

BOARD PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



A WORD FROM OUR PRESIDENT

In these unprecedented times, protecting the public health, safety and welfare of Kentucky residents has taken on greater meaning. The board and the staff are working hard to ensure the care and protection of the public maintain our top priority.

With the advent of COVID-19 and the Governor's continuing efforts to confront and limit the spread of the disease, the Kentucky Board of Architects office closed March 16 to in-person services. We continue to offer services by the following methods: mail, fax, online and telephone. Please do not hesitate to contact the board office if you have questions or concerns.

NCARB recently informed the board that Prometric plans to resume testing operations in their U.S. and Canadian locations effective May 1, 2020. Upon reopening, Prometric will implement several new or enhanced processes designed to safeguard the health and well-being of everyone at the center. This will result in Prometric randomly selecting and canceling 50 percent of all currently scheduled May and June appointments to maintain social distancing standards upon reopening.

CIDQ postponed the April NCIDQ Exam administration until October, the next regularly scheduled exam administration. This was not an easy decision but a necessary one.

As we work together — together, we will get through this!

Sincerely,

*Stephanie McCrery, Interim President
Kentucky Board of Architects & Certified Interior Designers*

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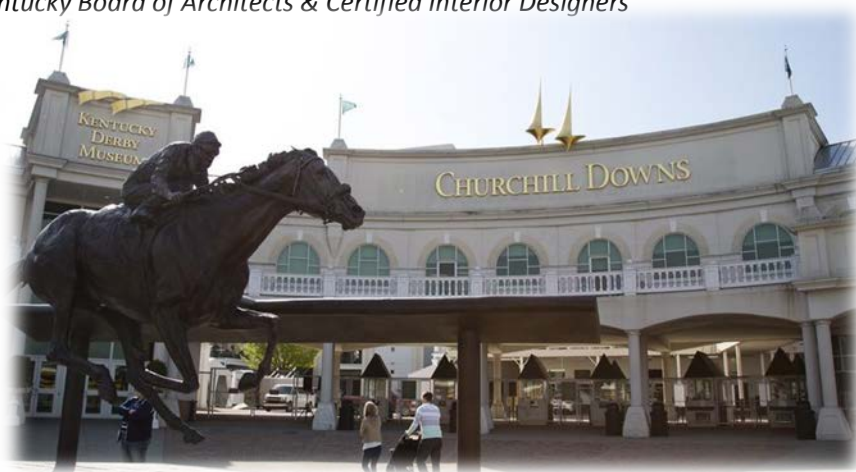
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Churchill Downs, Louisville, Kentucky

RECENT BOARD ACTIVITY

EXPIRED TERM



Brad Stengel

Mr. Stengel is a co-senior principal of Stengel Hill Architecture, a 23-year-old Louisville firm that specializes in health care. He served four years on the board. During his last year of service, he served as the President. BOA thanks him for his service and outstanding leadership.

NEW BOARD MEMBER



Franklin Gray

Mr. Gray, a licensed architect, currently serves as the Vice President of Gray Architects and Engineers, P.S.C. and as a board member of Gray, Inc. Governor Andy Beshear appointed him to the board February 10, 2020. His term will expire in 2024.

UPCOMING RENEWAL WINDOW

ARCHITECTS - JUNE 1, 2020 – AUGUST 30, 2020

A reminder that if you currently hold an active *Kentucky Architect License*, **the renewal window for the 2021 fiscal year will begin June 1, 2020 and will last until August 30, 2020**. Renewal fees submitted before July 1 is \$125. Renewals submitted after June 30, 2020 will incur a late fee. Online Renewals will be open June 1 at www.boa.ky.gov For questions pertaining to your Kentucky Architect license, please contact our office via email at boa.irc@ky.gov or call us directly at (859) 246-2069.

CERTIFIED INTERIOR DESIGNERS - SEPTEMBER 1, 2020 – NOVEMBER 30, 2020

A reminder that if you currently hold an active *Kentucky Certified Interior Designer Certificate*, **the renewal window for the 2021 fiscal year will begin September 1, 2020 and will last until November 30, 2020**. The renewal fee during this period is \$200. Renewals submitted after November 30, 2020 will be revoked. Renewals should be submitted online at www.boa.ky.gov beginning September 1. For questions pertaining to your Kentucky Certified Interior Designer Certificate, please contact our office via email at boa.irc@ky.gov or call us directly at (859) 246-2069.

THE ROLE OF THE KENTUCKY BOARD OF ARCHITECTS AND CERTIFIED INTERIOR DESIGNERS

The Kentucky Board of Architects and Certified Interior Designers is responsible for protecting the public health, safety, and welfare of the public within the built environment. More than designing buildings and spaces, these professions are uniquely positioned via their extensive expertise to impact life on several levels for individuals, communities, and cities. The board members appointed to serve have a statutory duty to act on the behalf of the public and the consumer—without the efforts of this regulatory board; the public would be left unprotected.

