



50 THINGS WE DID IN 2024...

1. LAUNCHED A **501c3**, THE **AIA VIRGINIA FOUNDATION**, AND ACCEPTED OUR FIRST TAX-DEDUCTIBLE DONATIONS
2. AWARDED THE **INAUGURAL R. COREY CLAYBORNE SCHOLARSHIP** TO 2024 ELA CLASS MEMBER **PHILIP BAXTER, ASSOC. AIA**
3. GREW AIA VA MEMBERSHIP TO **OVER 2,500 MEMBERS**
4. SIGNIFICANTLY **REDUCED OUR OVERHEAD COSTS** AND SHIFTED RESOURCES TO SERVE OUR MEMBERS
5. OUR **ELA EXEC COMMITTEE** PLANNED AND EXECUTED THE **2024 ELA (EMERGING LEADERS IN ARCHITECTURE) PROGRAM** (THEIR PROJECT WILL BE A PLENARY SESSION AT ARCH EX)
6. OUR BOD WELCOMED **DR. DAYA TAYLOR, CHAIR OF THE ARCHITECTURE DEPARTMENT AT HAMPTON UNIVERSITY**, AS A NEW BOARD MEMBER
7. OUR BOD WELCOMED **ASHLEIGH WALKER (ASSOCIATE), SHAWN MULLIGAN (AIA CV), NEA POOLE (AIA RIC), TJ MEEHAN (AIA NOVA) & MICHAEL SCHWARTZ (AIA NOVA)** AS NEW BOARD MEMBERS
8. HOSTED THE **1ST BI-ANNUAL LEADERSHIP ROUNDTABLE** W/ STATE + LOCAL CHAPTER LEADERS
9. WELCOMED **DELANEY OGDEN** TO OUR STAFF AS **DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION**
10. WELCOMED **IREM SEZER** TO OUR STAFF AS OUR **FIRST VA SEA GRANT FELLOW**
11. HOSTED PRESENTERS **BILLIE TSIEN, RICK JOY, DWAYNE OYLER, & TED FLATO** FOR A WORLD-CLASS **DESIGN FORUM 2024** AT THE ICA AT VCU
12. JOINED OVER **350 AIA VIRGINIA MEMBERS** AT **AIA24** IN WASHINGTON DC
13. ATTENDED THE **ANNUAL MEETING** AT **AIA24** AND **VOTED ON BEHALF OF OUR MEMBERS** FOR 2025 LEADERSHIP AND POLICIES
14. CELEBRATED THE **ELEVATION OF AIA VIRGINIA MEMBERS MICHELLE AMT, ED FORD, MEL PRICE & BRUCE WARDELL TO FELLOWSHIP**
15. CELEBRATED WITH **PAULA LOOMIS, FAIA** AS SHE RECEIVED **AIA'S AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN PUBLIC ARCHITECTURE**
16. CELEBRATED WITH **QUINN EVANS** AS THEY RECEIVED **AIA'S ARCHITECTURE FIRM AWARD**
17. CELEBRATED **8 NATIONAL AWARDS** THAT WENT TO **VIRGINIA FIRMS AND CLIENTS** AT **AIA24**
18. ATTENDED **EDUCATIONAL SESSIONS PRESENTED BY AIA VIRGINIA MEMBERS** AT **AIA24**
19. HOSTED THE **2ND BI-ANNUAL LEADERSHIP ROUNDTABLE** W/ STATE + LOCAL CHAPTER LEADERS
20. HOSTED **TOWN HALL HAPPY HOUR EVENTS** IN PARTNERSHIP WITH EACH OF OUR FIVE LOCAL CHAPTERS (AND MET MANY OF YOU THERE)
21. CELEBRATED WITH LOCAL CHAPTERS **BLUE RIDGE, NORTHERN VIRGINIA, COASTAL VIRGINIA, AND CENTRAL VIRGINIA** AT THEIR **HONORS AND AWARDS CEREMONIES**
22. ATTENDED MEETINGS WITH STATE LEGISLATORS, STATE CAUCUSES, AND **ADVISED AS SUBJECT EXPERTS** ON ISSUES AFFECTING OUR PROFESSION
23. SUCCESSFULLY SUPPORTED A **BILL TO INCREASE THE HISTORIC REHABILITATION TAX CREDIT FROM \$5M TO \$7.5M PER YEAR**
24. SUCCESSFULLY SUPPORTED THE **DELAY OF STATE LEGISLATION TO MANDATE UNIVERSAL LICENSE RECOGNITION**
25. CELEBRATED **MICHAEL SPORY AND THE DESIGN COMMITTEE** FOR HOSTING AN **OUTSTANDING DESIGN FORUM** BY ALL MEASURES
26. OUR **MCP TASK FORCE** PLANNED A **MID-CAREER PROFESSIONALS PROGRAM** TO LAUNCH IN 2025
27. **EXPANDED ACCESS TO VISIONS HONORS + AWARDS GALA** AND INCLUDED IT WITH A 3-DAY REGISTRATION TO ARCH EX
28. OFFERED **A.R.E. CANDIDATES AMBER BOOK SUBSCRIPTIONS** FOR ONLY \$50
29. OUR **EVP** CONDUCTED OVER **20 IN-PERSON FIRM VISITS** TO HONE OUR **ADVOCACY EFFORTS**

