

2022 CA SIERRA CHAPTER DESIGN AWARDS



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2020 SIERRA CHAPTER HONOR AWARD (PARKS & OPEN SPACE): BRODER FAMILY HOMESTEAD PARK BY FUHRMAN LEAMY LAND GROUP FOR THE CITY OF FOLSOM



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The California Sierra Chapter is pleased to announce our **Call for Entries** to the 2022 Chapter Design Awards Competition. Whether it be a legacy project that has stood the test of time, or a fresh project planning for the needs of the future, you are invited to submit your best work. All projects, built and non-built, are eligible for entry if they have not previously received a California Sierra Chapter Design Award.

This year's Awards Competition will culminate in a Design Awards Gala, to be held **November 4, 2022** at the Atrium at Woodlake Event Center. We'll come together to see old faces, meet some new ones, celebrate our projects and successes, meet the incoming Executive Committee, get updates on what we've done and what's to come, plus more.

PARKS / OPEN SPACE

GENERAL DESIGN (\$1M+)
GENERAL DESIGN (-\$1M)

RESIDENTIAL - SINGLE FAMILY

RESIDENTIAL - DEVELOPMENT /
MULTI-FAMILY

PUBLIC AGENCY

RESEARCH / ANALYSIS /
PLANNING / COMMUNICATION /
UNBUILT

STUDENT PORTFOLIO

Eligible projects in each submittal category have no restrictions related to the time period they were designed and/or built.

Entry forms and fees are due **July 22, 2022**. (see included entry form)

Official entry templates and submission links (Dropbox folder) will be emailed to entrants by **July 29, 2022**.

Entries are due by **August 28, 2022** (electronically).

Full submittal guidelines are available at: www.asla-sierra.org

For questions or to receive more information, please contact us at: awards@asla-sierra.org



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CATEGORIES

Parks/Open Space

Recognizes: Site-specific works of landscape architecture for park & recreation use, as well as for the purposes of reclamation, restoration or mitigation. Entries in this category must not have previously won a Chapter award.

Typical entries include: Public, institutional or private park or open space landscapes of all kinds; including passive and active uses, preservation, reclamation, conservation; stormwater management, sustainable design; and more.

Criteria: The jury will consider the quality of design and execution; context; environmental sensitivity and sustainability; and design value to the client, to other designers and to the general public.

Recognition: The Awards Jury may select one Honor Award and any number of Merit Awards in this category.

General Design - \$1,000,000 & Up

Recognizes: Built, site-specific works of landscape architecture. Large, incremental projects must have at least the first stage/phase completed. Construction budgets for projects in this category must be greater than \$1,000,000. Entries in this category must not have previously won a Chapter award.

Typical entries include: Public spaces, urban design, streets, institutional, transportation corridors and facilities (non-agency), resorts, open space, reclamation, conservation, landscape art, earth sculpture, historic preservation and restoration (non-agency), private commercial landscapes of all kinds; and more.

Criteria: The jury will consider the quality of design and execution; environmental sensitivity and sustainability; innovation and context; and design value to the client, to other designers and to the general public.

Recognition: The Awards Jury may select one Honor Award and any number of Merit Awards in this category.



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CATEGORIES CONTINUED...

General Design - \$999,999 & Under

Recognizes: Built, site-specific works of landscape architecture. Large, incremental projects must have at least the first stage/phase completed. Construction budgets for projects in this category must be \$1,000,000 or less. Entries in this category must not have previously won a Chapter award.

Typical entries include: Public spaces, urban design, streets, institutional, transportation corridors and facilities (non-agency), resorts, open space, reclamation, conservation, landscape art, earth sculpture, historic preservation and restoration (non-agency), private commercial landscapes of all kinds; and more.

Criteria: The jury will consider the quality of design and execution; environmental sensitivity and sustainability; innovation and context; and design value to the client, to other designers and to the general public.

Recognition: The Awards Jury will select one Honor Award and any number of Merit Awards in this category.

Residential - Single Family

Recognizes: Site-specific works of landscape architecture for single family residential use, from small gardens to large private estates. Entries in this category must not have previously won a Chapter award.

