Call for Volunteers: Sign Up by April 8
UB Architecture Portfolio/Resume Feedback

Do you have a spare hour or hour-and-a-half in the coming weeks to help local architecture students get started with their careers? If so, the UB School of Architecture and Planning could use your help!

Between April 18 to April 30, by appointment, the school is hoping to connect you with between 1-3 architecture students for a Zoom session to review their portfolios and resumes as part of their portfolio seminar course.

Questions? Email Elaine Chow, Director of Student Professional Development at UB Architecture at eychow@buffalo.edu
Click below to fill out the availability form by April 8, and they will be in touch.

Sign Up

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**Next Week: In Person, Hands On Workshops**

**Join Us & WNY Book Arts Center**

**Letterpress Poster Design**
April 5 from 5:30-6:30 p.m.

You'll learn the basics of letterpress, including hand setting type and building sound designs, paper prep & press set-up and, of course, printing!

**Screen Printing Basics**
April 7 from 5:30-6:30 p.m.

You'll learn the basics of designing for screen print, prepping & making stenciled screens, paper & print prep, and printing on paper and fabric pieces!

Each workshop will be in-person at the WNY Book Arts Center, 468 Washington Street, Buffalo, NY 14203.

For AIA members, a single workshop is free with a $20 deposit that's refundable upon attendance. Cost for non members is $20 non refundable for a single class.

Use the button below to learn more and choose which workshop you'd like to attend!

Register
Join the University at Buffalo for an exciting opportunity to celebrate the life, work, and legacy of the UB School of Architecture and Planning.

April 6, 2022 from 1 p.m. to 8 p.m.
Hayes Hall, South Campus
Buffalo, NY 14214
AIA LUs Pending

The 50+ Anniversary Celebration calls together alumni, faculty, students, staff, friends and partners in the profession to consider the “plus” of our community - the people, ideas and values that drive the School of Architecture and Planning, then and now. Join us as we take stock of all we have achieved together over 50 years while looking forward with even greater ambition to project into new spheres of influence, engage more deeply with our communities, and build new coalitions and partnerships.

On April 6, 2022, we'll put our "plus" on full display with a full day of events celebrating the work of our faculty, students and alumni and the collective impact of our program over five decades. The day’s program opens with the 2022 Sydney Gross Alumni Symposium featuring alumni on the frontline of practice innovation. We'll also unveil the 50+ Alumni Exhibition, featuring 50 alumni with 50 images over 50 years. Drawing upon our cherished tradition of Atelier, "Open Studio" will cast open our doors to the community for a School-wide display of faculty and student work.
Crushing the Code
Earn Credits at Upcoming Webinars

NYS Commercial
April 5 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Learn about the 2020 ECCCNYS and design more energy-efficient buildings in the process.

Learn More & Register

NYC Residential
April 12 & 13 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Learn about the 2020 ECCCNYS and design more energy-efficient buildings in the process.

Learn More & Register

NYC Commercial
April 21 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Learn about the 2020 ECCNYC and design more energy-efficient buildings in the process.

Learn More & Register
Happening Next Week
Digital Marketing for Architects and Designers

Architects and Designers may not think of themselves as salespeople but an important part of their business is about bringing in business! As technology and trends evolve, Architects and their businesses need to as well. Learn about the importance of digital marketing, the metrics you need to track, and the tools you can use all with the goal of running a successful practice.

April 7, Noon
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You'll learn how to design an inbound funnel that works for your firm, how to design
your customer's journey and use that to inform your inbound marketing strategy, and get an insider's look at inbound marketing tactics and best practices you can apply to your own practice.

Don't Forget: Register by April 13
Join us at the 2022 AIA Conference

It's time to reserve your spot at the architecture and design event of the year! Make your plans to join us June 22-25 in Chicago, where we'll explore architecture's ability to drive new thinking in one of the most design-forward, sustainable cities in the U.S. The AIA community will be there to welcome you.

