

The Royal Architectural
Institute of Canada
2008 Annual Report



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- To support architects in achieving excellence.



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President's Report



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Last June, at the 2008 Festival of Architecture in Fredericton, I had the honour of succeeding **Kiyoshi Matsuzaki, PP/FRAIC**, as President of the RAIC for a one-year term. At the time, I committed to focusing my efforts on ensuring the RAIC carries out its mission as effectively as possible in the current environment and provide its members with useful, high-quality services.

Over a little more than a century, the RAIC has been the leading voice of architecture in Canada. It has done a great deal to enhance the prestige of this field by celebrating the richness and diversity of Canadian architecture and promoting the contribution that architecture makes to our country, both economically and culturally.

I would sincerely like to thank my predecessor, **Kiyoshi Matsuzaki, PP/FRAIC**, and all previous presidents, particularly those whom I've had the pleasure of getting to know during my years on the RAIC Board of Directors, and who have done so much to make the RAIC such a dynamic organization.

2008 Highlights

The 2008 Festival of Architecture, organized in cooperation with the Architects' Association of New Brunswick (AANB), was held in Fredericton. The city's charm and the local architects' hospitality contributed a great deal to making the annual meeting a success. The **Honourable Herménégilde Chiasson, Hon. FIRAC**, Lieutenant Governor of New Brunswick, was made an Honorary Fellow. Through his many activities, Mr. Chiasson has shown himself to be a strong supporter of architecture. Four years ago, in cooperation with the AANB, he established the Lieutenant Governor's Award of Excellence in Architecture in his province.

In August, the RAIC hosted the third meeting of the central council of the APEC Architect Project in Vancouver. A framework was adopted for negotiating mutual recognition agreements regarding architects' professional skills among the 14 member countries.

In October, winners of the Governor General's Medals in Architecture met at Rideau Hall to receive their awards from Her Excellency, the Right Honourable Michaëlle Jean. The evening before the ceremony, RAIC Board members attended an "Arts Matters" session at Carleton University's School of Architecture, organized by Her Excellency's husband, His Excellency Jean-Daniel Lafond. Everyone appreciated the warm welcome the Governor General extended to the architects, her eloquent speech and her understanding of the social significance of architecture.

Major Initiatives

Tremendous progress was made on several major initiatives in 2008, thanks to the continued efforts of RAIC employees and volunteers.

To reach the goal of the 2030 Challenge, adopted by the RAIC in 2007, we launched a Wiki site in 2008 to help architects share information on design strategies and technology that enable buildings to be carbon neutral. The project was carried out by volunteer members of the Task Force on the 2030 Challenge. We are counting on RAIC members to provide information for this site and make it an interactive tool.

Another task force focused on preparing a guide to negotiating professional fees, which will be presented at the Festival of Architecture and Forum in 2009.

The practice committee revised *Document Six: The Canadian Standard Form of Contract for Architectural Services*. I introduced regular teleconferences attended by our representatives to the CCDC and members of the practice committee. Through close communication such as this, the RAIC can quickly establish its position on any issue raised during the review process for various CCDC documents, and thereby ensure the profession is represented effectively.



The review committee composed of volunteer architects and the RAIC Executive Director completed the full revision of the *Canadian Handbook of Practice*, an essential and sizeable job.

For the past few years, the RAIC has organized round tables of leaders from provincial and territorial orders and associations of architects. The main subjects discussed at the round table of October 16, 2008, included updates to the Canadian Educational Standard, the RAIC Syllabus renewal program, development of a new process for foreign architects to work in Canada, and international relations.

Renewal of the Syllabus is a major initiative and has been ongoing for several years. For the past 30 years, the program has offered an alternate means for employees in architectural offices who do not have a university degree in architecture to enter the profession. In 2007, the decision was made to develop a new type of Syllabus in partnership with Athabasca University in order to ensure that the program's training requirements are comparable to those of schools of architecture at accredited universities. Development of this project continued throughout the year, and I would sincerely like to thank the members of the advisory committee who devoted so much time and effort to implementing this new program. I would particularly like to mention the outstanding contribution of **Ian MacDonald, FRAIC**, who led the committee's work. It is anticipated that the first courses will be launched in the fall of 2010.

Internationally, we continue to maintain the strong relationships we have developed over the years with our counterparts in the American Institute of Architects (AIA), the Federación des Colegios des Arquitectos de la República Mexicana (FCARM), the Australian Institute of Architects and the Union Internationale des Architectes (UIA). We attended the UIA conference held in Turin last July.

It is pleasing to see that the number of RAIC members continued to increase in 2008, reaching 3,867 by the end of the year.

An overheated economy slows down

It is impossible to look back over 2008 without mentioning the global economic crisis that came upon us so quickly and unexpectedly this fall. At the beginning of the year, the main problem facing Canadian architectural firms was finding enough architects and technicians to meet their needs and

complete all the work they had taken on. By year's end, the situation had changed radically in some parts of the country and firms had to lay off staff.

Although we face challenges, this slowdown also gives us the opportunity to highlight the value of our advice and knowledge. In the current economic situation, businesses and households alike want to make sure that every dollar is spent wisely. With our expertise, we can help them plan functional and effective spaces, choose materials and technologies that lead to healthy, energy-efficient buildings that are easy to maintain, sustainable over the long term and based on socially responsible design. Our holistic and creative approach is increasingly valued.

In closing, I would like to thank the members of our Board of Directors and its Executive Committee, the members of our various committees and task forces, and our representatives to the CCDC, who generously contribute their time and expertise to advancing the profession.

I would also sincerely like to thank our Executive Director, **Jon Hobbs, FRAIC**, and all the employees at RAIC headquarters. Their enthusiasm, dedication and outstanding team spirit make it a great pleasure to work with them as we promote our profession and help it move into the future.



**Paule Boutin, Architect, FIRAC
President**



Brookside Public School (LEED® Gold-certified) | Teeple Architects Inc. | photo: Shai Gil

Executive Director's Report



What did RAIC do for me in 2008?

All individuals, especially those who are members of a voluntary organization such as the RAIC, are looking for value for their membership dues.

Let me briefly outline what the RAIC did on behalf of Canadian architects in 2008:

Practice Support

The RAIC continues to maintain standard contract documents, such as *RAIC Document Six: Canadian Standard Form of Contract Between Client and Architect*, which are easy to use, customize and download. New Alternate Dispute Resolution (ADR) clauses were added in 2008

The RAIC supports the development of various CCDC documents, such as *CCDC 2 Stipulate Price Contract*, and promotes their use throughout the construction sector.

In 2008 the RAIC revised the old Document Five and created an electronic *Guideline for Conducting Architectural Competitions* – which you can find in the “Architectural Competitions” section at www.raic.org under the “Architecture & Architects” menu.

Once again the RAIC offered the popular course on *Building Information Modeling* during the Festival of Architecture in Fredericton.

Updates are underway for the Second Edition of *Canadian Handbook of Practice for Architects* with a release scheduled for early 2009.

A Task Force was established to create a national document on *Negotiating Appropriate Fees for Architectural Services*. It is hoped that this recommended fee schedule will replace or be adopted by several provinces whose schedules are very out-of-date. A consultation draft is expected to be released early in 2009.

