

Holmes, J. Lister
Washington State

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Application for Membership

.....JUNE.....20....., 19 23

To the Secretary of the American Institute of Architects,
The Octagon House, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby apply for Membership in the American Institute of Architects.

I hereby certify that the following statements are correct:

JUN 27 1923

Name.....J. LISTER HOLMES.....

Address.....PANTAGES BUILDING.....SEATTLE WASHINGTON.....
(Number and Street.) (City.) (State.)

Place and date of birth.....SEATTLE, WASHINGTON.....

Graduate in architecture.....
[If required in your case, give name of institutions and year.—Attach evidence of Diploma or Certificate of graduation]

Holder of Scholarship in architecture.....
[If required in your case, attach evidence.]

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.]

If an Associate of a Chapter of the Institute, give name of chapter.....

If practicing architect, firm name.....J. LISTER HOLMES.....

Have been in practice.....THREE YEARS.....years.....

If draughtsman, employed by.....
[State number of years.]

Collegiate and office training.....TWO YEARS UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON. TWO YEARS UNIVERSITY PENNSYLVANIA. SEVEN YEARS IN ARCHITECTURAL OFFICES.....

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.

.....
[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.....July 1920.....
[Insert date of election to chapter.]

A. A. Menke, Secretary
WASHINGTON STATE Chapter, A. I. A.

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

- (1) *David J. Myers*
- (2) *James J. Sakala*
- (3) *Frank W. Clark*

[The signatures of three Institute members are here required unless 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 are 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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October 10, 1923.

My dear Mr. Holmes:-

Acting for the Secretary, I am pleased to advise you of your election to membership in the American Institute of Architects, effective October 10, 1923.

You have been assigned to the Washington State Chapter as an Institute member in good standing therein, and the Secretary of the Chapter has been so advised.

Enclosed herewith is statement covering dues for the last quarter of the current year.

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.

Very truly yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. J. Lister Holmes,
Pantages Building,
Seattle, Washington.

K:MB
Encl.

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

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February 7, 1936.

Dear Mr. Holmes:

This will acknowledge your remittance of \$25.00, which has been credited to your dues in arrears.

Under the Board resolution, it is required that the entire amount of delinquent dues be paid by January 31, 1936, in order to maintain your membership.

Inasmuch as the balance of your indebtedness is only \$5.00, you may wish to send a check for this amount. Or, if more convenient, you may send a note for the balance due.

In case you prefer to use the latter method of payment - we enclose herewith a note, without interest - dated January 31, 1936 to meet the requirement of the Board as to date of coverage of delinquent accounts - for the unpaid balance.

Signed note, or remittance of \$5.00 should be sent to us by return mail, as we are acting without specific authority in making the above suggestion.

Sincerely yours,

Assistant Treasurer.

K*C
Encl.

Mr. J. Lister Holmes,
406-1426 Fifth Avenue,
Seattle, Washington.

AIR MAIL

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PRESIDENT

SECRETARY

TREASURER

J. LISTER HOLMES • ARCHITECT

A. I. A. • NEW WORLD LIFE BUILDING • SEATTLE



February 11, 1936

Mr. E. C. Kemper, Assistant Treasurer
The American Institute Of Architects
The Octagon
1741 New York Avenue
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Kemper:

This is my check in the sum of \$12.00, \$7.00 of which is to be applied on 1936 dues, and the \$5.00 delinquency you mention in your letter of February 7th.

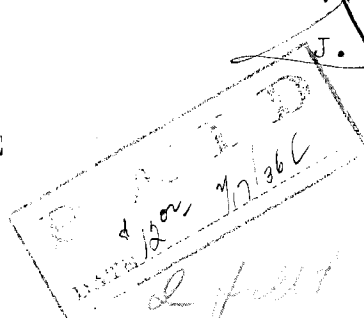
In forwarding the check of \$25.00 recently, I was under the impression that that paid me up to this year which is no doubt my mistake.

My sympathies go out to you on the job you must have had during the past few years. The situation should be much easier from now on. To most of us Institute membership is a very precious thing and worth preserving far more than its cost.

