undertaking of the Board in 2006 was the proposal of several new Policies to Council for consideration.

Communicatons Board:

(from left: Gary Sim AT.AIBC; Peeroj Thakre IA.AIBC; Elisa Brandts MAIBC (Chair); Chris Macdonald; **missing:** Steve Akers IA.AIBC and Janet Lutz MAIBC)





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 Pirouzeh Razavi IA.AIBC;
 Pat McTaggart MAIBC;
 Eszter Csutkai MAIBC;
 Steve Akers IA.AIBC (Chair);
 Brian Fisher MAIBC;
 Bill Gies MAIBC (new Chair);
missing:
 Russell Poulston MAIBC;
 Elena Oanta IA.AIBC).



Annual Conference Committee:

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 Robert Turecki MAIBC;
 Stuart Howard MAIBC;
 Joost Bakker MAIBC;
 Jean-Pierre Mahé MAIBC;
 Chris Macdonald (Chair);
missing:
 Selwyn Dodd MAIBC (past Chair);
 David Wilkinson MAIBC;
 Grant Longhurst MA;
 Edmund Lee MBA).



Editorial Advisory Committee:

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 Sandra Korpan MAIBC;
 Patrick Stewart MAIBC;
 Scott Mitchell MAIBC;
 Elisa Brandts MAIBC (Chair)).

Gallery Advisory Committee:
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Mark Ashby IA.AIBC;
Gary Sim AT.AIBC (Chair);
Matt Hessey IA.AIBC;
missing:
Franc D'Ambrosio MAIBC
- member in Victoria).



advisory services committee

Members: Steve Akers IA.AIBC (Chair), Bill Gies MAIBC (new Chair), Eszter Csutkai MAIBC, Brian Fisher MAIBC, Pat McTaggart MAIBC, Russell Poulston MAIBC, Bryan Young MAIBC, Elena Oanta IA.AIBC, Pirouzeh Razavi IA.AIBC.

2006 was a busy year for the Advisory Services Committee with discussion during monthly meetings on improving the focus of activities. The Committee concluded that explaining the variety of services BC architects provide is the essential message that the Committee communicates to the public. The Committee's mission remains the same: to raise awareness of the variety of ways architects contribute to the success of building projects and that the most efficient way to provide a quality product and maintain value is to use architects.

Saturday public consultations were well attended and often required two architects to be on hand. The nature of inquiries demonstrates that homeowners are seeking professional advice both in terms of quality in design as well as cost of design and construction.

A highlight within the Committee is the desire to improve their presence at various tradeshow (the Spring and Fall BC Home Shows in particular) throughout the Lower Mainland. Both Members and Interns have worked to improve their trade show presentation, via workshop attendance and visual materials.

AIBC role calls have delivered new exhibition panels, which are now displayed at each tradeshow. Working with AIBC staff and the Executive Director, the Committee's intention for 2007 is to widen their presence at future tradeshow and conduct new initiatives such as free public lectures.

The Committee would like to thank outgoing members Wayne DeAngelis MAIBC, Susan Baker (Retired Architect), Richard Kadulski MAIBC and Kingsley Lo MAIBC (who remains a Home Show volunteer) for their work during their time with the Committee. Special thanks go to outgoing Chair Steven Akers IA.AIBC, without whose efforts the Advisory Services Committee would not be headed in the current direction for 2007.

annual conference committee

Members: Selwyn Dodd MAIBC (Chair), Kiyoshi Matsuzaki MAIBC (Sponsorship Chair), Stuart Howard MAIBC, Larry McFarland MAIBC, Bonnie Maples MAIBC, Bo Helliwell MAIBC, Tracey Mactavish MAIBC, Jim Burns, Edmund Lee MBA, John Johansen (Intern Representative).

The 2006 AIBC Annual Conference, *Habitat Reloaded*, was a first joint AIBC/RAIC Festival of Architecture since 1999 and the most successful AIBC or RAIC conference to date, with professional development offering six streams over four days. The annual event, held in June 2007, enjoyed the highest attendance ever, with approximately 1,100 architects participating. Many AIBC members took advantage of this annual opportunity to earn CES Learning Units, reconnect with colleagues, network and celebrate the profession. The Festival featured international speakers of note, such as keynote speaker Shigeru Ban from Japan and the participation of the Union Internationale des Architectes (UIA), who held their annual meeting in Vancouver to coincide with the Festival.

It was an outstanding conference that some veterans described as 'the best ever'. Many thanks to the hard-working Committee and the staff of AIBC and RAIC. It was a lot of fun putting it together.

awards program committee

Members: Peeroj Thakre IA.AIBC (Chair), Helen Besharat MAIBC, Peter Buchanan MAIBC.

Awards Program Committee

The Committee organized an excellent jury, who awarded a large number of awards, including special jury awards in 2006. AIBC staff were able to clarify and simplify awards entry criteria and procedures to encourage wider member participation. Congratulations to last year's winners, awarded by 2006 Jury Chair Florian Maurer MAIBC on Saturday, June 17, 2006.

2006 Awards Jury Members: Florian Maurer MAIBC (2006 Awards Jury Chair), Larry Beasley, Stephanie Forsythe IA.AIBC, Martin Hagarty MAIBC, Eric Karsh P.Eng., Tracey Mactavish MAIBC, Steven Teeple OAA.

AIBC Innovation Award

Developed to recognize achievements that are not strictly "architectural," but have a direct bearing on the future of architecture in areas such as sustainability, ecology, building technology, and the innovative use of materials. The 2006 winner was LWPAC in conjunction with Hotson Bakker Boniface Haden for ROAR_One and receiving a merit award was Killick Metz Bowen Rose for the Moricetown Gas Bar.

Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia

Architectural Awards

LG Awards were established to honour those architects and clients who have achieved excellence in completed architectural projects. The winners for 2006 were: LWPAC in conjunction with Hotson Bakker Boniface Haden for ROAR_One; mcfarlaneGreen architecture + design for the Prince George Airport Expansion Phase2; and Patkau Architects for La Grande Bibliothèque de Quebec. Merit awards were given to Patkau Architects for the Gleneagles Community Centre and Henriquez Partners/IBI Group for the BC Cancer Research Centre.

Special Jury Awards

Special Jury Awards were given to AA Robins Architect for the Kits Beach Restaurant and Lifeguard Facilities; superkül architecture for the Millennial Time Machine; Merrick Architecture - Borowski Lintott Sakumoto Fligg Limited for the Segal Graduate School of Business; and Neale Staniszki Doll Adams Architects for the Salvation Army Belkin House.

editorial advisory committee

Members: Elisa Brandts MAIBC (Chair), Scott Mitchell MAIBC, Patrick Stewart MAIBC, Sean Ruthen IA.AIBC, Sandra Korpan MAIBC.

Thanks to the excellent feedback and ideas provided by Committee members, revision of *architectureBC* was accomplished for 2005. This effort continued throughout 2006 with refinements made through the year. This group created an editorial calendar and themes for the year in conjunction with the Communications staff. The Committee continues to discuss the publications mandate and means of improving content. Under the Terms of Reference, the Committee has also begun to review other communications media such as *eNews*, the *Intern Architect Update* and the *Student Update*.

gallery advisory committee

Members: Gary Sim AT.AIBC (Chair), Franc D'Ambrosio MAIBC, Matt Hessey IA.AIBC, Mark Ashby IA.AIBC; Varouj Gumuchian IA.AIBC.

In 2006 the Gallery Advisory Committee worked on establishing ground rules for the gallery in cooperation with the Communications Board. We now have Terms of Reference and a statement of Policy, updated guidelines for proposal submissions available on the AIBC website (Public Resources/Gallery), and a revised insurance release for all whose work is shown in the gallery.

The 2006 exhibits had an excellent diversity, and the Committee hopes to continue exhibiting work not only by BC architects and architecture-related works, but also work from the arts and educational groups associated with our profession. The exhibitions *Doghouse Vancouver* and *Metropolis* – the latter by Malaspina Printmakers - featured work by AIBC members in association with such groups and showcased their artistic vision, while expanding the Gallery's outreach and collaboration.

The Committee is committed to keeping the gallery on a multi-year plan of exhibitions and events, and have selected the exhibits and schedules to take us through to January 2008. These are intended to enhance dialogue and involvement with AIBC members, as well as the general public. A new approach to showcasing talent will be to extend the reach of the gallery with guest curators who can tap into the resources of diverse community groups.

The Committee encourages the members of the AIBC to let us know what exhibitions they would like to see, and what they think of the exhibitions upon their visits. The Committee looks forward to hearing from members – please contact Colin Wong or Danijela Zutic at the Institute with your comments and suggestions. The Gallery will also continue to showcase members' artistic work.

The Committee would like to thank former Chair Dani O'Riley for all her efforts over the last two years. Dani was instrumental in establishing direction for the Gallery, and without her advice and expertise the Gallery would not have seen the diverse exhibitions such as the successful *Elements* series.

design resource library

Members: Janet Lutz MAIBC (Chair), Amaya del Castillo IA.AIBC, Linda Levar, Tracey Mactavish MAIBC.

Early in 2006, a survey of the membership was conducted through the AIBC web site to determine the members' interest in and need for a professional library located at the Institute.

The results indicated that a print library at the AIBC would be of value to Interns preparing for registration examinations and to young practitioners. Access to web-based information and enhanced links to information sources located at the Institute and elsewhere in the world would be of value to all members. For most established professionals, an AIBC library is not a need. A print library is not likely to be utilized as a professional resource, but it would be well received for browsing if it is convenient. The library would be self-supporting, except for the establishment of interface with the AIBC website, relying on donations for acquisition of materials. Priority is given to the provision of recommended titles as listed in the ARE study guides.

With Linda Levar's expertise and efforts as a librarian and archivist, application was made to the UBC School of Library, Archival and Information Studies for a student to assist the Institute as his/her Professional Experience Project in the September

term. Our application was accepted. The Committee and the Institute have benefited tremendously from Trish Mau's time spent with us. She recommended an appropriate cataloguing system; she has catalogued and labeled all existing titles, collaborated in mounting a library catalogue on the website and developed a training and maintenance manual for future library administrators.

Based on the survey results, policy governing the library, its existence and maintenance, was developed and adopted by Council in November. An AIBC collection Development Policy, stating the Purpose, Mission, Collections Assessment and General Policy has been developed and will be submitted to Council for their review in the spring.

- John Graham MAIBC generously donated his personal library,
- The Communications department has designed bookplates that will acknowledge the donors.
- The donation campaign was launched at the AIBC Christmas reception with the trees decorated by pledge cards of donations to the library. There was an excellent response. Many thanks are extended to the founding donors.
- Two 'wish lists' of titles have been compiled; the priority list of study books for the Interns and the "recommended for acquisition" and "to share" list responses from the survey.

Library Resources Committee:
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Janet Lutz MAIBC (Chair),
Tracey Mactavish MAIBC,
Amaya del Castillo IA.AIBC;
missing: Linda Levar)



practice board

Members:

Karl Gustavson MAIBC (Chair) {Design Panel Committee (DPC)}; Ron Kato MAIBC {Energy & Environment Committee (EEC)}; Brian Palmquist MAIBC {Building Envelope Committee (BEC)}; Alan Brown MAIBC {Regulatory Coordination Committee (RCC)}; Barry Weih MAIBC {Liability Insurance Committee (LIC)}; Brett Smaill MAIBC {Health Care Facilities Committee (HCFC)}; Gregg Brown MAIBC {Educational Facilities Committee (EFC)}; Pierre Gallant MAIBC {Practice Standards Consultation Service (PSCS)}; Veronica Gillies MAIBC {Council Liaison} **Staff liaisons:** Michael Ernest MAIBC, Director of Professional Practice and Gayle Roberts Practice and Conduct Coordinator.

The Practice Board is comprised of the Chairpersons of the Institute's Practice Committees. It has these four principle roles:

1. To respond to direction and requests from AIBC Council as to assistance with Council policy development;
2. To bring to Council's attention important concerns, issues and recommendations which originate with Practice Committees or the Practice Board itself;
3. To serve as an information-sharing and networking vehicle for the Practice Committees and Council's Practice Liaison member;
4. To support and guide the efforts of AIBC staff dedicated to the Practice realm.

2006 saw normal transition of Practice Board membership, with some former members' elections to Council mid-year (David Hewitt MAIBC; Pierre Gallant MAIBC) and others moving on to other endeavours (Eric Fiss MAIBC; Dave McGuigan MAIBC). The Practice Board wishes to extend its thanks to those people and to extend, especially,

its warm appreciation to its former chair, Dave McGuigan MAIBC, for his committed and diligent efforts on behalf of our profession.

The PSCS is our most recent addition, coming under the Practice Board's wing after the 2006 Annual Conference. It has begun working towards provision of a voluntary service for architectural firms commencing Fall 2007. Its report is provided separately, as are the individual reports of the other Practice Committees, featuring (among other advances) the year's developments regarding Liability Insurance; Civil Liability reform; new contract for separate engagement of consultants; and sustainable design evolution.

The Practice Board is also the medium for discussing and coordinating the AIBC's efforts respecting the Provincial Government's 'Modernization Strategy' (MODSTRAT) initiative, seeking to improve the building safety regulatory system in BC. Under its auspices, the letters of assurance and corresponding appendix were upgraded in the 2006 BC Building Code and are being discussed further as to consistent use and extended application to Part 9 buildings.

Working groups with broad industry representation (including, always, the AIBC) are very active respecting aspects of administration, demonstration of competence, liability insurance, consistent application and enforcement, code implementation to existing buildings, adaptable housing and alternate solutions. Should legislation be required to effect some of the MODSTRAT recommendations, the target is the Spring 2008 legislative sitting, necessitating the establishment of recommendations by June 2007.

At both national and provincial levels, the Practice Board and its Committees act as sounding boards for industry standard documents' development and topical discussion. In 2006, this covered Public Private Partnerships; the BC Capital Management Framework; the Public Construction Council of BC's Prequalification Guidelines; the RAIC's emerging updates to Document 5 (*Rules for Architectural Design Competitions*) and Document 9 (*Architect/Sub-consultant agreement*); pro bono arrangements; and the AIBC's update to Document 8 (*Short Form Client/Architect Agreement*) and potential new Special Services

agreement. The latter item is in the hands of an AIBC working group consisting of MAIBCs Sylvia Fong; Peter Wyatt Smith and Bob Billington along with John Hood P.Eng.

The AIBC's Practice interests are represented at a variety of external organizations (from municipal design panels to green building stakeholder groups and building code advisory groups) by experienced and able members, listed separately. Coordination of the Practice realm's extensive and highly valued scope of volunteer contributions is handled adeptly and with remarkable aplomb by staff member Gayle Roberts. Overall Practice direction, national input (including the CCDC chair), liaison with sister organizations, document creation/monitoring and member advisories (including RFPs, 'Rogue' Letters of Assurance and situational counseling) is the purview of Michael Ernest MAIBC.