A new Practice Builder was produced entitled *Building with Media* to help architectural practices market their services. This is in addition to the Practice Builder on BIM.

The RAIC continues to sell the electronic version of the *National Master Specification* at a discount to members.

Advocacy

RAIC produced, once again, the magazine *Architecture: A magazine for public and institutional administrators*, which is issued twice a year to select client groups explaining the virtues of design excellence, sustainable design and qualifications-based selection of architects.

The RAIC continues to make briefs and to write to government officials regarding issues of importance to the profession.

In 2008 we launched a wiki site to help diffuse best practices in reducing greenhouse gas emissions and energy efficient building design. This is part of an advocacy effort to get all Canadian municipalities to sign on to the 2030 Challenge.

The RAIC delivered its key messages – “*Architecture Matters*” and “*Every Building Has an Architect*” – in a variety of ways.

Professional Development

SDCB 275: Lighting and Daylighting Strategies – another successful course was developed and delivered in the SDCB series.

The Festival of Architecture in Fredericton included a wide variety of rich and stimulating Continuing Education courses.

And once again we sent five architects to attend the much sought-after week-long course on stone and marble at Marmomacc in Verona, Italy.

Honours and Awards

This year we administered and celebrated two significant awards programs: the National Urban Design awards and the Governor General’s Medals in Architecture. The Governor General’s Medal celebration took place once again at Rideau Hall with a splendid evening reception hosted by Her Excellency. Truly a highlight for the profession.

The RAIC was honoured to elevate architects to Fellowship at the annual convocation of the College of Fellows held in Fredericton during the Festival of Architecture

President’s Medals and Honorary Memberships were distributed to deserving individuals.

Member Benefits

In 2008 we were very pleased to add *Canadian Architect* to the professional journals and publications that RAIC members receive for free.

A new job placement and recruiting services was established – Archistaff.ca.

And, of course, the RAIC provided a venue for architects from across the country to socialize and learn together at our annual conference, the Festival of Architecture, in Fredericton.



www.archistaff.ca

External Relations

Finally it is important to note that the RAIC was able to secure funding from Human Resources Skills Development Canada to advance several projects of importance to the profession in Canada. Several of these projects help to assist admissions and regulatory initiatives by the Canadian Architectural Licensing Authorities. They include:

- Course development for the new RAIC Centre of Architecture at Athabasca University (the current RAIC Syllabus program);
- Revisions and updating the Canadian Education Standard (CES);
- The development of a licensing process for the Broadly Experience Foreign Architect (BEFA);
- The creation of a website to assist foreign architects when coming to Canada to better integrate into the profession.

But this list is really just the tip of the iceberg in value created for RAIC Members. Look inside this annual report to find out more about these programs and services!



Jon F. Hobbs, FRAIC



Whistler Public Library | Hughes Condon Marler: Architects | photo: Martin Tessler Photographer

2008 Board of Directors

Executive Committee

Paule Boutin, FIRAC	President
Ranjit (Randy) K. Dhar, FRAIC	First Vice-President / President-Elect
Stuart Howard, FRAIC	Second Vice-President
Kiyoshi Matsuzaki, PP/FRAIC	Past President

Regional Directors

Stuart Howard, FRAIC	British Columbia / Yukon
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Ralph Wiesbrock, FRAIC	Ontario North, East and Nunavut
Claude Hamelin Lalonde, FIRAC	Quebec
Paul E. Frank, FRAIC	Atlantic

Chancellor – College of Fellows

Alexander Rankin, FRAIC

Chair – Council of Canadian University Schools of Architecture

Eric Haldenby, FRAIC

RAIC Staff

Chantal Charbonneau	<i>Awards and Honours Manager / College of Fellows and Foundation Coordinator</i>
Chantal Frédette	<i>Membership Coordinator</i>
Jon Hobbs, FRAIC	<i>Executive Director</i>
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Etienne Sicotte	<i>Graphic/Web Designer and Coordinator</i>
Nathalie Samson	<i>Professional Development and Executive Services Coordinator / Privacy Officer</i>

Report on RAIC Activities

Vision, Mission and Values

The Board of Directors revised the Vision, Mission, and Values statement for the RAIC.

Vision:

To build awareness and appreciation of the contribution of architecture to the physical well-being and cultural development of Canada.

Mission:

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- To affirm that architecture matters;
- To celebrate the richness and diversity of architecture in Canada; and,
- To support architects in achieving excellence.

Values:

- **Integrity** – the RAIC conducts all its activities with the highest ethical and professional standards;
- **Environmental Responsibility** – the RAIC actively promotes sustainable design and operates in the most environmentally sustainable manner possible;
- **Inclusiveness** – the RAIC acts as a ‘rassembleur’ and all RAIC staff and programs operate to create and maintain a common ground for architecture students, intern architects, architects in practice, retired architects and professional organizations in Canada;
- **Effectiveness** – RAIC programs are established with clear and measurable objectives that will bring benefit to members, enhance the profession of architecture, and improve the quality of the built environment in Canada.

Awards

The RAIC administers several awards programs to recognize excellence in the profession – the RAIC Awards of Excellence, the Governor General’s Medals in Architecture, the RAIC Gold Medal,

the Prix du XX^e siècle, National Urban Design Awards and the President's Award in Architectural Journalism.

Governor General's Medals in Architecture

The Governor General's Medals in Architecture recognize outstanding achievement for the "art" of architecture in recently built projects by Canadian architects. This program, created by the RAIC, contributes to the development of the discipline and practice of architecture, and increases public awareness of architecture as a vital cultural force in Canadian society. These awards are administered jointly with the Canada Council for the Arts, which is responsible for the adjudication process and contributes to the publication highlighting the medal winning projects.



Her Excellency and the recipients of the 2008 Governor General's Medals in Architecture | Photographer: MCpl Jean-François Néron, Rideau Hall



Canada Council
for the Arts

Conseil des Arts
du Canada

Her Excellency the Right Honourable Michaëlle Jean presented the recipients

with the Medals during the ceremony for the 2008 Governor General's Medals in Architecture, held on October 16, 2008 at Rideau Hall in Ottawa.

Jury

Prof. Manfred Sabatkev
Pina Petricone, MRAIC
John McMinn
Anne Cormier
Steve Christer

Recipients

Canada's National Ballet School Project Grand Jeté

Kuwabara Payne McKenna
Blumberg Architects & Goldsmith Borgal & Company Ltd. Architects, Architects in Joint Venture (Toronto, ON)
Lead Design Architects: **Bruce Kuwabara, FRAIC** and **Phil Goldsmith, MRAIC**



Canada's National Ballet School Project Grand Jeté | photo: Tom Arban



Communication, Culture and Technology Building – University of Toronto Mississauga | photo: Marc Cramer

Communication, Culture and Technology Building – University of Toronto Mississauga
Saucier + Perrotte architectes (Montreal, QC)
Lead Design Architect: **Gilles Saucier, FIRAC**

Gleneagles Community Centre
 Patkau Architects (Vancouver, BC)
 Lead Design Architects:
John Patkau, FRAIC and
Patricia Patkau, FRAIC



Gleneagles Community Centre | photo: James Dow / Patkau Architects Inc. House at 4a Wychwood Park | photo: Michael Awad

