

## Awards Programs

Entry information, when available, may be found on the AIA Connecticut website on the specific Award page.

### Emerging Architect 2018 Award

Nomination deadline: June 1  
Jury day: June 14

### Public Service 2018 Award

Nomination/Submission deadline: July 13  
Jury Day: July 19

### Drawing 2018 Award

Entry deadline: July 26  
Submission deadline: September 14  
Jury day: October 18

### Design 2018 Award

Entry/Submission deadline: September 7  
Jury Day: September 19

### Chrysalis 2018 Award

Nomination deadline: September 28  
Submission deadline: October 29  
Jury day: November 15

## AIA Connecticut Annual Conference

Join us on Friday, October 5, 2018 at the Trumbull Marriott for the AIA Connecticut Annual Conference featuring Jenny Sabin as Keynote Speaker.



Jenny Sabin, the Arthur L. and Isabel B. Wiesenberger Associate Professor in the area of Design and Emerging Technologies and the newly appointed Director of Graduate Studies in the Department of Architecture at Cornell, is an architectural designer whose work is at the forefront of a new direction for 21st century architectural practice. Her work investigates the intersections of architecture and science and applies insights and theories from biology and mathematics to the design of material structures,

Sabin is principal of Jenny Sabin Studio, an experimental architectural design studio based in Ithaca and Director of the Sabin Lab at Cornell AAP, a trans-disciplinary design research lab with specialization in



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# Monthly Communiqué

## Programs & Events

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### Unlocking the Mystery of Doors, Hardware, and Codes: Accessibility Products

Thursday, April 19, 2018 (*date change*)

4:00-6:00 pm

1.5 HSW

Cost: \$25 for AIA, Sr./Int'l Associate AIA, Affiliate, allied org. member; \$12 for Associate AIA member; \$50 for non-member; No charge for Season Ticket holder

Join us for a discussion of the newest in architectural doors and hardware with an emphasis on accessible hardware. Sean Lodge from ASSA ABLOY will present information on making the proper choices in selecting doors, frames, and hardware that comply with current building, life-safety, egress, and fire code requirements. The presentation will be followed by a tour of the showroom.

### Introduction to Prefabricated Fireproof Structural Columns

Friday, April 20, 2018

12:30-1:30 pm

1 CE hour

Cost: No charge for AIA members; \$15 non-member

A Lunchtime Learning Program

Presented by Kyle Corneau, Black Rock Fireproof Column Company

A program on the strength, versatility and long term maintenance savings with the use of fireproof columns, including an explanation of the active and passive fire protection strategies used in commercial buildings.

### Upcoming Roundtables

All AIA Connecticut members are invited to attend at no charge, however, registration is requested. Meetings with speakers earn attendees 1 CE hour. Unless otherwise noted, meetings are held at AIA Connecticut.

**Professional Practice Roundtable**, Wednesday, May 23, 2018, 4:30-6:00 pm

*Contract Administration for Emerging Professionals* with Leo Rodriguez-Coss, AIA

A special discussion for Emerging Professionals, this roundtable will focus on the processes, challenges and project documentation that mark the construction phase of the project, with emphasis on effective communication and document management during contract administration. Potential topics include:

- Addenda, RFI's and substitutions
- Supplemental instructions, field reports and meeting minutes
- Submittal review and approval

**Small Firms Roundtable**, Wednesday, April 25, 2018, 4:00-5:30 pm

*Six Ways Zoning Can Disrupt Your path From Planning to Action and How to Avoid Them*, led by Margery Shansky, Esq.

## Insulated Concrete Forms: An Overview

Tuesday, April 24, 2018

12 Noon-4:30 pm (lunch is included)

3 HSW

Cost: \$55 for AIA, Sr./Int'l Associate AIA, Affiliate, allied org. member; \$26 for Associate AIA member; \$110 for non-member; No charge for Season Ticket holder

Join us to learn about the challenges and benefits of using Insulated Concrete Forms (ICFs). Moderated by Leigh Overland, AIA, Leigh Overland Architect, Danbury, this program includes discussion of the properties and applications of ICFs, the use of ICF's for multi-family residential construction and the architect/client relationship relative to an ICF project, as well as numerous case studies.

Presenters include Gregg Lewis, Executive Vice President, Strategy Concrete Promotion, National Ready Mixed Concrete Association; Leigh Overland, AIA; Brian Medford, Regional Manager, Fox Blocks; Bill Clymer, Director of Sales and Business Development, Nudura Insulated Concrete Forms; and Dennis Micoff, National Account Manager & Business Development, BuildBlocks; and Dominic DiCenzo, Director, the Connecticut Concrete Promotion Council.

## 2015 International Energy Code of the New 2018 State Building Code

Thursday, May 17, 2018

1:00-4:30 pm

3.5 HSW

Cost: \$70 for AIA, Sr./Int'l Associate AIA, Affiliate, allied org. member; \$35 for Associate AIA member; \$140 for non-member; No charge for Season Ticket holder

Learn about the requirements of and changes in the envelope sections of the 2015 International Energy Conservation Code (IECC). Both residential and commercial envelope chapters will be covered. The 2015 IECC will be part of the NEW 2018 Connecticut State Building Code that is expected to take effect July 1, 2018.

The following are the key learning points for the presentation.

- Building envelope requirements for both residential and commercial construction.
- New section clarifying the requirements for additions and alterations.
- Changes in daylight zones
- Information on the construction documents
- Compliance documentations

Presented by Fred Wajcs, PE. Fred is an Energy Code Consultant and Professional Engineer in South Windsor, Connecticut. He has over 45 years of experience in design, construction and administration. Fred is an AIA Connecticut member and member of the Connecticut Codes and Standards Committee. He has also served on the ASHRAE/IESNA Standard 90.1 committee and the ASHRAE HVAC commissioning Guideline committee.



## AIA Connecticut Outing

Tuesday, May 15, 2018

The Farms Country Club, 180 Cheshire Road, Wallingford, CT

AIA Connecticut invites you to a day of **GOLF** or half-day of **CROQUET**

**Golf:** 10:00 am registration  
11:00 am lunch: Full Lunch served in the Grill Room and Patio. Our menu will include various salads, salmon, grilled chicken, hamburgers, hotdogs, and desert.  
12:30 pm Shotgun start: Includes cart, gift bag, beverages, lunch, cocktail hour and awards sit-down dinner.

**Croquet:** 1:30 pm registration  
2:00 pm Play commences: Includes gift bag, beverages, snacks, and cocktail hour. Awards sit-down dinner is optional.

Bob Kroeger, a "professional croquet tournament director" will join us to provide instructional game play and to insure that the fun factor is present. Dapper clothing for men and fancy hats for women are *de rigueur*!

**Cocktail Hour:** 5:30 pm—After play, we will all reconvene in the Club House for an open bar and appetizers prior to dinner. This is a perfect opportunity to network with other professionals.

**Awards Dinner:** 6:30 pm—During this sit-down dinner, we will award the contest winners of the day. Dinner will be served with wine and a cash bar option. Silent Auction winners will also be announced.

**Meal options (make selection when registering):** Chicken Marsala with Veggies; Garlic Rubbed Roasted Prime Rib with Potato and Veggies; Wild Mushroom Risotto with Veggies.

\$200 Single Golfer; \$800 Golf Foursome; \$900 Golf Foursome plus Hole Sponsorship  
\$50 Croquet player (includes cocktail hour only); \$100 Croquet player (includes cocktail hour and awards dinner)  
\$75 Cocktail hour and Awards Dinner only

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