

Dated Undated 19 .  
Received July 16, 19 48.  
Granted December 17, 1948 .

MEMBERSHIP NO 6323



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

RECORD OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INSTITUTE

In due order  
July 21, 1948  
J.H. Gervais

- A Name of applicant Roland Gommel Roessner Chapter Central Texas Florida Central
- B Address of applicant 920 East 37th Street, Austin, Texas
- C Applicant proposed by Winfield Lott and Wm. B. Harvard
- D Application received with check for \$ 10.00 on July 16, 19 48
- E Application returned for correction..... 19 .
- F Application in due order on..... July 21, 1948 .
- Record of registration, Form S39, Sent. (Fla.) July 20, 19 48 Received. July 24, 19 48.  
(Ohio) July 20, 1948 " July 24, 1948.
- G Notices sent to chapter executive committee:
  - (a) Form S11, reasonable time ending on November 6, 1948 on October 6, 1948
  - (b) Form S12, 30-day extension ending on August 21, 19 48 on July 21, 19 48
  - December 6, 1948 on November 6, 1948
  - September 21, 19 48 on August 25, 19 48
- H Acknowledgments to applicant, proposers, and chapter on..... July 21, 1948 .
- I Certified resolution of chapter executive committee recommending admission ~~or that application be denied~~ received on..... November 15, 19 48.
- J No report from chapter executive committee on..... 19 .
- K Application sent to The Board of Examiners on..... December 8, 19 48.
- L The Board of Examiners reported on application on..... December 8, 19 48.
- M Applicant was admitted on..... December 17, 19 48.
- N Notice and certificate to applicant and notice of assignment to chapter and letter to proposers on..... December 17, 19 48.
- O Notice of denial of application to chapter and applicant and \$..... 19 .

CERTIFICATION OF ELECTION AND ASSIGNMENT

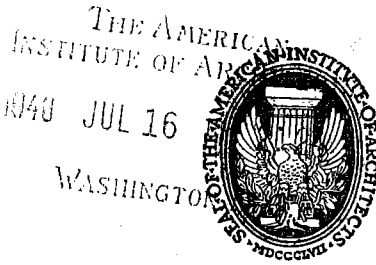
I, Secretary of The American Institute of Architects, hereby certify that, under authority vested in me by The Board of Directors, I have this day duly elected  
Roland Gommel Roessner

to membership in The Institute, and hereby declare him to be a corporate member of The Institute and assign him to membership in the Central Texas Chapter.

Date December 17, 19 48

Secretary

(a)



INSTRUCTIONS

Type in all information carefully and sign with ink.  
Mail the original and check for \$10.00 to The Secretary, The American Institute of Architects, 1741 New York Avenue, N. W., Washington 6, D. C.  
File this duplicate, on yellow paper, with the secretary of the local Chapter of The Institute.

The American Institute of Architects

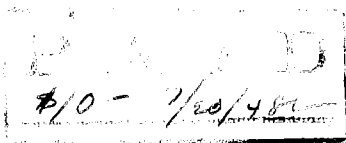
APPLICATION FOR CORPORATE MEMBERSHIP

I, the undersigned, do hereby apply for corporate membership in The American Institute of Architects.

1. My full name is **Roland Gommel Roessner**
2. I am a **natural** citizen of **United States**  
2. State whether a natural or a naturalized citizen.
3. My legal residence is in the City of **St. Petersburg**  
County of **Pinellas** State of **Florida**
4. My address in The Institute records will be  
~~350 80th Avenue~~ **920 E. 37th St.**  
Number Street  
~~St. Petersburg, 7, Florida~~ **Austin, Texas**  
City Zone State
5. I am engaged in the profession of architecture as **a Practicing Architect & Professor**  
5. State whether as a practicing architect, a teacher, a public official, etc.
6. I desire to be a member of the **Florida Central** Chapter.  
central, Texas
7. I declare that I will comply with the By-laws; and the Standards of Professional Practice of The American Institute of Architects, which are attached hereto; and the Rules and Regulations supplementary thereto; and that I understand the duties, responsibilities, and obligations of a member of The Institute.
8. I have filed the duplicate of this application with the secretary of the Chapter above named. I am not indebted to The Institute or to any of its component organizations.
9. I enclose my check for \$10.00, for admission fee and the first year's annual dues, of which \$1.00 is for a year's subscription to the *Bulletin of The American Institute of Architects*. It is my understanding that if I am not admitted to membership \$5.00 will be returned to me, and \$5.00 retained by The Institute as an examination fee.

Date **19**

*Roland G. Roessner*  
Applicant sign full name in ink



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STATISTICS

10. Date of birth Nov. 19, 1911 Place of birth Terra Haute, Indiana

11.(a) I am registered or licensed to practice architecture in the following-named states:

Registered in Florida (Exemption)  
 Registered in Ohio (Examination)

(b) I passed the State Board Examination in the following-named states:

Ohio

(c) I hold Certificate No.....of the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards, for having passed their Standard Examination.

EDUCATION

12.(a) I attended high schools, private schools, colleges, universities, as follows:

Name of School, College, University	Location	No. of Years	Year of Graduation	Degree
Hughes High School	Cincinnati, O.	4	1929	
U. of Cincinnati	" "	2	1929-1931	
Miami University	Oxford, Ohio	3	1932-1935	Bach. of Arch.
U. of Cincinnati	Cincinnati, O.	2	1940-1942	M. of Arch.

(b) I have held the following-named scholarships or other honor awards, and have traveled in the following-named countries:

Member of Delta Phi Delta, A'Telier-Honorary Architectural fraternities  
 Tremendous help in Contemporary Architectural Design in travelling in Orient.