House at 4a Wychwood Park
 Ian MacDonald Architect Inc.
 (Toronto, ON)
 Lead Design Architect:
Ian MacDonald, MRAIC

Jaypee Institute of Information Technology
 Le Groupe Arcop (Montreal, QC)
 Lead Design Architect:
Ramesh Khosla, FRAIC



Jaypee Institute of Information Technology | photo: Eye Piece photography & design

New Canadian War Museum | photo: Tom Arban

New Canadian War Museum
 Moriyama & Teshima Architects
 (Toronto, ON) / Griffiths Rankin
 Cook Architects (Ottawa, ON):
 in joint venture
 Lead Design Architects:
Raymond Moriyama, FRAIC and
Alexander Rankin, FRAIC



Nk'Mip Desert Cultural Centre | photo: Nic Lehoux

ROAR_one | photo: Nic Lehoux

Nk'Mip Desert Cultural Centre
 Hotson Bakker Boniface Haden
 Architects (Vancouver, BC)
 Lead Design Architect:
Bruce Haden, MRAIC

ROAR_one
 Lang Wilson Practice in
 Architecture Culture Inc. (Lead
 Design Architect) and Hotson
 Bakker Boniface Haden Architects,
 Associated Architect
 (Vancouver, BC)
 Lead Design Architect:
Oliver Lang, MRAIC



Scarborough Chinese Baptist Church | photo: Shai Gil

Terrence Donnelly Centre for Cellular and Biomolecular Research, University of Toronto | photo: Tom Arban

Scarborough Chinese Baptist Church
 Teeple Architects Inc. (Toronto, ON)
 Lead Design Architect: **Stephen Teeple, FRAIC**

Terrence Donnelly Centre for Cellular and Biomolecular Research, University of Toronto
 architectsAlliance (Toronto, ON) & Behnisch Architekten (Stuttgart, Germany)
 Lead Design Architects: **Peter Clewes, MRAIC**, Adrian DiCasteri, and Stefan Behnisch

Trent University Chemical Sciences Building

Teeple Architects Inc. and Shore Tilbe Irwin & Partners Architects, Architects in Joint Venture (Toronto, ON)
Lead Design Architect: **Stephen Teeple, FRAIC**



Trent University Chemical Sciences Building | photo: Tom Arban

Winnipeg Centennial Library Addition

Patkau / LM Architectural Group (Vancouver, BC)

Lead Design Architects: **John Patkau, FRAIC** and **Patricia Patkau, FRAIC**



Winnipeg Centennial Library Addition | photo: James Dow / Patkau Architects Inc.

RAIC Awards of Excellence – A Celebration of Excellence

In the fall of 2008, the RAIC issued a Call for Submissions for the RAIC Awards of Excellence. The Awards will be adjudicated in early 2009.

RAIC Gold Medal

The RAIC Gold Medal is awarded in recognition of significant contribution to Canadian architecture, and is the highest honour the profession of architecture in Canada can bestow. It recognizes an individual whose personal work has demonstrated exceptional excellence in the design and practice of architecture; and/or, whose work related to architecture, has demonstrated exceptional excellence in research or education.

Dan S. Hanganu, FIRAC was the recipient of the 2008 Gold Medal. In bestowing the award, the Gold Medal Selection Committee noted:



PHOTO: KEITH MINCHIN

Dan successfully transcends the professional and academic worlds as well as having an extensive body of internationally published articles and project reviews.

He understands the impact that architecture can have on people; his work successfully balances function and feeling in a very strong “straight-forward” way; not showy but significant and successful as highly useable environments.

National Urban Design Awards

The National Urban Design Awards are part of a two-tier program held in co-operation with major metropolitan centres in Canada. Submissions come from the previous year’s winners of participating municipalities, such as Toronto, Calgary, Edmonton and Ottawa, as well as submissions from other communities in Canada.

The National Urban Design Awards were presented by the presidents of the RAIC, Canadian Institute of Planners, and Canadian Society of Landscape Architects at the RAIC President's Dinner and Architects' Association of New Brunswick Awards Dinner, June 27, held during the AANB/RAIC Conference and Festival of Architecture in Fredericton.

Jury

John N. Abel, FRAIC
 Gérald Lajeunesse
Professor Frank Palermo, FRAIC

Recipients

Conceptual/Theoretical Urban Design Plans

Le Campus Outremont (Montreal, QC)
 Lead Firms: Groupe Cardinal Hardy in collaboration with Provencher Roy + Associés architectes



Le Campus Outremont



Canada's National Ballet School / Project Grand Jeté: Stage 1 Jarvis Street Campus and Radio City | photo: Tom Arban

Urban Architecture

Canada's National Ballet School / Project Grand Jeté: Stage 1 Jarvis Street Campus and Radio City (Toronto, ON)
 Lead Firms: Goldsmith Borgal & Company Limited; Kuwabara Payne McKenna Blumberg Architect, Goldsmith Borgal & Company Limited, Architects in Joint Venture; architectsAlliance; Urban Strategies



Corktown Footbridge | photo: Adrian Searle



Making the Edible Campus | photo: Ismael Hauteceur

Civic Design Projects

Corktown Footbridge (Ottawa, ON)
 Lead Firm: Du Toit Allsopp Hillier / Du Toit Architects Limited



Lower Don Lands



University of Ontario Institute of Technology | photo: Steven Evans

Urban Fragments

Making the Edible Campus (Montreal, QC)
 Lead Firms: Minimum Cost Housing Group, McGill University School of Architecture

Special Jury Awards: Sustainable Development

Lower Don Lands (Toronto, ON)
 Lead Firm: Michael Van Valkenburgh Associates, Inc.

Special Jury Awards: Small or Medium Community Urban Design Award

University of Ontario Institute of Technology (Oshawa, ON)
 Lead Firm: Diamond and Schmitt Architects

Student Awards: Individual thesis
iCITY: Public Space v2.0
 (Calgary, AB)
 Allison Wood, University of Calgary



iCITY: Public Space v2.0



River Landing Riverfront Master Plan | photo: Marilyn Gould

Certificates of Merit

Approved or Adopted Urban Design Plans

River Landing Riverfront Master Plan
 (Saskatoon, SK)
 Lead Firm: Crosby Hanna & Associates, Landscapes Architecture & Planning



Four Seasons Centre for the Performing Arts | photo: Tom Arban



Pierre Dansereau Science Complex, Université du Québec à Montréal | photo: Marc Cramer

Urban Architecture

Four Seasons Centre for the Performing Arts (Toronto, ON)
 Lead Firm: Diamond and Schmitt Architects

Pierre Dansereau Science Complex, Université du Québec à Montréal
 (Montreal, QC)
 Lead Firms: Saia Barbarese Topouzanov architectes, in consortium with Tétréault Languedoc architectes



7 Avenue LRT Refurbishment | photo: Robert Lernermeier



Leigh Square | photo: Boldwing Continuum Architects Inc.

Civic Design Projects

7 Avenue LRT Refurbishment
 (Calgary, AB)
 Lead Firm: Sturgess Architecture

Leigh Square (Port Coquitlam, BC)
 Lead Firm: Boldwing Continuum Architects Inc.