We look forward to further progress in service to members and their firms, and in the public interest, in 2007.

Practice Board Members:

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 Bill McCreery MAIBC;
 Raymond Griffin MAIBC;
 Arthur Buse MAIBC;
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 Nick Watkins;
 Peter Kiddie P.Eng;
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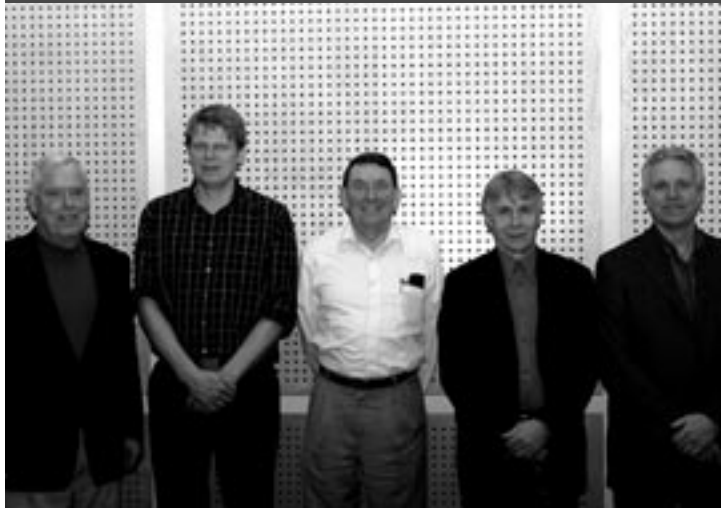
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Veronica Gillies MAIBC)



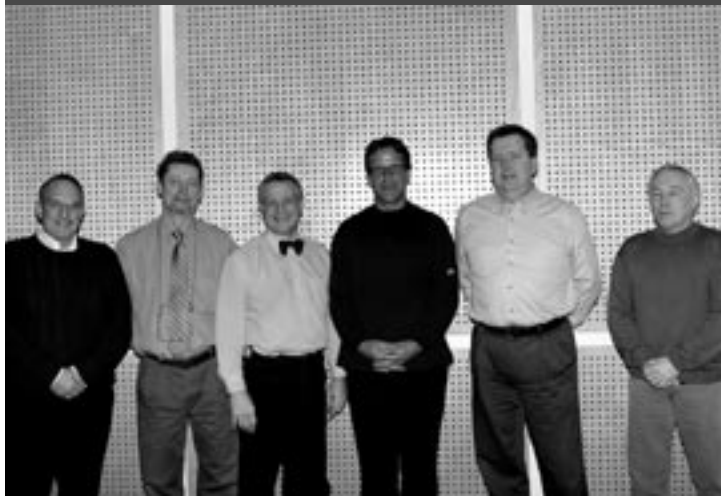
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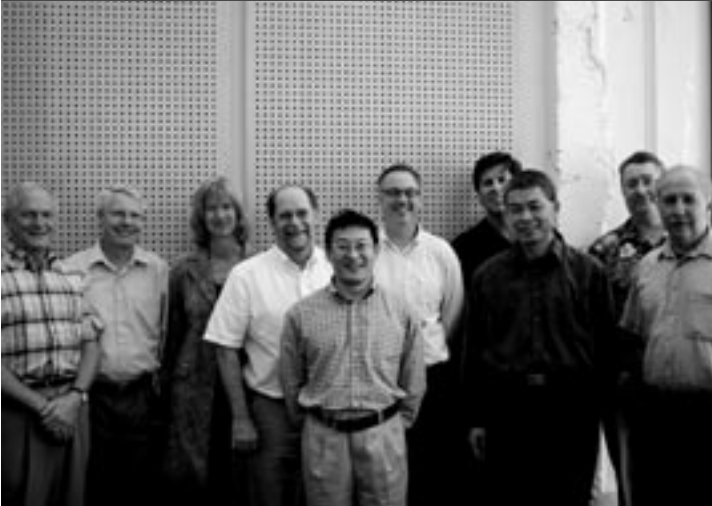
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John Davidson MAIBC;
Larry McFarland MAIBC)



Practice Standard Consultation Services

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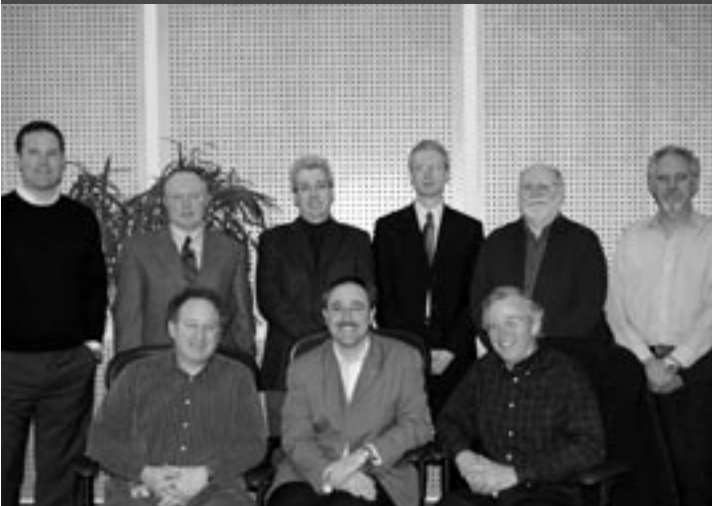
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 Trudy Rotgans MAIBC;
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 Yijin Wen MAIBC;
 Alan Brown MAIBC;
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missing:
 Bryan Bydwell MAIBC)



Healthcare Facilities Committee:
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 Ian McDonald;
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 Alan Grossert;
 Jean-Pierre Mahé MAIBC
 Bob Billington MAIBC;
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 John Maccarrone;
 Brett Smaill MAIBC (Chair);
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 Jim Shuttleworth P.Eng;
 Rudi van den Broek;
 Scott Gordon MAIBC;
 Doug Redmond P.Eng;
 Joe Rekab;
 Brent Alley MAIBC;
 Dave Mackintosh;
 Richard Brown MAIBC;
 Michael Hoefler).



building envelope committee

Members: Brian Palmquist MAIBC (Chair), Serge Desmarais MAIBC, Bill McCreery MAIBC, Arthur Buse MAIBC, Cal Meiklejohn MAIBC, Richard Kadulski MAIBC, Douglas Watts MAIBC P.Eng., Edward (Ted) de Grey MAIBC, Ray Griffin MAIBC.

1. Give direction to the Professional Development Board and Building Envelope Education Program (BEEP) on courses, seminars and round-tables on building envelopes failures, best practice guides and appropriate procedures for efforts in architectural firm's offices.
2. Work with the Regulatory Coordination Committee in having input on municipal and provincial regulations regarding building envelope design and construction; work with other building industry groups regarding standards of design, construction and warranties that are fair to all participants.
3. Carry out assignments from Council as directed.
4. Effect liaison with such internal and external groups/associations as: Professional Development Board; Registration Board, Practice Board and related committees, CMHC, BCBECC, APEGBC, the HPO and City of Vancouver.

After approval by Council, the Tariff of Fees for Architects providing Enhanced Building Envelope Services was published in 2005 (cf. Bulletin 56). As a next step following that initiative, over the past year the Committee has initiated the creation of a recommended contract for Building Envelope Professionals for new construction projects. The objective is to produce a contract form that is consistent with RAIC Document 6 and AIBC contract forms, as well as being compliant with

Bulletin 34 (*Enhanced Building Envelope Services*) and other bulletins, bylaws, etc. that pertain to building envelope services. The Committee has considered the challenge, a subcommittee has considered models and the work is ongoing with a conclusion expected within the next year.

The BEC is reviewing the AIBC's model schedules D-1 and D-2 as well as their counterparts in Burnaby and the City of Vancouver for Enhanced Building Envelope Services, in conjunction with the new building code format and Part 5 content. Revised, final editions will emerge for implementation in early 2007.

The Committee's planned review of the BEEP education modules has been suspended pending the PD Board's consideration of the design and implementation of the Building Envelope Education Programme. Once again, members of the Committee successfully delivered the course "*Who Sealed This Envelope?*" at the last AIBC Annual Conference.

The BEC continues to contact its equivalent at the APEGBC, and a second joint meeting is scheduled early in 2007. Cooperation and coordination between our two professions remain necessary in the area of joint practice.

The BEC members continue to represent the AIBC at the Homeowners Protection Office (HPO), BC Building Envelope Council (BCBECC) and BOABC.

At the end of each meeting, the members discuss various technical or practice issues relating to Building Envelope knowledge or services.

educational facilities committee

Members: Gregg Brown MAIBC, Larry McFarland MAIBC, Mark Dale MAIBC (School District 43: Coquitlam), Peter Kiddie P.Eng. (CEBC), Andy Tashiro P.Eng. (CEBC), Jim Bush (QSSBC), Nick Watkins (BC Ministry of Education), Eric Thorleifson P.Eng. (School District 38: Richmond), Les King (School District 39: Vancouver), Kerry Magnus MAIBC (School District 36: Surrey), John Wong (BCIT) and Nick Bevanda MAIBC.

The Educational Facilities Committee, established in May 2001, serves as a forum for dialogue and recommendations regarding areas of mutual interest and concern.

The Committee acts as a liaison between the design community (architects, consulting engineers and cost consultants), the provincial government agencies responsible for the development of educational facilities throughout British Columbia (the Ministry of Education (MEd) and the Ministry of Advanced Education (MAEd), the owners/operators of such facilities (school districts, colleges, institutes and universities) and other educational facility planning organizations (e.g. BC Chapter of the Council of Educational Facility Planners International).

In 2006 the Committee concentrated on several initiatives. Practice Note No. 3 for School Facilities (Ministry of Education) was updated in October, to reflect the latest practice issues in this sector.

The Procurement Sub-Committee submitted a recommendation for a sliding scale of liability insurance coverage to the Schools Protection Program in 2005 and on January 30/06 the recommendations were accepted. For consultants working on school

projects this will result in more appropriate insurance requirements for errors and omissions, general liability and automobile coverage, which now will vary in accordance with the value of construction. There are continuing efforts to get the Schools Protection Program to remove gender bias from the contract language in their Program Reference Manual.

Over the course of 2006 the Committee reviewed and provided feedback to the Practice Board and the Director of Professional Practice on several other issues and concerns of relevance to the educational sector. These activities included suggesting improvements to the Capital Asset Management Framework, providing feedback on proposed revisions to Document 6, and the review of the MEd's Seismic Mitigation Program, the MEd Due Diligence Reviews, the MEd Unit Rate Update, Public Construction Council (PCCBC) Prequalification Guidelines, the MEd Project Agreement wording, the Provincial Modernization Strategy, the MEd's integration of Capital and Seismic Programs, and RFPs for school projects.

One of the key initiatives for 2007 is to work towards completing the research and preparing a report recommending improvements in the funding of fees for capital projects. The intent is to work with the Secretary Treasurers Association (BCSDSTA) to put a strong case forward to the Ministry of Education for making the recommended changes.

energy + environment committee

Members: Ron Kato MAIBC (Chair), Loghman Azar MAIBC, Jeff Cutler BC SLA, Robert Drew MAIBC, Eric Fiss MAIBC, Bill Gies MAIBC, Richard Kadulski MAIBC, James (Max) Richter IA.AIBC.

The Energy & Environment (E & E) has been represented on the City of Vancouver's Green Building Strategy (GBS) stakeholders' group which met in late 2006 to review the proposed recommendations to amend the Vancouver Building Bylaw. Rob Bennett, the CoV Manager of Sustainability, presented the GBS to the Committee, outlining the rationale and comparing market penetration of green buildings in Portland and Seattle with Vancouver. The current iteration of the GBS is essentially a series of proposed modifications to the Bylaw which are not, we feel, representative of best practices. The committee has moved to present a letter to city council encouraging the City to expand its efforts in sustainability and will be sending a delegation to articulate our concerns to the city.

The E & E has also been involved in an effort to clarify the AIBC's direction to Advisory Design Panels on the inclusion of sustainability. A joint working group with the AIBC Design Panel (DP) Committee was formed, joint meetings held and a workplan has been prepared and presented for review with comment to the two committees.

Professional development has been the focus of much discussion. Maura Gatensby MAIBC, AIBC Director of Professional Development, attended a meeting to discuss with members how the Professional Development Board functions.

Goals identified for ongoing and future Committee efforts include:

1. To continue working with the AIBC Professional Development Board to ensure that there are Continuing Education courses with sustainability content offered;
2. To continue to work together with the Design Panel Committee to complete the work started to include consideration of sustainable design by municipalities;
3. To raise the profile of sustainability through increased efforts in communications, such as an exhibition on sustainability, exploring the possibility of an award program or other form of recognition of significant sustainable projects by AIBC members;
4. To provide support and advice on sustainability to the City of Vancouver and other authorities.

Ian Theaker, P.Eng., LEED Program Manager for the Canada Green Building Council, presented the E & E with an update on the status of LEED, and its exponential growth since the inception of LEED Canada in November 2004.

Membership:

Eric Fiss MAIBC stepped down as Chair of the Committee in September 2006.

Members resigning in 2006:

Ron Bain MAIBC, Veronica Gillies MAIBC, Danny Wong IA.AIBC and Randall Sharp BC SLA representative.

New Members:

Loghman Azar MAIBC, Robert Drew MAIBC, Jeff Cutler BC SLA.

The contributions of our retiring and active members are greatly appreciated.

healthcare facilities committee

Members: Brett Smaill MAIBC (Chair), Jim Shuttleworth P.Eng, Bob Billington MAIBC, Scott Gordon MAIBC, Dave Mackintosh (Interior Health Authority), John Maccarrone (CEBC Mechanical), Rudi van den Broek (Partnerships BC), Bruce Raber MAIBC, Doug Redmond P.Eng., Joe Rekab (QSSBC), Brent Alley MAIBC (Coastal Health Authority), Ian McDonald (Fraser Health Authority), Richard Brown MAIBC (Vancouver Island Health Authority), Alan Grossert (Provincial Services Health Authority), Michael Hoefer (Northern Health Authority), Ian McIntyre MAIBC, Jean-Pierre Mahé MAIBC.

The Healthcare Facilities Committee, comprising representatives from the AIBC, provincial health authorities, the Consulting Engineers of BC, and the Quantity Surveyors' Society of BC, aims to:

- Serve as a cross-disciplinary forum for issues relating to planning, design, and project delivery.
- Facilitate, exchange, and disseminate information and research as it relates to the many forms of health facilities design.
- Provide an advisory service to the governing health authorities on matters relating to planning, design, construction, and commissioning of health facility projects.
- Monitor the consultant selection process.
- Monitor fees and services for health facilities project work.
- Work collaboratively with health authorities in moving ahead with new procurement methods.

Four joint meetings were held in 2006 with the active participation of the six BC Regional Health Authorities and representation from Partnerships BC. Given this, the Committee's focus continues to evolve, with a primary emphasis on encouraging active and frequent communication among representative members. Continuing project development initiatives have progressed in the past year including business

plan strategies and public/private partnerships (P3s), all of which have required the Committee to take an increasingly proactive role with the joint partners.