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

13. I list below, in chronological order, the periods of my training as draftsman, the names and addresses of my principal employers, and my classification as draftsman while employed by each:

William Unger Architect, Bucyrus, O. <sup>From</sup> 1931-1932 <sup>To</sup> Draftsman  
 Grunkemeyer & Sullivan, Arch.& Engr. Cinti, O. Draftsman Designer  
 1935-1942; Became Associate 1938. Designing, working drawings, Supervision & Spec., etc.  
 U. S. Engineers, Wright Field, Dayton, O. 1942 Arch. Designer  
 U. S. Navy - C.E.C., USNR, Lt. Comdr. 1942 -1946

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PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

14. I list below, in chronological order, the periods during which and the states in which I have practiced architecture as an individual or as a member of a firm or corporation or as a public official or have taught architecture or the arts and sciences allied therewith. (State names of firms or corporations or public office and of schools or colleges).

	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>
Grunkemeyer & Sullivan (Assoc. Member)	1938	1942
R. Gommel Roessner	1946	1948
Prof. of Arch., U. of Texas	1948	-

BUSINESS AFFILIATIONS

15. I list below other business in which I participate or own an interest, and the extent of such participation or interest.

PRESENT OR PREVIOUS MEMBERSHIPS IN ARCHITECTURAL ORGANIZATIONS

- 16. Member of Institute from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_
- 17. Junior of Institute from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_
- 18. Associate of \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_
- 19. Junior Associate of \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_
- 20. Student Associate of \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_
- 21. Member of State Organization in \_\_\_\_\_ from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
 Arch. Society of Ohio  
 Florida Association of Architects

ENDORSEMENT BY PROPOSERS

(The two proposers must be corporate members of The Institute in good standing.)

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I have read the statements made hereinabove by the applicant and believe them to be correct. I vouch for his honorable standing in this community and in his profession, and I believe he is fully qualified for membership and I propose him therefor.

I have known the applicant for *two* years.

I have known the applicant for *16* years.

Signed *Winfield Lott P.A.*  
Proposer

Signed *Wm. B. Harvard*  
Proposer

*La Playa Theater Bldg*  
Address

*17 Alhambra Circle*  
Address

*St. Petersburg Fla*  
*Winfield Lott*

*St Petersburg, Fla*



R. GOMMEL ROESSNER

REGISTERED ARCHITECT

81st Ave. Blind Pass Rd. St. Petersburg Beach

Florida

THE AMERICAN  
INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

JUL 16 PM 2:28

WASHINGTON, D. C.

DIAL 23-371

July 12, 1948

The American Institute of Architects  
1741 -New York Avenue, N. W.  
Washington, 6, D. C.

Attention: The Secretary

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find application form for membership to the Florida Central Chapter of the American Institute of Architects.

I have received an appointment as Professor on the Architectural Faculty of the University of Texas commencing with this Fall Term.

However, I plan to maintain my legal residence in St. Petersburg and continue my practice from Texas, associating with an A. I. A. architect in this area for supervision, contracts, etc.

Hoping to receive favorable consideration on my application.

Yours very truly,

  
R. GOMMEL ROESSNER

RGR/kn  
encl.



THE AMERICAN  
INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS  
JUL 24 AM 9:33  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS  
THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.  
Office of The Secretary

RECORD OF REGISTRATION

OF

Roland Gommel Roessner, St. Petersburg, Fla.  
(Name of Applicant)

SECRETARY,  
BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINERS,  
Jacksonville, Fla.  
Address

Dear Sir:

The above named applicant for membership in The American Institute of Architects is an architect practicing in your state.

To qualify for such membership, an applicant, if resident in a state having registration or licensing laws for architects, must be registered or licensed by the state to practice architecture therein.

Will you please answer the following questions relating to the applicant's registration, to assist The Institute in determining his eligibility for membership? A duplicate of the form is enclosed for your files.

Date July 20 19 48

[Signature]  
Secretary

1. Is the applicant registered or licensed to practice architecture in your state? Yes
2. Was his registration or licensing by examination?.....or by exemption? Yes
3. What was the scope of the examination?.....
4. What was the period of the examination?.....days. Written examination.....hours; Oral examination.....hours.
5. When examined, did applicant have a certificate from the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards? No If so, give Certificate No.....
6. Date of last registration Jan. 11, 19 45 Registration No. 1423 Is it current? Yes

[Signature]  
(Signature of Secretary of Board)

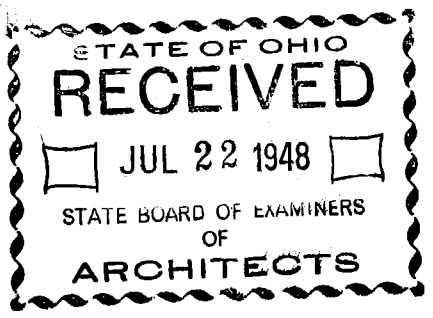
Date July 22, 19 48

Fla. State Bd. of Architecture  
(Name of Board)

THE AMERICAN  
INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS  
1948 JUL 24 AM 9:32  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS  
THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.  
Office of The Secretary  
RECORD OF REGISTRATION

OF  
Roland Gommel Roessner, St. Petersburg, Fla.  
(Name of Applicant)

SECRETARY,  
BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINERS,  
Columbus, Ohio  
Address

Dear Sir:

The above named applicant for membership in The American Institute of Architects is an architect practicing in your state.

To qualify for such membership, an applicant, if resident in a state having registration or licensing laws for architects, must be registered or licensed by the state to practice architecture therein.

Will you please answer the following questions relating to the applicant's registration, to assist The Institute in determining his eligibility for membership? A duplicate of the form is enclosed for your files.

Date July 20 19 48

*[Signature]*  
Secretary

- 1. Is the applicant registered or licensed to practice architecture in your state? Yes (11-12-41)
- 2. Was his registration or licensing by examination? Yes or by exemption?
- 3. What was the scope of the examination? See attached program.
- 4. What was the period of the examination? 4 days. Written examination 36 1/2 hours; Oral examination hours.
- 5. When examined, did applicant have a certificate from the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards? If so, give Certificate No.
- 6. Date of last registration 12-11-47 19 Registration No. 1356 Is it current? Yes

*[Signature]*  
(Signature of Secretary of Board)

Date 7-22-48 19

Ohio State Board of Examiners of Architects  
(Name of Board)

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STATE OF OHIO  
STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF ARCHITECTS  
Office of the Board  
#2750 A.I.U. Building  
Columbus, Ohio

C-1356  
Sample  
Program

August 25, 1941

Re: Application No. \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Sir:

The Board will examine all applicants by a written examination on September 22nd to 26th, inclusive, at Brown Hall, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio.

