

Past LDC Members

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LDC 2024

Class of 2024 – Sponsored by Civilitude

2024 Oversight Committee:

Beth Almost(2023 class), Dustin Dorph (2022 class), David Ross (2023 class)

From 52 applicants, the 16 individuals below were selected based on established criteria for the twenty-first class:

Chad Baldwin
Garrett Coleman
Martha Givhan
Julianne Grellner
Mindy Hoang
Devon Huseman,
Samantha Jay
Alex Knott
Courtney Laas
Libby Linton
Travis Moltz
William Nilson
Katelyn Parmelee
Preston Salce
Katherine Sasser
Claudia Taylor

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LDC 2023

Class of 2023 – Sponsored by Civilitude

2023 Oversight Committee:

Ali Avara (2019 class), Hillary Paris (2022 class), Blake Wilson (2022 class)

From 44 applicants, the 18 individuals below were selected based on established criteria for the twenty-first class:

Beth Almost
Charlotte Blakemore
Beck DeSpain
Lexie England
Nathan Fleets
Liz Gates
Drew Hanish
Harry Jung
Mackenzie Kisslinger
Luke Kline
Anna Merryman
Marla Mauricio
Ben Rinke
David Ross
Ellie Smith
Paul Wagner
Ryan Waikem
David Zolno

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2022 Oversight Committee:

John Lewis (2018 class), Kimberly (Nordoff) Moyer (2018 class), Rachael (Bell) Saufferer (2020-2021 class), Drew Raffaele (2020-2021 class)

From 38 applicants, the 17 individuals below were selected based on established criteria for the twentieth class:

B Barnett
Zach Biales
Kelsey Brucks
Cristina Cordoba
Dustin Dorph
Marissa Garza
Ryan Kim
Max McCauley
Ryan McClurg
Hillary Paris
Joseph Prochot
Brett Reamer
Ryan Sullivan
John (JP) Sullivan
Justin Vogel
Aubrey Williamson
Blake Wilson

LDC 2020-2021

Class of 2020-2021 – Sponsored by Civilitude

2020-2021 Oversight Committee:

Shane Hesson (2019 class), Zeeshan Malik (2019 class), Nicole Marburger (2017 class)

From 38 applicants, the 15 individuals below were selected based on established criteria for the nineteenth class:

Rachael Bell
Blake Brown
Jonathan Burch
Jen Buterick
Kate Davy
Andrew Gonzales
Andrew Grimm
Sierra Holloway
Kelechi Madubuko
Sander Mohn
Connor Overby
Drew Raffaele
Robin Simon
Otto Swinger

LDC 2019

Class of 2019 – Sponsored by Civilitude

2019 Oversight Committee:

Jacqueline Dudley (2018 class), Michael Gonzalez (2018 class), Vito Trupiano (2016 class)

From 32 applicants, the 15 individuals below were selected based on established criteria for the eighteenth class:

Ali Avara
Josh Brown
David Forester
Saba Hatami
Shane Hesson
Raymond Jenkins
Turner Kerr
Michael Linehan
Zeeshan Malik
Marissa McKinney
Diego Negrete
Abby Penner
Travis Rogers
Sarah Shepard-Ulusoy
Andrew Stauch

LDC 2018

Class of 2018 – Sponsored by Civilitude

2018 Oversight Committee:

Board Representative: Walt Ferguson

2016 LDC Graduates: Harrison Hudson, Nicole Olvera, Geoffrey Palmer

From 42 applicants, the 16 individuals below were selected based on established criteria for the seventeenth class:

Justin Brodnax
Amanda Brown
Kate Clark
Lance Coplin
Jacqueline Dudley
Lauren Gammon
Michael Gonzalez,
Ben Green
Ken Hebson
John Lewis
Kelly Maxwell
Kim Nordhoff
Scott Phillips
J. Pieratt

LDC 2017

Class of 2017 – Sponsored by Civilitude

2017 Oversight Committee:

Board Representative: Chico Parker

2016 LDC Graduates: Dustin Cosper, Kandice Pierce and Bobak Tehrany

From 52 applicants, the 16 individuals below were selected based on established criteria for the sixteenth class:

Nicodemus Abowd

John Beckworth

Jarrold Cady

Matt Dungan

Drew Fuller

Hal Guggolz

Danielle Hannah

Harrison Hudson

Kelsey Kemper

Josh Lickteig

Nicole Marburger

Geoffrey Palmer

Jesse Van Wick

Amberly Washington

Keenan Wilson

Nolan Woyner

LDC 2016

Class of 2016 - Sponsored by: LEVY Architects

2016 Oversight Committee:

Board Members Lara Burns and Omar Hossain and 2015 class graduates Kevin Atherton and Brittany Morrison