Several initiatives for 2006 include continued participation on the Ministry of Health Advisory Committee – Community Care and Assisted Living regarding fire and life safety issues. The Healthcare Facilities Committee has been reviewing the 'Guidelines for Complex Care' document now in its final draft, under the sponsorship of Vancouver Coastal Health. Final acceptance was reached through 2006 of the new 'Client - Consultant' agreement, adapted from the RAIC Document 6 'Client-Architect' agreement. The document has been endorsed by AIBC, CEBC, QSSBC and the Health Authorities. It is now available for use on any project-type with separately engaged consultants. Work includes supplemental general conditions, specific to health facility projects.

Ongoing through 2006, a proposed 'Canadian Healthcare Facility Design Guidelines' publication, secured formal approval from AIA to use the established 'AIA Design Guidelines for Healthcare Facilities' as a base for the Canadian version. The Committee has gained development commitment from CSA for support and funding required for the editing, publication, and ongoing management of the Canadian publication.

2006 Changes in Organization:

Michael Garrett MAIBC retired from the HFC

New members welcomed to the HFC are:

Ron McIntyre MAIBC

Jean-Pierre Mahé MAIBC.

liability insurance committee

Members: Barry Weih MAIBC (Chair), Michael Thayer MAIBC, Chip Barrett MAIBC, John Davidson MAIBC, Julio Gomberoff MAIBC, Larry McFarland MAIBC, Simon Richards MAIBC, Stuart Howard MAIBC (Council Liaison), Knut Boeck MAIBC.

The past 12 months have been very active for the Liability Insurance Committee (LIC). The LIC continued their efforts to improve the conditions for architects in practice, by moving forward on several fronts. Primarily, these fall into two main categories: liability insurance issues, and promoting legislative reform.

In the first half of 2006, the main effort of the LIC was to provide support for the AIBC bylaw initiative to make Professional Liability Insurance (PLI) mandatory for all architects who hold a Certificate of Practice. This work took the form of providing feedback to Council when requested, and in the efforts to circulate information to members leading up to the June vote. Through the LIC, members were provided with responses to the main concerns that were raised at the three information Members' Forums, and questions that were provided via e-mail to the AIBC. The LIC gave its full support to the Mandatory PLI Bylaw initiative, and to Council's efforts to provide leadership to the design and construction industry through this initiative, recognizing that PLI is a crucial point of professional responsibility to the public, as well as being a likely target of government intervention in the future. Unfortunately, the bylaw was defeated. The sense of the LIC was that while virtually all members supported the principle of mandatory PLI, there was significant concern that this bylaw would put de-facto "licensing power" in the hands of the insurance industry, and that the bylaw would have a negative effect on small and start-up firms due to the costs of the basic policy.

On a positive note, 2006 saw a shift within the insurance industry, and an increase in available PLI for architects. In addition to ENCON and XL-Professional, several new Lloyds Insurance Syndicates offered PLI coverage to architects, including policies for new firms. In general, the concern over lack of availability of PLI declined in the past 12 months. Although some underwriters have chosen not to write certain policies, that decision is based on specific circumstances, and we have not heard of any architects who are unable to get PLI under any conditions. Also, it is significant that the new Lloyds policies provide water-ingress protection for multi-family projects with a 2-5-10 home warranty, as opposed to the circumstance in 2005, when only XL Professional offered water-ingress protection, but it required a 2-10-10 warranty.

Since spring 2006, our AIBC web site provides a table of known PLI brokers and their current contact coordinates.

In the fall of 2006, the focus of the LIC shifted towards support for the AIBC as it moved into ongoing discussions with the Provincial Government as part of the new "Modernization Strategy". To date the LIC has assisted in providing background information to the government as requested, to direct discussion towards the key issues. The LIC supports the AIBC position urging a "full accountability" framework, including reform of joint and several liability, and reduction of the statute of limitations.

The LIC welcomed new member Knut Boeck MAIBC in late 2006 and bid a fond farewell to John Davidson MAIBC and Larry McFarland MAIBC, extending its best wishes and appreciation for unstinting service rendered.

practice standards consultation service (pscs) committee

Members: Pierre Gallant MAIBC (Chair), Paul Becker P.Eng. AIBC Associate (previously registered member), Serge Desmarais MAIBC, Wally Ewert MAIBC, Gordon Klassen MAIBC, Ed MacKinnon MAIBC, David Wilkinson MAIBC and Joe Minten MAIBC.

The PSCS was formed in the fall of 2006, arising from the former Peer Review Task Force, under the auspices of the Practice Board.

In its short life, the Committee has started to elaborate steps that will lead to the implementation of a voluntary practice consultation/review service to assist Certificate of Practice holders achieve excellence in their architectural firms. The intent is to announce this new member-service at our 2007 Annual Conference in conjunction with an active-learning workshop. We plan to offer the first service in fall 2007, thereafter gathering data over the next year or two in order to simplify/perfect the service, and eventually consider the PSCS becoming mandatory. Similar reviews in many jurisdictions with other professional organizations are mandatory (and also not punitive).

The PSCS is pleased to report that, as of late 2006, there are already several holders of Certificates of Practice who have volunteered to avail themselves of the free service. We will also be seeking "reviewers" to provide this service.

Staff coordination is provided by the diligent and accommodating Jackie Buchan.

design panel committee

Members: Karl Gustavson MAIBC (Chair), Bernard Perreten MAIBC, Nick Milkovich MAIBC, Colin Shrubbs MAIBC, Scot Hein AIBC Associate, Sorin Birliga MAIBC, Michelle Fenton IA.AIBC, Cal Meiklejohn MAIBC.

The Design Panel Committee has the responsibility of nominating AIBC members to over 30 Advisory Design Panels throughout British Columbia. Serving on one of the many Panels is an excellent method for architects to make a contribution to their communities, helping municipalities ensure that local projects are reviewed in a positive and professional manner.

A continuing challenge is the recruitment of new volunteers to fill various Design Panel vacancies around the province. The Committee strives to support those members involved as participants or presenters, by encouraging panel procedures to be transparent with a focus on Bulletin 65 as an operational guideline. In the past year we have continued to increase awareness of Bulletin 65 by making it available to municipal staff liaisons for individual panels.

In addition to its ongoing work of providing nominations for BC Design Panels, the Committee is focused on increasing its commitment to improve the operation and profile of active design panels. For 2007, we are planning a second workshop for Vancouver. This is an important step in providing a broader perspective on panel issues and it is hoped that these initiatives will aid in recruiting new members.

The success of all Advisory Design Panels is based on the many volunteers who donate their time and I want to thank them all for the work that they do along with my Committee members and our staff support for what we have been able to achieve this past year.

regulatory coordination committee

Members: Alan Brown MAIBC (Chair (pro tem), Chris Block MAIBC; Bryan Bydwell MAIBC (Chief Building Official - North Vancouver District); Steve Hart MAIBC; George Humphrey (BOABC and Chief Building Official - Burnaby); David Jackson P.Eng. (Chief Building Official - City of Vancouver); Teddy Lai MAIBC; Trudy Rotgans MAIBC (Prov. of BC Building Policy Branch); Duane Siegrist MAIBC; Yijin Wen MAIBC.

The Regulatory Coordination Committee (RCC) provides architectural expertise and opinion on building regulations, both to regulatory agencies and the various Boards and Committees of the AIBC. It provides a forum for expression of mutual concerns between regulatory agencies and design professionals. The Committee monitors Letters of Assurance, the Certified Professional (CP) Program and municipal regulation changes. In so doing, it works toward a more uniform approach to the application and interpretation of building regulations.

In 2006, this Committee continued to act as liaison with the City of Vancouver regarding the CP Program Manual, the Vancouver insert, and to establish operating guidelines for the CP Advisory Committee. A special representative (Ed MacKinnon MAIBC) is working with an APEGBC representative (Barry Thorson P.Eng.) and the City of Vancouver legal services department to review the manual of practice and produce an updated version for approval by all parties concerned.

Rogue Letters of Assurance and their related building bylaws continue to be hot topics. The Committee also provides comment and guidance to municipality and professionals alike about which Letters of Assurance are acceptable and which are not, and on other forms of municipal regulation such as zoning bylaws. Other activities include acting as liaison with the provincial government's Building Policy Branch. The education program for the new 2006 BC Building Code has been produced for commencement late in 2006. The Committee also reviews changes in the regulatory environment that happen under other initiatives, such as the provincial government's Modernization Strategy.

Members who resigned from the Committee during 2006 include: Dave McGuigan MAIBC (Chair), whose yeoman service over several years is sincerely appreciated. The Committee also wishes to thank Scott Baldwin MAIBC who resigned after many years of participation.

Additionally, 2006 was a year in which the Committee tried to expand its membership to fill some gaps left by departing members. There was also a need to keep up a core of expertise and interest in this area. All members are encouraged to consider joining the Committee, or dropping in for a look or to discuss a single issue. Interested parties should contact Michael Ernest MAIBC Director of Professional Practice, or any Committee member.

professional conduct board

Members: Selwyn Dodd MAIBC (Chair), Mark Whitehead MAIBC, Dave Mackey AIBC Associate, Brian Sim MAIBC; Council Liaison: Geoff Nagle MAIBC.

The Professional Conduct Board (PCB) is mandated to review and monitor professional conduct issues and provide support for the panels and committees reporting to it.

Initiatives for 2006 included the following:

- Reconsideration of the AIBC's policy with respect to web site publication of Disciplinary Committee orders and consensual resolution agreements (i.e., "greensheets");
- Review and revision of the June 2001 Rules for the Professional Conduct Process of the AIBC;
- Coordination with the Practice Board and Registration and Licensing Board to develop an 'oral conduct review' process;
- Development of Council rulings (to be considered by Council in early 2007) re-stating members' obligations to respond to AIBC communication (where a response is required) and to cooperate with the AIBC professional conduct process; and
- Review and clarification of members' responsibilities with respect to bankruptcy matters.

The Peer Review Task Force (PRTF) presented a proposed "Practice Standards Consultation Service" at the Annual Conference, and the initiative received a generally positive response from members. As of October 2006, the PRTF has changed its name to the "Practice Standards Consultation Service Committee", after being given Committee status by Council, and is now working under the Practice Board's mandate. The PSCS will be presenting an update at the 2007 Annual Conference.

Russ Chernoff MAIBC resigned as Chair of the Investigations Committee in June 2006 and has been replaced by Mark Whitehead MAIBC. The PCB thanks Russ for his years of excellent service both at the Committee and Board level, and wishes him well.

The Chair thanks all members and guests of the AIBC's Professional Conduct 'team' - whether Board, Committee, Panel or Task Force - for their ongoing input and dedication to helping to ensure that our processes are consistent with procedural fairness requirements and in the interests of the public and members.

consensual resolution review panel

Members: Dave Mackey AIBC Associate (previously registered member) (Chair), Bruce Knapp MAIBC, Allen Aubert MAIBC and Douglas Williams P.Eng.

The Consensual Resolution Review Panel (the Panel) meets approximately every two months, and in the interim communicates by e-mail, to review proposed consensual resolution agreements that have been negotiated between the AIBC and a member facing allegations of unprofessional conduct.

The Panel's primary role is to ensure the draft agreements are fair and reflect a reasonable balance of the interests of the general public and parties involved. In many cases, the Panel does not accept the initial draft agreement that has been negotiated by the AIBC and a member. In this situation, the Panel records its observations and returns the draft to the parties for refinement and reconsideration.

The Panel also reviews recommendations made by the Executive Director that charges against a member should be dismissed. This helps ensure that the dismissal of charges is monitored and that such dismissals are based upon sound advice. For example, the AIBC may decide to dismiss charges where a legal opinion is provided indicating that the evidence is insufficient to secure a finding of unprofessional conduct, or that concern about procedural fairness may have impaired the AIBC's ability to proceed.

In 2006, the Panel published a 'Commentary' on AIBC Mandatory Continuing Education System ("CES") Bylaw Breaches. The Committee reminds members that non-compliance with CES requirements can carry serious professional conduct consequences. The Commentary, also found on the AIBC web site under Professional Conduct, outlines the general guidelines that the Panel will consider for current and future CES consensual resolution agreements, including increased fines and the potential for suspension.

While no Disciplinary Inquiries were held in 2006, the Panel believes that where a member is not interested in consensual resolution, or where the parties cannot reach agreement, a Disciplinary Inquiry is a healthy and reasonable alternative. Members may choose at any time to abandon consensual resolution and move

to a Disciplinary Inquiry, as the consensual resolution process is not mandatory.

In April 2006, Gerry Sayers P.Eng., resigned and was replaced by Douglas Williams P.Eng. Gerry has provided valuable input and guidance throughout the Panel's existence, and the Panel and AIBC thank him and wish him the best.

peer review task force (prtf)

Members: Pierre Gallant MAIBC (Chair), Serge Desmarais MAIBC, Wally Ewert MAIBC, Gordon Klassen MAIBC, Ed MacKinnon MAIBC, Geoff Nagle MAIBC, David Wilkinson MAIBC.

The PRTF was established in April 2005 to review past peer review research and make recommendations for establishing a peer review process at the AIBC.

After months of research, review and discussion of several peer review models from various professional organizations, the PRTF concluded that the Ontario Association of Architects' (OAA) Practice Consultation Service (PCS) was the most appropriate model to pursue. In early 2006, the AIBC reached a licensing and information-sharing agreement with the OAA to utilize PSC materials as a basis for developing a program suitable for British Columbia architects.

Throughout this process, the PRTF's primary objectives have been to encourage and support "good practices", to help architects manage risk and to ensure that architectural firms meet the standards set by the profession.

At the 2006 Annual Conference, the PRTF presented an overview information session of the "AIBC's Proposed Practice Standards Consultation Service" and distributed a primer document to promote discussion and feedback.

The PRTF believes the session and concepts proposed were well received, and are encouraged by Council's decision to move the issue to full Committee status (The Practice Standards Consultation Service ("PSCS") Committee.

Respectfully submitted by Pierre E. Gallant, MAIBC, PSCS Committee Chair (former PRTF Chair)

investigations committee

Members: Mark Whitehead MAIBC (Chair), Eileen Fletcher MAIBC, Wayne Fougere MAIBC, Maura Gatensby MAIBC, Cal Meiklejohn MAIBC, Curtis P. Miles MAIBC, Kenneth Wong MAIBC.

The Investigations Committee (the Committee) conducts reviews of complaints made against members (including associates) to determine whether to recommend that AIBC Council conduct a formal Disciplinary Inquiry. The Committee also serves to review information that is not in the form of a formal complaint but is suggestive of a potential breach of the Act, Bylaw or Code of Ethics. In such cases, as described in Rule 3.2 of the AIBC's Rules for the Professional Conduct Process, the Committee considers whether to initiate a complaint and investigation, with the AIBC as "complainant."