	<u>Wgt. Val.</u>		<u>Hours</u>
Sept. 22nd - First Day:	(5) Arch. History	(2)	1:00 P. M. - 3:00 P. M.
	(5) Arch. Composition	(2)	3:00 P. M. - 5:00 P. M.
Sept. 23rd - Second Day:	(30) Architectural Design	(12)	8:00 A. M. - 9:00 P. M.
Sept. 24th - Third Day:	(10) Arch. Pract. & Superv.	(4)	8:00 A. M. - 12:00 Noon
	(15) Arch. Engr. (Graphics)	(4)	1:00 P. M. - 5:00 P. M.
Sept. 25th - Fourth Day:	(15) Arch. Construction	(4)	8:00 A. M. - 12:00 Noon
	(4) Sanitation	(2)	1:00 P. M. - 3:00 P. M.
	(4) Heating & Ventilating	(2)	3:00 P. M. - 5:00 P. M.
Sept. 26th - Fifth Day:	(8) Specifications	(2 $\frac{1}{2}$ )	8:00 A. M. - 10:30 A. M.
	(4) Electrical Engr.	(2)	10:30 A. M. - 12:30 P. M.
	(100)	(36 $\frac{1}{2}$ )	

Each participant will provide his own drawing instruments, 36" T. square, triangles, pencils, erasers, thumbtacks, etc. All necessary paper will be furnished by the Board of Examiners.

Each applicant for examination is instructed to sign and return the enclosed acknowledgment of this notice.

Yours very truly,

STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF ARCHITECTS

R. C. Kempton,  
Executive Secretary

(A-26R)

NOTE: BRING THIS NOTICE WITH YOU.





THE AMERICAN  
INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS  
1948 SEP 29 AM 9:28  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

FLORIDA CENTRAL CHAPTER  
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

P. O. Box 759  
Winter Park, Florida  
Sept. 27, 1948

Mr. Edward C. Kemper, Executive Secretary  
American Institute of Architects  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

The Florida Central Chapter is planning to have their Annual Meeting on October 9th in St. Petersburg, Florida. At this time we wish to act on applications for Corporate membership for the following:

~~Roland Gommel Roessner, St. Petersburg, Fla.~~  
~~John Bruce Dodd, St. Petersburg, Fla.~~  
~~Robert Henry Levison, Clearwater, Fla.~~

Our Chapter is only able to meet quarterly and the date for the Chapter's action will expire before these applications can be brought before the group. It is requested that Chapter action will be allowed on the above mentioned applications as of October 9, 1948.

Yours truly,

Francis H. Emerson, A.I.A.  
Secy. - Treas Fla Central  
Chapter A.I.A.

FHE/e

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS  
THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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September 29, 1948

Dear Mr. Emerson:

We are in receipt of your letter of September 27 regarding the pending applications of Messrs. John Bruce Dodd, Robert Henry Levison, and Roland Gennel Roesser.

As requested we shall be glad to hold these applications pending until Chapter action is received.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Assistant

Mr. Francis H. Emerson, Secretary-Treasurer  
Florida Central Chapter, A.I.A.  
P. O. Box 759  
Winter Park, Florida

R/k

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# R. GOMMEL ROESSNER

REGISTERED ARCHITECT

~~81st Ave. Blind Pass Rd. St. Petersburg Beach~~  
920 East 37<sup>th</sup> St. Austin Texas  
Florida

THE AMERICAN  
INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS  
1948 OCT -6 AM 8:56  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

DIAL 23-371

4 Oct. 1948.

The American Institute of Architects  
1741 New York Avenue N.W.  
Washington, D. C.

Attention: Mr. Clair W. Ditchey

Dear Sir:

A few months ago I applied for membership  
to the Florida Central Chapter of the Institute.  
Since that time I have changed my legal  
residence to that of Austin Texas having  
assumed an appointment to the Architectural  
Faculty of the University of Texas.

Under these conditions Mr. Golden Oldsmith  
advised me to withdraw my application to  
the Florida Central Chapter and resubmit it  
to the Austin Texas Chapter.

Thank you very kindly for the above mentioned  
R. Gommel Roessner

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October 6, 1948

Dear Mr. Roessner:

Thank you for your letter of October 4, concerning your pending application for membership in The Institute, advising us of your change of address.

As you are now teaching and residing in Texas, your application will be submitted through the Central Texas Chapter. The Secretary of the Chapter is Mr. William B. Saunders, 1708 West 30th Street, Austin.

We are writing to Mr. Francis H. Emerson, Secretary of the Florida Central Chapter, requesting that he forward the duplicate copy of your application to Mr. Saunders.

Otherwise, your application appears to be in due order.

If we can be of assistance to you in any way, please do not hesitate to call upon us.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Director

Mr. R. Gennel Roessner  
920 East 37th Street  
Austin, Texas

R/E

cc to: Proposers - Mr. Winfield Lett, A.I.A.  
Mr. Wm. B. Harvard, A.I.A.  
Secretary, Florida Central Chapter, A.I.A.  
Secretary, Central Texas Chapter, A.I.A.

October 6, 1948

Dear Mr. Emerson:

We are in receipt of a letter, dated October 6, from Mr. R. Gemmel Roessner, regarding his pending application for membership in The Institute.

Mr. Roessner informs us that he is now residing in Austin, Texas and, therefore, his application should be submitted through the Central Texas Chapter.

We shall appreciate it if you will please forward the duplicate copy of his application to Mr. William B. Summers, 1708 West 39th Street, Austin.

We enclose with copy of Mr. Roessner's letter explaining the situation and our reply to him.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Director

Mr. Francis H. Emerson, Secretary  
Florida Central Chapter, A.I.A.  
P. O. Box 759  
Winter Park, Florida

K/k

Enclosures

cc to: Secretary, Central Texas Chapter, A.I.A.