TITLE VIOLATION

WHAT'S IN A TITLE?

In order to use the title Register Architect (RA) or Certified Interior Designer (CID) in Kentucky, one must be registered or certified by the Kentucky Board of Architects and Certified Interior Designers (BOA). (FYI, being registered or certified in another state does not qualify an individual to use the title in Kentucky; a registration or certification is required with the Kentucky Board of Architects). Should your license or certificate be revoked, suspended or renewal denied, you are prohibited from using the title "architect" or "certified interior designer".

Moreover, the use of these titles is not allowed for those who were previously registered or certified and voluntarily surrendered their license or had their certificate made inactive. Request to voluntarily surrender one's license or have one's certificate made inactive should be done during the respective renewal periods.

KRS 323.230 Who may be styled as architects. Only persons licensed under this chapter may be styled or known as architects in Kentucky, or use any words or letters or assume any titles or description tending to convey the impression that they are architects.

KRS 323.402 Use of title indicating certification -- Performance of services by person not certified. (1) No person shall use the title "certified interior designer," the letters CID, or any acronym, abbreviation, or title that would imply certification under this chapter unless the person at the time holds a valid certificate to use the title "certified interior designer" in the Commonwealth of Kentucky as established under KRS 323.400 to 323.416 and 323.992.



Norwood Kentucky - Interiors

Practice Requirements for Interior Designers

Every person who wishes to renew a certificate as a certified interior designer is required to successfully complete at least twelve (12) hours of continuing education within the broad range of subjects pertinent to interior design during the twelve (12) month period immediately preceding the expiration date of the person's certificate. At least eight (8) of the PDUs must focused on the health, safety, and welfare of the public.

Due to COVID-19, you may need to seek online training to complete your PDUs. Review the resources below for potential online training:

IDCEC International Design: <https://www.idcec.org/>
Interior Design Educators Council: <https://www.idec.org/>

CID INFO

**Active Interior Design Registrants
With Kentucky, Must Complete at
Least Twelve PDUs by
September 30, 2020**

INCREASING DIVERSITY

Business Growth Opportunities for Your Architectural Firm

The Census Bureau reports the US population as 60.4 percent white (non-Hispanic or Latino), 13.4 percent African American, 18.3 percent Hispanic or Latino, 5.9 percent Asian, 1.3 percent Native American. The American Institute of Architects (AIA) membership comprises of 67 percent white, 2 percent African American, 5 percent Hispanic or Latino, 6 percent Asian, and less than 1 percent Native American, with 18 percent not reporting.

Less than one in five new architects identifies as a person of color, and in 2018 only 3 percent of architects who completed the AXP were Black, while 15 percent identified as Asian, and less than 1 percent as Hispanic or Latino, according to NCARB.

Those numbers become even smaller among African

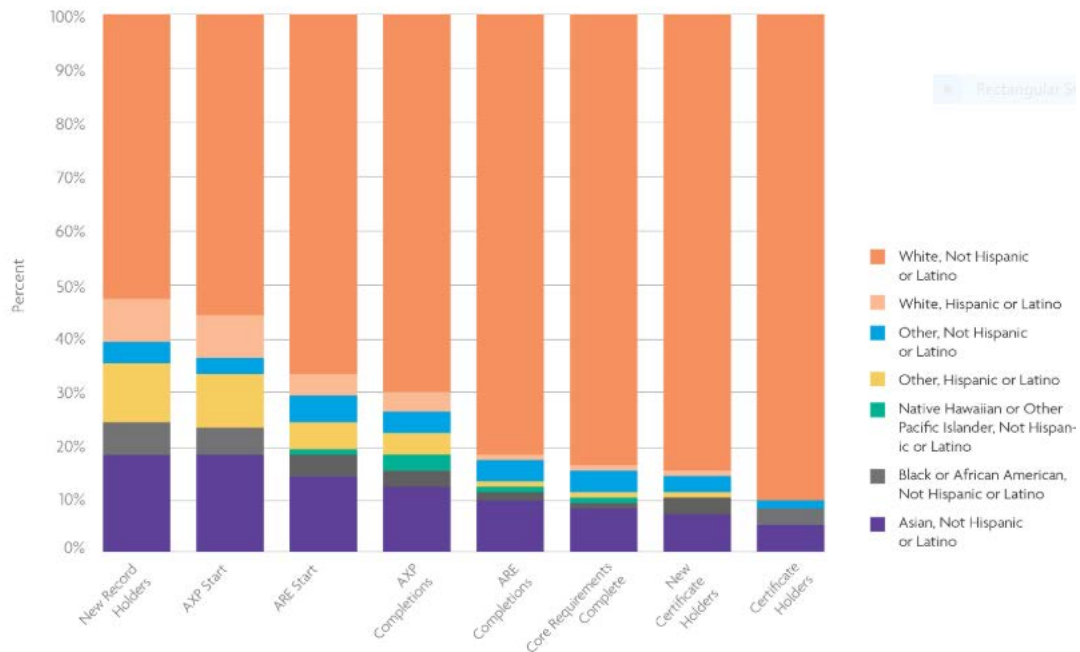
Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, The American Institute of Architects; National Architectural Board "2017 Annual Report on Architectural Education"