Calgary Starts Here: Olympic Plaza Cultural District Strategy | photo source: Mieka West, Jump Consulting



False Creek | source: Suzy Melo

Community Improvement Project

Calgary Starts Here: Olympic Plaza Cultural District Strategy
 (Calgary, AB)

Lead Firm: Cultural District Renaissance Society of Alberta (operating as the Olympic Plaza Cultural District)

Student Work/Projects: Studio-based Work

False Creek (Vancouver, BC)
 Faculty of Architecture, University of Manitoba – Professor: Alan Tate, CSLA | Students: Erin Ediger, Hope Gunn, Christine Haylock, Qi Liao, Suzy Melo, Leanne Muir, Charles Sands, Elizabeth Thiel, and Linda Yee

President's Award in Architectural Journalism



PHOTO: KEITH MINCHIN

This new award is offered annually and recognizes a unique story, article or radio or television piece for its contribution to the wide-spread dissemination of architectural values and ideas.

In 2008, **Lisa Rochon** of *The Globe and Mail* was selected by the jury to receive this award.

Jury Members

2007/08 President, **Kiyoshi Matsuzaki, PP/FRAIC**
Immediate Past President, **Vivian Manasc, PP/FRAIC**
Past President, **Yves Gosselin, AP/FIRAC**

The RAIC would like to thank the Awards Committee, including the Chancellor of the College of Fellows, **Alexander Rankin, FRAIC**, **Yves Gosselin, AP/FIRAC**, **Terence Williams, PP/FRAIC**, **Brigitte Shim, FRAIC**, and **Larry Jones, FRAIC**.

The RAIC gratefully acknowledges the support of McGraw-Hill Construction as sponsor of its Awards program in 2008.



Honours

Certificates of Appreciation

At the 2008 RAIC Annual General Meeting during the Festival of Architecture in Fredericton, Certificates of Appreciation were given to acknowledge those individuals who have volunteered considerable time in support of the RAIC and its programs.

- **Vivian Manasc, PP/FRAIC** for her contribution in serving on the RAIC Board of Directors
- **Paul-André Tétreault, AP/FIRAC** for his contribution in serving as the Chancellor of the College of Fellows and on the RAIC Board of Directors
- **Daniel B. Goodspeed, FRAIC** for his contribution in serving on the RAIC Board of Directors
- **Leonard Rodrigues, FRAIC** for his contribution in serving on the RAIC Board of Directors
- **Andrew Wach, FRAIC** for his contribution in serving on the RAIC Board of Directors
- **Edmond D. Koch, FRAIC** for his contribution in serving on the Federal / Industry Real Property Liaison Committee

- **Kendall S. Taylor, MRAIC** for his contribution in serving as RAIC representative on the Canada Green Building Council Board of Directors
- **Peter Berton, MRAIC** for his contribution in serving on the RAIC Document Five Task Force – Architectural Competitions
- **David C. Lachapelle, FRAIC** for his contribution in serving on the RAIC Document Five Task Force – Architectural Competitions
- **Bruce Lorimer, FRAIC** for his contribution in serving on the RAIC Document Five Task Force – Architectural Competitions
- **Anthony J. Griffiths, FRAIC** for his contribution in serving on the RAIC Document Five Task Force – Architectural Competitions
- Jean-Pierre Chupin for his contribution in serving on the RAIC Document Five Task Force – Architectural Competitions
- Shannon Pirie for her contribution in serving on the RAIC Document Five Task Force – Architectural Competitions
- **Anne Carrier, FIRAC** for her contribution in serving on the RAIC Document Five Task Force – Architectural Competitions

Certificates of Appreciation were also given to the Local Festival Organizing Committee from Fredericton, listed in this report on page 20.

RAIC Honorary Membership

There are times when individuals show such service to the profession and dedication that the Royal Architectural Institute of Canada awards Honorary Membership to such individuals who are not architects but who have advanced the profession. In 2008 the Board of Directors approved Honorary Membership for the following three individuals:



Jeanné Fox, Hon. MRAIC,
RAIC Syllabus



Judy Pestrak, Hon. MRAIC,
Manitoba Association of
Architects (MAA)



Diane Scott-Stewart,
Hon. MRAIC, Nova Scotia
Association of Architects (NSAA)

PHOTOS: KEITH MINCHIN

President's Medals

Every year the RAIC President confers the Presidents Medal and Honorary Membership on Presidents of national architectural associations which enjoy a mutually beneficial relationship with the RAIC. **Kiyoshi Matsuzaki, PP/FRAIC** bestowed the RAIC President's Medal on the following individuals:



Douglas K. Engebretson,
Hon. MRAIC – President,
US National Council of
Architectural Registration
Boards (NCARB)



Marshall E. Purnell, FAIA,
Hon. MRAIC – President,
American Institute of
Architects (AIA)

PHOTOS: KEITH MINCHIN

As he was unable to attend the Festival of Architecture, **Howard Tanner, FRAIA, Hon. MRAIC,** President of The Australian Institute of Architects, later received his medal.

2008 RAIC Student Medals

Every year the RAIC bestows a medal on the top graduate or individual, who in the judgment of the faculty of the respective school achieved the highest level of academic excellence, in the professional degree program at each of the ten University Schools of Architecture.

School of Architecture

University of British Columbia
University of Calgary
University of Manitoba
Carleton University
University of Toronto
University of Waterloo
McGill University
Université de Montréal
Université Laval
Dalhousie University

Medalist

David Zeibin, MRAIC
Edan Squire Marshall
Kenneth Borton
Sarah B. Gelbard, MRAIC
Kelly Doran
Tavis McAuley, MRAIC
Rami Abou Khalil
Alexandre Massé
Philippe Lafrance Boucher
Kirsty Bruce, MRAIC

2008 RAIC Honour Roll

The RAIC Honour Roll recognizes those students from an accredited professional degree program in Architecture in Canada who have achieved high academic excellence. For each University School of Architecture, a maximum of four students from the top ten per cent of the graduating class, receive Honour Roll certificates from the RAIC.

School of Architecture

University of British Columbia

University of Calgary

University of Manitoba

Carleton University

University of Toronto

University of Waterloo

McGill University

Université de Montréal

Université Laval

Dalhousie University

Honour Students

David Zeibin, MRAIC, Christopher Hunter,
Tai Ziola Hruday, MRAIC, Alexander Witko

Edan Squire Marshall, Livia Antalikova,
Noel Dorian Heard, Michael Holt,
Sean Daniel Spencer Knight

Kenneth Borton, Lori Yurchak-Verfaillie,
Darcie Watson, MRAIC, Geng Zhang

Sarah B. Gelbard, MRAIC,
William Klassen, MRAIC,
Melanie S. Lamontagne, MRAIC,
Misty L. Campbell, Kelly K. Steeves

Kelly Doran, **Vanessa Graham, MRAIC**,
Alessia Soppelsa, **Nicholas Swerdfeger, MRAIC**

Carolyn Bilson, **Tavis McAuley, MRAIC**, Rufina Wu

Rami Abou Khalil, Erin Marie Halpin, Lia Ruccolo,
Sanaz Shirshekar, MRAIC

Caroline Decaluwe, Mélanie Jetté,
Marie-Andrée Larivière, Renée Mailhot,
Alexandre Massé, Dominique Poncelet,
Jelena Porovic, Marie Ève Primeau,
Paulette Taillefer

Philippe Lafrance Boucher, Jean-François Darisse,
Gabrielle Nadeau, MIRAC, Étienne Bernier,
Olivier Jacques

Kirsty Bruce, MRAIC, Morgan Carter,
David Crompt, Asher deGroot, Noah Epstein

College of Fellows

The Chancellor and the National Committee of the College of Fellows administer the affairs of the College of Fellows and act as the Trustees of the RAIC Foundation.