THE CENTRAL TEXAS CHAPTER

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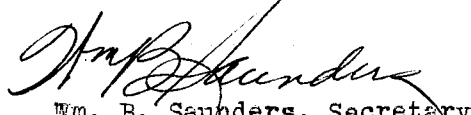
18 October 1948

Mr. E. C. Kemper  
Executive Director  
The American Institute of Architects  
The Octagon  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Kemper:

The Executive Committee of the Central Texas Chapter will take up Mr. R. Gommel Roessner's application for membership at its next meeting, November 1, 1948. I will notify you of action taken at that meeting!

Very truly yours

  
Wm. B. Saunders, Secretary  
Central Texas Chapter, AIA

c/o Office of Supervising Architect  
The University of Texas  
Austin, Texas

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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS  
THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

COPY

October 22, 1948

Dear Mr. Saunders:

We are in receipt of your letter of October 18 advising us that the application of Mr. R. Gommel Roessner will be acted on at the next meeting of the Executive Committee of the Central Texas Chapter on November 1. This application will be held until Chapter action is received.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Assistant

Mr. Wm. B. Saunders, Secretary  
Central Texas Chapter, A.I.A.  
c/o Office of Supervising Architect, Univ. of Texas  
Austin, Texas

R/k

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FLORIDA CENTRAL CHAPTER  
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

P. O. Box 759  
Winter Park, Florida  
Nov. 11, 1948

Mr. Edward C. Kemper, Exec. Secy.  
American Institute of Architects  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

At the Annual Meeting of the Florida Central Chapter  
in St. Petersburg on October 9th, the principal officers  
were re-elected for the coming year, namely:

Laurance W. Hitt, President  
Felix Benton, Vice-president;  
Francis H. Emerson, Secretary-Treasurer.

The directors are as follows:

W. Kenneth Miller - 3 years.  
Albert Poteet - 2 years  
Elliot B. Hadley - 1 year.

In addition to the electing of officers, the Chapter  
had three applications to consider. However, the application  
of Mr. Roland Gommel Roessner was withdrawn at his request  
prior to the voting. Present Associate members John Bruce  
Dodd of St. Petersburg and Robert Henry Levison of Clearwater  
were unanimously voted into the Chapter as full Corporate  
members.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Francis H. Emerson  
Secretary-Treasurer

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THE CENTRAL TEXAS CHAPTER

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AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

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THE AMERICAN  
INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS  
WASHINGTON, D. C.  
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11 November 1948

Mr. Clair W. Ditchy, Secretary  
The American Institute of Architects  
1741 New York Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Upon recommendation of the Executive Committee of the Central Texas Chapter, the Chapter voted to recommend the admittance of Mr. Roland G. Roessner to corporate membership in The American Institute of Architects.

Sincerely yours

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE  
CENTRAL TEXAS CHAPTER, AIA

By

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Wm. B. Saunders".

Wm. B. Saunders, Secretary  
c/o Office of Supervising Architect  
The University of Texas, Austin

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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS  
THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

COPY

December 17, 1948

Dear Mr. Roeschner:

The Secretary is happy to inform you that your application for membership in The Institute was acted on favorably by The Board of Directors and that you were admitted to corporate membership in The Institute and assigned to membership in the Central Texas Chapter, effective December 17, 1948. You will be a member of that Chapter, or of some other chapter if you later transfer thereto, until your membership in The Institute terminates.

Your certificate of membership, duly executed by the Officers of The Institute, will be sent in due course.

The Board of Directors welcomes you to membership in The Institute and The Secretary's office is at your service to the extent of its powers.

The policies and the activities of The Institute are developed largely from problems arising within the chapters. By taking an active part in your Chapter affairs, you will contribute to the advancement of the objects of The Institute and will increase the benefits to be derived from Institute membership.

We bespeak your active cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary

Mr. Roland Gommel Roeschner, A.I.A.  
920 East 37th Street  
Austin, Texas

GWD/kk  
Enclosures

cc to: Proposers - Mr. Winfield Lott, A.I.A.  
Mr. Wm. B. Harvard, A.I.A.

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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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January 6, 1949

Dear Mr. Bunch:

Your letter of December 30 has been referred to this office for reply by Mr. Clair W. Ditchy, Secretary of The Institute.

The reason the notice of Mr. Roland Roessner's election to corporate membership in The Institute was sent to The Florida Association of Architects is that Mr. Roessner stated in his application that he is a member of your Association. In such cases, the Associations are notified so that they may change their records to indicate that such members have been elected corporate members of The Institute.

It is true that Mr. Roessner is not registered to practice in Texas, but he is not required to be so registered to be eligible for election to corporate membership as he is a professor of architecture at the University of Texas. However, Mr. Roessner is currently registered in Florida and Ohio.

As you know, chapters to which members are to be assigned are given two notices covering a period of sixty days in which to recommend assignments to their chapters. Therefore, if a chapter feels strongly that architects who are applying for admission to The Institute, with assignment to that particular chapter, and who are not registered to practice in that state, should not be assigned to their chapter, then they have opportunity to advise The Institute to that effect.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to write again.

Sincerely yours,

Mr. Franklin S. Bunch, President  
Florida Association of Architects  
Florida Theatre Building  
Jacksonville, Florida

J.W.R.  
Executive Assistant

R:B

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PRESIDENT

SECRETARY

TREASURER

Cc to - Mr. William A. McCarty, Secretary, Florida Asso. of Architects

No. NF #1382

Received July 19 67

Voted On March 19 68

Voted On 19

Voted On 19

Granted April 3 19 68

No. M #1382



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS  
JURY OF FELLOWS

NOMINATION FOR FELLOWSHIP

CASE RECORD

1. Name of Nominee R. Gommel Roessner Date of Nomination March 1967
2. Address of Nominee 3414 Foothill Terrace, Austin, Texas
3. Nominee's firm R. Gommel Roessner
4. Nominee's principal place of business same as above
5. Nominee's Chapter Austin Chapter
6. Nominee's State Organization Texas Society of Architects
7. Nominee admitted to Institute December 17, 1948
8. Nominee has been in good standing in Institute from 12 19 48 to 12/31 19 67
9. Nominee's age 56 Birthplace Terra Haute, Indiana
10. Nominators: Fellows and Exec. Comm., Austin Chapter

(1) R. Max Brooks	(1) Jon A. Bowman
(2) Edwin W. Carroll	(2) Fred W. Day
(3) Karl F. Kamrath	(3) Merle A. Simpson
(4) Howard R. Meyer	(4) David McCandless, Jr.
(5) Harwood Taylor	(5) Phil Bible
(6) Philip D. Creer	(6) William P. Chamlee
11. Achievement DESIGN & EDUCATION



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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

# Nomination for Fellowship by Individual Members and/or Fellows

The Jury of Fellows  
The American Institute of Architects  
1735 New York Avenue, Northwest  
Washington, D. C.

