

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Members,

2023 will be a great year for our chapter—we expect to provide more in-person events after three years of disruption caused by the pandemic.

The most prominent event in Q1 was the **5th Annual AIA Design Awards Banquet** during which we announced the results of the 2022 China Design Excellence Awards (CDEA). More than 250 AIA members and guests participated in the banquet. The event featured keynote addresses from U.S. Consul General James Heller of the US Consulate General in Shanghai and Chief Architect Wujie Rong of GreenLand Group and chair of the Real Estate Committee of the Architectural Society of Shanghai China. We appreciate the support from American Hardwood Export Council and NorthGlass, our 2022 annual sponsors, as well as our community partners including ULI and RIBA.

We are proud to announce that **AIA National has elevated four AIA Shanghai Members to Fellow**.

On behalf of our chapter, Jason Holland, Principal of Studio Doho, presented in the **AIA International Spring Conference - Detail and Storytelling**. Holland discussed the use of storytelling to create interior spaces.

In the Greater Bay Area, we co-hosted a **mixer event with ULI and RIBA** to connect our growing community in the southern region.

We also launched 2023 mentorship program with the first **sharing series with James Lu**, Managing Director of Perkins&Will.

We have more exciting programs this year. Please stay tuned!

Sincerely yours,

Anderson Hsieh Intl. Assoc. AIA
President AIA Shanghai | Beijing

5TH ANNUAL AIA DESIGN AWARDS BANQUET



2022 CDEA HONOR AWARD WINNERS



SHANGHAI LIBRARY EAST 上海图书馆东馆

Location: Pudong, Shanghai
地点: 上海浦东新区

Firm/设计单位: Schmidt Hammer Lassen, part of Perkins&Will



OCT BAO' AN OH BAY 深圳华侨城欢乐港湾

Location: Shenzhen, Guangdong
地点: 广东深圳

Firm: Laguarda.Low Architects
设计单位: LLA建筑设计



CHAPEL OF SOUND 山谷音乐厅

Location: Chengde, Hebei
地点: 河北承德

Firm: OPEN Architecture
设计单位: OPEN建筑事务所



CHANGNING BAMBOO CULTURE CENTER 长宁县竹文化馆

Yibin, Sichuan 四川宜宾

Firm: Tongji Architectural Design Co., Ltd
设计单位: 同济大学建筑设计研究院



FOUR AIA SHANGHAI MEMBERS ELEVATED TO FELLOW



Ping JIANG FAIA is the founder and design principal of EID Architecture, a leading international practice for architecture and urbanism based in Shanghai and Hong Kong. Ping Jiang has worked extensively in the United States, Europe, and Asia through his career. His work aims to address the ever-changing urban conditions in China and beyond, confronting the challenges of complex urban realities and environmental

issues with an impressive portfolio of projects across typologies and scales. He has been awarded numerous international awards, including multiple AIA Design Awards, The Plan Award, Architecture Review Future Award, and World Architecture Festival Award. AD 100 named Mr. Jiang as one of the 100 most influential designers working in China. His studio won 2022 AIA International Firm Award. ●



Xiangming HUANG Honorary FAIA is the Chief Architect and Board member of TIANHUA Group. His fields of expertise are urban development and renewal, cultural architecture, residential architecture, office and commercial development, and comprehensive development. More than 30 years of experience in architectural design has bestowed him with profound understanding and keen insight on cities and architecture.

He approaches design with an international perspective, promote the integration of design creativity and advanced technology. He won the honorary title of "Outstanding Figures of China Engineering and Consulting Industry on the 70th Anniversary of PRC" awarded by the China Engineering and Consulting Association. In 2022, he won the honorary title of "RIBA One Hundred Architects in China". ●



Dr. Jiang WU Honorary FAIA is the Director of Elaborated Urban Governance of Tongji University, Director of the Yangzi Delta Institute for Sustainable Development, Dean of the UNEP-Tongji Institute of Environment and Sustainable Development, Vice Chairman of the Urban Planning Society of China, Chairman of Shanghai Urban Planning Society, Chairman of the Institute of Architectural Education of the Architecture

Society of China, Steering Council Member of the Architecture Society of China, vice chairman of Shanghai Architecture Society, chairman of the Editorial Board of Time+ Architecture, Vice President of ARCASIA, Chief Editor of Architecture Asia, and deputy Director General of Shanghai Municipal Urban Planning Administration Bureau. He was named the French Chevalier of Arts and Literature in 2021. ●