Cordially yours,

J. Lister Holmes

JLH:VE
Enc.



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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Dues paid up to

March 31, 1936 - not

December 31, 1935.

February 28, 1936.

Dear Mr. Holmes:

This will acknowledge your letter of February 11th, and check for \$12.00, which brings your dues up to date as of December 31, 1935.

We have had a tough time with the delinquent situation, largely because so many fine members of The American Institute of Architects are involved.

We appreciate your word of approval, and look forward to seeing you at the Williamsburg Convention in May.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

ECK*B

Mr. J. Lister Holmes, A. I. A.,
New World Life Building,
Seattle, Washington.

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

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March 13, 1936.

Dear Mr. ~~Holmes~~:

Please accept a correction in our letter of February 28th.

Your remittance of \$12.00, which we acknowledged, paid your dues to March 31, 1936, while we said, in error, December 31, 1935.

Sincerely yours,

Assistant Treasurer.

ECK*B

Mr. J. Lister Holmes, A. I. A.,
New World Life Building,
Seattle, Washington.

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

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June 15, 1937.

Dear Mr. Holmes:

Mr. Henry John Olschewsky, whom you proposed for membership in The Institute, was admitted to such membership on June 15, 1937, and assigned to the Washington State Chapter.

The Board thanks you sincerely for your interest on behalf of the new member and The Institute.

Sincerely,

Chas. J. Ingham
Secretary.

CTI*B

Mr. J. Lister Holmes, A.I.A.,
406- 1426 Fifth Avenue,
Seattle, Washington.

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J. LISTER HOLMES & ASSOCIATES

ARCHITECTS A. I. A.

TIMES SQUARE · SEATTLE 1

September 19, 1952

Mr. J. W. Rankin
Administrative Secretary
The American Institute of Architects
The Octagon
1741 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Dear Sir:

This office forwarded to the Octagon almost a year ago a large package of display posters of projects designed by J. Lister Holmes. These were sent in connection with the possible nomination for Fellowship and included the Administrative Center for the Seattle School District, The Rubinstein residence and a Medical Clinic.

Would you kindly forward the above-mentioned package at this time to the:

American Institute of Architects
Northwest Regional Conference
Davenport Hotel
Spokane, Washington

*sent
9/22/52*

We would appreciate it if you would send this pre-paid and send us a statement for the charges.

Thanking you for your courtesy in this matter, we are

Yours very truly,

J. LISTER HOLMES & ASSOCIATES

Dorothy Burell

Dorothy Burell,
Secretary

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

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① Mrs. M.
② files

Administration Building
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.

September 26, 1952

Dear Miss Burell:

In accordance with your request of September 19, we have sent to The A.I.A. Northwest Regional Conference, Davenport Hotel, Spokane, Washington, a package containing the material which had been forwarded to this office.

To be looked!

As soon as we have received the railway express bill we will advise you of the charges.

Yours very truly,

JWR
J. W. Rankin
Administrative Secretary

Bureau 10/7/52 JWP

Miss Dorothy Burell, Secretary
J. Lister Holmes & Associates
Times Square
Seattle 1, Washington

JWR/hd



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
JURY OF FELLOWS

Received Nov. 1, 1954.
Voted On Mar. 24, 1955
Voted On 19 .
Voted On 19 .
Granted March 24, 1955

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NOMINATION FOR FELLOWSHIP

CASE RECORD

1. Name of Nominee J. Lister Holmes Date of Nomination October 19 54
2. Address of Nominee 215 8th Avenue, North - Seattle 9, Washington
3. Nominee's firm J. Lister Holmes and Associates
4. Nominee's principal place of business Washington
5. Nominee's Chapter Washington State
6. Nominee's State Organization
7. Nominee admitted to Institute 1923
8. Nominee has been in good standing in Institute from 1923 19 to Dec. 31, 1954.
9. Nominee's age 63 yrs. Birthplace Seattle, Washington
10. Nominators:
 - George W. Stoddard
 - Francis E. Huggard
 - B. Marcus Priteca, FAIA
 - Arthur L. Loveless, FAIA
 - A. H. Albertson, FAIA
 - Lance E. Gowen
 - Carl F. Gould
 - Barney E. Grevstad
 - Clyde Grainger, FAIA
 - Talbot Wegg
 - Victor N. J. Jones