Date March 1967

We hereby nominate R. Gommel Roessner, A. I. A. corporate member of the  
(NAME OF NOMINEE)  
Austin, Texas Chapter, AIA for fellowship in  
(NAME OF NOMINEE'S CHAPTER)

The Institute for his notable contribution to the advancement of the profession by his achievements in  
Design and Education

(NAME OF CATEGORY(S) FOR WHICH NOMINATION IS MADE—I.E., DESIGN, SCIENCE OF CONSTRUCTION, LITERATURE, EDUCATION, SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION, PUBLIC SERVICE)

Evidence of the qualifications of the nominee for the fellowship is appended.

\* Members' Signatures

Chapter of Members

R. Max Brooks  
R. Max Brooks F. A. I. A.

Austin Texas Chapter

Edwin W. Carroll  
Edwin W. Carroll F. A. I. A.

El Paso Texas Chapter

Karl F. Kamrath  
Karl F. Kamrath F. A. I. A.

Houston Texas Chapter

Howard R. Meyer  
Howard R. Meyer F. A. I. A.

Dallas Texas Chapter

Harwood Taylor  
Harwood Taylor F. A. I. A.

Houston Texas Chapter

Philip D. Cooper  
Philip D. Cooper F. A. I. A.

Austin Texas Chapter

THE NOMINATORS SHOULD SEE THAT DATA IS SENT TO THE JURY OF FELLOWS IN SUPPORT OF THIS NOMINATION. ALL SUCH COMMUNICATIONS SHALL BE PRIVILEGED AND NO COPIES SHOULD BE GIVEN TO OTHERS.

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Nomination for Fellowship by Chapter

The Jury of Fellows, AIA
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, Northwest
Washington, D. C.

Date April 26, 19 67

The Executive Committee of this Chapter, at a duly called meeting on April 25, 19 67 (DATE OF MEETING)

nominated Roland Gommel Roessner, corporate member of this Chapter, for fellowship in the Institute. We enclose evidence of the qualifications of the nominee for the fellowship on which the nomination was based and certify the resolution is as follows:

Whereas, this Executive Committee believes Roland Gommel Roessner a member of this Chapter, has made so notable a contribution to the advancement to the profession because of his achievement in Design and Education

(NAME OF CATEGORY(S) FOR WHICH NOMINATION IS MADE—I.E., DESIGN, SCIENCE OF CONSTRUCTION, LITERATURE, EDUCATION, SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION, PUBLIC SERVICE)

Whereas, said member has been in good standing in this Chapter for 17 years prior to this date; therefore be it

Resolved, That Austin Chapter, AIA

does hereby nominate Roland Gommel Roessner for fellowship in The Institute, and the President and Secretary be and hereby are authorized and directed to prepare the nomination papers and forward them to The Jury of Fellows of the Institute and to do all things proper to forward said nomination.

\* Signatures of Members of Executive Committee

Handwritten signatures of committee members: Jon A. Bowman, Fred W. Day, Marshall S. ... Daniel M. Cantello Jr., Phil Bible, William P. Chamlee

\* must be personally signed and typed

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**BIOGRAPHICAL STATISTICS**

*Additional sheets may be inserted to supplement any page, 2 to 7, inclusive.*

**Typewriting only**

1. Nominee's full name: Roland Gommel Roessner
2. Nominee is a  natural  naturalized citizen of United States  
(NAME OF COUNTRY)
3. Nominee's legal residence (address): 3414 Foothill Terrace, Austin, Texas
4. Nominee's firm name: R. Gommel Roessner A. I. A.
5. Nominee's principal place of business (address): 3414 Foothill Terrace, Austin, Texas  
University of Texas, School of Architecture
6. Nominee is registered or licensed to practice architecture by: \_\_\_\_\_

Examination-Ohio 1939

(NAME OF STATE BOARD, NCARB, AS CASE MAY BE)

7. Nominee is registered or licensed to practice architecture in the states of: Texas-1192, Florida-  
1423, Ohio-1325 (Dropped), N. C. A. R. B. Certificate 1249

8. Nominee is engaged in the profession of architecture as: Principal and Professor of  
Architecture  
(CURRENT STATUS OF EMPLOYMENT AND POSITION)

9. Nominee's date of birth: NOV. 19, 1911 Place of birth: Terra Haute, Indiana

10. Nominee's education:

(a) Name of High School, College, University, Private Schools, Post Graduate, etc. (chronological order)

LOCATION	NO. OF YEARS	YEAR OF GRADUATION	DEGREE
Hughes High School	4	1929	
Univ. of Cincinnati	2	1931	B. Arch.
Miami University	3	1935	B. Arch.
Univ. of Cincinnati	1	1942	M. Arch.

(b) Scholarships held by nominee: Methodist Federation of Churches Scholarship

11. Nominee has traveled in the following countries: Caribbean Islands, Mexico, South America, Orient

12. Other data concerning nominee's record: *(important experiences during employment or additional statistics of importance in nominee's record)* Designed over 65 schools, office buildings, state and federal buildings etc. in general practice. As a member of a design team at Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio, designed and developed wind tunnel, torque stands, jet propulsion lab etc. Served four and one half years in Navy; Lt. Comdr. C. E. C. U. S. N. R. during World War Two, Pacific Theatre. One Man Show Laguna Arts Museum, Austin, Texas, August 1965.