Philip F. YUAN Honorary FAIA is a professor at the College of Architecture and Urban Planning at Tongji University and Editor-in-Chief of Architectural Intelligence journal. He served as Thomas Jefferson professor at University of Virginia, visiting professor at MIT, and Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology. Yuan co-founded Digital FUTURES Association and served as a council member of UIA Professional Prac-

tice Commission. Yuan is a pioneer of architectural intelligence and robotic fabrication, integrates technological innovation with design and culture, environment and ethics to advance human-machine collaboration. He received notable awards, including 2022 AIA Open International | Architecture Honor Award, 2022 Dezeen Award Best Civic Building, and 2020 ACADIA Innovative Academic Program Award of Excellence. ●

ABOUT AIA FELLOWSHIP

The Fellowship program (FAIA) was developed to elevate architects who have achieved a standard of excellence in the profession and made a significant contribution to architecture and society on a national level. The AIA Honorary Fellowship program honors international architects for their exceptional work and contributions to architecture and society on an international level. Please join us in congratulating our distinguished members on their career accomplishment. ●

2023 MENTORSHIP PROGRAM

We are excited to launch 2023 mentorship program in April. Interested candidates should be willing to commit the time and energy to allow a successful and valuable mentorship experience. We anticipate that this one-on-one mentorship program will last approximately twelve months with the aim of connecting Emerging Professionals with leaders in the AIA Shanghai | Beijing community. Interests and topics of discussions will vary and be dependent on the mentee to prepare and guide the mentorship process.



The first session of the Mentors Sharing Series was held on February 24 at Perkins&Will / Schmidt Hammer Lassen's office in Shanghai. James Lu, Managing Director of Perkins&Will, talked about the business of design and how it works. He explored the diverse types of firms in the design industry and discussed the different components that form a design practice using merger of Perkins&Will and Schmidt Hammer Lassen as a case study. ●

2023 Q1 EVENTS

March 8 | Women in Architecture: Suzhou Creek Walking Tour



In celebrating the International Women's Day, our chapter held a special project tour along the Suzhou Creek for all our inspirational women in our design community. We are honored to have the developer, architect, urban, and landscape designers join us to discuss the fascinating events that led to the canal's transformation of the urban neighborhood over the last 13 years and the ongoing construction along the waterfront. We concluded the tour at the 'The Upper Room' rooftop bar. Special thanks to our sponsors CCAT and iGuzzini for supporting this event.

February 16 | Greater Bay Area Mixer



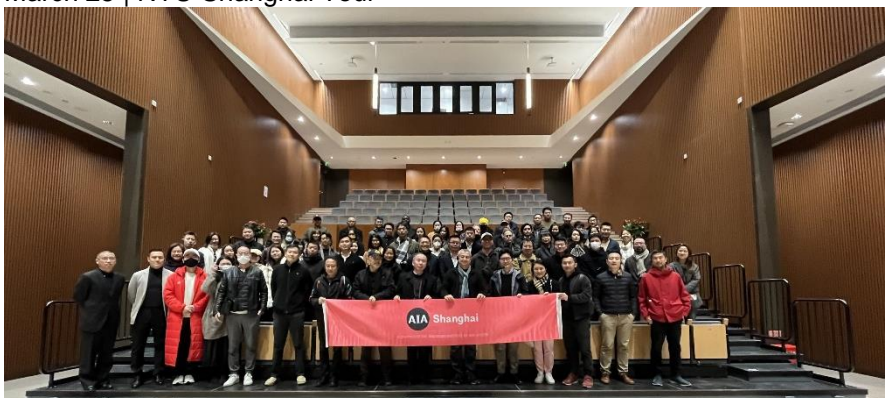
We partnered with the ULI and RIBA to host our first Greater Bay Area Mixer. The event was held at the (O Power) Drunk N Jump in Shenzhen on February 16. This event was designed to allow architects and designers to forge connections with those working in the Greater Bay Area.

March 9 | AIA International Spring Conference



Jason Holland of STUDIO DOHO discussed the use of storytelling to create interior spaces; with a focus on experience and narrative-based projects in China. He explored STUDIO DOHO's process and learnings when working with international and Chinese brands to create retail spaces that reflect the unique voice of the brand and engage consumers.

March 25 | NYU Shanghai Tour



We held a lecture and guided tour at the new NYU Shanghai campus designed by KPF. The project began as an American style university campus in China, blending traditional and contemporary aspects from both western and Chinese designs. Four main key concepts included social, interdisciplinary, cultural and communal aspects of the educational facility. We thank TONG Shijun, Chancellor of NYU Shanghai, Rebecca CHENG, Principal of KPF, and Ding LI, Chief Architect of AISA, ARCPLUS for their hospitality. We appreciate Shanghai Yaohua Pilkington Glass Group and Jangho for the event sponsorship. ●

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Please stay tuned for upcoming events including CDEA Winners' Lectures, Master Lectures, Project Tours, and social networking.

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We look forward to seeing you soon!

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