2008 Fellows convocation ceremony | photo: Keith Minchin

2008 National Committee

Chancellor	Paul-André Tétreault, AP/FIRAC
Incoming	Chancellor Alexander Rankin, FRAIC
Dean	Paul Polson, FRAIC , re-elected in 2007
Registrar	J. Robert Thibodeau, FIRAC
Past President	Yves Gosselin, AP/FIRAC
Past President replaced by	Christopher Fillingham, PP/FRAIC Vivian Manasc, PP/FRAIC

2008 Regional Chairs

The Regional Advisory Committees of the College coordinate the preparation of 2008 nominations for Fellowship.

Atlantic	John K. Dobbs, FRAIC
Québec	N. Jean-Pierre Pelletier, FIRAC
Ontario (<i>Northeast & Nunavut</i>)	George E. Bemi, FRAIC
Ontario (<i>Southwest</i>)	Christopher Shepherd, FRAIC
Manitoba	Stephen Cohlmeier, FRAIC
Saskatchewan	William Kelly, FRAIC
Alberta & Northwest Territories	Douglas Sollows, FRAIC
British Columbia	Larry S. McFarland, FRAIC
British Columbia (<i>Victoria</i>)	Terence J. Williams, PP/FRAIC

2008 Honorary Fellows



Robert Berkebile, Hon. FRAIC



The Honourable Herménégilde
Chiasson, Hon. FRAIC

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2008 College of Fellows

Carl Blanchaer, FRAIC
 Paule Boutin, FIRAC
 Melvin Charney, FRAIC
 Teresa Fiona Coady, FRAIC
 Tom Connell, FRAIC
 David J. Croft, FRAIC
 Stanford Downey, FRAIC
 Costanzo M. Gabriele, FRAIC
 Lee Erin Gavel, FRAIC
 Paul Alexander Grant, FRAIC
 Gary R. Hanley, FRAIC
 George Kapelos, FRAIC

Donald W. Kasian, FRAIC
 Carol Kleinfeldt, FRAIC
 Christian Klemt, FRAIC (posthumous)
 Nils Larsson, FRAIC
 Douglas J. McConnell, FRAIC
 Catherine Nasmith, FRAIC
 Mark Ostry, FRAIC
 André Perrotte, FIRAC
 Émilien Vachon, FIRAC
 Dianne VanDommelen, FRAIC
 Ralph Wiesbrock, FRAIC

2008 Festival of Architecture

More than 200 people gathered in Fredericton for the 2008 AANB/RAIC Conference and Festival of Architecture. It proved to be a great success and a very memorable few days. Many courses were offered allowing attendees to help satisfy provincial or territorial association requirements for Continuing Education credits.

2030 Challenge Wiki Site Launched

The RAIC 2030 Task Force launched its RAIC 2030 Challenge Wiki site during the Foundation Luncheon. Configured like Wikipedia.org, the RAIC 2030 Challenge Wiki site provides an up-to-date and evolving source of technical information and advice from peers on design approaches, methods and materials for enhanced energy performance and sustainable design.

Keynote Speakers

American architect and founding chairman of the American Institute of Architects' National Committee on the Environment, **Robert Berkebile, Hon. FRAIC**, presented his keynote address on sustainable design following the Fellows convocation ceremony at Christ Church Cathedral in Fredericton.

Lieutenant Governor of New Brunswick, **The Honourable Herménégilde Chiasson, Hon. FIRAC**, presented an inspiring speech on the importance of creative architecture during the President's Gala at the Delta Hotel in Fredericton.

RAIC Gold Medalist **Dan Hanganu, FIRAC**, addressed delegates during the RAIC Foundation Luncheon.



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Festival Local Organizing Committee

The 2008 Festival of Architecture Local Organizing Committee held in partnership with the Architects' Association of New Brunswick (AANB) was co-chaired by **Gaye Kapkin, MRAIC** and Karen L. Chantler.

Left to right: Robert B. Guthrie, MRAIC, Edmond D. Koch, FRAIC, Barbara A.W. Nicholson, MRAIC, Gaye Kapkin, MRAIC, John Leroux, MRAIC, Karen L. Chantler, William E. Knorr, FRAIC, Heather Colwell, Brent V. Stewart, Pam Barteaux, MRAIC, Jon V. Oliver, MRAIC | Not in picture: Edward T. Goguen, MRAIC, Eren Wuest



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The success of this event can be directly attributed to the support of our sponsors. **Thank you!**

Professional Development

Once again in 2008, the RAIC provided several courses and workshops at the Festival of Architecture in Fredericton.

Lighting and Daylighting Strategies SDCB 275



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The RAIC offered the course *Lighting and Daylighting Strategies*. This course provided an overview of the integration of daylight with electric lighting, applied through emerging technologies. The RAIC would like to extend its sincere gratitude to the presenters Martin Conboy, B.A., IESNA, Principal Lighting Designer, Bruce Meiklejohn, B.Arch., L.C., IESNA, Senior Lighting Designer and Matt Galloway, B.Arch., B.E.S., LEED®, Daylighting Specialist.

Our deepest appreciation to all those who assisted with on-site registration:

Toronto
Halifax
Montréal
Winnipeg
Calgary
Vancouver
Toronto

Brigitte Ng, MRAIC
Leif-Peter Fuchs, MRAIC
Laurent McComber
Vanessa Aleshka
Kerry Ross, MRAIC
Nan Legate, MRAIC
David Craddock, MRAIC

Veronafiere

In 2008 the RAIC was able to send five members to the week long course on stone and marble in Verona, Italy – one additional architect than in previous years. The following participants represented the RAIC and Canadian architects:

Atlantic Canada
Quebec
Ontario
Ontario
British Columbia

Robert B. Guthrie, MRAIC
Pierlucio Pellissier, MIRAC
Liza Medek, MRAIC
Philip P. O’Sullivan, MRAIC
Lee Erin Gavel, FRAIC

Veronafiere’s continuing education courses take place during MARMOMACC, the world’s leading trade fair for the marble and stone industry. The course included tours of quarries and factories, as well as classroom sessions held with architects from all over the world.



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Practice Support

The RAIC provides a wide range of practice support services to its members – this is achieved through the development and dissemination of contract documents and other practice tools and the development and delivery of professional development courses related to architectural practice.

Practice Support Committee

The Practice Support Committee continued to provide direction on revisions to various standard contract documents and coordinates the review of new or revised CCDC documents.

Members of the RAIC Practice Support Committee

David Simpson, PP/FRAIC, Chair
Bruce Allan, FRAIC

John Emmett, FRAIC
Ralph Wiesbrock, FRAIC as Board liaison

Canadian Construction Documents Committee

The RAIC appoints three architects to serve on the Canadian Construction Documents Committee or CCDC.