30. LIAISONED WITH **STRATEGIC COUNSELOR ROBERT EASTER** ON AIA NATIONAL ISSUES
31. HOSTED **QUARTERLY NEW MEMBERS ZOOM CALLS** AND WELCOMED **DOZENS OF NEW MEMBERS**
32. **OUR BOD RETOOLED OUR INVESTMENTS** AND INCREASED RETURNS ON LONGTERM SAVINGS
33. SHARED HIGHLIGHTS OF OUR PROGRAMS + EVENTS AT **QUARTERLY LEADERSHIP EXCHANGE CALLS** WITH NY, NJ, PA, IOWA, NC + WVA
34. OUR **EAC** (EDUCATION ADVISORY COUNCIL) LANDED **JEFFREY MANSFIELD OF MASS DESIGN** AS OUR **KEYNOTE SPEAKER** AT ARCH EX
35. INITIATED A BILL AND SECURED SPONSORS TO **CREATE AN APPRENTICESHIP PATH TO LICENSURE**
36. HOSTED LUNCH WITH FACULTY AND STAFF AND **TOURED VT'S WAAC** (WASHINGTON ALEXANDRIA ARCHITECTURE CENTER) WITH THE BOD
37. OUR **VA COTE** (COMMITTEE OF THE ENVIRONMENT) CREATED AND SHARED A **THREE-PART VIRTUAL WORKSHOP ON ENERGY MODELING**
38. TOURED **JEFFERSON'S POPLAR FOREST + THE VILLAGES AT STAUNTON** WITH OUR **HISTORIC RESOURCES COMMITTEE**
39. OUR **COUNCIL OF FELLOWS** INITIATED A **FELLOWS BREAKFAST** AT ARCH EX
40. MADE GREAT PROGRESS TOWARD A **PAC (POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE) FUNDRAISING GOAL OF \$60K** LED BY OUR **PAC BOARD OF TRUSTEES**
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42. OUR **OUTREACH ADVISORY COUNCIL** WORKED TO **STANDARDIZE REQUIREMENTS FOR STATE + LOCAL AWARD SUBMISSIONS**
43. BESTOWED **HONORARY MEMBERSHIP UPON STEWART ROBERSON**
44. HONORED **KRYSTAL ANDERSON, AIA + SHEENA MAYFIELD, AIA** WITH **EMERGING ARCHITECT AWARDS**
45. RECOGNIZED **CAITLIN MORGAN, ASSOC. AIA** WITH THE **VIRGINIA ASSOCIATES AWARD**
46. BESTOWED THE **T. DAVID FITZ-GIBBON VIRGINIA ARCHITECTURE FIRM AWARD** TO **VIA DESIGN ARCHITECTS**
47. RECOGNIZED **KATHRYN PRIGMORE** AS THE **2024 NOLAND MEDALIST**
48. LANDED **MARK CAVAGNERO, FAIA** AS OUR **2024 DESIGN AWARDS JURY CHAIR**
49. WELCOMED **CRAIG HARTMAN, FAIA, CURTIS CLAY, AIA, PAUL WOOLFORD, FAIA & BILL LEDDY, FAIA** AS **2024 DESIGN AWARDS JURORS**
50. **CELEBRATED 19 DESIGN AWARDS AT VISIONS FOR ARCHITECTURE** IN THE CATEGORIES OF **ARCHITECTURE, CONTEXTUAL DESIGN, ADAPTIVE USE, HISTORIC PRESERVATION, INTERIOR DESIGN, SMALL PROJECTS, SMALLER PROJECTS, AND UNBUILT WORK**