Typical entries include: Single family residential projects; sustainable landscape applications; new construction or renovation projects; historic preservation, rehabilitation, or restoration; affordable landscape concepts and innovations; small site development; private gardens; rooftop gardens; and more.

Criteria: The jury will consider the quality of design and execution; context; environmental sensitivity and sustainability; and design value to the client and to other designers.

Recognition: The Awards Jury may select one Honor Award and any number of Merit Awards in this category.



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CATEGORIES CONTINUED...

Residential - Development / Multi-Family

Recognizes: Site-specific works of landscape architecture for residential development use, everything except single family residential use. Entries in this category must not have previously won a Chapter award.

Typical entries include: Multi-family residential projects; master planned communities; sustainable landscape applications; new construction or renovation projects; historic preservation, rehabilitation, or restoration; affordable landscape concepts and innovations; rooftop gardens (for a multi-family residential use project); and more.

Criteria: The jury will consider the quality of design and execution; context; environmental sensitivity and sustainability; and design value to the client and to other designers.

Recognition: The Awards Jury may select one Honor Award and any number of Merit Awards in this category.

Public Agency

Recognizes: Site specific works of landscape architecture developed with design and documentation completed by public agency employees (not turn-key projects or projects completed by privately held design firms). Entries in this category must not have previously won a Chapter award.

Typical entries include: Transportation; infrastructure; stormwater management; sustainable landscape applications; new construction or renovation projects; historic preservation, rehabilitation, or restoration; affordable landscape concepts and innovations; and more.

Criteria: The jury will consider the quality of design and execution; context; environmental sensitivity and sustainability; and design value to the public.

Recognition: The Awards Jury may select one Honor Award and any number of Merit Awards in this category.



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CATEGORIES CONTINUED...

Research / Analysis / Planning / Communication / Unbuilt

Recognizes: Products born of research, analysis, or planning that are built or unbuilt; communication of landscape architecture works, techniques, technologies, history or theory; and the wide variety of unbuilt projects and professional activities that lead to, guide, and/or evaluate landscape architecture design. Professional and/or student research that identifies and investigates challenges posed in landscape architecture, providing results that advance the body of knowledge for the profession is also allowed. Entries in this category are not required to be built or implemented. Entries in this category must not have previously won a Chapter award.

Typical entries include: Unbuilt designs of all kinds; urban, suburban, rural, or regional planning efforts; development guidelines; transportation, town, or campus planning; plans for reclamation of brownfield sites; environmental planning in relation to legislation, policy initiatives or regulatory controls; cultural resource reports; cultural and/or natural resources protection, conservation, or historic preservation planning; and more. Student research and/or design projects qualify for submission.

Criteria:

For **Research submittals:** The methods, results and context, resources of study.

For **Analysis & Planning submittals:** The quality of both the analysis and planning efforts; planning context, environmental sensitivity, sustainability, innovation, and likelihood of implementation.

For **Communication submittals:** The effectiveness of message presentation, innovation in approach and delivery.

For **Unbuilt submittals:** Quality of design and project breadth with regards to: social/environmental justice; environmental sensitivity; sustainability; innovation and context; and clarity in visual communication of the designer's intent and meeting stated project's goals.

Recognition: The Awards Jury may select one Honor Award and any number of Merit Awards in this category.



2020 SIERRA CHAPTER MERIT AWARD, RESEARCH/ANALYSIS... TACTICAL GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE BY URBAN RAIN DESIGN



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CATEGORIES CONTINUED...

Student Portfolio

Recognizes: Student compilations of work completed as part of curriculum required by an accredited landscape architecture program. The student may be in any year of study, must currently be enrolled, or have completed their degree within the last 12 months. Personal work (inclusive of sketches, photography, painting, etc) may also be contained within the portfolio. No work may be included that has been completed during an internship (paid or unpaid) or during professional work immediately following graduation.

Typical entries include: Computer and hand graphic representations of the student's collegiate work; independent or team effort design exhibits (team projects must clearly identify the submitter's contribution); research; and more.

