

Ridge, Wm. K.  
Grand Rapids

# Application for Membership

Recd - U. C. B. 11-20-27

To the Secretary of the American Institute of Architects.

I hereby apply for Membership in the American Institute of Architects, and certify that the following statements are correct:

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| On Priv. Com. of | ..... |

Name WILLIAM KENNETH RINDGE

Address 607 LOCUST AVE. S.E. GRAND RAPIDS MICHIGAN  
[Number and Street.] [City.] [State.]

Place and date of birth GRAND RAPIDS, MICH. AUGUST 21, 1908

Graduate in architecture UNIVERSITY of MICHIGAN - 1922  
[Give name of institution and year. Diploma or Certificate of graduation (or photostatic copy) must accompany this application.]

Holder of Scholarship in architecture.....  
[If required in your case, attach evidence (or photostatic copy.)]

Passed the qualifying examinations of the Royal Institute of British Architects, or the examinations for the first class of the Ecolè des Beaux Arts.....  
[If required in your case, state which, and attach evidence of Certificate (or photostatic copy.)]

If your State has a Registration or License Law and you are not registered, state reasons.....

If practicing architect, firm name RINDGE and RINDGE

Have been in practice 2 years. If draughtsman, employed by.....

Collegiate and office training 4 YEARS at U of M. 3 YEARS DRAUGHTSMAN for K.C. WELCH AIA.

I have carefully examined the Constitution and By-Laws of the Institute and the "Circular of Advice Relative to Principles of Professional Practice and Canons of Ethics," and I agree, if elected, honorably to maintain them.

I further agree, if elected to membership in the American Institute of Architects, that if at any time my membership shall cease, either by my own resignation or by any action taken by the Institute, I will then, by that fact, relinquish all rights of any character that I may have acquired by reason of such membership in the property, real or personal, of the American Institute of Architects, and of the Chapter of the Institute of which I am then a member.

(1) W. Kenneth Rindge  
[Signature of Applicant]

I hereby certify that the signer of this application was duly elected an Associate of the.....  
[For use when the applicant is an Associate.]

Chapter, A. I. A., on the following date..... (2) .....  
[Insert date of election to chapter.] [Signature of the Secretary of the chapter.]

If the applicant is not an Associate, the following acknowledgment must be signed:

Without endorsement I hereby take note on behalf of my chapter that this applicant is applying for Institute membership (3) Chas Norton Jr Grand Rapids Chapter  
[Signature of President or Secretary of Chapter to which the applicant will be assigned if elected.]

We, the undersigned members of the American Institute of Architects, have carefully examined the foregoing statement by the applicant and believe it to be correct. We know the applicant personally, and consider that his work and practice warrant his admission to Membership.

Registration or License Number. (4) M. Renaud  
(Essential if Registered)

It is not mandatory that applicants from Registration or License law states be registered or licensed. But the current number of Registration or License must appear here if the applicant is registered or licensed.

(7) 1610  
NUMBER

(5) Walter L. Rindge  
(6) Henry H. James

[The signatures of three Institute members are here required even if the applicant has the unanimous endorsement of his Chapter, in which case certification to that effect should be made above by the Secretary. Unanimous endorsement is that endorsement in which each Institute member of the Chapter had an opportunity to express himself by letter ballot either for or against the member proposed, and in which there were no negative votes. No other form of unanimous endorsement will be accepted.]

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

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March 31, 1928.

Dear Mr. Rindge:

Acting for the Secretary, I am pleased to advise you of your election to membership in The American Institute of Architects, effective December 31, 1927.

You have been assigned to the Grand Rapids Chapter as an Institute Member in good standing therein, and the Secretary of the Chapter has been so advised.

The enclosed statement covering dues for the year 1928 should receive prompt attention.

May I take this opportunity to say that the Office of the Secretary, at The Octagon, is for the service of every Institute Member. Should the occasion arise, we shall be glad to give you our best cooperation.

Cordially yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. William Kenneth Rindge,  
607 Locust Avenue, S.E.,  
Grand Rapids, Michigan.

K-G  
Encl.

RINDGE AND RINDGE  
ARCHITECTS  
MICHIGAN TRUST BUILDING  
GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN



WARREN L. RINDGE, A. I. A.  
W. KENNETH RINDGE, A. I. A.

December 11, 1930

American Institute of Architects  
The Octagon  
Washington, D.C.

Mr. Edward C. Kemper, Executive Secretary.

Dear Mr. Kemper:

I am very sorry that my delinquency in the matter of my 1930 dues has caused you so much trouble. I hope that it may never happen again.

I am enclosing my check for the amount in full.

Very sincerely yours,

*W. K. Rindge*

W. Kenneth Rindge

*Paid in full  
12/15/30*

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Member of  
The American Institute  
of Architects

Michigan Society  
of Architects

Grand Rapids  
Engineers Club

HARRY L. MEAD, ARCHITECT

901 Michigan Trust Building  
GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

Sept. 18, 1935



Mr. Edward C. Kemper,  
Executive Secretary, A. I. A.,  
1741 New York Avenue,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Kemper:

We regret to advise you of the death  
of our member, Mr. William Kenneth Rindge,  
on July 21st, 1935.

Yours truly,

*Harry L. Mead*

President, Grand Rapids Chapter  
American Institute of Architects

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