American women. Only 0.3 percent of architects are Black women, according to architecture magazine Curbed.

Kentucky has a population of over 4.4 million people and an African American population of 8.4 percent. The directory of African America Architects, list only (7) seven licensed African American architects in Kentucky.

New census data projects minorities in the US will represent the majority in 2045. As companies ensure the design teams they hire, reflect their customer base, it is also important the design teams reflect the diversity of thought, creativity and workforce as the building owner's client base. How will you ensure your company prospers in the future as the U.S. demographics change and clients hire design teams reflecting the change?

Racial and Ethnic Diversity Along Career Stages



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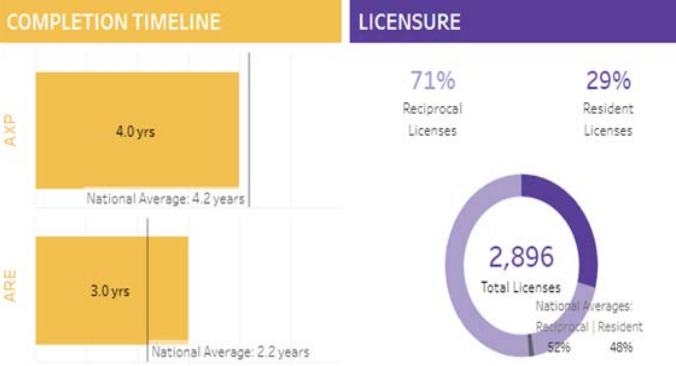
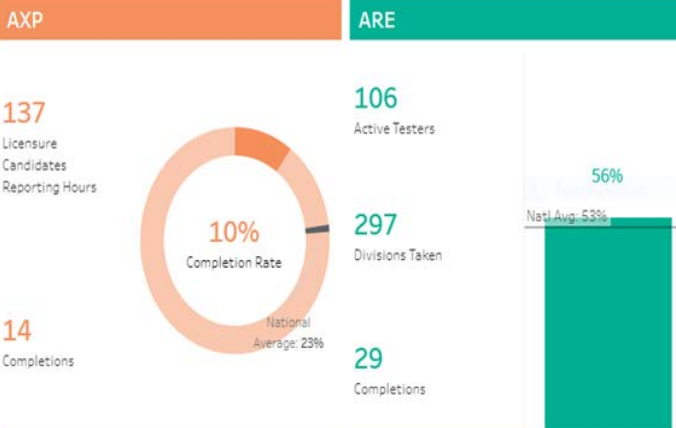
YTD FY 2020 STATS

THE NUMBERS

Number of Newly Licensed Kentucky Architects – 148
 Total Number of Kentucky Architects – 2771

Number of Newly Certified CIDs (Certified Interior Designers) – 4
 Total Number of Kentucky CIDs (Certified Interior Designers) – 146

Kentucky by the Numbers 2019



Congratulations to our Kentucky Architects Licensed by Examination!

Name	License #	City	State
Steven Cody Chitwood	8142	Covington	KY
John Tyler Kraft	8151	Louisville	KY
Nicole R. Ridder	8173	Alexandria	KY
Kell Douglas Pollard	8174	Lexington	KY
Inga Marie Hardman	8177	Lexington	KY
Terry Michael Zink	8181	Louisville	KY
Rochelle J Heis	8185	Louisville	KY
Mark Andrew Thomas	8186	Louisville	KY
Anna Lask Triplett	8190	Louisville	KY
Nathan W Tanner	8201	Georgetown	KY
Emily Katherine Teague	8209	Lexington	KY
Dijana M Banjanovic	8220	Louisville	KY
Bethany Ann Lee	8223	Lexington	KY
Anna Livia Finneran	8226	Goshen	KY
Christopher James Crovo	8247	Lexington	KY

Congratulations to our Kentucky Certified Interior Designer!

Name	License #	City	State
Roger G. White	0356CID	Carbondale	IL

UPCOMING BOARD MEETINGS

July 21, 2020 9:00 am, The University Club, Louisville, Kentucky (Location Pending)

October 20, 2020 9:00 am, Hilary J. Boone Center, Lexington, Kentucky