The Committee met monthly in 2006 and Committee members kept current with respect to PCB initiatives

through participation of the Committee's Chair at PCB meetings. The Committee often provides information or recommendations to other AIBC committees and Boards that may arise from investigations but are of broader interest and importance.

Russ Chernoff MAIBC resigned as Chair of the Investigations Committee in June 2006 and has been replaced by Mark Whitehead MAIBC. The Investigations Committee thanks Russ for his diligence, guidance, good humour and courtesy shown to all those appearing before the Committee.

In 2006 (as of November 30, 2006), the Committee investigated 10 formal complaints, with breakdown of these complaints below. By contrast, the Committee investigated 16 complaints in 2003, 24 complaints in 2004 and 6 complaints in 2005. (Note that since 2003, one complaint has been with respect to failure to comply with Mandatory Continuing Education System requirements for the annual reporting period – a multi-member complaint):

Total complaints reviewed:	10
Complaints Dismissed	4
Complaints referred to Disciplinary Inquiry/consensual resolution	1
Complaints with ongoing investigations (as of November 30, 2006)	4
Complaints 'dormant' due to resignation of member	1
Complaints by type:	
(Note that some of the complaints included more than one allegation. This breakdown only reflects the conduct alleged, not actual findings or admissions of Bylaw breaches.)	
Misrepresentation of qualifications/failure to provide proper project attribution	2
Facilitating non-architect	1
Failure to pay sub-trades	1
Performance of services/competency	2
Unprofessional conduct reflecting unfavourably on the profession generally	2
Failure to comply with all applicable laws and regulations	1
Failure to provide proper notice to predecessor architect	2
CES non-compliance	1(4)
Failure to comply with signed consensual resolution agreement	2

Consensual Resolution Review Panel:

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Bruce Knapp MAIBC,
Dave Mackey AIBC Associate (Chair),
Douglas Williams P.Eng.
missing:
Allen Aubert MAIBC).



Investigations Committee Members:

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Curtis P. Miles MAIBC;
Maura Gatensby MAIBC;
Mark Whitehead MAIBC (Chair);
Kenneth Wong MAIBC;
Wayne Fougere MAIBC;
Eileen Fletcher MAIBC;
missing:
Calvin Meiklejohn MAIBC;
Russel Chernoff MAIBC (Chair + IC member
to June 2006 - resigned).



professional development board

Members: Alan Hartley MAIBC (Chair), Wayne DeAngelis MAIBC, Matthew Woodruff MAIBC, Ali Stiles CGA, Alan Brown MAIBC, Serge Desmarais MAIBC, Ryan McCuaig MAIBC, Council Liaisons: Stuart Howard MAIBC to July, 2006 and Pierre Gallant MAIBC from July, 2006.

The AIBC Professional Development Program continued to provide a wide array of educational opportunities during 2006. 20 in-house courses were delivered, with another 45 sessions offered at the Annual Conference. In addition, a growing network of AIBC-accredited Registered External Providers, including three AIBC Chapters, 80 organizations and 45 firms, provided further opportunities.

The Annual Conference, held jointly with the RAIC, was a tremendous success. Sessions were typically full, with over 500 members attending, and over 1000 participants in total. Attendees assessed each session and the feedback was positive, with most of the attendees finding the sessions to be relevant and effective.

For in-house courses, the average attendance was over 25 participants per course. AIBC professional development courses are primarily focused in areas of professional registration requirements and core competency.

The AIBC Professional Development Program has been financially self-sustaining in accordance with its budget structure. Course pricing is based not only on comparable market value, but also to ensure the recovery of direct and indirect costs associated with developing and offering each course. Providing these educational opportunities was only possible through the efforts of more than 150 volunteers and instructors, whose efforts are greatly appreciated. The scope of programs, including a highly successful Annual Conference, has enabled the Professional Development Program to fulfill its Council-mandated goal of providing an appropriate balance of educational opportunities to all members, intern architects and firms. The contributions of the PD Board Members Wayne DeAngelis MAIBC, Ali Stiles CGA, Stuart Howard MAIBC, Alan Brown MAIBC, Serge Desmarais MAIBC, Pierre Gallant MAIBC, Matthew Woodruff MAIBC, and Ryan McCuaig MAIBC have been vital to the ongoing leadership of AIBC PD programs. Our Continuing Education System (CES) Committee is under separate cover and reflects that group's extensive efforts in all regions of the province. The hard work of staff, including Maura Gatensby MAIBC, Aleto Cho and Catherine Bolter, has enabled us to enjoy a high quality and diverse program of educational opportunities.

continuing education committee

Members: Wayne DeAngelis MAIBC (Chair) (Vancouver); Pamela Charlesworth MAIBC (Victoria); Nick Bevanda MAIBC (Penticton); Bill Gies MAIBC (North Delta – Vancouver); Gerry Steward MAIBC (Prince George).

The fourth CES reporting period has come to an end and the Committee is pleased to announce that all but a very small percentage (.002 percent) of the membership fulfilled the requirement to earn and report 18 learning units. This unprecedented success can be attributed to a number of factors including the commitment of our members to professional development, online reporting, and the quantity and quality of available educational resources, particularly those from AIBC Registered External Providers. No doubt, the publication of details of the consequences of non-compliance with the requirements had an affect as well.

Currently, there are approximately 120 Registered External Providers, offering a wide array of educational opportunities to our membership. As is its mandate, the CES Committee focuses on the quality of the seminars that they themselves attend, and, if need be, members report back to the Committee on issues of performance, content and learning units. The philosophy of the Committee remains the same: to help simplify continuing education and to explore new ways to make high quality programs more readily accessible for distant members.

The AIBC Annual Conference was extremely well attended, with more than half of the membership participating in all or part of the event. Members had the opportunity to gain all of the 18 LUs required at a wide variety of sessions.

annual conference PD program sub-committee 2006

Members: Jean-Pierre Mahé MAIBC (Chair), Ali Stiles CGA, Larry McFarland MAIBC, Tracey MacTavish MAIBC, Matthew Woodruff MAIBC, Bill Gies MAIBC,

This sub-committee worked tirelessly to develop and organize the professional development sessions

Harmonization with the other provincial associations is a goal that we are working toward. The AIBC continues to be a leader in this initiative, accepting transcripts from other provincial associations, as well as the AIA.

As mandated by Council policy, 5 percent of the total membership was randomly selected for an audit of their self-reported activities. This 2005 audit was successful in all respects, with 100 percent compliance by members, and served to fulfill its purpose: to monitor and maintain the system, thereby ensuring its integrity. The 2006 audit is currently underway.

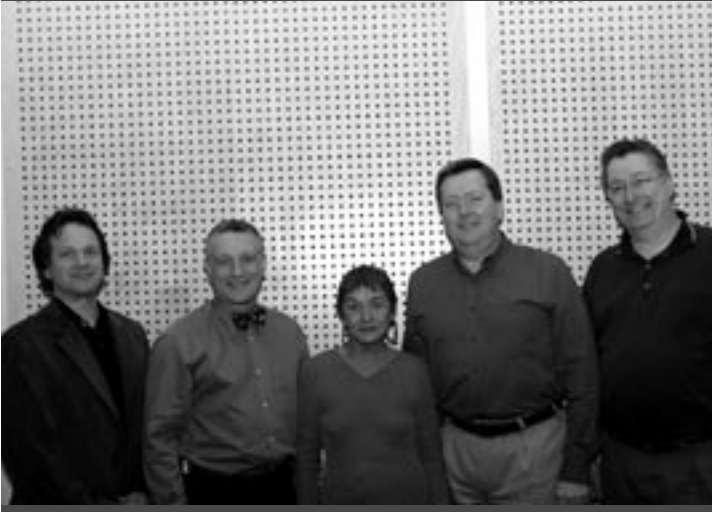
Catherine Bolter, PD Coordinator, a.k.a. 'the warrior,' has done an amazing job of smoothing out the program. Maura Gatensby MAIBC, Director of Professional Development – wow – one year down the pipe in the Professional Development department. A round of cheer is well-deserved for her work within the system. And thanks to PD Coordinator Aleta Cho, for filling in the gaps so much so that there are hardly any gaps left!

Enough praise cannot be given to the Committee members. Bill Gies MAIBC, where do you find the time to do this work? Our lives would be empty without your memory banks! Thank you for keeping us in line. Thanks to Nick Bevanda MAIBC of Penticton; please keep those lunch and learn seminars going strong. Pamela Charlesworth MAIBC of Victoria, thank you for sharing your wealth of knowledge and insight. And finally, to Gerry Steward MAIBC, our 'northern borealis,' we have learned quite a lot from you and your crews who can meet just about anywhere for a seminar!

Any MAIBCs who are interested in joining the CES Committee are encouraged to contact Maura Gatensby MAIBC, Director of Professional Development.

for the 2006 AIBC/RAIC Festival of Architecture- *Habitat Reloaded- The Power of Architecture*. These high quality sessions were well-attended and received positive feedback from participants, who came from all over BC and across Canada. Over 80 speakers from Canada, the US and England presented 42 innovative and inspiring sessions.

Many thanks to the Sub-committee for their dedication and hard work, which helped to make the 2006 event the most successful AIBC Conference yet!



Professional Development Board:

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Wayne DeAngelis MAIBC;

Pierre Gallant MAIBC;

Ali Stiles CGA;

Serge Desmarais MAIBC;

Alan Brown MAIBC;

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Matthew Woodruff MAIBC;

Alan Hartley MAIBC (Chair);

Ryan McCuaig MAIBC;

Stuart Howard MAIBC).



Annual Conference PD program
sub-committee)

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Ryan McCuaig MAIBC;

Cecilia Einarson MAIBC

Ali Stiles CGA;

Bill Gies MAIBC;

missing:

Michael McNaught MAIBC).



Continuing Education Committee:

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Wayne DeAngelis MAIBC (Chair)

(Vancouver);

Bill Gies MAIBC (North Delta – Vancouver)

missing:

Pamela Charlesworth MAIBC (Victoria);

Nick Bevanda MAIBC (Penticton);

Gerry Steward MAIBC (Prince George).

registration and licensing board

Members: Scott Kemp MAIBC (Chair), Amela Brudar MAIBC, Graham Crockart MAIBC, Gary Fields MAIBC (Past Chair), Russell Hollingsworth MAIBC, Martin Lewis, William Reid MAIBC, Gordon Richards MAIBC (Council Liaison, Registrar), Thomas Weeks MAIBC.

Registration as an Architect in BC requires a long and demanding period of academic study and practical work experience. Successful completion of prescribed study allows individuals to apply for permission to use the title “Architect.” Registration demonstrates that those using the title have achieved the required level of knowledge and ability to maintain standards in the interest of public safety. The Registration and Licensing Board (the Board) is responsible for administering the registration process through the Intern Architect Program, reciprocity and Alternative Qualifications. The Board is also responsible for the registration of firms through the Certificate of Practice. The Board is committed to maintaining standards in the interest of the public while being fair and equitable to each candidate.

In 2006, the profession enjoyed a period of prosperity unsurpassed in recent memory. The activity of the marketplace was reflected in the increased membership in the profession. Member numbers have increased in all categories including members, Interns, students and Architectural Technologists. The Interns registered with the AIBC now total in excess of 450 – the largest number in the history of the AIBC. The Board continued its involvement in UBC’s School of Architecture and Landscape Architecture and hosted an evening at the school; members of both the AIBC

staff and the Board were in attendance. The intention of this event is to provide a bridge from academia to the profession, thus encouraging students to continue their careers as members.

The Board continues to monitor the activities of other jurisdictions in Canada with regard to revising the registration process within the context of the NCARB requirements. While recognizing some of the challenges in North American-wide qualification criteria, the Board is committed to maintaining its participation in the reciprocity agreements currently in place.

A major effort of the Board has been focused toward developing a fair, equitable and accountable process for registration through Alternative Qualifications. BC is unique in Canada for having within the *Architects Act* (the “*Act*”) a mechanism to recognize foreign trained architects or others with a ‘non-traditional’ background. Section 37 of the *Act* outlines criteria for Alternative Qualifications. In addition, a broader interpretation of Section 36 is also being applied. Equity between the different registration ‘paths’ is maintained through the process of evaluating the candidate’s qualifications by assessing equivalencies in the three “Es”: Education, Examinations and Experience. The three “Es” are based on the requirements contained within the Intern Architect Program. As part of the process, a new Qualifications Committee was formed in early 2006 to specifically focus on evaluating alternative qualifications candidates. In addition, a new interview process was developed. The Oral Assessment is based

on the Oral Review but is less structured and focuses more on assessing the candidate's experience and knowledge and specifically, the candidate's ability to practice architecture in BC. A workshop was held between the Qualifications Committee, the Board and AIBC staff to review and revise the documentation used for registration. A revised *Bulletin 12: Registering with Alternative Qualifications* was issued in the Fall of 2006. Throughout the process, the Board has sought to balance the needs of candidates with its responsibilities to the public.

The functioning of the Board would not be possible without the tireless efforts of Sharna Searle LL.B., Director of Registration and Licensing, Roisin O'Neill, Registration Coordinator and Kim Underwood, Licensing Coordinator. The Board would like to

extend their appreciation to the staff for their hard work in assisting the Board in ensuring that the regulatory policies and procedures are in compliance with the Act. This year, the Chair of the Board was passed from Gary Fields MAIBC to Scott Kemp MAIBC. The Board would like to thank Gary for his wisdom and thoughtful leadership during his term as Chair. The Board would also like to thank all those who contribute to the betterment of the profession by contributing freely of their time, knowledge and expertise on the following committees: Experience Review Committee, Qualifications Committee, Act Enforcement Committee, Architectural Technologist Admissions Committee, Architectural Technologist Committee, Intern Architect Committee and the Oral Review examiners.

Registration and Licensing Board Members: Gary Fields MAIBC (Past Chair), Thomas Weeks MAIBC, Graham Crockart MAIBC, William Reid MAIBC, Scott Kemp MAIBC (Chair), Russell Hollingsworth MAIBC **missing:** Amela Brudar MAIBC, Gordon Richards MAIBC (Council Liaison, Registrar), Martin Lewis (UBC SALA Representative).



act enforcement committee

Members: Peter Levar MAIBC (Chair), Pierre Gallant MAIBC, Stuart Piets MAIBC (Past Chair), Gordon Richards MAIBC, Paul Rust MAIBC, Mark Hamilton MAIBC.

In the last year, the Act Enforcement Committee has been encouraged by the positive response to its many initiatives in support of the existing legislation, as well as its ongoing work with municipal officials to ensure that the public is provided with assurance of professionalism and integrity in building design. Inquiries are submitted to the Institute from fellow professionals, municipal staff, members of the public and via media enquiries. A protocol has been established that ensures comprehensive documentation and effective, efficient follow-up.