From 40 applicants, the 16 individuals below were selected based on established criteria for the fifteenth class:

Dustin Blankenship

Dustin Cospers

Walt Ferguson

Ingrid Featherston

Jennifer Finch

Amy Hageman

Jay Horn

Kate Kniejski

Cara Lyons

Jewels Nickells

Nicole Olvera

Kandice Pierce

Logan Reichle

Jackson Roche

Bobak Tehrany

Vito Trupiano

LDC 2015

Class of 2015 - Sponsored by: LEVY Architects

2015 Oversight Committee:

Board Members John Hay and Lara Burns and 2014 class graduates Max Reinbach III and James "Chico" Parker

From 40 applicants, the 15 individuals below (listed in alphabetical order) were selected based on established criteria for the fourteenth class:

Kevin Atherton

Kurt Cleveland

Dan Frey

Darryl Frost

Will Herring,

Nhat Ho

Bradley Jones

Ashley Kegley-Whitehead

Noah Marburger

Brittany Byrd Morrison

Alexander Papavasiliou

Caitlyn Ryan

Ryan Shipley

Michelle Moore Smith

Derek Villemez

LDC 2014

Class of 2016 - Sponsored by: LEVY Architects

2014 Oversight Committee:

Board Members Greta Goldsby and Ryan Berger and 2013 class graduates Troy Marcus and Kyle Spencer

From 43 applicants, the 15 individuals below (listed in alphabetical order) were selected based on established criteria for the thirteenth class:

Danae Falvo

Nate Gitlin

Clayton Holmes

Omar Hossain

Adam Kucera

Barrett Lepore

Jesse Malone

Shannon Nichols

Will Nichols

Chico Parker

Max Reinbach

Travis Robertson

Kelsey Roop

Maggie Vineyard

Joel Wixson

LDC 2013

Class of 2016 - Sponsored by: LEVY Architects

2013 Oversight Committee:

Board Members Cooper Drenner and Greta Goldsby and 2012 class graduates Lauren Lockhart, Taylor Terkel, and Josh Williams

From the 37 applications from RECA members, the 15 individuals below (listed in alphabetical order) were selected based on established criteria for the twelfth class:

Ryan Berger
Lara Burns
Cathrine Cleavinger
Nelson Crowe
Justin Davis, D.R. Horton
Luke Esser
Paulette Gibbins
Shawn Graham
Troy Marcus
Matt Murphy
Sam Owen
Gabriel Sanchez
Dwayne Shoppa
Kyle Spencer
Ashley Teykl

LDC 2012

2012 Oversight Committee:

Board Members Pam Madere and Cathy Nabours and 2011 class graduates Marcy Darsey, Tim Riley, and Amanda Swor

Class of 2012

From the 28 applications from RECA members, the 12 individuals below (listed in alphabetical order) were selected based on established criteria for the eleventh class:

Grant Barrett
Stephen Delgado
John Hay
Andy Heard
John Heffington
Lauren Lockhart
Kelli Morrison
Jonathan Neslund
Taylor Terkel
Josh Williams
Jason Wyatt

LDC 2011

2011 Oversight Committee:

2004 LDC Graduate and Board Member Cathy Nabours and Board Member Pam Madere, and
2010 class graduates Stephen Levy, Jeff Scott, and Kristi Stotts

Class of 2011

From the 25 applications from RECA members, the 11 individuals below (listed in alphabetical
order) were selected based on established criteria for the tenth class:

Andrea Bleau
Daniel Campbell
Marcy Darsey
Kevin Flahive
Jude Galligan
Clay Golden
Leslie Pollack
Alex Reyna
Tim Riley
Amanda Swor
Margaret von Flatern

LDC 2010

2010 Oversight Committee:

2004 LDC Graduate and Board Member Cathy Nabours and 2007 LDC Graduate Tim Mooney, and 2009 class graduates Jason Cheng, Tausha Carlson, and Melissa Neslund

Class of 2010

From the 43 applications from RECA members, the 13 individuals below (listed in alphabetical order) were selected based on established criteria for the ninth class:

John Bohnen
Emily Brown
Greta Goldsby
Zach Hunter
Max Kroschel
Stephen Levy
Gemsong Perry
Travis Phillips
Jorge Rangel
Jeff Scott
Kristi Stotts
Megan Wanek
Deren Wilcox

