

# ***AIA Kansas Design Awards '20***

## **PROJECT AWARD CATEGORIES**

### **Requirements and Submission Criteria:**

- Built and unbuilt projects must have been completed within the last five (5) years.
- **NEW THIS YEAR!** Completed architectural projects where over 50% of the design is attributed to an AIA Kansas architect.
- An individual or firm may submit an unlimited number of entries.
- Projects may be submitted by Kansas licensed architects or associate architects, regardless of project location.
- No project that has previously been honored by AIA Kansas may be entered.
- The number and types of awarded projects is up to the jury's discretion.
- All award winners must register to attend the conference to receive their award.
- Fees for submitting project: AIA Kansas member \$250 / non-AIA Kansas Member \$350 / \$25 student

## **Project Design Awards Categories**

### **Architectural Project Awards:**

This award celebrates completed new construction that successfully responds to program, site, context, environment, and other factors the jury may determine positions the design as a notable architectural work. Buildings may be of any building type and located anywhere in the world.

- Honor Award: Highest level of achievement in design excellence
- Merit Award: Represents exceptional achievement in design excellence
- Honorable Mention: Represents distinguished achievement in design excellence

### **Small Architectural Project Award:**

This award may be given to any new construction completed for a budget under \$500,000 and represents the highest level of achievement in design excellence.

### **Preservation / Adaptive Reuse Award:**

This award represents a notable renovation, adaptive reuse, and/or preservation of an existing building (historically identified or otherwise). Submissions must involve additions, interventions, restorations, and/or replacements to a building exceeding the design of interiors (see Interior Design Award below).

### **Interior Design Award:**

This award may be given to any interior design which may include innovative uses of building components, materials, and architectural products.

**Architectural Detail or Material Use Award:**

This award may be given to an innovative or creative use of material, constructional assembly, and/or detail on a completed project of any scope or type.

**Unbuilt Design Award:**

This award is open to theoretical or unbuilt commissioned projects of any type, size, and scope. Projects may be awarded an Honor, Merit, or Honorable Mention award. This is open to any licensed or unlicensed design professional. Projects produced for academic credit are not eligible.

**Emerging Practitioner Award:**

An award may be given for both built and unbuilt projects. Students or young professionals licensed less than ten years are eligible. Entries should represent projects that address critical design issues and are open to any project, either built or unbuilt.