Appointees in 2008:

Christopher Fillingham, PP/FRAIC **François Hogue, MIRAC**
Pierre Gallant, MIRAC

The Board liaison to the CCDC representatives is **Stuart Howard, FRAIC**.


CCDC issued a revised *CCDC 2 – Stipulated Price Contract* in 2008 and is working to incorporate enabling language to accommodate the new provisions in *RAIC Document Six* regarding Alternate Dispute Resolution.

The CCDC also issued consultation drafts for the following documents in 2008:

CCDC 4 – Unit Price Contract
CCDC 5a – Construction Management Contract for Services
CCDC 5b – Construction Management Contract for Services and Work
CCDC 14 – Design-Build Stipulated Price Contract
CCDC 21 – A Guide to Construction Insurance



Practice Builder



In 2008, the RAIC produced one Practice Builder, free to RAIC Members, on promoting your architectural practice and architecture through the media. *Building with Media* helps architects deal with the media, write press releases, and prepare for television and radio interviews.

Canadian Handbook of Practice for Architects

The RAIC undertook an update and review of the entire *Canadian Handbook of Practice for Architects* in 2008. This review and update is being directed by an Editorial Board comprised of architects from across Canada. The Editorial Board consists of:

D. Gregg Brown, FRAIC, MAIBC
Catherine A. Capes, MRAIC, OAA
Pierre Corriveau, MIRAC, OAQ
Louis Lessard, MIRAC, OAQ


Rick Linley, FRAIC, MAA
Robert J. Ojolick, MRAIC, NSAA
Barbara Shipman, FRAIC, AAA

Jon Hobbs, FRAIC is the Editor-in-chief and provides support to the Editorial Board. The updated Handbook will be available in early 2009.

Guide for Determining Appropriate Fees for the Services of an Architect

Another Practice Support initiative started by the RAIC in 2008 was to create the first national fee schedule which will help clients and architects agree upon appropriate fees for services. The creation of this pan-Canadian document is under the direction of the Fee Schedule Task Force which consists of the following RAIC Members:

Chris Fillingham, PP/FRAIC, Chair
Gerrie Doyle, MRAIC
Alain Fournier, MIRAC
Daniel Goodspeed, FRAIC
Vivian Manasc, PP/FRAIC



Leonard Rodrigues, FRAIC
David Simpson, PP/FRAIC
Paul-André Tétreault, AP/FIRAC
Terence Williams, PP/FRAIC

The Board liaison is **R. Wayne Guy, FRAIC**. This new document will be launched at the 2009 Festival of Architecture.

Advocacy

Federal Government Procurement

The RAIC introduced federal government managers at the Federal Industry Real Property Council to Building Information Modeling and the importance of its adoption to ensure Canada remains competitive in the design and construction sector.

Ralph Wiesbrock, FRAIC, Peter Kindree, MRAIC, and Deborah Farrow, MRAIC serve on the committee dealing with the Federal Government with staff support provided by **Jon Hobbs, FRAIC**.

Construction industry bidding process

The Canadian Construction Agency (CCA) – on behalf of the Construction Association Network (CANet) – and RAIC signed a Memorandum of Understanding to promote a more collaborative role in supporting and improving the procurement and tendering process in the Canadian construction industry.

Board of Directors

The RAIC Board of Directors and Executive Director were especially vocal in advocating for a wide range of issues including:

- the importance of quality-based selection (QBS), sustainable design and preserving architectural heritage;
- concerns regarding current industrial security clearance processes with respect to gaining access to federal construction sites;
- concern over the secrecy behind plans to construct a roof over Robson Square;
- the need for consultation and a Design Competition for Lansdowne Park in Ottawa;
- promoting Integrated Project Delivery (IPD);
- the federal budget and infrastructure spending.



Advocacy Magazine

Two issues of the RAIC's advocacy publication, *Architecture: A magazine for public and institutional administrators*, promoted the profession of Architecture and quality design to the MASH sector – municipalities, academia, school boards and health care clients. The winter/spring issue concentrated on urban revitalization and the summer/fall issue focused on high-performance high rises.

The issues were targeted at clients and administrators of public institutions. Both issues were mailed to decision makers in municipality offices.

A copy of each magazine was also sent to RAIC members as an illustration of the RAIC's various advocacy efforts.

2030 Challenge

The 2030 Challenge Task Force launched the 2030 Wiki where architects and experts can share best practices and lessons learned in green building, in an effort to share and find knowledge related to achieving the goals of the Challenge.

Members

Stacy Christensen, MRAIC, Chair
George Berry, MRAIC
Dan Goodspeed, FRAIC
Jon Hobbs, FRAIC
Ron Kato, MRAIC

Vivian Manasc, PP/FRAIC
Scott Pickles, MRAIC
Stephen Pope, MRAIC
Mark Salerno, MRAIC
Birgit Siber, MRAIC

Denise MacDonald acts as RAIC staff liaison.

Communications

Every Building Has an Architect

RAIC mailed copies of the Every Building Has an Architect postcard for members to distribute to media organizations. An electronic version was made available on the website.

Architects Going to Canada site

The RAIC, in consultation with the Canadian Architectural Certification Board (CACB) and the eleven provincial and territorial licensing authorities or associations of architects, developed a multilingual website as a central portal of information for foreign Architects, Graduates or Students interested in immigrating to Canada. Bookmarks to promote the site were printed to send to Canadian embassies, consulates, and high commissions.



www.architectstocanada.raic.org



Canadian Architect

Canadian Architect serves as the Journal of Record for the RAIC. In 2008 the RAIC newsletter insert *Update/En Bref* appeared five times highlighting the activities of the RAIC to all architects in Canada. Subscriptions to *Canadian Architect* are now available for RAIC members residing in Canada at no cost.

The Bulletin – The RAIC’s Electronic Newsletter

This electronic newsletter continued to be well received as a monthly e-mail to each RAIC member fostering a sense of community and keeping everyone informed of news related to the profession, the activities of the RAIC and the Board. Features in 2008 included some streaming video, when available, intern and student news briefs, well-populated and up-to-date competitions, opportunities, and awards sections as well as a current calendar of events.

Electronic notices

Electronic notices were sent as needed to members reminding them of important events and deadlines such as Calls for Submissions, Awards announcements, elections for Regional Directors and the College of Fellows Chancellor, Festival registration and news, professional development courses, and regional or national news of interest to architects.

Website

The Architectural Competitions Guidelines were completely revised and updated and added to the website. This site replaces Document 5, now obsolete.

The updated RAIC privacy policy was added to the website where needed.

Following comments from the membership, RAIC has revised its online directory to ensure that spam harvesters can no longer access e-mail addresses. The e-mails can now only be accessed when logged into the RAIC Members Section of the website.

All the information on the website was reviewed and it continually underwent maintenance and updates to ensure accuracy and relevance.



La Grande Bibliothèque du Québec (2000 competition) | Patkau / Croft Pelletier / Menkes Shooner Dagenais Associated Architects | photo: James Dow

RAIC Columns in Industry Journals

In an effort to spread the RAIC's message across many audiences, arrangements were made for columns to appear in several publications of interest to the profession. The RAIC appeared monthly in the *Daily Commercial News/Journal of Commerce*, bi-monthly in *Sustainable Architecture & Building (SABMag)* and *AWARD Magazine*.

