

Ralph D. Johnson, AIA, APA

Professor

Full-time

Education and Degrees

Masters of Science in Architecture and Urban Design Columbia University, New York, New York 1982,
Terminal Degree
Certificate in Civil Engineering Air Force Institute of Technology, Dayton Ohio 1972
Bachelor of Architecture University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas 1970, Professional Degree

Teaching Experience

Burton K. Wheeler Center for Public Policy, Montana State University
Director, 2007- present
School of Architecture, Montana State University, Full Professor, 1993-present
Interim Director School of Architecture, Montana State University, 2004-2005
School of Architecture Graduate Program Director, 1996-2005
University Honors Program, Montana State University, Director, 1990-1993
School of Architecture, Montana State University, Assistant Professor, 1986-1990
Department of Architecture, Arizona State University, Visiting Faculty, 1982-1984
Department of Architecture, Arizona State University, Adjunct Faculty, 1979-1980

Registration

Architectural Licenses: State of Arizona, Registration No. 105921, State of Washington, Registration No. 208-000-0004373, Previously licensed in California and Florida through the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards. Registration allowed to lapse in 1985.

Professional Memberships

Member of the American Institute of Architects (AIA) 1973 to present
Member of the Urban Land Institute (ULI) 1982 to present
Member of the American Planning Association (APA) 1993 to present
Member of the Small Towns Institute 1996 to present

Research and Creative Activities

Bozeman Triangle Scenario Planning, Lincoln Institute for Land Policy, 2009-10
Teton County Idaho Analysis and Replanning Scenarios, Lincoln Institute for Land Policy, 2008-2009
Building from the Best of the Northern Rockies, Ralph Johnson, Sonoran Institute 2007
Large Classroom, Small Group Teaching and Learning Strategies Teaching Student Oriented Teaching and Learning International Conference 2006
Problem Based Learning in Higher Education Student Oriented Teaching and Learning International Conference 2005
Developing a Mentor Ship Program in Nontraditional Teaching Strategies (Co-authored with Pamela Harris, MSU Department of Nutrition) International Conference on Problem Base Learning 2002
University Research and Creativity Grant \$22,500 grant to complete research for Building from the Best of the Northern Rockies 2006
Sonoran Institute \$15,000 grant to identify best building practices in the Northern Rockies and facilitate a series of eight round table discussions focused on growth with developers, builders, planners, scientists, politicians and bankers from throughout the region 2005
Rocky Boy Reservation, Chippewa – Cree Tribal Nation Community Plan (Community Design) \$7,500 grant from Walking Shield Corporation to develop a community derived land use plan for the Rocky Boy Reservation in Northern Montana 2004

Academic & Professional Honors

International

International UIA Student Competition, XXI World Congress of Architecture, 2002

International Student Competition, American Society of Architects, 2001

National

Collaborative Practice Award, 1998

Certificate of Recognition, 1992

Education Honors Award, 1989

American Institute of Architects National Conference, Urban Design Awards, Browning Vision Project - Selected for Exhibition, 1998

Town Center Design Competition, Village of Plainfield, Illinois Selected for Exhibition, 1997

Collaborative Practice Award, Association of Collegiate Schools of Architecture, 1997

State

Affordable, Sustainable Energy Efficient Home Design Competition, Montana Dept. of Environ. Quality, 2001

University

Excellence in Outreach Award, 2004

Cox Award for Creative Scholarship and Teaching, 1997

President's Teaching Award, 1996

Faculty Achievement Award, 1994

Golden Key Honor Society Award, 1994

Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society, 1993

School

Faculty Achievement in Research Award, School of Architecture Advisory Council, 2006

Faculty Achievement Award, Montana State University Honors Program, 1989

Teaching Excellence Award, Montana State University Student Chapter of the AIA, 1988

Professional Experience

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Cooper-Eckstut Planners, New York City, New York, 1981-1982

DWL Architects, Phoenix, Arizona, 1973-1979

U.S. Air Force, Phoenix Arizona, 1970-1973

Service

Departmental

Curriculum, 1993-Present, 1987-1990

Department Head Advisory, 1995-2005

Department Head Search, 2008-2009, 1995-1996, 1989-1990

Faculty Search, 2005-2006, 1997-2002, 1993-1995, 1987-1990

Graduate Program Coordinator, 1996-2005

Promotion & Tenure, 2009-2010, 2001-2002, 1994-1995, 1991-1992,

College

Dean's Advisory Council, 1996-2005

Promotion & Tenure, 2010-2011

Humanities & Arts Curriculum Development, 1997-Present

University

Conciliation, 1993-1998 (Chair 1995-2000)

Core Curriculum, 1990-1993

Directed Interdisciplinary Studies Degree, 1988 - 1995

Graduate Council, 1998-2001

Honorary Degree, 1995-2007

American Studies Degree Committee 2009 - Present

Liberal Studies Degree Committee 2001 - Present

Phi Kappa Phi Board of Directors, 1995-1998 (President 1995-1998)

Women's Study Minor Program, 1989 - 1994

Community

Town of Manhattan, Montana, Planning Advisor, 1993 – Present
City of Three Forks, Montana, Planning Advisor, 1993- Present
Bridger Bowl Board of Directors, 1993-2000 (Chair of long range planning, building and finance committees)
American Institute of Architects Regional and Urban Design Committee, 1993-Present
United Nations Economic Development Assistance Team, 1993- 2001