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One Man Show of the Work of R. Gommel Roessner-Applied Arts College  
U. of Cincinnati  
December 1956

One Man Show of the Work of R. Gommel Roessner-School of Architecture  
University of Texas  
1956

Was invited to exhibit by the Milwaukee Chapter of the A. I. A. Convention  
September 1960. The exhibit was titled "New Directions in Architecture".  
Twenty architects were invited to show at the War Memorial Center for  
this program.

Miami University Alumni Magazine in 1965 presented a feature story on  
the Educational and Architectural contributions of R. G. Roessner to the  
profession.

In 1965 Miami University honored R. G. Roessner as one of the five most  
outstanding graduates in the School of Architecture and Urban and Regional  
Planning Department of the University.

First Professor at The University of Texas School of Architecture to be  
pledged and initiated by the students into Alpha Rho Chi Architectural  
Fraternity, 1966.



## NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENT IN ARCHITECTURAL DESIGN

(Part I of this page must be executed in all cases regardless of category for which nomination is made to conform to photographic exhibits which will be submitted.)

## 1.\* Works

TYPE (a) Commercial (b) Monumental (c) Domestic (d) Special	IDENTIFICATION OF WORK	LOCATION OF WORK		COMPLETED CONSTRUCTION WORK (Year)	PHOTOGRAPHS SUBMITTED TO JURY OF FELLOWS
		(City)	(State)		
C	Oaks Apartment	Austin	Texas	1963	Yes
	A. I. A. Merit Award Winner			1965	
	Honor Award Winner House & Homes			1964	
	Honor Award Winner Tex. Soc. of Arch.			1965	
	Illustrated on cover House & Homes Mag.			August 1964	
	Illustrated on cover Tex. Soc. of Arch. Mag.			1965	
C	Foster Residence	Austin	Texas	1964	Yes
	Honor Award Winner Tex. Soc. of Arch.			1966	
	Illustrated on cover Tex. Soc. of Arch. Mag.			January 1967	
C	Judge Wilson Residence	Austin	Texas	1966	Yes
	Residence completed late in			1966	
C	Roessner's Residence	Austin	Texas	1952	Yes
	Scientific case study in climatic control in residential design for the Southwest Am. Builder Mag.			June 1964	
C	Dr. Thorne Res.	Austin	Texas	1955	Yes
	Honor Award by Arch. Record Mag. best in South Central U.S.			1955	
	House of the Year Minneapolis			1955	
	Honeywell Corp. as excellence in Res. Des.			1955	
	Newsweek Mag. "Home of the Year"			1955	
C	Prof. Ruud Res.	Austin	Texas	1953	Yes
	Honor Award Winner			1953	
	Tex. Soc. of Arch.				
	Illustrated and detailed presentation			April 1954	
	Arch. Record Magazine				
	Book "Treasury of Contemporary Houses",			1957	
	Arch. Record Magazine				

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**NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENT IN ARCHITECTURAL DESIGN**

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2. Describe nominee's notable work in design, to bring out the particular achievements the nominators believe have notably contributed to the advancement of the profession.

The Architectural Journal of Argentina, Nuestra Arquitectura published The Thorne, Ruud, and Roessner Residences, November, 1954.

Nuestra Arquitectura published the Residences of Dr. Pohl and McGinnis; also the Residences of Dr. Lee, Dr. Burns, Mr. Allen, and Mr. New, giving a complete background and philosophy of the designer, April 1957.

The entire June 1957 issue was devoted to the creative work of R. Gommel Roessner.

Sinkentike, professional journal of Japan, featured a large portion of their December 1955 issue to the work of R. Gommel Roessner.

The Architect and Building News, London, England, published in detail the Oaks Apartment in 1966. Also to be published in Neue Meimat, a German Architectural Review, 1967. The Twin Cities (Minneapolis and St. Paul) Metro.

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Planning Commission likewise is publishing a book on single and multi housing and will use the Oaks Apartment as the multi housing unit, 1967.

Dr. Clifford Thorne residence published in the Architecture Record Magazine, May 1955 and also in October 1955.

De. Paul White Clinic, St. Petersburg, Florida, published in Progressive Architecture, 1948.

The Pierce Junior High School of Austin, Texas, was designed by R. G. Roessner as an associate with the architectural firm of Lundgren and Maurer. Displayed and shown extensively throughout the U. S., sponsored by both the Austin School Board and the Texas Education Agency.

The Raymondville High School of Raymondville, Texas, designed by R. G. Roessner as an associate with the architectural firm of Zeb Rike, A.I.A. Selected to represent Texas at the N. E. A. Convention in Miami, Florida, also at Peabody College in 1953. Honored for excellence in school building design.

## NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENT IN SCIENCE OF CONSTRUCTION

### 1. Construction Work

TYPE OF WORK CONSTRUCTED	IDENTIFICATION OF WORK	LOCATION OF WORK	COMPLETED CONSTRUCTION WORK (Year)	PHOTOGRAPHS DRAWINGS, OR SKETCHES SUBMITTED TO JURY OF FELLOWS
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Budget in Construction

Austin, Texas

The Fueston Apartments were designed with the idea in mind to see if it would be possible to incorporate good design in a highly competitive investment market. The American Builder Magazine published a complete story of the cost and investment results in the March 1955 issue entitled "Outstanding in Design and Economically Planned".

### 2. Books, Treatises, or Articles Written

SUBJECT TITLE	WHERE PUBLISHED	DATE PUBLISHED
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Case Study in climatic control and wood jointage investigation

A complete scientific case study in climatic control for the construction industry and the American Builder Magazine, July 1955. The manner of modular construction with all the joints of a mortise and tenon detailing anchored together with carriage bolts. In lieu of pegs, bolts were used and exposed in all of the joints and beams. The entire frame was erected prior to enclosure. This project was conducted in the early 1950's and produced quite a bit of interest, as a homogenous solution for a residence of the Southwest.

3. Describe nominee's notable work in the science of construction and any recognition thereof by other societies, to bring out the particular achievements the nominators believe have notably contributed to the advancement of the profession.