To keep the perspective fresh and interesting, members of the Board participated as writers in all of the above columns.

Membership

As of December 31, 2008 the RAIC had 3,880 members. The RAIC offered free membership to all 2008 graduates from a professional degree program in Architecture. By December 31, 2008, 133 graduates had responded to the offer. The RAIC also offered free student associate membership to students in a Master of Architecture. 87 students responded to the offer.



Member Benefits

The RAIC obtained free subscriptions for all members residing in Canada to *Canadian Architect*.

The RAIC launched a hybrid online recruitment system – ArchiStaff.ca – as an alternative to full-service recruitment consultants and media-based advertising.



2007 Membership Directory

For the fourth year, the RAIC published an annual membership directory through an arrangement with Naylor publications. This agreement allows the Naylor sales team to promote the RAIC and enables all costs to be recovered. In return, RAIC members receive a printed annual directory.

External Relations

National Affairs

Roundtables with Provincial Associations

The RAIC hosted and facilitated two separate roundtables with representatives from all the provinces and territories along with representatives from the Canadian Architectural Certification Board (CACB) for day-long discussions on a wide range of national projects. Some of the projects which were reported on at the roundtables include:

- The RAIC Syllabus Renewal – to be called the RAIC Centre for Architecture at Athabasca University;
- Revisions to the Document entitled, *Canadian Education Standard for Admission to Provincial Architectural Associations in Canada* – this document is used by CACB to certify the education from those who did not graduate from a Canadian accredited University School of Architecture;
- The development of a new licensing process for foreign architects, called the Broadly Experienced Foreign Architect or BEFA process;
- The development of a website to assist foreign architects in better integrating into the profession;
- International relations and mutual recognition agreements;
- Harmonization of Continuing Education systems and the RAIC database for recording continuing education credits.



www.architranscripts.ca

Construction Industry Consultative Committee (CICC)

In October 2008, **Paule Boutin, FIRAC, Ralph Wiesbrock, FRAIC** and **Jon Hobbs, FRAIC** attending the annual CICC meeting – with the senior elected and staff officers of the other organizations that comprise CCDC, namely the Canadian Construction Association (CCA), the Association of Canadian Engineering Companies (ACEC) and Construction Specifications Canada (CSC). The CICC appointed members to the CCDC and continued discussions on alternate dispute resolution language which is to be incorporated into *CCDC 2 – Stipulated Price Contract*.

RAIC Centre for Architecture at Athabasca University – RAIC Syllabus Renewal

The interim Program Advisory Committee continues to work on program development and a transition plan with our institutional partner, Athabasca University, to offer the renewed Syllabus program. A Memorandum of Understanding was prepared between Athabasca University and the RAIC.

The Program Advisory Council engaged **Yew-Thong Leong, MRAIC** to develop two Professional Practice courses for the renewed program.

Interim Program Advisory Council Members:

Ian Macdonald, FRAIC, Chair

Dr. Lisa Carter, Athabasca University

David Covo, FRAIC

Jay Hiscox, MRAIC

Jon Hobbs, FRAIC

Barry Johns, FRAIC

Vivian Manasc, PP/FRAIC

Michael C. Miller, FRAIC

Len Rodrigues, FRAIC

Carole Scheffer, FRAIC

Kiyoshi Matsuzaki, PP/FRAIC is the Board liaison.

Human Resources and Social Development Canada

As previously reported, the RAIC was successful in receiving a second round of funding from HRSDC for over \$400,000 to support a range of important projects to better integrate foreign architects into the profession.

International Affairs

Federación des Colegios des Arquitectos de la República Mexicana (FCARM)

In November 2008, the RAIC President **Paule Boutin, FIRAC** attended the annual assembly of FCARM in Oaxaca, Mexico and received a medal from the FCARM President.

Union Internationale des Architectes (UIA)

In 2008, the RAIC sent a delegation comprised of RAIC President **Paule Boutin, FIRAC**, **Vivian Manasc, PP/FRAIC**, **Randy Dhar, FRAIC**, **Paul-André Tétreault, AP/FIRAC** and **Jon Hobbs, FRAIC** to Turin, Italy to attend the Congress and General Assembly of the Union Internationale des Architectes (UIA) which is held every three years. The RAIC which is the member section for Canada has four votes at the General Assembly.

Bonnie Maples, PP/FRAIC remains as a member of the UIA Joint Oversight Committee which reviews and monitors the development of an international system for continuing professional development.

American Institute of Architects (AIA)

The RAIC continued to enjoy strong ties with our sister association in the United States. The RAIC Executive regularly attends the AIA Grassroots leadership conference in mid-February and in 2008 the Executive was joined by **Laura Plosz, MRAIC** of the RAIC Alberta Chapter and **Sean Ruthen, MRAIC** of British Columbia at the annual AIA Grassroots Conference.

In May 2008, **Paule Boutin, FIRAC** received the AIA President's Medal from **Marshall Purnell, Hon. MRAIC** in Boston, Massachusetts.

Australian Institute of Architects

Kiyoshi Matsuzaki PP/FRAIC travelled to Australia to accept an invitation of the President of the Australian Institute, **Howard Tanner, Hon. MRAIC** to attend the national conference of the Australian Institute of Architects.



Ian Athfield, FNZIA, FRAIA, Marshall E. Purnell, Hon. MRAIC, Kiyoshi Matsuzaki, PP/FRAIC, Alec Tzannes, Hon. MRAIC

APEC Architect Project



The RAIC hosted the APEC Architect Project Third Central Council in Vancouver, British Columbia from August 6 to 8, 2008. The gathering was an opportunity for more than 70 leaders of the architectural profession from 14 economies to discuss common issues and negotiate mutual recognition agreements which will increase mobility and allow Canadian architects

to work in the Pacific Rim region. **Bonnie Maples, PP/FRAIC** chaired the meeting which was attend by RAIC Executive members **Kiyoshi Matsuzaki, PP/FRAIC**, **Paule Boutin, FIRAC**, and **Jon Hobbs, FRAIC**. Also present for the Canadian architecture profession was **David Wilkinson, MRAIC** and Dorothy Barkley who represented the regulators.

Canadian Monitoring Committee Members for 2008:

Kiyoshi Matsuzaki, PP/FRAIC	President
Jon Hobbs, FRAIC	Executive Director
Stuart Howard, FRAIC	Past-President, Architectural Institute of British Columbia; RAIC Regional Director, BC
Lisa Bate, FRAIC	Ontario Association of Architects
Larry Jones, FRAIC	Architects Association of Prince Edward Island
Charles Henley, MRAIC	Newfoundland Association of Architects

Financial Statements of the RAIC

Note: The following financial information has been extracted from the December 31, 2008 financial statements audited by Ouseley Hanvey Clipsham Deep LLP. A complete set of audited financial statements is available from the RAIC office upon request.