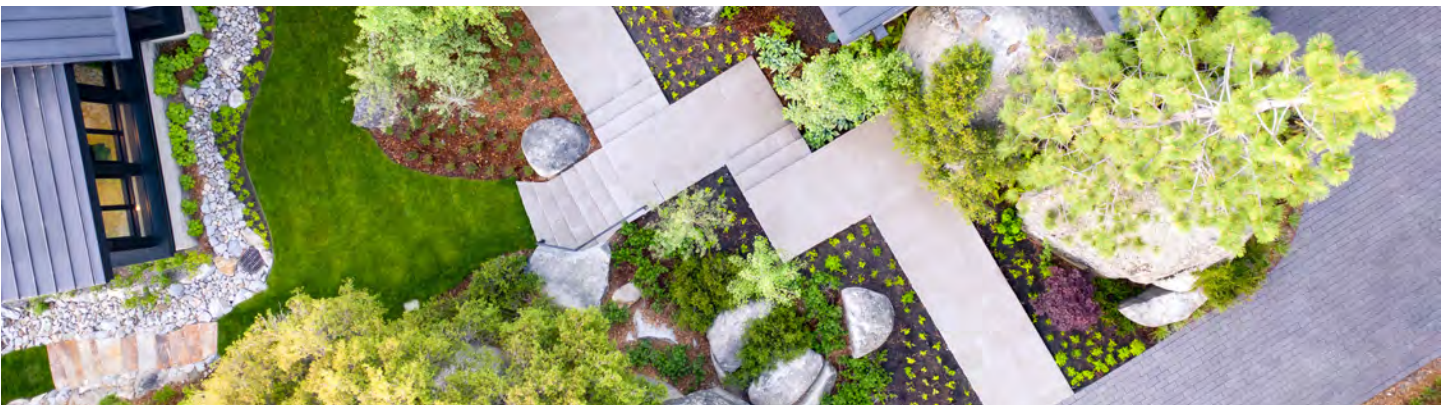
Criteria: The jury will consider the quality of the work included in the portfolio in addition to the graphic aesthetics.

Recognition: The Awards Jury may select one Honor Award and any number of Merit Awards in this category.

Award of Excellence

The jury may select one (1) entry, from all submittals received, that represents the highest achievement in design of all projects submitted.

**The chapter's design awards sub-committee has the right to eliminate a category should there be a lack of qualified entrants.*



2020 SIERRA CHAPTER HONOR AWARD, RESIDENTIAL SINGLE FAMILY: CRYSTAL BAY RESIDENCE BY DESIGN WORKSHOP



Submittal Guidelines

Neither licensure or ASLA membership is required to enter any of the award categories, however Associate, Full and International ASLA members will pay a reduced entry fee of \$150 per submittal. Students will pay a fee of \$50 for the Visionary/Unbuilt category and \$35 for the Student Portfolio category. Non-member fees are \$300 per submittal. Non-members entering multiple projects may pay the non-member fee for the first entry and the member fee for any additional entries. All entrants must either a) reside or practice within the ASLA California Sierra Chapter's geographic boundaries, or b) represent projects located or planned within the ASLA California Sierra Chapter's geographic boundaries.

The jury process is "blind." In other words, the identities of the entrant and creative team are not revealed to the jury. An awards jury consisting of ASLA members from an out of state chapter will be selected to review and judge all submittals. Members of the Awards Jury, as well as the firms, organizations, or agencies they represent are not eligible to enter the Awards Program. The Sierra Chapter ASLA retains the right to disqualify any entry that does not meet the program requirements or that presents a conflict of interest. In such cases, refunds will be issued.



2020 SIERRA CHAPTER HONOR AWARD, GENERAL DESIGN: SMUD HEADQUARTERS HISTORIC SITE RENOVATION BY CALA



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Entry Instructions

Entrant must submit Entry Form **AND** payment by **11:59 p.m. July 22nd** (see included entry form). An Entry Form must be submitted for EACH project a firm/person submits.

For team entries, a list of all the team members must be submitted with the Entry Form.

Upon receipt of the Entry Form and payment, each entrant will be provided, by **July 29th**, with a unique and secure Dropbox folder, accessible only to the entrant and the Awards Committee Chair.

