

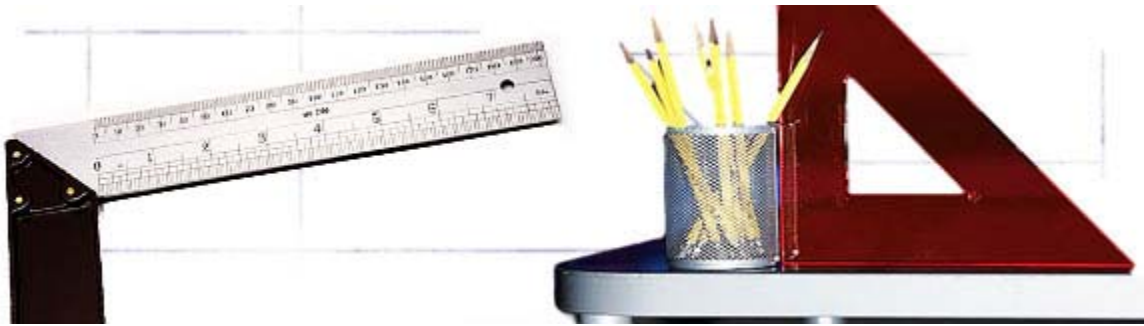
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Dear Michele,

Each month, AIA Florida's goal is to provide all of Florida's emerging and young architects with the most up-to-date news about what matters most.

## NCARB Coming to Florida

This fall, representatives from NCARB will be traveling to Florida universities to talk about all things IDP and ARE. NCARB is anticipated to visit all six schools before the end of the year. This is a great opportunity to have your IDP/ARE questions answered by the regulating body. More information on the schedule is coming soon!

## IDP Coordinators Conference

Last month, IDP State Coordinator Nathan Butler, AIA represented Florida at the IDP Coordinators conference in Chicago, IL.

The focus this year was on Educator Coordinators: university faculty members who are well-versed in the IDP process and appointed by their dean to serve. Recent accreditation updates by NAAB require that all accredited universities offering a professional degree in architecture must have a dedicated Educator Coordinator. The conference was an informative introduction to new attendees and a good refresher for repeat coordinators.

Representatives from NAAB and NCARB were at the conference

### Resources

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### Join the Conversation



### New BFFs

- Monika Blazenovic, Assoc. AIA (AIA Tampa Bay)
- Camilo A. Bonnet, Assoc. AIA (AIA Miami)
- Robert S. Hott, Assoc. AIA (AIA Tampa Bay)
- Peter A. Oliver, Assoc. AIA (AIA Orlando)
- Shane F. Ross, Assoc. AIA (AIA Tampa Bay)
- Julia A. Valleau, Assoc. AIA (AIA Jacksonville)

providing information and advice. All six universities in Florida with architecture programs now have an Educator Coordinator. Together with the local IDP coordinators, university students in Florida will have better access to assistance and information on the IDP.

Florida's Educator Coordinators are:

FAMU: Michael Alfano, Jr., AIA

UF: Bradley Walters, AIA

USF: Mark Weston, AIA

FIU: Jason Chandler

FAU: Peter Magyar

UM: Alan Shulman, FAIA

## Associates at Convention

Last month, AIA Florida held its Annual Convention at the Sawgrass Marriott in Ponte Vedra Beach. While attendance was lower than past years, the Convention proved to be a huge success with over 360 attendees! 19 associate members were in attendance including Kelly Weiczorek, Assoc. AIA, the 2010 Associate Individual Honor Award.

Congratulations, Kelly!



## Healthcare Clinic Design Competition Winners

The Florida Foundation for Architecture, along with the AIA Orlando Academy of Architecture for Health, recently hosted a design competition for emerging professionals in Florida. This competition was to design a Healthcare Clinic for the Homeless. The top finalists presented their solutions at the Foundation's Annual Luncheon on Saturday, August 21 at the Sawgrass Marriott.

[CLICK HERE](#) to view the 1st and 2nd place winners, along with two honorable mention winners.

## Upcoming Events

**FAU Institute for Design & Construction**

*ARE Prep (2) "Building Design & Construction Systems"*

Sept. 7 at 7:10 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Location: FAU Boca Raton Campus, 777 Glades Rd., Boca Raton, FL 33431

Information: Leigh McFarland - (954) 762-5184 or

[mcfarlan@fau.edu](mailto:mcfarlan@fau.edu)

*ARE Prep "Building Systems (aka MEP)"*

Ashley N. Verbanic, Assoc. AIA  
(AIA Tampa Bay)

### TMI...

If you need to schedule an exam, [CLICK HERE](#) to get started.

### Calendar Events



Click on the image to view the AIA Florida calendar of events.

Sept. 21, 28 Oct. 5, 7 & 12 at 7:10 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.  
Location: FAU Boca Raton Campus, 777 Glades Rd., Boca Raton, FL 33431  
Information: Leigh McFarland (954) 762-5184 or [mcfarlan@fau.edu](mailto:mcfarlan@fau.edu) or [www.idac.fau.edu](http://www.idac.fau.edu)

#### **AIA Orlando**

*Young Architects Forum Lecture*

Sept. 8 Social: 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m., Lecture: 7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

Location: DLR Group, 100 E. Pine St. #404, Orlando, FL 32801

#### **AIA Miami**

*"ARE Structure Seminar" Presented by Professor David J. Thaddeus, AIA, NCARB*

Oct. 22- 1:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.; Oct. 23 - 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.;

Oct. 24 - 8:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Location: University of Miami SOA, Glasgow Hall, 1215 Dickinson Dr., Coral Gables

More information: AIA Miami (305) 448-7488

*Call for Entries: "2010 Architectural Photography Competition"*

Deadline: Oct. 22

More Info: [www.aiamiami.com](http://www.aiamiami.com) or (305) 448-7488

#### **Young Architects Forum-Atlanta Chapter**

*1st Annual Photography Competition - "YAF10 - Envisioning Breuer"*

Deadline: Amateurs-September 15

Info: [www.photography.yafatlanta.org](http://www.photography.yafatlanta.org) or email:

[yafphotography@gmail.com](mailto:yafphotography@gmail.com)

Have your AIAs and component's event listed here. Email them to Dawn Jimenez at [djimenez@aiafla.org](mailto:djimenez@aiafla.org). For more events, visit our calendar.



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