This being the Committee's fourth year of operation, protocols and standard procedures, while essentially established, do continue to be further refined and enhanced. This permits the Committee to effectively address most recurrent situations consistently and reliably, while conveying a transparency that ensures fairness to all. The most frequent breaches of the *Architects Act* (the "*Act*") include non-architects holding themselves out as providing architectural services and misrepresentation of the title "architect" through advertisements, web sites and media articles. The Institute also assists municipalities when they receive applications for approval on projects requiring the services of architects or clarifying the scope of the *Act*.

In 2006, the Committee opened 32 new files, closed 39 files and is working on 55 open files. Jackie Buchan, Act Enforcement Coordinator, has done yeoman's work in cleaning up a backlog of outstanding files.

The Committee reports that they have received a reasonable degree of cooperation from those with whom they have corresponded and spoken. To date, intervention and education have proven effective tools; the consideration of legal action remains an option. The Committee is confident that the message is getting out that contraventions of the Act will be regarded seriously by the Institute. The Committee recognizes the value of ongoing education and outreach and will endeavour to build upon its present efforts.

In October 2006, Stuart Piets MAIBC completed his term as Chair, and Peter Levar MAIBC graciously accepted the position as the new Chair. The Committee would

like to acknowledge the contribution that Stuart Piets MAIBC has made to this Committee since its inception. Stuart's tireless commitment to Act Enforcement is deeply appreciated. The Committee would also like to thank the Director of Registration and Licensing and the Act Enforcement Coordinator for their hard work.

architectural technologist committee

Members: Michael Currie AT.AIBC (Chair), Robin Latondresse AT.AIBC, Brent Argo MAIBC, Robert Mathena Student Associate, Alexis Tannon AT.AIBC, Malcolm Cairns AT.AIBC, Paul Hildebrandt AT.AIBC, Greg Miron AT.AIBC, Justin Thompson AT.AIBC.

The goal of the Architectural Technologist Committee is to promote the designation AT.AIBC and act on behalf of its associates. Over the past years, the Committee has promoted the designation of AT.AIBC through continued initiatives at both the AIBC and BCIT.

The Committee has continued to encourage Architectural Technologists to be involved with the AIBC, the profession and community, which increases recognition of the titles of both Architectural Technologist and Architectural Technician, and their contributions to the profession.

One of the annual highlights for the AT Committee members is the visit to BCIT to discuss the Architectural Technology program and benefits of AIBC membership. The session was well attended and students were very interested in the career opportunities available to them through the program.

oral reviewer roster

The AIBC's Roster of Oral Reviewers is comprised of over 60 dedicated volunteers who are called on to participate in the Oral Reviews each February, June, and October. The Oral Review, unique to British Columbia, is a very successful measure of professional competence and continues to be a cornerstone of the registration process, from registration through internship to alternative qualifications.

architectural technologist admissions committee

Members: Russell Acton MAIBC (past Chair), Malcolm Cairns AT.AIBC (Chair) (new-2006), Michael Currie AT.AIBC, Myron Kuzych MAIBC, Ray Letkeman MAIBC, Peter Levar MAIBC, Bill Reid MAIBC (Registration & Licensing Board liaison).

The Admissions Committee's mission is to review all applicants seeking membership with the AIBC as Architectural Technologists and to maintain the high standards required for the designation of AT.AIBC. With the current memorandum of understanding documents between the AIBC and other groups, and the proposed revisions to the *Architects Act*, the Committee anticipates a large number of new applicants in the near future.

Through 2006 the Committee has seen a steady increase in the membership under the Architectural Technologist, AT.AIBC (10 percent) we have experienced a small decrease in Intern Architectural Technologist, IAT (-5 percent) as a result of moving more IATs into the AT designation than we had new IAT applicants. There has also been a decrease in the Student Associate category, due to the housekeeping removal of BCIT program graduates from the Student Associate category. We anticipate the number of Student Associates to return to normal figures with the inclusion of the 2006 / 2007 students.

Through the coming year the Committee will focus on the following:

- Working with the Architectural Technologist Committee to transfer past student members into the IAT program, starting the path to AT.AIBC status;
- The development of standardized review parameters in order to facilitate an efficient review process for all applicants;
- Development of educational and internship standards;
- Exploration into issues related to reciprocal recognition with architectural technologists throughout other regions of Canada;
- Preparation for proposed *Act* revisions and the resulting designations that will follow from that document.

experience review committee

Members: Amela Brudar MAIBC, Patricia Bourque MAIBC (past Chair), Mark Hamilton MAIBC, Gordon Richards MAIBC, Eric Schroeder MAIBC (new Chair), Tony Yip MAIBC.

In 2006, the Experience Review Committee welcomed the addition of two new members to increase its numbers from four to six, which has helped distribute the workload.

Within the framework of the Intern Architect Program, this Committee reviews the documentation and assesses the range and relevance of work experiences of the Intern Architect. Additionally, this Committee reviews and conducts interviews with Intern Architects seeking acceptance of non-standard work experience.

At the time of this writing there are 464 Intern Architects enrolled in the program.

Throughout the year, Committee members independently reviewed 252 Canadian Experience Record Books (CERBs). As well, the Committee assessed and evaluated out-of-province work experience, as per the current reciprocity agreements and as outlined in Appendix B, British Columbia *Requirements of the Intern Architect Program* manual.

The Committee worked with the Director of Registration and Licensing and the Registration Coordinator, to consider a number of ways to simplify and streamline the Experience Review documentation for the Interns, mentors and employers.

The Committee would like to thank all of the employers and mentors for their time and effort. We appreciate the guidance you have given to the Interns and the valuable evaluation comments you have provided to the Experience Review Committee.

intern architect committee

Members: Bitu Ardabili IA.AIBC, Kristalina Dinovsky-Kutev IA.AIBC, Varouj Gumuchian IA.AIBC, Baldwin Hum IA.AIBC, Scott Kemp MAIBC, Lisa Kwan IA.AIBC, Anthony Milkovich IA.AIBC, Narjes Miri IA.AIBC, Sean Ruthen IA.AIBC, Patrick Schilling IA.AIBC (Chair).

The Intern Architect Committee saw the departure of four members and welcomed two new ones. Also of note was the nomination of a new Intern Representative on Council. Lisa Kwan IA.AIBC replaced the well-appreciated and experienced Sean Ruthen IA.AIBC, who stepped down after two terms.

The culminating point of the year was the Intern + Mentor lunch held at the AIBC-RAIC Conference in June. Although not as well attended by Interns as hoped, it was an extraordinary occasion to thank all the architects who volunteer to help the Interns become architects.

The Interns' monthly update was kept afloat and will enter a new phase in 2007 with a change in look and content made possible by the continuous and strenuous work done by those who decided to create it almost two years ago. Intern gatherings will be organized throughout 2007, ranging from very casual get togethers, such as the Intern Fridays, which were started by our new representative on Council, to the more formal Induction Ceremony at the Annual Conference.

With the increase in the number of Interns, the emphasis in the coming year will be to continue to provide adequate study support via seminars, conferences and up-to-date study guides to allow Interns to move ahead. A good part of the Intern Committee's budget will be focused on these items.

It is important to note that the Intern Architect Committee remains the voice of all Interns, no matter the issue. It will be our objective to answer the questions and concerns Interns might have and, through our monthly meetings, help them in any way possible.

Finally, it is also important to note that the Committee receives tireless support from our Registration and Licensing Board liaison, Scott Kemp MAIBC, who is also the newly appointed Chair of the Board, as well as from AIBC Registration Coordinator, Roisin O'Neill.

qualifications committee

Members: Danica Djurkovic MAIBC (Chair), Gary Fields MAIBC, Scott Kemp MAIBC, Adam Policzer MAIBC, Gordon Richards MAIBC, Z Smith MAIBC, Russell Hollingsworth MAIBC.

The Qualifications Committee is the newest Committee to be struck under the umbrella of the Registration and Licensing Board (the "Board"). The Committee formed in early 2006 and began as a group of five volunteer members providing advice and recommendations to the Board and staff regarding policies and procedures governing the administration of alternative qualifications registration under Section 37 of the *Architects Act* (the "*Act*"). It has since added two new members and has bid adieu to Amela Brudar MAIBC, who, after providing much-appreciated guidance and support, has left the Committee, while remaining on both the Board and the Experience Review Committee as a valued contributor. The Committee has also appointed its first Chair, Danica Djurkovic MAIBC, herself a recently registered, internationally trained architect.

Since its inception, the Qualifications Committee has focused on evolving, improving and streamlining policies and procedures pertaining to Alternative Qualifications registration under Section 37, and, most recently, Section 36 of the *Act*. The Committee is striving to create a system based on fairness, consistency, accountability and transparency, thus ensuring equitable treatment in the registration process of those trained by alternative methods or foreign educated and trained architects.

As a matter of course, Committee members review applicant files, conduct informal interviews with potential candidates as well as more formal, three-panel Oral Assessments, which seek to determine a candidate's ability to competently practise architecture in British Columbia prior to their sitting the more standardized Oral Review.

The Qualifications Committee continues to be a "work in progress." It is encouraged by the significant increase in interested candidates and in the steadily increasing number of internationally trained professionals who have become registered MAIBCs through our ever-improving and more inclusive process.



Act Enforcement Committee:
 (from left:
 Gordon Richards MAIBC;
 Pierre Gallant MAIBC,
 Stuart Piets MAIBC (Past Chair);
 Mark Hamilton MAIBC
missing:
 Peter Levar MAIBC (Chair)
 Paul Rust MAIBC).



AT Admissions Committee:
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 Peter Levar MAIBC;
 Myron Kuzyck MAIBC;
 Malcolm Cairns AT.AIBC (Chair);
 Michael Currie AT.AIBC;
missing:
 Ray Letkeman MAIBC;
 Bill Reid MAIBC
 Russell Acton MAIBC (past Chair)).



Architectural Technologist Committee:
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 Robert Mathena AT.AIBC;
 Alexis Tannon AT.AIBC;
 Paul Hildebrandt AT.AIBC;
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 Robin Latondresse AT.AIBC;
 Brent Argo MAIBC;
 Greg Miron AT.AIBC;
 Justin Thompson AT.AIBC).

Experience Review Committee:
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Gord Richards MAIBC;
Eric Schroeder MAIBC (new Chair);
Amela Brudar MAIBC;
Mark Hamilton MAIBC;
Tony Yip MAIBC
missing:
Patricia Bourque MAIBC (past Chair).



Intern Architect Committee:
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Sean Ruthen IA.AIBC;
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Scott Kemp MAIBC;
Narjes Miri IA.AIBC).



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Russell Hollingsworth MAIBC).



87th annual meeting minutes

Date: Wednesday, June 14, 2006
Time: 2:00 p.m.
Location: Westin Bayshore
1601 Bayshore Drive
Vancouver, British Columbia

1.0 CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 2:16 p.m. with President Patrick Stewart MAIBC welcoming attendees and inviting members to participate in the deliberations.

The President reported that the official notice and agenda of the meeting had been circulated to all registered members, complying with the 15-day notice period required by the bylaws. The President had been informed by staff that enough members were present, more than meeting the bylaw requirement of a minimum 5 per cent of the membership. Quorum had been established and the meeting duly convened.

Rules of Order

The President confirmed that everyone had been provided with the meeting Rules of Order, in compliance with Robert's Rules of Order, which would be in effect.

Approval of Agenda

The President confirmed the agenda had been mailed to all members and that the meeting was scheduled to adjourn at 5:30 p.m. To section 5.0, Reports, item 5.6 RAIC report was proposed to break into two sections, 5.6.1 The College of Fellows, to be reported by Chancellor Paul-Andre Tétreault, and 5.6.1, the RAIC report, to be delivered by President Yves Gosselin. As well, 5.8 is to be added, CACB President Murray Gallant will deliver a report on their activities and accomplishments.

Moved and seconded by Janet Lutz MAIBC, and David Wilkinson MAIBC. "To approve the agenda as modified and the rules of order for the meeting."

Carried

2.0 ELECTIONS TO COUNCIL

The individual biographies of the candidates had been included in member packages. The candidates are: Wally Ewert MAIBC; Pierre Gallant MAIBC; Veronica Gillies MAIBC; Gordon Richards MAIBC; Patrick Stewart MAIBC; Barry Weih MAIBC; and David Wilkinson MAIBC.

Non-voting Intern Architect Representative:

This was the fourth election of an Intern Architect to a seat on Council, offering the Intern members a voice in the decision making of the Institute. This past year the position has been held by Sean Ruthen IA.AIBC.

Lisa Kwan IA.AIBC as welcomed to Council for 2006/7

following her election by acclamation.

Non-voting Intern Architect Technologist Representative:

This year a seat was created for Architectural Technologists on the governing Council of the Institute. Architectural Technology became a category of AIBC membership in 1997, and has been a growing segment of the membership since. The Institute has been pursuing new legislation for the last three years and, in doing so, seeking official recognition and regulation of the practice of architectural technology. Council deemed it timely to establish a seat at the Council table for ATs, to ensure their voices were heard and their perspective shared.

Malcolm Cairns AT.AIBC, Chair of the AT Committee, was welcomed to the inaugural position on Council. In the upcoming years the ATs will hold elections as members and Interns do, with votes being cast by their fellow members.

2.1 Call for Close of Election

The President called for the close of the elections to Council and asked members who had not yet voted to do so quickly.

Moved and seconded by David Hewitt MAIBC and Stuart Howard MAIBC. "To close elections to Council."

Carried

2.2 Appointment of Scrutineers

The President then confirmed four AIBC staff members as scrutineers for the election: Carla Brown-John, Jackie Buchan, Gayle Roberts and Marguerite Wood.

2.3 Appointment of Motions Review Committee

Walter Francl MAIBC, (Past President and conference session leader) and Selwyn Dodd MAIBC (Past President, Chair of the Professional Conduct Board and member of the Government Relations Task Forces) were named as the motions review committee; their task to receive, review, ensure legibility, and assist when needed in the development of motions, prior to presentation to the members.

3.0 PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS

No report.

3.1 The President introduced and thanked the current Council members for their valuable hard work over the past year.

Vice President, David Wilkinson MAIBC
Registrar, Gordon Richards MAIBC
Treasurer, Geoffrey Nagle MAIBC
Past President, Stuart Howard MAIBC
Elisa Brandts MAIBC
David Hewitt MAIBC
Russell Hollingsworth MAIBC
Peter Levar MAIBC
Janet Lutz MAIBC
Chris Macdonald, UBC SALA

Lieutenant Governor Appointees:
Edmund Lee B.Comm. MBA
Grant Longhurst
Lori Mathison B.Comm. LLB BCL CGA
Eamonn Percy B.Eng. MBA

Sean Ruthen IA.AIBC

(Hollingsworth and Mathison were not in attendance.)