11. Achievement in Design, Education, Service to The Institute, and Public Service.

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Exhibits Rec'd

NO NF 527

(Nominators leave blank)



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NOMINATION FOR FELLOWSHIP
BY
INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS

THE JURY OF FELLOWS
The Octagon, 1741 New York Avenue,
Washington 6, D. C.

Date October 19 54 Use typewriter
except for signa-
tures.

We hereby nominate J. Lister Holmes
member of The Washington State Chapter,
for fellowship in The Institute for his notable contribution to the advancement of the profession by his
achievements in *design, *the science of construction, *literature, *education, *service to The Institute,
*public service.

Type in full name
of nominee.
Type in name of
Chapter.

*Strike out all
inappropriate
words.

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

<small>** Members' Signatures</small>	<small>Chapter of Signer</small>
<i>Raymond Stoddard</i>	Washington State
<i>Francis E. Huggard</i>	Washington State
<i>B. J. ...</i>	" "
<i>Arthur L. Lovelace, F.A.I.A.</i>	" "
<i>A. W. Robertson</i>	F. C. D. C. " "
<i>Lance E. Gowan</i>	Washington State
<i>Carl J. Gould</i>	Washington State Chapter
<i>Roger E. Brunstad</i>	Washington State
<i>Cliff ... F.A.I.A.</i>	Washington State
<i>Salvat ...</i>	Washington State
<i>Uelsh Jones</i>	" "

**The signatures
of five fellows of
the nominee's
chapter or of state
association mem-
ber to which he
belongs; or of
any ten corporate
members will con-
stitute a nomi-
nation. If you
are a Fellow place
the initials
F.A.I.A. after
your name.

THE NOMINATORS SHOULD SEE THAT LETTERS OR DATA ARE SENT
TO THE JURY OF FELLOWS IN SUPPORT OF THIS NOMINATION.

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BIOGRAPHICAL STATISTICS

- 1. Nominee's full name J. Lister Holmes
- 2. Nominee is a natural naturalized citizen of United States of America
- 3. Nominee's legal residence 615 36th Ave. North, Seattle, Washington
- 4. Nominee's firm name J. Lister Holmes and Associates
- 5. Nominee's principal place of business, address 215 8th Ave. North
Seattle 9, Washington
- 6. Nominee is registered or licensed to practice architecture by the State of Washington

2. Strike out in-
appropriate word
and write in name
of Country.

9. Type in "N.C.
A. R. B." or
name of State
Board, as case
may be.

8. Strike out in-
appropriate
words.

8. Type in date
of birth and city
and Country.

- 7. Nominee is engaged in practice of architecture as a practicing architect—teacher in architecture—
teacher in science of construction—public official—retired.
- 8. Born July 6, 1891 . Place of birth Seattle, Washington

9. Nominee's schools, colleges and universities:

	Location	No. of Years	Year of Graduation	Degree
High School	Seattle, Washington	4	1909	
Private School				
College or University	University of Washington Seattle, Washington	2	1913	Engineering
College or University	University of Pennsylvania Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	2	1915	Architecture
Post Graduate at				
Scholarships held				

10. Other data concerning nominee's record.

Seven years with Architectural offices in New York,
Philadelphia and Seattle.

Thirty years as principal architect.

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Nominators should read "Principles Underlying the Bestowal of Fellowships", Institute Document No. 9, before completing this nomination. Additional sheets may be inserted to supplement any page, 3 to 7, inclusive. Use typewriting only.

NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENT IN ARCHITECTURAL DESIGN

1. Works

Type (a) Commercial (b) Monumental (c) Domestic (d) Special	Identification of Work	Location of Work (City) (State)	Completed Construction Work (Year)	Photographs Drawings, or Sketches Submitted
(c)	Collins Residence.....	Seattle, Washington	1932	
(c)	Baillargeon Residence....	Seattle, Washington	1933	
(c)	Dessau Residence.....	Seattle, Washington	1939	
(d)	Yesler Terrace Housing... Chief Architect	Seattle, Washington	1941	
(d)	Seattle Goodwill Indust.	Seattle, Washington	1946	
(c)	Rubenstein Residence.....	Seattle, Washington	1949	
(d)	Seattle Public School.... and Service Center (Washington State Honor Award - 1951)	Seattle, Washington	1949	
(d)	Harvard Square Medical and Dental Clinic.....	Seattle, Washington	1950	
(d)	Catherine Blaine Jr. High Recreation Project.....	Seattle, Washington	1952	
(d)	Fort Lewis Peace-time Master Plan	Fort Lewis, Wash.	1952	
(a)	United Parcel Post.....	Seattle, Washington	1952	
(a)	Eighth Ave. No. Bldg.....	Seattle, Washington	1954	

Under column headed "Type" type in (a), (b), (c), or (d), as the case may be.

Type in last column to right the number submitted in each case.

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 most outstanding ability of the nominee is in design. By his understanding of proportions and planning relationships the resultant work has the rare quality of fine beauty. Through such abilities varied designs have been successfully culminated - from earlier days of French styles to present day contemporary.

Materials and textures, color and plan elements - all are tuned to a result of unusual distinction.

The resultant quality of design of many varied projects is reflecting to our citizens an awareness of architecture in the finest traditions.

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
Housing Project	Yesler Terrace	Seattle, Wash.	1941	
Warehouse & Plant	Goodwill Indust.	Seattle, Wash.	1946	
Wire Factory	Pacific Wire Works	Seattle, Wash.	1947	
School Admin.	Seattle Sch. Dist.	Seattle, Wash.	1949	
Residence	Rubenstein	Seattle, Wash.	1949	
Med. & Dent. Clinic	Harvard Square	Seattle, Wash.	1950	
Ret. Teacher Home	Ida Culver House	Seattle, Wash.	1950	
School & Comm. Center	Catherine Blaine Jr. High Rec. Proj.	Seattle, Wash.	1952	
Nominee's Office	8th Ave No. Bldg.	Seattle, Wash.	1954	

Type in column to right the number submitted in case.

2. BOOKS, TREATISES, OR ARTICLES WRITTEN

Subject Title	Where Published	Date Published
Yesler Terrace Housing Review	Prog. Archt.	1941
Residential Critique	Prog. Archt.	1949
Small House	A.I.A. Journal	1949
Seattle City Planning Reports-	City of Seattle	1949-50
Numerous papers before community & business groups	City of Seattle	1922-54
Editorial	Archt. Record	1953

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.

The nominee's particular success has been in the field of design, however part of his design accomplishment is due to an understanding of structure and the challenge that it presents to him. With his clear insight and imagination the nominee has wedded structural capacities of any type to the needs of a particular project.

In general the nominee is an unusually well rounded Architect of wide, varied experience.

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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.)

Nominee considered each draftsman as a potential architect and hence endeavored to inform him of all phases of architectural practice that he be adequately prepared for individual work both in design and office procedure. Graduates of the office illustrating benefits of such training with successful practices include:

- Peter Wimberly - Honolulu
- Thomas Hargis - Yakima
- McClure & Adkinson - Spokane
- Bliss Moore - Seattle
- Robert Shields - Seattle
- Carl F. Gould - Seattle
- Terry & Moore - Seattle

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.)

<i>Book, Treatise or Article</i>	<i>Subject</i>	<i>Name of Book or Periodical Containing Work</i>	<i>Year Work Published</i>
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NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENTS IN SERVICE TO THE INSTITUTE

1. State fully the nominee's signal service to The Institute, his chapter, or his state organization, or to the profession, 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.