Approved on behalf of the Board:

Paule Boutin, FIRAC, President

Stuart Howard, FRAIC, Treasurer

Balance Sheet as at December 31, 2008

	2008	2007
ASSETS		
<i>Current</i>		
Cash	\$ 448,627	\$ 532,929
Accounts receivable	73,909	31,502
Prepaid expenses	148,875	102,864
	671,411	667,295
PROPERTY & EQUIPMENT	27,044	8,535
	\$ 698,455	\$ 675,830
LIABILITIES		
<i>Current</i>		
Accounts payable	\$ 138,420	\$ 170,074
Deferred revenue	230,869	197,919
	369,289	367,993
NET ASSETS		
Invested in capital assets	27,044	8,535
Unrestricted	302,122	299,302
	329,166	307,837
	\$ 698,455	\$ 675,830

Statement of Changes in Net Assets for the Year Ended December 31, 2008

	2008	2007
INVESTED IN CAPITAL ASSETS		
Balance – beginning of year	\$ 8,535	\$ 27,948
Purchase of property & equipment	33,680	3,523
Amortization	(15,171)	(22,936)
Balance – end of year	\$ 27,044	\$ 8,535
UNRESTRICTED		
Balance – beginning of year	\$ 299,302	\$ 218,720
Net revenue for the year	21,329	61,169
Purchase of property & equipment	(33,680)	(3,523)
Amortization	15,171	22,936
Balance – end of year	\$ 302,122	\$ 299,302

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure for the Year Ended December 31, 2008

	2008	2007
REVENUE		
Membership	\$ 937,285	\$ 873,038
Grants and general sponsorship	166,850	57,152
Awards program	133,538	33,960
Festival of Architecture	237,827	72,192
Practice support	323,925	292,610
Centennial	-	5,766
Other	65,515	87,746
	1,864,940	1,422,464
EXPENDITURE		
Membership	32,651	13,593
Communications	26,658	40,475
Awards program	81,030	27,158
Festival of Architecture	240,654	20,849
Practice support	299,041	175,197
Advocacy	20,323	33,544
Administration	773,540	767,913
External relations and Board	227,168	145,647
Committees	33,034	128,907
HRSDC Project	109,512	-
Centennial	-	8,012
	1,843,611	1,361,295
NET REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	\$ 21,329	\$ 61,169

RAIC Foundation

The RAIC Foundation is supported entirely by bequests and voluntary donations and includes endowments that provide financial assistance for worthwhile projects that advance the understanding and awareness of architecture, both for the public and for the profession. In 2008 cash gifts of \$13,548.34 were received by the Foundation as donations from members (not including the new Centennial Fund).

In 2008 the RAIC Foundation engaged the firm of Ketchum Canada Inc. to undertake a review of the operations of the Foundation. A new strategic plan was developed as well as other proposals for organizational and governance changes to the Foundation were agreed upon and will be implemented over time.

The Foundation's mission is to develop programs to:

- ensure a vibrant place for architecture in Canadian society;
- advance excellence in architecture; and,
- promote the development of programs to support the architectural profession throughout Canada.

The Foundation Trustees oversee the administration of, and act as the jury for, the RAIC Foundation Awards established by bequests from members of the Institute, in addition to the RAIC Foundation Award.

The Trustees are:

Paul-André Tétreault, AP/FIRAC

Alexander Rankin, FRAIC (Incoming Chancellor)

Paul Polson, FRAIC

J. Robert Thibodeau, FIRAC

Yves Gosselin, AP/FIRAC

Christopher Fillingham, PP/FRAIC replaced by **Vivian Manasc, PP/FRAIC**



Clockwise from top-left: Yves Gosselin, AP/FIRAC, Alexander Rankin, FRAIC, Paul Polson, FRAIC, Paul-André Tétreault, AP/FIRAC, Christopher Fillingham, PP/FRAIC, J. Robert Thibodeau, FIRAC

Centennial Fund

To celebrate the RAIC's 100th anniversary a new endowment fund within the RAIC Foundation was created to provide deserving Interns or Intern Architects with an annual awards program for years to come. **As of December 31, 2008, a total of \$107,870 had been raised.**

2008 Foundation Awards

The following are recipients of Foundation Scholarships:

Canada Green Building Council Scholarship for Sustainable Design and Research

Andrew Chau

McGill University

Arthur Buckwell Memorial Scholarship

Amy Schroeder

University of Manitoba

Bernard Jodoin Scholarships

Jonathan Tardif

Université Laval

Marc-Antoine Grondin

Université de Montréal

Lilia Koleva

McGill University

RAIC Foundation Bursary

Wilfred Ferwerda, RAIC Syllabus Student

Ernest Wilby Memorial Scholarship

Adriana Ross and Venkatesh Prabhu

Carleton University

The Gerard Venne Bursary

Not available in 2008

Student Award for Justice Architecture

Not available in 2008

The André Francou Legacy

Not awarded in 2008

Burwell Coon Award

Not available in 2008



Recipient of the 2008 CaGBC Scholarship, Andrew Chau, with RAIC Foundation trustees Christopher Fillingham, PP/FRAIC and Paul-André Tétreault, AP/FIRAC

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Approved on behalf of the Board:

Alexander Rankin, FRAIC, Chair

Jon Hobbs, FRAIC, Executive Secretary

Balance Sheet as at December 31, 2008

	2008	2007
ASSETS		
Cash	\$ 61,897	\$ 76,593
Accounts receivable	8,946	11,098
Accrued interest receivable	1,709	1,896
Investments	599,904	576,348
	\$ 672,456	\$ 665,935
LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable	\$ 1,000	\$ 900
NET ASSETS		
Capital reserve	572,789	551,372
Revenue reserve	98,667	113,663
	671,456	665,035
	\$ 672,456	\$ 665,935

Statement of Capital Reserve Net Assets as at December 31, 2008

	2008	2007
Wilby Memorial Fund	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000
Franco Trust Fund	34,402	34,402
Buckwell Memorial Fund	26,575	26,575
Burwell R. Coon Trust Fund	25,000	25,000
Barstow Trust Fund	2,150	2,150
Gerard Venne Bursary Fund	62,790	62,070
PWGSC Awards in Justice Architecture	55,000	55,000
Bernard Jodoin Scholarship Fund	213,127	211,725
RAIC Centennial Fund	107,871	94,450
Canada Green Building Council Fund	25,874	20,000
	\$ 572,789	\$ 551,372

Statement of Revenue Reserve Net Assets For the Year Ended December 31, 2008

	Balance Dec. 31, 2007	Interest and donations revenue	Expenditure	Balance Dec. 31, 2008
Wilby Memorial Fund	\$ 1,769	\$ 717	\$ 1,300	\$ 1,186
Franco Trust Fund	1,250	1,238	300	2,188
Buckwell Memorial Fund	1,740	929	1,800	869
Burwell R. Coon Trust Fund	(27)	864	300	537
Barstow Trust Fund	1,125	115	-	1,240
Gerard Venne Bursary Fund	796	2,217	1,020	1,993
PWGSC Awards in Justice Architecture	25,290	2,802	300	27,792
Bernard Jodoin Scholarship Fund	2,544	7,319	6,702	3,161
RAIC Centennial Fund	3,491	3,890	300	7,081
Canada Green Building Council Fund	-	10,874	10,874	-
General Trust Fund	75,685	21,953	45,018	52,620
	\$ 113,663	\$ 52,918	\$ 67,914	\$ 98,667