3.2 The President introduced and thanked staff, recognizing their hard work and contribution.

Dorothy D. Barkley, Executive Director
Carla Brown-John, Director of Administration & Human Resources
Michael Ernest MAIBC, Director of Professional Practice
Maura Gatensby MAIBC, Director of Professional Development
Thom Lutes, Director of Professional Conduct
Sharna Searle, Director of Registration & Licensing
Colin Wong, Director of Communications
Judy Westacott, Executive Assistant
Kim Underwood, Licensing Coordinator and PowerPoint Operator

3.3 The President introduced the members of the Annual Conference Committee, noting the amount of energy invested to make this year's conference a success.

Selwyn Dodd MAIBC – Conference Chair
Jim Burns P.Eng. – President's Gala
Bo Helliwell MAIBC – Super Saturday
Stuart Howard MAIBC – Induction/Retirement Ceremony
John Johansen – Intern & Mentor Lunch
Edmund Lee LG Appt. – Volunteer Recognition
Bonnie Maples MAIBC – College of Fellows Luncheon, Convocation & Exhibitions
Kiyoshi Matsuzaki MAIBC – Sponsorship
Larry McFarland MAIBC – Prof. Development
Tracey Mactavish MAIBC – Books

3.4 The President recognized special guests:

Keith Switzer, Vice-President ASTTBC
John Leech, Executive Director ASTTBC
Carson Nofle, Past President BDIBC & ASTTBC
George Humphrey, Immediate Past Chair BOABC
Murray Gallant, President CACB
Glenn Martin, Executive Director CEBC
Keath Seeton, Joint Task Force IDIBC Chair
Yves Gosselin, President RAIC
Kiyoshi Matsuzaki MAIBC, BC & Yukon Representative to the RAIC
Paul-Andre Tétreault, Chancellor of the RAIC
College of Fellows
Elaine Fleury, Royal Bank of Canada
Bonita Thompson QC, legislative Counsel

4.0 ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES OF THE 86th ANNUAL MEETING

Moved and seconded by Janet Lutz MAIBC, Elisa Brandts MAIBC. "Be it resolved that the members of the institute adopt the minutes of the 86th annual meeting as printed in the 2005 annual report."

Carried

5.0 REPORTS

5.1 UBC School of Architecture and Landscape Architecture

Chris Macdonald, Director of the UBC School of Architecture and Landscape Architecture has served over 7 years as director and member of the board. He reported the School of Architecture is now the school of Architecture and Landscape Architecture (SALA). The new school merges existing graduate-level professional and research programs in Architecture and Landscape Architecture and includes the joint undergraduate program in Environmental Design and includes over 300 students, 26 full-time faculty and 10 staff dedicated to academic and research excellence.

The establishment of the new School demonstrates University support for these allied professional disciplines, their research agendas and ongoing community outreach. SALA and its future can only give greater visibility to the public at large and welcomes the continued support of their varied academic, professional and community partners.

Macdonald is stepping down as director but applauded a constructive and positive relationship with the AIBC and his hope that it will continue and be built upon by the new director in the new framework of the school.

5.2 Treasurer's Report

Geoff Nagle MAIBC reported a budgetary surplus at the end of AIBC's recent fiscal year (January 1 to December 31, 2005). The outstanding balance on the fixed rate business term loan secured by the AIBC premises was again reduced; the balance of the Operating Fund was increased; and a large contribution was made to the Contingency Reserve Fund.

It was considered prudent while budgeting for 2005 to allow for some reduction in overall Fee revenue. The actual fee revenue grew 3.1 per cent over 2004 numbers considering the growth occurred despite a 43% drop in revenue from Fines, which is revenue the AIBC would rather not have to collect. The areas of greatest increase were Temporary Licenses (up 20 per cent), Examination and IA program review (up 19 per cent), all of which reflect the current climate of opportunity available in the province.

Events that contributed positively to AIBC's financial status include continued growth in the membership of the Institute; strong member attendance at the 2005 Annual Conference; strong sponsor support for the Institute and its programs; and reductions in the costs incurred relative to the operations.

2005 was not without challenges however. Necessary staff additions and salary and benefit increases to attract and retain qualified personnel increased overall costs by 8.9 per cent.

The foreseeable future of the fiscal status of the Institute appears excellent thanks to all members of staff for their efforts, particularly Barkley and Brown-John.

5.2.1 Adoption of Financial Statements

Moved and seconded by Geoff Nagle MAIBC and Gordon Richards MAIBC. "Be it resolved that the members of the Institute adopt the 2005 financial statements as produced in the 2005 annual report."

Carried

5.2.2 Appointment of Auditor

Moved and seconded by Geoff Nagle MAIBC and Gordon Richards MAIBC. "Whereas the accounting firm of Wolrige Mahon Chartered Accountants have performed all assignments to the satisfaction of the Council. Be it resolved that Wolrige Mahon Chartered Accountants be appointed auditor for the Architectural Institute of British Columbia for the fiscal year 2006."

Carried

5.3 Intern Architect Report

Sean Ruthen IA.AIBC representative reported that since joining Council in 2004 interns have grown from 367 to 445, an increase of almost 20 per cent.

2006 milestones include:

- well attended ARE seminars, an invaluable resource the Institute provides to the growing population of interns.
- updated ARE resource library, with demand continuing to grow.
- No progress made by the Communications department for an online resource however the RAIC has expressed an interest in compiling a national intern registry which could then serve as a base by which to provide online ARE resources. RAIC donated a complete set of Kaplan study guides to the AIBC Intern resource library, matching the same set that the Institute purchases yearly. It is worthy to note that only a few other jurisdictions provide similar levels of support; they are following the AIBC's lead.
- Successful social event at the Taproom on Granville Island with 100 local interns and a representative from the RAIC to meet the Intern Committee.
- Intern and mentor luncheon scheduled for final day of 2006 Festival of Architecture. Again, it is the Committee's hope that this event would be an opportunity for interns to interact, as well as discuss the future of the profession with their mentors and other MAIBCs.
- Monthly newsletter (*Intern Architect Update*) now in its twentieth month since being revived.
- Participation on a Council work group to examine ways for registration at the AIBC to proceed more efficiently and effectively.

5.4 Architecture Foundation of BC (AFBC)

Michael Burton-Brown MAIBC, Foundation Chair and Past AIBC President updated members on the continuing progress of the AFBC to foster the appreciation of architecture and the built environment in British Columbia.

The AFBC disburses funds (most recently to UBC School of Architecture and BCIT Architectural Technology faculty).

Burton-Brown reported the prime source of funds continues to be the golf tournament which raised

\$16,613, but the AFBC will be pursuing additional events. The Scotch Tasting held January 24, 2006 was more successful than expected and consideration is being given to annualizing it. Another initiative being pursued is design of a web site and Burton-Brown hopes to be able to report completion next year.

The AFBC and RAIC Foundation lunch is scheduled for Friday, June 16th. Raffle tickets in envelopes conveniently placed at every table will be sold to raise funds for both foundations. All members were encouraged to participate and provide their support.

5.5 BCIT

Peter Levar MAIBC, director of BCIT's four-year program in architectural technology, reported BCIT had successfully graduated its first class of 25 students, and provided a program update.

Architectural technology is a bridge between pure design theory and construction practice. This program will broaden the knowledge and skills of the architectural technologist in areas of current interest to the building community, increase opportunities for job placement within the industry, and improve graduates' opportunities for career advancement.

The Bachelor of Technology in Architectural Science is a full-time, four-year program that will deliver a broadly based, technically current curriculum on the theoretical and applied aspects of architectural science.

The degree enables students to:

- Develop the technical, artistic, and managerial literacies necessary for advanced placement as architectural technologists.
- Apply emerging technological theory and practices within the process of planning and design to solve complex problems in the workplace.
- Apply problem-solving methodologies to construction technology, design, and management issues with respect to the building industry.
- Incorporate environmental issues associated with building and urbanization.
- Strengthen knowledge in the analysis and synthesis of construction projects.
- Pursue further educational opportunities toward professional designation.
- Graduate with the skill set needed for advanced

placement within the architecture, engineering, and construction industries.

5.6 Royal Architectural Institute of Canada (RAIC)

5.6.1 College of Fellows

Paul-André Tétreault, Chancellor of the College of Fellows provided the members with his report.

The mission of the College of Fellows, founded in 1941, is to strengthen and reinforce efforts of the Institute in its endeavour to enhance and develop the profession of architecture.

The Officers of the College include Paul Polson (Dean), Cameron Ridsdale (Registrar); Bonnie Maples MAIBC (Past-President) and Chris Fillingham (Past-President).

The objectives of the College of Fellows are: (1) To strengthen the profession of architecture by providing opportunities for learning and development of the profession; (2) To recognize members of the profession who have demonstrated excellence in the profession, by service to the profession or to the advancement of the profession; (3) To support the Institute in its efforts to promote Excellence in the profession; and (4) To act as an advisory body to the Board of Directors of the Institute, to consider requests by the Board and to offer opinions on matters under discussion by the Institute.

This year a total of 26 architects from across the country were elected into the College of Fellows including Michael Burton-Brown FRAIC; Ib G. Hansen FRAIC; John I. Perkins Sr. FRAIC; Stanis I.R. Smith FRAIC; and Walter Ian Wiltshire FRAIC.

The College also oversees the Institute's Honours and Awards Program and the RAIC Foundation which was established in 1964 as a charitable organization to receive tax-exempt financial contributions from RAIC members and the public at large.

The Foundation is committed to develop programs to ensure a vibrant place for Architecture in Canadian Society, the advancement of Excellence in Architecture, and to promote the development of programs to support the Architectural Profession throughout Canada.

The Foundation's objectives are:

- to promote and increase the knowledge, skill and proficiency of the profession
- to provide grants in aid of research by Canadians or to undertake research in Canada in the field of Architecture and in allied arts and sciences
- to provide scholarships, bursaries and fellowships to Canadian Architects and Canadian architectural students
- to provide equipment and teaching aids for architectural education

The RAIC Foundation Trustees oversee the administration of the RAIC Foundation Awards established by bequests from members of the Institute, in addition to its own RAIC Foundation Award. The Trustees are Chair, Paul-André Tétreault, AP/FIRAC; Vice-Chair, Paul Polson FRAIC; Hon. Secretary-Treasurer, Cameron Ridsdale FRAIC; Trustee, Bonnie Maples PP/FRAIC; Trustee, Chris Fillingham PP/FRAIC; and Executive Secretary, Jon Hobbs FRAIC.

RAIC Foundation Awards include André Francoeur Legacy; Arthur Buckwell Memorial Scholarship; Bernard Jodoin Scholarships; Burwell Coon Award; Ernest Wilby memorial Scholarship; Michael J. Barstow Fund; RAIC Foundation Award; Ronald J. Thom Medal; Student Award for Justice Architecture; and the Gerard Venne Bursary. Other RAIC Awards are: Governor General's Medals; National Urban Design Awards; RAIC Awards of Excellence; and RAIC Foundation Awards. RAIC Honours: Certificate of Appreciation, College of Fellows, President's medal; RAIC Gold Medal; Student Honour Roll and Student Medal.

Tétreault announced that RAIC has added an award to its list, the new Centennial Fund, created to support a deserving Intern Architect or group of Interns wishing to promote the value and image of the profession.

The RAIC College of Fellows Centennial Fund will be inaugurated to coincide with the Royal Architectural Institute of Canada's 100th Anniversary next year.

5.6.2 Royal Architectural Institute of Canada (RAIC)

Yves Gosselin FIRAC, RAIC President updated members on the activities of the RAIC and encouraged every AIBC member to continue to support the Royal Architectural Institute of Canada (RAIC).

The RAIC has worked diligently to renew itself and its relevance to the profession with several new initiatives for the year including RAIC Chapters and the Urban Design Awards program.

Where there is a need for one, and it is the will of RAIC members, steps are being taken to establish regional or local chapters. Last year the RAIC signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the Alberta Architects and Intern Architects. The Chapter web site is already up and running.

The RAIC is providing more services to architects in Atlantic Canada, including our first professional development course in Newfoundland.

Most recently the Ontario Association of Architects raised the issue of separating regulation from advocacy as it can be difficult for a provincial association that has the mandate to govern and regulate in the public interest to be an effective advocate for the profession too. Many in government perceive this as being inherently a conflict of interest. Canada is one of the few countries that continues to have self-regulated professions – it is a privilege we need to protect.

Another important initiative was the establishment of a new awards program – the National Urban Design Awards. Despite this being the first year, the RAIC received over 70 entries of a very high calibre, 16 of which were local award winners. The national awards will be conferred here in Vancouver on Saturday. Gosselin encouraged local city officials to develop similar award programs.

Other initiatives RAIC completed this year include:

- a new magazine – *Architecture* – aimed at architectural clients. All members have been encouraged to give their clients a copy or add them to the RAIC's client database.
- 12 recipients of the Governor General's Medals in Architecture. Members to receive a free copy of *Architecture 2006* featuring the medal-winning projects.
- led the Continuing Education Harmonization Task Force and will host a provincial roundtable for the better integration of International Architecture graduates this September.

Gosselin invited attendees to join the RAIC for breakfast and the RAIC AGM the following morning, on the 15th.

5.7 Committee of Canadian Architectural Councils (CCAC)

AIBC Past President Stuart Howard MAIBC and CCAC Chair has represented the AIBC for two years at the CCAC table, and became Chair in September. His term will expire June 2007.

Howard reported that the CCAC is represented by 11 Canadian jurisdictions. The CCAC has participated in the development over the last 15 years of a trade agreement between Canada, Mexico and the United States which was signed in September. As a result, the three countries will be forming a tri-national council to receive, review and approve applicants for practice in another of the three jurisdiction.

Three of the jurisdictions have withdrawn (Ontario, Manitoba and New Brunswick) but efforts are ongoing to bring them back into CCAC.

Consideration is also being given to develop a Canadian architectural exam, and expand support of CACB, to permit their assessment of FTA applicants' credentials.

5.8 Canadian Architectural Certification Board (CACB)

Murray Gallant, CACB President reported that he is a CCAC appointee to the board and represents the member interests. For 30 years the CACB has proudly served the architectural profession by assessing and certifying architectural credentials in Canadian university schools of architecture.

The assessment committee has reduced processing time from 90 days to 60 days and have successfully reduced the backlog by 50 per cent and the remainder by the end of this fiscal year.

In 2005 CACB visited four programs and all received full 6-year term accreditations.

CACB obtains funding from three sources – CCAC, CCUSA and those fees assessed to applicants. Gallant noted that volunteer efforts accounted for a great many hours and provided an invaluable saving in costs. There are currently only 3 staff.

6.0 ELECTION OF HONOURARY MEMBER

Moved and seconded by Peter Levar MAIBC, David Hewitt MAIBC. "Whereas the Council of the Architectural Institute of British Columbia has

nominated Rosemary James Cross as an Honourary Member of the Institute in recognition of her outstanding contribution to the Institute and the profession of architecture,

Be it resolved that the members of the Institute elect Rosemary James Cross, as an Honourary Member of the Architectural Institute of British Columbia."