A.I.A. Washington State Chapter Board Member, 1926-1933, 1949-50
Secretary of Washington State Chapter A.I.A., 1926-1928
Vice President of Washington State Chapter A.I.A., 1928-1931
President of Washington State Chapter A.I.A., 1931-1933

Pioneered the Clinic idea for younger members of the profession.

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 Seattle Art Museum in 1928
Member of Washington State Architectural Examining Board, 1941-44
Member of Seattle City Planning Commission, 1947-54
Chairman of Seattle City Planning Commission, 1948-50
Vice Chairman of Seattle City Planning Commission, 1954
Member of National Board of American Society of Planning Officials
Elected to Pacific Northwest Academy of Arts.

The most notable contribution and one which is the nominee's greatest present interest is in the field of City Planning. The present excellent head of Staff is a selection of the nominee's chosen after a nation-wide survey by the nominee representing the City of Seattle. Much of the success of our present City Planning Program can be attributed to his untiring efforts which reach many years back when the city had a negative approach to planning. His early efforts and present ability and prestige are bearing fruit which will be honored in future years.

We are proud to present this nominee as an outstanding member of his profession and as a devoted and qualified citizen in Public Service.

May 9, 1955

Mr. J. Lister Holmes
215 Eighth Avenue, North
Seattle 9, Washington

Dear Mr. Holmes:

The American Institute of Architects desires to confer upon you the honor of Fellowship and membership in the College of Fellows in accord with the action of The Jury of Fellows at its recent meeting.

The purpose of this letter is to request your presence at the 1955 Convention of The Institute to be held in Minneapolis, Minnesota, starting June 21, 1955, in the Radisson Hotel.

At the formal dinner of the Convention on the evening of Thursday, June 23, those who have been elected to Fellowship will receive their certificates. Presentation will be with appropriate ceremony and it is highly important that each of the newly-elected Fellows be present. The Officers of The Institute and The Jury of Fellows join in the request that you come to receive this honor in person.

Your Chapter has been notified and has been requested to make no public announcement until after such announcement has been released by The Institute after the Convention Annual Dinner. We ask you, also, to hold this information confidential until that time.

Please send your response to The Institute at an early convenient date.

Yours sincerely,

Edmund H. Purves
Executive Director

ERP/G

Members
Holmes J. Lister

J. LISTER HOLMES & ASSOCIATES

ARCHITECTS A. I. A.

215 EIGHTH AVE. N. SEATTLE 9

May 12, 1955.

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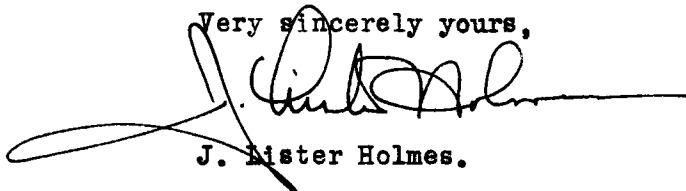
Mr. Edmund R. Purvis, Executive Director
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Dear Mr. Purvis:

Thank you for forwarding the announcement of May 9 of the action of the Jury of Fellows in proffering to this one the honor of Fellowship and membership in the College of Fellows on the evening of June 23 in Minneapolis.

Will you please convey to the officers of The Institute and the Jury of Fellows my deep appreciation of the honor and acceptance of their invitation to be present on the occasion of the award.

Very sincerely yours,



J. Lister Holmes.

JLH:dp.

May 12, 1955

Mr. J. Lister Holmes, F.A.I.A.
215 - 8th Avenue, North
Seattle 9, Washington

Dear Mr. Holmes:

At the recent meeting of The Jury of Fellows you were selected for advancement to Fellowship and membership in the College of Fellows of the A.I.A., for achievement in Design and Public Service.

At the Convention there will be an exhibition of the work of the newly-elected Fellows premiated for Design, and to that end the Jury has had to make as comprehensive, yet as small a selection of your exhibits as possible, for this occasion.