Education

Having long recognized the importance of methods and materials of building construction in the realm of architectural education and the role it plays in the development of the student as a future architect. One of the first things I did when I became a member of the architecture staff was to institute a museum of building materials and a laboratory of construction at The University of Texas.

## NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENT IN EDUCATION AND LITERATURE

### 1. Education Work

(List the degrees and the educational positions held by the nominee, and bring out clearly the nominee's signal work and its particular force and influence which the nominators believe to be a notable contribution to the advancement of the profession, and state evidences of recognition of such work by pupils, the profession, other societies, or the public.)

#### Educational Degrees:

B. of Arch., Miami University; Oxford, Ohio	1935
M. of Arch., University of Cincinnati; Ohio	1942

#### Educational Experience (Teaching):

Eighteen years teaching experience at The University of Texas.  
 Teaching Fifth year design Thesis and Graduate Design.  
 Having taught all professional and design courses.

#### School of Architecture Committees (Past and Present) Major:

Chairman of Design Committee 12 years.  
 Graduate Advisor and Chairman of Graduate Studies Committee.  
 Scholarship Committee; Budget Committee; Building Committee;  
 Degrees and Courses Committee; Exhibit Committee; Serve as  
 Acting Director when Director is absent from campus.

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### 2. Literary Work

(List the original written works of the nominee and state clearly the particular force and influence of that work which the nominators believe to be a notable contribution to the advancement of the profession, and state evidences of recognition of such work by other societies, the profession, educational institutions or the public.)

BOOK, TREATISE OR ARTICLE	SUBJECT	NAME OF BOOK OR PERIODICAL CONTAINING WORK	YEAR WORK PUBLISHED
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Series of Six Articles for the American School Board Journal:

The Planning of the Class Room as the Basis of the School Plant  
 The Planning of The Group Instructional Units Part I & II  
 The Planning of the Group Instructional and Servicing Elements  
 Locating the Various Elements in The School Plant Proper  
 The Architectural Design and Construction of a Modern School

Chapter 2 in The Texas Educational Agency Handbook "The Selection and Development of the School Site".

In Progress: Investigation of the psychological aspects of physical components of structures; medical and residential; for the aged. By a research team consisting of a psychologist, medical doctor and architect. Very little precedent for such study.

## #1 EDUCATIONAL WORK CONTINUED

### Main University Committee Assignments (Major):

Serving second 4 year term University Co-Op Society Corp. ;  
Board Naval Scholarship Committee; Member of Athletic  
Council; Classroom and Office Building Committee; Special  
Committee on All University Housing; Board of Directors of  
Student Publication Committee; Member, Naval Reserve  
Research Unit.

### Listed below a few Architects who were students of the Nominee:

#### Field of Architectural Education:

Dr. Ernst Connally, Professor of Architecture, University of  
Illinois.  
Mr. William Grobe, Associate Professor of Architecture, Uni-  
versity of Florida.  
Mr. John Shaw, Associate Professor of Architecture, Cornell  
University.  
Mr. Joe Young, Associate Professor of Architecture, Clemson  
University.  
Mr. Eugene George, Professor, Head of Department, University  
of Kansas.

#### Field of Professional Practice:

J. V. Neuhas, AIA; Harwood Taylor, FAIA, Houston, Texas/  
Charles Lawrence, AIA, Partner, Caudill Rowlett and Scott,  
Houston, Texas.  
James Pratt and John Box, AIA, Dallas, Texas.  
Charles Brubaker, AIA, Partner, Perkins and Wills, Chicago,  
Illinois.  
David Graeber, AIA, Partner, Brooks, Barr, Graeber and  
White, Austin, Texas.  
Vernon Helmke, AIA, Partner, Roberts, Allen and Helmke,  
former Head, Department of Architecture, San Antonio Junior  
College, San Antonio, Texas.

**NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENTS IN SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION**

1. State fully the nominee's signal service to the profession, The Institute, his chapter, or his state organization, which the nominators believe has notably contributed to the advancement of the profession, and list the offices in architectural organizations occupied by the nominee and the period of each.

Have served on many architectural design panels throughout the State and Southwest, and juries for the various chapters on "Excellence of Design Programs".

Will serve on the AIA and Marble Institute Awards Program in Washington March 22-23, 1967.

Have served in many capacities and on many committees of our chapter over the years.

Chairman of the Design and Esthetic Committee, 1967.

Texas Society of Architects; Ohio Society of Architects; Florida Association of Architects.

Member, The American Concrete Institute; American Military Engineers; Special Professional Advisor to The Commodity Standards Committee of the U. S. Department of Commerce; Advisor in design to the State Board of Architectural Registration.

**NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENT IN PUBLIC SERVICE**

1. List the public offices held by the nominee and the positions of trust held by him in recognition of civic leadership, and state clearly his notable work in public service and the particular influence of that work which the nominators believe to be a notable contribution to the advancement of the profession.

Member of Board of Trustees of Tarrytown Methodist Church, Austin, Texas.

Member of Executive Committee of The Wesley Foundation.

Member of Board of Directors, Optimist Club.

Previous Director of the Westwood Country Club, Austin, Texas.

Member of Forty Acres Club, Austin, Texas

Member of Headliners Club (outstanding people of all professions).

Little League Activities.

Austin Aquatic Club, Board of Directors.

March of Dimes.

Previous membership in the Veterans of Foreign Wars and American Legion.

Delta Upsilon Alumni Association.

Texas Alumni Association and Longhorn Club, Austin, Texas.





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DECLARATION OF AUTHORSHIP

THE following certification must accompany the photographic exhibit. It may be signed by anyone in possession of full knowledge concerning the development of the design. This might be the Chapter President, a member of the Executive Committee of the Chapter, a partner of the nominee, or even the nominee himself. If the various examples were developed under different conditions respecting authorship, the various statements below should be keyed to the proper exhibits.

The accompanying photographs show examples of work with which the nominee's connection was as follows:

- The nominee was solely responsible for the design. *for All.*
- The nominee was largely responsible for the design.
- The design was under the direction of the nominee.
- The nominee's firm executed the design.

