



STATE Conn.  
CITY Wilton COUNTY Fairfield  
DATE Feb. 3, 1953

## ARCHITECTS' ROSTER QUESTIONNAIRE

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### PARTNERSHIPS SHOULD MAKE A JOINT RETURN ONLY.

Original and one copy to be mailed to THE ARCHITECTS' ROSTER, The American Institute of Architects, 1735 New York Avenue, N. W., Washington 6, D. C. One copy to be retained by the author.

- 1 a FIRM** (Indicate whether individual, partnership or corporation.)  
Louis Gelders, Architect (Individual)
- b FORMER FIRM**, Name if any.....
- 2 STREET ADDRESS** Old Highway, Wilton, Conn. Phone 7-3219
- 3 YEAR ESTABLISHED** 1940

**4 PERSONAL HISTORIES OF PRINCIPALS**

Furnish data complete, but keep to essentials. Describe each member of firm individually; if more than four, append extra sheets.

Louis Gelders  
NAME OF PRINCIPAL

**a** Date of Birth 1904

**b** Place of Birth Birmingham, Ala.

**c** Education

School For Ethical Culture

Storm King School

Yale University B.F.A.

**d** Experience Prior to Own Practice

(Give architect or architectural firm affiliations, positions held, and approximate dates of employment.)

Eric Gugler '28 - '36

Evans Moore & Woodbridge

'36 - '40 Partner

**e** Commenced Practice 1930

**f** Number of Years a Principal 12

**g** Architectural Licenses (Give State, Number and Year issued.)

N.Y. 3787 1930

Conn. 915 1937

**h** Membership in Professional Societies and Offices Held

A.I.A.

Conn. Society of Arch'ts.

**i** Service in World Wars I and II (Append data if desired.)

**j** Civic Activities

Board of Education

School Bldg. Committees

**5 REMARKS CONCERNING QUALIFICATIONS OF FIRM**

(This space is best used to present qualifying information such as number of employees, amount of office space, financial information and other information presumed of interest to a prospective client. Append extra sheet or use back of this form, if necessary.)

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**6 CONSULTANTS USUALLY EMPLOYED: (If a member of your staff, so state.)**

**a STRUCTURAL ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual.....  
Business Address.....

**b HEATING AND VENTILATING ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual.....  
Business Address.....

**c ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual.....  
Business Address.....

**d PLUMBING OR SANITARY ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual.....  
Business Address.....

**e LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS**

Name of Firm or Individual.....  
Business Address.....

**f OTHER (Civil, Foundation or Mechanical Engineers, Appraiser, Equipment Designers, Valuers, Industrial Lay-out Engineers, etc.)**

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**8 PHOTOGRAPHS/PHOTOSTATS**

Not mandatory. Submit herewith photographs or photostats (size 8" x 10") of several buildings for which you have been the Architect, as follows: (N.C.A.R.B. presentation acceptable.)

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**9 COLLABORATION WITH OTHER ARCHITECTS:**

**a** As an established individual firm, are you willing to collaborate with other firms or individuals?

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Yes

**b** Are you and/or your firm agreeable to accepting supervision of work where designs are produced by others—  
vice versa?

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Yes

**c** List firms (or individuals) with which you are associated at present or have an associate or working agreement:  
(Please furnish a letter from the other party verifying the association.)

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**10 THIS QUESTIONNAIRE MAY BE MADE AVAILABLE TO GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES**

yes  no

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The undersigned hereby certify that the above is a true statement of facts.

Name of Firm or Individual..... *Louis Gelder*.....

Signed by all Principals:.....

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**SUPPLEMENTAL DATA SHEET**

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**3 REPRESENTATIVE WORK FOR WHICH YOU WERE OR ARE ARCHITECTS; OR WERE OR ARE ASSOCIATED WITH OTHERS SINCE FILING ORIGINAL QUESTIONNAIRE:**  
 (In left margin, mark \*—U. S. Government Projects, \*\*—projects not yet complete.)

Name and type of project	Location	Date	Cost	Indicate whether as Architect or Associate Architect
<u>Merrimack Mfg. Co.</u>	<u>N.Y. N.Y.</u>	<u>'47-'50</u>	<u>110,000</u>	<u>Arch't.</u>
<u>** Holguin Res.</u>	<u>La Paz, Bolivia</u>		<u>125,000(US)</u>	<u>*</u>

**4 Use the following space to bring your original Roster Questionnaire up to date by listing new licenses obtained, new memberships in professional societies, or other new qualifications.**

Conn. Soc. of Arch'ts.  
Conducted field survey for  
Port-of-Entry Bldg. Haifa,  
Israel.

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Name of Firm or Individual Louis Gelders

Signed by all Principals: .....