All submittals are required in digital format. A Powerpoint and an InDesign template will be provided in the Dropbox folder. Entrants are to select ONE of these templates to use for their submission.

Identifying information, including entrant's or firm's name shall be removed from all submission materials. Any submittals that violate this rule will be disqualified and they will *NOT be issued a refund*.

All submittals are due by 11:59pm August 28th (Sunday). Any submittals uploaded after that time will be disqualified and not issued a refund.

Final Submittals to your Dropbox folder MUST include the following:

1. Concealed Identification and Credit Form: Completely filled out
2. PDF of your submittal (*following the naming conventions outlined in the template*)
 - a. The PDF must be created with the Powerpoint OR InDesign template provided.
- 3.**For both General Design Categories -Provide support document(s) identifying construction costs (i.e. cost estimate, bid summaries, etc.) that show conformance to the category's cost threshold.
4. 5 or 6 high-resolution project images (photos or images): upload the images separately
 - 300 ppi (pixels per inch) minimum
 - Label each image with the project name and a number. For example: "Project X-01", "Project X-02" etc.
5. A high-resolution logo of the entrant firm and project's client as a separate file.



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Entry Instructions continued...

**Entrants are responsible for clearing photographs with photographers for publication and reproduction by the ASLA California Sierra Chapter. We will provide proper photography and other project credits when using photos, but will not assume responsibility for any copyrights or photography fees. The ASLA California Sierra Chapter retains the right to publish photos submitted in winning entries on our website, in promoting the awards program, and in other products in conjunction with promoting landscape architecture.

All submittal materials for entries will become property of the ASLA California Sierra Chapter. All materials submitted may be used in a public presentation or publications pertaining to the Awards Program. Additionally the chapter may display the winners in public venues across the chapter's geographical region as part of a public awareness campaign.

Submission requirements and forms are available online for downloading at www.asla-sierra.org

Refunds for award entry fees must be requested in writing before you receive your Dropbox link or Friday July 29th, 2022, whichever occurs first.

Concealed Identification and Credit Form

Please list all project credits on the Concealed Identification and Credit Form (to be provided in your Dropbox folder). This must be filled out entirely and uploaded to your Dropbox as part of your submittal.



2020 SIERRA CHAPTER MERIT AWARD, RESIDENTIAL MULTI-FAM: RIVER ISLANDS DEVELOPMENT BY O'DELL ENGINEERING



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2022 AWARDS ENTRY FORM

Entry forms and fees are due by Friday, July 22nd, 2022

Entry Dropbox folders will be provided to entrants by

Friday, July 29th, 2022

Entry Submissions (electronic) are due by Sunday, August 28th,

2022

Official Entrant Name: _____

Check One:

- ASLA Member (indicate membership type below)
 ASLA FASLA Associate ASLA Student ASLA Student Affiliate
 Non-member

Firm/School Agency: _____

Street Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Telephone/Fax: _____

Email: _____

Awards Entry Fees:

Category	Qty.	ASLA Member	Non-Member	Student	Subtotal
Parks/Open Space	_____ x	\$150	\$300	-	_____
General Design	_____ x	\$150	\$300	-	_____
Residential- Single	_____ x	\$150	\$300	-	_____
Res.- Developmt/Multi	_____ x	\$150	\$300	-	_____
Public Agency	_____ x	\$150	\$300	-	_____
Research/.../Unbuilt	_____ x	\$150	\$300	\$50	_____
Student Portfolio	_____ x	-	-	\$35	_____
				TOTAL	_____

*Student entrants must attach proof of registration as a student (such as a copy of a current student I.D. card). For team entries, a list of all team members must be submitted with the entry form.

Payment Information:

- A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed payable to ASLA California Sierra Chapter
 Credit Card: *payment has been made via the Square online store. A small processing fee is already included in the store pricing (<https://squareup.com/store/california-sierra-chapter-asla>)

Entry Form Return Instructions:

Mail completed entry form and payment* to: ASLA California Sierra Chapter, 1721 Eastern Avenue, Suite 19, Sacramento, CA 95864. If paying via CC, please mail or email form to awards@asla-sierra.org and use the Square store (above) for payment