Signed *R. Gommel Roessner* Title *Director, Sch. of Arch. University of Texas*

Name of Nominee..... *R. Gommel Roessner*.....

April 9, 1968

Mr. R. Gessel Roessner, FAIA  
3414 Foothill Terrace  
Austin, Texas

Dear Mr. Roessner:

The American Institute of Architects desires to confer upon you the honor of Fellowship and membership in the College of Fellows, in accordance with the action of the Jury of Fellows at its recent meeting, for your notable contribution in Design.

Your presence is requested at the 1968 Convention of The Institute to be held in Portland, Oregon, June 23-27, 1968.

Those who have been advanced to Fellowship will receive their medals at the Investiture ceremony at 4:30 p.m. on Monday, June 24, 1968, at the Maecius Temple, Portland, Oregon. Presentation will be with appropriate ceremony and it is highly desirable that each of the newly advanced Fellows be present.

Information will follow as to rehearsal, room reservations and any other pertinent details.

The Officers of The Institute and the Jury of Fellows join in the request that you come to receive this honor in person. Please send your response to The Institute at an early date.

A memorandum from the Department of Public Services regarding the public announcement of your advancement to Fellowship is enclosed.

Sincerely yours,

Rex W. Allen, FAIA

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April 19, 1968

Mr. R. Gommel Reessner, FAIA  
3414 Foothill Terrace  
Austin, Texas

Dear Mr. Reessner:

At the recent meeting of the Jury of Fellows, you were advanced to Fellowship in the Institute and admitted to membership in the College of Fellows for your notable contribution in Design.

At the Portland Convention, there will be an exhibition of the work of the Fellows who were advanced for Design. In this connection, the Jury has selected three photographs in your exhibit for this occasion. The three photographs selected are marked on the back of the mounts and are as follows:

1. Mr. & Mrs. Glenn Foster Residence
2. The Oaks Apartment
3. Dr. & Mrs. Clifford Thorne Residence

Under separate cover, the Institute is returning your entire exhibit to you and the photographs which were selected by the Jury for Convention exhibition, as described above, should be reproduced, if necessary, in black and white, all on one mount, 40" x 40", to conform to the instructions enclosed.

On behalf of the Jury of Fellows, I want to congratulate you on your achievement and welcome you to Fellowship.

Sincerely yours,

Joseph D. Murphy, FAIA  
Chairman

JDM/s

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ROLAND GOMMEL ROESSNER F.A.I.A.  
ARCHITECT DESIGN CONSULTANT

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October 1987

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AUSTIN CHAPTER  
TEXAS SOCIETY OF  
ARCHITECTS.

Membership Committee  
American Institute of Architects  
1735 New York Ave. N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20006

RE: Emeritus Status

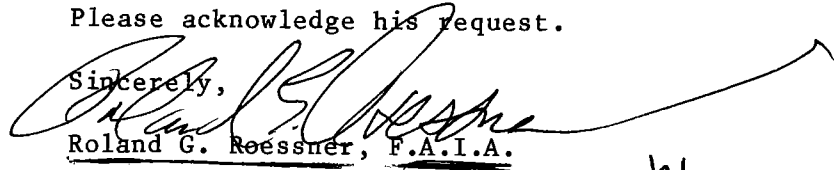
Gentlemen:

I have been eligible for Emeritus Status in the institute for the past eleven years. Instead I have chosen to pay full renewal fees at all three membership levels up to date.

Repeated increases in the dues structure in the National, State and Local levels and the recent legislative action to tax all registered professionals in Texas has all contributed to making this decision necessary.

I hereby request that my memberships in the Institute be reclassified as "Emeritus" immediately, regardless of current payments.

Please acknowledge his request.

Sincerely,  
  
Roland G. Roessner, F.A.I.A.

RGR/cr

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asap!  
next j.d.  
Mary



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APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP EMERITUS

To the Secretary,
The American Institute of Architects

I hereby apply for Membership Emeritus in the Institute for the following reason:

(Check the appropriate reason)

- I am more than 70 years of age. 11/19/11
I am more than 60 years of age and retired from the profession of architecture.
I am unable to engage in the profession of architecture because

STATE NATURE OF INCAPACITATION

I have been in good standing in the Institute and the Austin Chapter Chapter for 15 successive years.

If and when elected to Membership Emeritus, I wish to continue to receive AIA mailings.
Yes [X] No [ ] (If Yes, please attach a check for \$40 if your current dues are not paid.) Present Dues are Paid.

Name ROLAND C. ROESSNER FAIA

Address 3416 PELDS UNIT 1
AUSTIN TX 78703

Phone 512/459-6777

30 Oct 1987 [Signature] DATE & SIGNATURE

Information for Applicant: The applicant may supplement the above reasons on a separate sheet. In exceptional circumstances and for adequate cause, the secretary of the Institute may lessen the required period of good standing but the other conditions are immutable.

Upon election to Membership Emeritus, all rights and privileges of membership, including the use of the title Member Emeritus written in full after the initials "AIA" or "FAIA," as the case may be, remain intact while the member is exempted from further dues payments to the Institute and the member's chapter and state.

Members Emeriti have the option to remain on the AIA mailing list for \$40 per year. This fee helps defray mailing costs. Members Emeriti who do not wish to receive AIA mailings and publications need not pay this mailing charge. Membership Emeritus dues rates (\$40) will apply to those members who upgrade their status to Emeritus by March 31 of the current year. After that date, Emeritus dues rates will be effective the year following acceptance to Emeritus status.

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November 11, 1987

Your Membership No. Is: 6580005

Mr. Roland G. Roessner, FAIA, Member Emeritus  
3416 Pecos Unit 1  
Austin, TX 78703

Dear Mr. Roessner:

It is a pleasure to inform you that your membership classification has been changed to Member Emeritus.

We are grateful for your many years of support and we hope that your participation and interest will continue, though you are now relieved of further dues payments.

With best wishes.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Ph.". The signature is written in dark ink on a white background.

Philip W. Dinsmore, FAIA  
Secretary

cc: Austin Chapter, AIA  
Texas Society of Architects, AIA