2 Opposed, Carried

7.0 RECOGNITION

7.1 Special Certificates of Recognition

Special Certificates of Recognition were presented as follows: Pamela Charlesworth MAIBC; Larry McFarland MAIBC; Peter Oberlander (Retired Architect); Ali Stiles CGA and Terry Williams MAIBC.

Pamela Charlesworth MAIBC

Ms. Charlesworth has been a member of the AIBC since 1957, having graduated with honours from UBC in 1952. She is a dependable and diligent member of the AIBC CES Committee and her philosophic perspective and boundless energy have been invaluable to the committee. Much of Pamela's time and energy have been contributed to the Island Chapter, helping to make it one of our most dynamic chapters.

Her practice has been in diverse areas and has included schools, churches, commercial developments, planning studies, heritage preservation projects, multi- and single family residential.

Pamela has been involved in school advisory committees, music, arts and heritage organizations, natural resource preservation and land-use planning groups.

She has lectured at secondary schools and in adult education programs; served as a member and chair of the Victoria Advisory Design Panel; and as a Board member of the Greater Victoria United Way. Since 1986 Pamela has been a member of the Provincial Capital Commission and Chair since 1992. Her commitment to public service and the betterment of the built environment was recognized by the City of Victoria in 1998, when she was made an Honourary Citizen, and by the RAIC, which honoured her as a fellow in 2000.

Her work has been widely published and in January 2006 she was featured in the *Victoria Times-Colonist* for an "edgy, metal-sheathed and steel-beamed" house in Sooke.

Ms. Charlesworth was unable to attend and asked John Coe MAIBC, the Island Chapter Chair, to say a few words of thanks.

Pam greatly appreciated receiving the award of recognition but due to health reasons was unable to attend. and asked John to accept on her behalf and express her appreciation to Council. On behalf of Council John would be presenting Pam with her certificate at the next Chapter meeting.

Larry McFarland MAIBC

Mr. McFarland has been a member of the AIBC since 1973 and has had a wide cross section of experience in the planning and design of significant architectural projects throughout British Columbia.

He has been an active participant in matters of Energy Conservation, Sustainable Design, Professional Development and Registration. Mr. McFarland currently represents the AIBC on the Provincial Advisory Committee of the BC Wood Works Program, he is also an Advisory Board Member of the Canadian Wood Council. In recognition of his commitment to the practice of architecture in Canada, Mr. McFarland was inducted as a Fellow of the Royal Architectural Institute of Canada in 1999.

In 1990 he received the Ronald J. Thom Supreme Award from the Canadian Wood Council; in 1994 the Governor Generals Award from the RAIC; and the Merit Award – Commercial Category from the Canadian Wood Council in 1994 and 1998.

Peter Oberlander, Retired Architect

Dr. Oberlander has made significant and sustained contributions to architecture as a profession, to AIBC & RAIC, since his early registration in 1950, followed by FRAIC in 1972.

He was the Assistant/Associate Professor of Design and Planning at the UBC School of Architecture 1950-1956 and served on the AIBC Education Committee representing UBC School of Architecture 1951-1957.

He became a member, Order of Canada (Urban Affairs) in 1995 and was cited for being “Canada’s first professor of city planning, he also founded the first School of Community and Regional Planning, and the Centre for Human Settlements at the University of British Columbia. His vision of planning which strengthens the social and economic stability of

communities and cities has been evident in all his work, whether teaching or advising the federal government and the UN.”

Dr. Oberlander also became an Officer, Order of Canada, 2001.

He has been committed to engage architects, our profession and the Institute, in the current preparations for convening the UN World Urban Forum in Vancouver 2006. WUF will celebrate 30 years since the UN came to Vancouver for its historic Conference on Human Settlements, HABITAT. Dr. Oberlander played a pivotal role in HABITAT ’76 and has continued to urge architects and our profession to participate in UN programs in support of improving human settlements at home and abroad. Since 2002 Dr. Oberlander has urged specific involvement and contributions by the profession to WUF 2006 particularly convening AIBC and RAIC Annual meetings, anticipating the event and building on its international implications and domestic opportunities. During the last three years, Dr. Oberlander represented our profession on the Vancouver Working Group, assisting in the development of an effective and innovative program for WUF.

Dr. Oberlander’s professional life has been devoted to bringing architecture and planning into harmony to achieve a socially, culturally and environmentally responsible Vancouver during its rapid urbanization.

Upon receiving his certification Dr. Oberlander said the following:

“Many thanks to all who were involved, especially my family – all present (Cornelia, Judy, Mark, Wendy and Tim).

We all stand on the shoulders of the previous generations, hence I want to accept this award on behalf of JOHN BLAND, who directed McGill’s School of Architecture for 40 years and was my mentor. Under his reign some of Canada’s most notable architects emerged who left their footprints on Vancouver and elsewhere. McGill produced Arthur Erickson, Moshe Safdie, Ray Affleck, Guy Desbarat, John Porter, Duncan McNabb, and BC’s first woman architect Catherine Chard.

Erickson’s and Safdie’s accomplishments are all around us, Porter, Chard and McNabb pioneered elegant

post and beam houses – too few have survived, and are under historic preservation protection. Affleck & Debarat gave us the Queen Elizabeth Theatre.

Bland was an inspired teacher and a person with enormous patience, flexibility and, above all – a risk taker. He took an enormous chance on me when I arrived at McGill claiming to have fulfilled my first year of architecture at the AA in London with advanced standing and qualified for university entrance. It was early in World War II and I had absolutely no papers to substantiate my claim. I had lost everything. It was November 1941 and his decision was simple – “we’ll take you in second year and by Christmas we’ll know whether your claim is valid or NOT and you can manage the curriculum.” I finished my degree with flying colours, but far more important, he re-established my confidence in human nature and Canada. Bland was willing to take my word, and thereby re-establish my self-respect and self-confidence – very fragile aspects of life.

Architecturally, Bland was an early champion of modern architecture and built a number of important buildings including Ottawa’s modern City Hall.

Perhaps Bland’s most significant architectural influence in British Columbia was his release of Fred Lasserre from teaching at McGill to become the founding Director of UBC’s School of Architecture. Lasserre was my studio master at McGill and that link contributed to my teaching architecture at UBC for the first decade of my academic career.

My teachers taught and encouraged risk-taking and trusting people. Important attributes for all who are city builders ... architects.

In accepting this award in all humility (as my contribution to the Institute is modest), I wish to honour teaching and John Bland and his often unsung contributions to architecture and planning in Canada in the context that every one of us stands on the shoulders, the patience and passions of our teachers. Thereby we can ensure continuity and cumulative success building cities, livable and productive communities.”

Ali Stiles CGA

Ms. Stiles is a Certified General Accountant who has spent her career working in architecture in Vancouver. With over thirty years’ experience

working with the leading architects in the City, she has firsthand experience in the management of these architectural practices. She has taught business classes to architects through the Architectural Institute of British Columbia’s professional development program and as a guest lecturer to the School of Architecture at UBC.

Ali contributes to the profession regularly by sitting on committees at the AIBC. Currently she sits as a member of the Professional Development Board and is actively involved in setting up the professional development courses for the annual conference.

Ali has sat on many committees at the Architectural Institute. She recently sat on the committee that has focused on quality based selection policies to proposal calls and helped draft the policy architects must follow when submitting proposals. The results of this work were sent to all municipalities in BC to help in their selection process and drafting of RFPs, RFQs etc. Ali is committed to making the marketplace more equitable for architects.

She also served on the Board of Directors of the Professional Services Management Association for twelve years, three as President. PSMA is a North America-wide group focused on the management of architectural and engineering firms.

Ali actively encourages young architects to excel. She gives her time and knowledge freely to help these students and young professionals grow into successful business people.

Terry Williams MAIBC

Terry Williams has been a tireless worker for the Institute, registered in 1967 - and possibly the youngest ever president; and for the profession, serving as RAIC President, Chancellor of the College of Fellows, Honorary Fellow of the American Institute of Architecture and much more.

He is a founding Board Member of the Canada Green Building Council. Terry is recognized as an expert in sustainable design, building and planning. His “Green” buildings and Campus Planning projects have received awards and been profiled in a number of professional publications.

Terry is currently a member of the Parliament Building Oversight Committee reviewing the development

of the Parliamentary Precinct in Ottawa. He was previously a member of the Parliamentary Buildings Advisory Council.

Terry still finds time to contribute to the performing arts and self-development. He is the President of the Victoria Conservatory of Music and has designed many performance venues.

Terry has run a marathon, won a gold medal in the Masters Dave Murray Ski Racing Camp, kayaked the Inside Passage from Victoria to Port Hardy (556km), climbed Mount Rainer's 14,500 ft. peak twice, trekked to Machu Pichu, walked the South Downs Way 90 miles, and the West Highland Way 95 miles and in 2003 walked 200 miles across England on the "coast to coast" trail.

After playing rugby for 35 years he still has useable knees and continues to play tennis twice a week, and the piano most mornings. His great passion and good humour is well known by all who know him.

7.2 Presentation of Honourary Membership

Rosemary James Cross was not present to receive her medal.

7.3 Recognition of Sponsor

The President acknowledged Bull, Housser & Tupper for sponsoring the 87th annual meeting, and enabling the members to meet at the Westin Bayshore.

7.4 Remembrance of Members Deceased

Vice-President David Wilkinson MAIBC gave a brief summation of each of the former members who have died in the last year, then all members present observed a moment of silence:

John Di Castri (1924-2005)

- Born: Victoria, British Columbia
- Introduced to architecture in 1942 in the chief architect's office of the provincial public works department
- Studied 5th year design courses at University of Oklahoma in 1948; Part-time teaching assistant; then full-time instructor
- MAIBC: 1950
- After 48 years of active practice was inducted into the RAIC College of Fellows in 1998

Leonard Ehling (1927-2005)

- Born: Raesfeld, Germany
- Graduated from UBC SOA in 1960
- Architect/planner for Expo '86
- Massey Medal for Excellence in Urban Design for the North Vancouver Community Recreational Centre and Theatre
- Partner in 3rd prize design for SFU in 1963

Werner M. Forster (1930-2005)

- Born: Heidelberg, Germany
- Studied Architecture in Karlsruhe 1952-1956
- Graduated from UBC SOA in 1959
- MAIBC: 1963
- Won Heritage Awards, Canada Wood Council awards and Amenity Award from the City of Vancouver

Donald W. Taylor (1945-2005)

- Born: Vancouver, BC
- Gained his undergraduate degree in 1967
- Graduated from UBC SOC in 1970
- MAIBC: 1973
- Started his career with Henriquez & Todd in Vancouver
- Especially competent technically and developed his thorough approach to the success of many projects

W. Donald "Knobby" Walsh (1931-2005)

- Born: Trois-Rivieres, Quebec
- Raised in Montreal; all around athlete winning honours in track & field, water polo, basketball and football
- Degree in Architecture attained at University of Arizona
- MAIBC: 1990
- Seaman Cadet on HMCS Haida before attending McGill
- 10 seasons as a professional football player while practising architecture for 17 years in Regina

Alexander Mackenzie Webber (1919-2005)

- Born: Waterloo (Liverpool), England
- Began studies at SOA in Liverpool 1936
- Interrupted to serve with the British Army during WWII and attained the rank of Captain
- Registered as an associate in 1957
- MAIBC: 1962
- Active registered member for over 40 years

8.0 MEMBER'S FORUM

- Term for Intern Architect on Council: (Craig Henschel IA.AIBC) commented that Intern representatives were elected originally for a 2-year term and recommended the term be reviewed.
- Qualifications for Consideration for Honourary Membership: (Dan Howard MAIBC, Chip Barrett MAIBC) Concern was expressed that while Honourary Members need to be appropriately qualified and have made significant contributions in order to be recognized, recent recipients had not done so. Assurance was sought that this would be prevented in future.
- CACB: CCAC representative Stuart Howard MAIBC responded to a question regarding accrediting Schools of Architecture.
- Seating arrangements for Council during the Annual Meeting: (Patricia Darling MAIBC) noted the motion passed a year ago requesting Council in its entirety be visible to attendees. Due to the logistics of the room that was not possible.
- Continuing Education Process: (Jennifer Marshall MAIBC) how do panels assess experience and compliance with mandatory CE program. Process currently in place and ample opportunities are provided to meet that criteria.
- Further consideration should be given to LUs for teaching and lecturers or other volunteer activities in the procession
- (Craig Henschel IA.AIBC) Intern Architects should be required to get Learning Units during their internship
- (Scott Kemp MAIBC) and member of Registration and Licensing Board
- (Gary Fields MAIBC) first year of registration from CES program – the internship does not count towards CE.
- Additional learning unit: (Rick Balfour MAIBC) integration of the interior design into the AIBC.

Council task forces will be investigating expansion of membership to include technologists, technicians and landscape architects in the near future.

9.0 MOTIONS FROM THE FLOOR

Motion 1.

Moved and Seconded by: Robert Turecki MAIBC/ Drew Bourne MAIBC. "That Council be directed to give consideration to the following:

That the ballot for mandatory liability insurance to all registered members be rescinded and that a new mechanism be developed to vote on this issue whereby only certificate of practice holders are eligible for such a vote."

Defeated

Motion 2.

Moved and Seconded by: Ron Bain MAIBC/Zwanette Pereboom (Retired Architect). "That Council be directed to give consideration to the following:

Should the ballot on Mandatory Liability Insurance pass, the Council of AIBC immediately work with the insurance industry to obtain suitable "member friendly" terms prior to the February 2007 deadline for implementation."

2 Opposed, Carried

10.0 ANNOUNCEMENT OF COUNCIL ELECTION RESULTS

The President announced the following elections to Council: Pierre Gallant MAIBC; Veronica Gillies MAIBC; Gordon Richards MAIBC; Patrick Stewart MAIBC; and David Wilkinson MAIBC. Ballots cast totalled 270 including 3 spoiled ballots.

The President congratulated the new Council members and expressed thanks and his respect to those who willingly stood for nomination to Council, willing to make a contribution to their profession and fellow practitioners.

11.0 PRESENTATION OF CERTIFICATES OF RECOGNITION

On behalf of the AIBC, the President awarded certificates of recognition to outgoing Council members Joan Hendriks MAIBC and Stuart Howard MAIBC, in acknowledgement of their selfless commitment of time, energy, and service made by the members of its governing Council, and in particular that contributed in the public interest on behalf of the profession by agreeing to serve on Council. Russell Hollingsworth MAIBC was not present to receive his certificate.

12.0 ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 5:08 pm.

ARCHITECTURAL INSTITUTE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
Vancouver, B.C.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
December 31, 2006

AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Members of Architectural Institute of British Columbia:

We have audited the statement of financial position of Architectural Institute of British Columbia as at December 31, 2006, and the statements of fund operations and changes in fund balances, and statement of cash flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Institute's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform an audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation.

In our opinion, these financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Institute as at December 31, 2006 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles.

We have not audited the budget information included and consequently do not express an opinion on that information.



Wolrige Mahon LLP

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

Vancouver, B.C.