Not an AIA member? Join today, and get a new member ticket for just $99.
Join BOMA Buffalo's Breakfast Seminar
Sustainability, Climate Change, & Resiliency

Join BOMA Buffalo for their upcoming Breakfast Seminar and learn what you can do to plan and adapt to the future. Speaking during the seminar will be Don Erb, BOMA Fellow, RPA, FMA, a Senior Sustainability Associate at the University at Buffalo.

Friday, April 29, 2022
7:30 AM to 9:30 AM
Calspan
4455 Genesee Street
Cheektowaga

Register by April 22. Pre-registration is required. No shows will be billed. Substitutions are welcome. Breakfast is included in the ticket price.

What you will learn:

- What are the UN Sustainable Development Goals?
- What is the Triple Bottom Line of Sustainability?
- Where are we in reaching the 2030 goals and why should you care?
- How does the US stack up to other industrialized nations?
- How do we really know the climate is changing and humanity is playing a role?
- What can we learn from past civilizations about environmental change?
- Examples of Extreme weather events speeding up.
- What can we do to become more resilient
- The hopes and fears of younger people as it relates to climate change
- Building future resiliency in our commercial development

Register

Just one month left to apply!
AIA Future Forward Grant
Access to funding activates innovation and makes significant research possible. That's why the Young Architects Forum, in collaboration with the AIA Large Firm Roundtable, has funded the AIA Future Forward Grant. This $10,000 grant enables early career architects to explore ideas that redefine practice and move our profession forward. Reach out to emergingprofessionals@aia.org with questions.

All AIA Associate members, Young Architects Forum members, and AIAS students are encouraged to apply. Applications are due April 30, 2022.
We are now accepting applications for our 2022 Scholarship! Applicants must submit official and complete digital application on or before May 25, 2022 (mandatory for consideration). New this year: Apply online!

The scholarship is open to College/University students who meet academic requirements and are enrolled in a NAAB-accredited architecture program, or enrolled in a program that has received NAAB ‘Candidacy’ status. Applicants must be from the AIA Buffalo/Western New York Chapter which is comprised of Erie, Niagara, Chautauqua, Cattaraugus, Orleans, Genesee, and Wyoming Counties.

The AIA Buffalo/WNY Chapter with the Buffalo Architecture Foundation will dispense up to $4,500 in scholarship funding for the academic year. Amounts awarded will depend on quantity and quality of applicants and will be applied to the academic year. The AIA Buffalo/WNY Chapter scholarship is partially funded by the Component Matching Scholarship Grant from AIA National.

Good luck to all who apply!

Learn More & Apply

Earn up to 20 CEU
Free Building Electrification Training Series
The Building Electrification Training Series is available online – for free – for all NYS residents or employees of NYS companies. Offered by Steven Winter Associates (SWA) in partnership with NYSERDA, this 7-course on-demand series covers issues for single-family homes, multifamily buildings, heat pumps, ventilation, and net-zero strategies.

To access the on-demand courses for free, you must sign up through the SWA website and create an account. AIA continuing education units are available for each course, and up to 20 CEUs are available for the entire series. CEUs are also available for PE’s, BPI and PHIUS members.

Want to get more involved?
Join a Chapter Committee!

Interested in being a part of AIA Buffalo/WNY initiatives? Consider joining one of our many committees and help make our community better! Click below to see a list of our current committees and get contact information for each. If you are interested in multiple committees and would like to know which best fits your interests, send us an email at info@aiabuffalowny.org. We'd love to have you!

Member Spotlight

Don't forget: We've added a new Member Spotlight feature to our website—and we'd love to shine the spotlight on you! Click below to spotlight yourself or someone else, and we'll be in touch to firm up the details.
Reminder

If you have an event you would like the AIA Buffalo/WNY to promote, please fill out the promotion request form at the link below. We are always looking for new ways to engage and educate the community!

Promotion Request Form