LDC 2009

2009 Oversight Committee:

Board Member Jeremy Smitheal and 2008 LDC Graduates Graham Carter, Jeannine Tvinnereim, and Scott Wuest

From the 62 applications from RECA members, the 15 individuals below (listed in alphabetical order) were selected based on established criteria for the eighth class:

Class of 2009

Tausha Carlson
Amber Carroll
Jason Cheng
Lewis Cook
Aisha Hagen
Kareem Hajjar
Judd Leach
Matt Levin
Shelly Mitchell
Melissa Matthiesen Neslund
Lawrence O'Connor
Katie Ogden
Molly Polk
Jason Steinberg
Ryan Therrell

LDC 2008

2008 Steering Committee:

Amie Parks, Jonny Rodgers, and Elissa Underwood

Class of 2008

From the 51 applications from RECA members, the 13 individuals listed in alphabetical order) were selected based on established criteria for the seventh class:

Patricia Buchholtz
Wesley Dickerson
Matt Epple
Xazel Garcia
Brian Haulotte
Fayez Kazi,
Doug Rauls
Louise Sayers
Meredith Sloan Knight
Jonathan Tate
Jeannine Tvinnereim
Scott Wuest
Graham Carter

LDC 2007

2007 Steering Committee:

Peter Cesaro, Kate Ford, and Ben White

Class of 2007

From the 41 applications from RECA members, the 15 individuals below (listed in alphabetical order) were selected based on established criteria for the sixth class:

Gabe Bruehl
Matthew Green
Patrick Hudson
Karen Kelly
Tim Mooney
Amie Parks
Angela Peterson
Jason Qunell
Elizabeth Redwine
Chris Risher
Jonny Rodgers
Rob Shands
Tooney Thepsoumane
Elissa Underwood
Darren Webber

LDC 2006

2006 Steering Committee:

Jill Gibson, Kalinda Howe, and Will Withers

Class of 2006

From the 35 applications from RECA members, the 14 individuals below (listed in alphabetical order) were selected based on established criteria for the fifth class:

Greg Bourgeois
Peter Cesaro
Elsa Decker
Kate Ford
Peter French
Julie Huls
Andrew Lau
Nick Moulinet
Doug Opalka
David Perez
Andrea Rado
John Schawe
Eric Schiedler
Ben White

LDC 2005

2005 Steering Committee:

Chris Bodine, Stephen Butler, and Brian Estes

Class of 2005

From the 40 applications from RECA members, the 15 individuals below (listed in alphabetical order) were selected based on established criteria for the fourth class:

Meagan Banse
Chad Barrett
Ken Boyer
Jill Gibson Douglas
Parker Estes
Kalinda Howe
Rashed Islam
Corby Jastrow
Derek Land
Cheryl Scott Ryan
Dudley Simmons
Patrick Smith
Dale Thornton
Talley Williams
Will Withers

LDC 2004

2004 Steering Committee:

Sevie Boyd, Scott Flack, and Amy Frederick

Class of 2004

From the 60 applications from RECA members, the 15 individuals below (listed in alphabetical order) were selected based on established criteria for the third class:

Brian Birdwell
David Blackbird
Chris Bodine
Rebecca Bray
Stephen Butler
Lynn Ann Carley
Scott Carr
Brian Estes
Roland Galang
Dallas Kelley
Eric Layne
Cathy Nabours
Stephanie Norvell
Michele Rogerson Lynch

LDC 2003

2003 Steering Committee:

Mendy Willis, Stephen Beal, and Chris Bell

Class of 2003

From the 47 applications from RECA members, the 15 individuals below (listed in alphabetical order) were selected based on established criteria for the second class:

Scott Flack
Amy Frederick
Michele Hausmann
Christy Conery-Hester
Kari Cain Johnson
Jamie Knight
Joe Lamy
Tracy Lee
David Parkerson
David Ross
Sherri Lindsey
Sevie Schonerstedt
Ana Stanton
Tai Tran
Russell Young

LDC 2002

2002 Steering Committee:

Michael Cooper, Janna Melton, and KC Willis

Class of 2002

From the 35 applications from RECA members, the 17 individuals below (listed in alphabetical order) were selected based on established criteria for the initial class:

Lynn Alderson
Mendy Atwell Willis
Stephen Beal
Christopher Bell
Michael Cooper
Stephen Coulston
John Cyrier
Steve Daniel
Keith Donahoe
Whitney Eledge Withers
Clint Jones
Russ Krengel
Janna Melton
Doug Ruby
Michelle Simpkins
Andrew Swanson
KC Willis, The Willis Company, LLC