February 2, 2007

Architectural Institute of British Columbia
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
 December 31, 2006

	2006	2005
	\$	\$
Assets		
Current		
Cash and short term investments	681,190	524,575
Receivables	31,684	40,020
Supplies, at cost	38,440	77,551
Prepaid expenses	84,831	65,239
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	836,145	707,385
Tangible capital assets (Note 4)	2,974,556	3,075,779
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	3,810,701	3,783,164
Liabilities		
Current		
Payables and accruals	81,960	95,685
Due to Architecture Foundation of British Columbia (Note 6)	337	18,154
Deferred revenue	19,327	10,891
Current portion of fixed rate business term loan (Note 5)	132,997	120,429
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	234,621	245,159
Fixed rate business term loan (Note 5)	683,082	892,055
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	917,703	1,137,214
Fund Balances		
Operating Fund	2,467,998	2,295,950
Contingency Reserve Fund	425,000	350,000
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	2,892,998	2,645,950
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	3,810,701	3,783,164
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Approved on behalf of the Council:



 Patrick Stewart MAIBC
 President



 Geoffrey Nagle MAIBC
 Treasurer

Architectural Institute of British Columbia

STATEMENT OF OPERATING FUND OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES

For the year ended December 31, 2006

		ACTUAL	BUDGET		ACTUAL
			(unaudited)		
	SCHEDULE	2006	2006	2007	2005
		\$	\$	\$	\$
Revenues					
Fees	1	1,623,594	1,493,078	1,564,050	1,546,204
Interest and other	2	72,570	63,000	90,000	122,518
		<u>1,696,164</u>	<u>1,556,078</u>	<u>1,654,050</u>	<u>1,668,722</u>
Expenditures					
Administration	3	480,436	503,500	529,200	474,450
Premises	4	201,361	205,250	190,750	209,709
Boards, committees and task forces	5	52,075	66,500	63,150	58,195
Communications and public relations	6	202,178	183,400	193,550	182,221
Professional development	7	48,293	47,400	53,155	40,074
Annual meeting and conference	8	(99,256)	(164,000)	(98,950)	(69,621)
Registration	9	197,509	192,900	196,850	206,236
Conduct	10	144,273	177,300	194,000	189,449
Practice	11	174,539	196,100	221,650	94,232
CCAC Assessment		47,708	85,750	58,900	70,891
		<u>1,449,116</u>	<u>1,494,100</u>	<u>1,602,255</u>	<u>1,455,836</u>
Excess of revenues over expenditures		247,048	61,978	51,795	212,886
Fund Balance, Beginning		2,295,950	2,295,950	2,467,998	2,158,064
Transferred to Contingency Reserve Fund		(75,000)	-	-	(75,000)
Fund Balance, Ending		<u>2,467,998</u>	<u>2,357,928</u>	<u>2,519,793</u>	<u>2,295,950</u>

Architectural Institute of British Columbia

**STATEMENT OF CONTINGENCY RESERVE FUND OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN FUND
BALANCES**

For the year ended December 31, 2006

	2006	2005
	\$	\$
Fund Balance, Beginning	350,000	275,000
Transferred from Operating Fund	75,000	75,000
Fund Balance, Ending	425,000	350,000

Architectural Institute of British Columbia
STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
For the year ended December 31, 2006

	2006	2005
	\$	\$
Cash flows related to operating activities		
Cash receipts from members	2,324,571	1,951,658
Cash receipts from tenant	144,008	148,735
Cash paid to suppliers and employees	(2,081,042)	(1,780,099)
Interest received	45,645	24,428
Interest paid	(58,596)	(70,535)
	<u>374,586</u>	<u>274,187</u>
Cash flows related to investing activities		
Investment in tangible capital assets	(21,566)	(27,503)
Cash flows related to financing activities		
Repayment of fixed rate business term loan	(196,405)	(184,464)
Net increase in cash	156,615	62,220
Cash, beginning	524,575	462,355
	<u>681,190</u>	<u>524,575</u>
Cash, ending	<u>681,190</u>	<u>524,575</u>
Cash represented by:		
Cash on hand and balances with banks	99,023	104,084
Term deposits	582,167	420,491
	<u>681,190</u>	<u>524,575</u>

NOTES

For the year ended December 31, 2006

Note 1 General

The Architectural Institute of British Columbia is a self governing professional body. The Institute was incorporated under the Friendly Societies Act in 1914 and continued under the Architects Act of British Columbia in 1920. The Institute provides education, regulation and other services to its members, students, and the public. The Institute is exempt from income tax under Section 149 of the Income Tax Act.

Note 2 Significant Accounting Policies

Fund Accounting

The Institute follows fund accounting procedures, thus giving recognition to restrictions on the use of resources as determined by Council. The fund classifications are as follows:

□	Operating Fund	used for general revenue and expenditure
□	Contingency Reserve Fund	used to provide for significant, non budgeted
□		proceedings

Revenue Recognition

Revenue from course and examination fees and from other programs where revenue is identified with delivery of services, is recognized when the courses, examinations and other services are provided. Other amounts charged for fees, members' dues and students' dues are recognized as revenue in the year to which they are billed.

Amortization of Tangible Capital Assets

Tangible capital assets are recorded at cost and amortized using the straight line method over the following estimated useful lives of the assets:

Building	40 years
Office furniture	10 years
Office equipment	5 years
Computer equipment	3 years
Computer software	3 years

Donated Services and Equipment

The Institute and its members benefit from donated services and equipment. Donated services and equipment are not recognized in these financial statements.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Architectural Institute of British Columbia

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For the year ended December 31, 2006

Note 3 Financial Instruments

The fair value of all items that meet the definition of a financial instrument approximate their carrying values. These items include cash and short term investments, receivables, payables and accruals, tenant deposit and fixed rate business term loan. Unless otherwise noted, it is management's opinion that the Institute is not exposed to significant credit, currency or interest rate risks arising from these financial instruments.

Note 4 Tangible Capital Assets

	2006		2005	
	Cost	Accumulated Amortization	Net	Net
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Land	815,720	-	815,720	815,720
Building	2,613,138	518,451	2,094,687	2,168,185
Office furniture	110,602	80,635	29,967	27,067
Office equipment	33,988	25,536	8,452	10,220
Computer equipment	132,003	117,604	14,399	26,465
Computer software	112,700	101,369	11,331	28,122
	<u>3,818,151</u>	<u>843,595</u>	<u>2,974,556</u>	<u>3,075,779</u>

Note 5 Bank Loans

	2006	2005
	\$	\$
Royal Bank of Canada		
Fixed rate business term loan	816,079	1,012,484
Less: Current portion	<u>132,997</u>	<u>120,429</u>
	<u>683,082</u>	<u>892,055</u>

The fixed rate business term loan is repayable in monthly instalments of \$15,000 including principal and interest at 6.3% per annum, and is due October 1, 2008.

Architectural Institute of British Columbia

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For the year ended December 31, 2006

Note 5 Bank Loans (continued)

Principal repayments required on the fixed rate business term loan over the next 2 years are as follows:

	\$
2007	132,997
2008	683,082

The Institute has an additional demand operating line of credit of \$450,000 available to it which bears interest at Royal Bank prime plus 1% per annum. As at December 31, 2006, no amounts are drawn on this line of credit.

The loans are secured by:

1. General Security Agreement having a first charge on all the Institute's assets.
2. Collateral First Mortgage for \$1,600,000 covering Strata Lots 1 to 10, 440 Cambie Street, Vancouver, B.C.
3. Demand Collateral First Mortgage for \$700,000 covering Strata Lots 17 and 18, 440 Cambie Street, Vancouver, B.C.

Note 6 Due to Architecture Foundation of British Columbia

	December 31	December 31
	2006	2005
	\$	\$
Due to Architecture Foundation of British Columbia	<u>337</u>	<u>18,154</u>

Amounts due to Architecture Foundation of British Columbia are non interest bearing with no specific terms of repayment.

These transactions are in the normal course of operations and are measured at the exchange amount, which is the amount of consideration established and agreed to by the related parties.

Architectural Institute of British Columbia
SCHEDULE OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES
For the year ended December 31, 2006

	ACTUAL	BUDGET (unaudited)		ACTUAL
	2006	2006	2007	2005
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Schedule 1				
FEES REVENUE				
Members	1,050,510	1,010,800	1,064,000	1,012,007
Associates	103,448	97,000	108,300	98,567
Affiliates	2,449	2,500	2,600	2,478
Technologists	10,250	9,588	4,650	9,157
Firms	266,981	268,190	281,500	264,131
Temporary Licenses	124,298	75,000	75,000	119,924
Registration and reinstatement	42,583	30,000	28,000	26,165
Examination and IA program review	23,075	-	-	13,775
	<u>1,623,594</u>	<u>1,493,078</u>	<u>1,564,050</u>	<u>1,546,204</u>
Schedule 2				
INTEREST AND OTHER REVENUE				
Documents, firm directories, signs and seals, net	(25,116)	16,000	16,000	16,448
Interest	45,645	21,000	29,000	24,428
Settlement payments and fines	49,814	26,000	45,000	78,698
Other	2,227	-	-	2,944
	<u>72,570</u>	<u>63,000</u>	<u>90,000</u>	<u>122,518</u>
Schedule 3				
ADMINISTRATION				
Salaries and benefits	347,752	363,500	382,700	345,547
Operating costs	123,154	130,500	136,500	119,903
Accounting and audit	9,530	9,500	10,000	9,000
	<u>480,436</u>	<u>503,500</u>	<u>529,200</u>	<u>474,450</u>
Schedule 4				
PREMISES				
Premises	78,572	85,250	70,750	84,380
Amortization	122,789	120,000	120,000	125,329
	<u>201,361</u>	<u>205,250</u>	<u>190,750</u>	<u>209,709</u>

Architectural Institute of British Columbia
SCHEDULE OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES
For the year ended December 31, 2006

	ACTUAL	BUDGET (unaudited)		ACTUAL
	2006	2006	2007	2005
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Schedule 5				
BOARDS, COMMITTEES AND TASK FORCES				
Council and president	19,240	25,000	25,000	23,312
Committees and task forces	<u>32,835</u>	<u>41,500</u>	<u>38,150</u>	<u>34,883</u>
	<u>52,075</u>	<u>66,500</u>	<u>63,150</u>	<u>58,195</u>
Schedule 6				
COMMUNICATIONS AND PUBLIC RELATIONS				
Communications programs, committees, events	30,982	31,400	17,050	34,459
Publications, multimedia, newsletters	9,273	-	-	(8,782)
Salaries, benefits, and administration	<u>161,923</u>	<u>152,000</u>	<u>176,500</u>	<u>156,544</u>
	<u>202,178</u>	<u>183,400</u>	<u>193,550</u>	<u>182,221</u>
Schedule 7				
PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT				
PD course expenses	36,061	62,250	58,050	43,741
Salaries and benefits	124,868	132,500	137,305	132,326
Program and committees	<u>5,694</u>	<u>1,650</u>	<u>800</u>	<u>7,075</u>
	<u>166,623</u>	<u>196,400</u>	<u>196,155</u>	<u>183,142</u>
Less: revenue	<u>(118,330)</u>	<u>(149,000)</u>	<u>(143,000)</u>	<u>(143,068)</u>
	<u>48,293</u>	<u>47,400</u>	<u>53,155</u>	<u>40,074</u>
Schedule 8				
ANNUAL MEETING AND CONFERENCE				
Annual conference	429,210	142,800	177,200	116,904
Annual meeting	<u>10,486</u>	<u>13,200</u>	<u>24,850</u>	<u>11,072</u>
	<u>439,696</u>	<u>156,000</u>	<u>202,050</u>	<u>127,976</u>
Less: revenue	<u>(538,952)</u>	<u>(320,000)</u>	<u>(301,000)</u>	<u>(197,597)</u>
	<u>(99,256)</u>	<u>(164,000)</u>	<u>(98,950)</u>	<u>(69,621)</u>

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SCHEDULE OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES
For the year ended December 31, 2006

	ACTUAL	BUDGET		ACTUAL
	2006	(unaudited)		
		2006	2007	2005
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Schedule 9				
REGISTRATION				
Salaries and benefits	172,333	183,000	186,350	180,957
Legal	1,814	3,000	5,000	1,656
Program and committees	<u>23,362</u>	<u>6,900</u>	<u>5,500</u>	<u>23,623</u>
	<u>197,509</u>	<u>192,900</u>	<u>196,850</u>	<u>206,236</u>
Schedule 10				
CONDUCT				
Salaries and benefits	112,430	96,600	120,250	103,936
Legal	8,822	65,000	55,000	65,192
Program and committees	<u>23,021</u>	<u>15,700</u>	<u>18,750</u>	<u>20,321</u>
	<u>144,273</u>	<u>177,300</u>	<u>194,000</u>	<u>189,449</u>
Schedule 11				
PRACTICE				
Salaries and benefits	159,697	169,100	175,200	83,659
Program and committees	<u>14,842</u>	<u>27,000</u>	<u>46,450</u>	<u>10,573</u>
	<u>174,539</u>	<u>196,100</u>	<u>221,650</u>	<u>94,232</u>

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medal

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LG Medal + Innovation Award Winner
Roar_One, Vancouver BC
Firm: LWPAC Lang Wilson Practice in Architecture Culture + Hotson Bakker Boniface Haden
Lead Design Architect: Oliver Lang Temp Lic. AIBC

David Barendse photo



LG Medal Winner
Prince George Airport Expansion, Prince George BC
Firm: mcfarlaneGreen Architecture + Design Inc.
Lead Design Architects: Michael Green MAIBC, Steve McFarlane MAIBC, Vicki Brown MArch.

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LG Medal Winner
La Grande Bibliothèque du Québec, Montréal Québec
Firm: Patkau/Croft-Pelletier/Menkes Shoener Dagenais Associated Architects
Lead Design Architects: Michael Cunningham MAIBC, John Patkau MAIBC, Patricia Patkau MAIBC

special jury award

1. Segal Graduate School of Business (Merrick Architecture – Borowski Linnott Sakamoto Figg, Ltd)
2. Kits Beach Restaurant and Lifeguard Facilities (AARobins Architects);
3. Salvation Army Bolkin House (Katie Stanszki's Doll Adams Architects);
4. Millennial Time Machine (superkül architecture);



Danny Singer photo



Tony Robins photo



Derek Lepper photo



superkül photo

merit

James Dow photo



LG Merit Winner
Gleneagles Community Centre, West Vancouver BC
 Firm: Patkau Architects
 Lead Design Architects: John Patkau MAIBC, Patricia Patkau MAIBC

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LG Merit Winner
BC Cancer Research Centre, Vancouver BC
 Firm: IBI Group/Henriquez Partners, Architects in Joint Venture
 Lead Design Architect: Richard Henriquez MAIBC

Innovation Merit Award
Morictown Gas Bar, Morictown BC
 Firm: Killick Metz Bowen Rose Architects Planners Inc.
 Lead Design Architect: Tom Bowen MAIBC

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