Under separate cover your exhibits are being returned, and those selected are designated and are as follows:

- 1) Yesler Terrace Housing Project - 1941 - Seattle, Washington
(Marked photo - upper left hand on panel)
- 2) Catherine Blaine Junior High School and Recreation Project -
1952 - Seattle, Washington
- 3) Seattle Public School Administrative and Service Center -
1949 - Seattle, Washington

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Mr. Arthur B. Holmes, Convention Manager
The American Institute of Architects
C/o Radisson Hotel
Minneapolis, Minnesota

to be delivered between the 14th and 18th of June, 1955.

We should like you to keep this information confidential.

Cordially yours,

William J. Bain, Chairman
The Jury of Fellows, A.I.A.

WJB/G
Enclosure

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J. LISTER HOLMES, F. A. I. A.
AND ASSOCIATES ARCHITECTS
215 EIGHTH AVE. N. SEATTLE 9

August 12th, 1971

Seattle Chapter
American Institute of Architects
311 $\frac{1}{2}$ Occidebtal Ave. S.
Seattle, Washington.

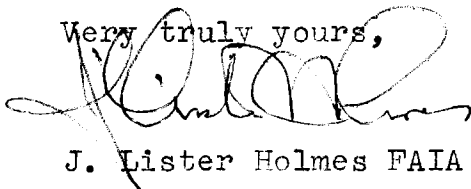
Gentlemen:

With this I am enclosing application for membership
Emeritus, as per previous correspondance. From the
first "Reason" I judge I am ten years late.

Your courtesy in forwarding the application will be
greatly appreciated.

My address will continue to be at 215 as per above.

Very truly yours,



J. Lister Holmes FAIA

JLH/js.

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Seattle
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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

Application for Membership Emeritus

TO BOARD OF DIRECTORS,
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

I wish to apply for Membership Emeritus in the Institute for the following reasons:

Check the appropriate reason

- I am more than 70 years of age.
- I am ⁸⁰65 years of age, retired, and not engaged in architecture.
- I am unable to engage in architecture.

I have been in good standing in the Institute and the Washington State & South Chapter for 50 successive years or more immediately preceding the date of this application.

Date Aug 10 1971

[Handwritten Signature]
(APPLICANT'S FULL SIGNATURE IN INK)

The applicant may supplement the above reasons in writing below or on sheets which he shall attach to this application. Under exceptional conditions and circumstances, the Board of Directors may lessen the period of good standing but not the requirements as checked above.

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RECORD AND SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION FOR

Membership Emeritus Election

To The Secretary and
The Committee on Membership
The American Institute of Architects

Name of Member: J. Lister Holmes Chapter Assignment: Seattle
Corporate Membership Record: State Organization Assignment: Wash. State Council
Elected: 1923
Dues Status—National: paid 1971
Dues Status — Component(s): in good standing
Age: over 70

Recommendation: See attached record.

Suggested Effective Date: September 13, 1971

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MEMBERSHIP PROCEDURES

CERTIFICATION OF ACTION OF THE SECRETARY THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

On the basis of the information provided above, and related data attached, and in accordance with the Bylaws and rules of The Institute, as the Chairman of the Committee on Membership and the Secretary of The American Institute of Architects, I hereby declare that I have this day elected J. Lister Holmes a Member Emeritus.

Effective: September 13, 1971

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SECRETARY

17 July 1986

TO: Sharon Hunter-Putsch
Director, Member Programs

FR: Carol Ivory
Assistant Director
Seattle Chapter, AIA

Carol

RE: Notification of Member's Death

J. Lister Holmes, FAIA, Emeritus died Tuesday, July 15, 1986. Attached is a copy of a local obituary.

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Architect J. Lister Holmes dies

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He was born in Seattle and graduated from Broadway High School. An architecture graduate from the University of Pennsylvania,

Mr. Holmes designed the Washington State Building for the New York World's Fair in 1939.

Mr. Holmes was the lead architect on a team that designed the Yesler Terrace housing project before World War II. The project was considered a national model for public housing developments.

He also designed a number of commercial buildings, schools and residences in the Seattle area and on the Pacific Coast. He was well known for his classic French design of homes.

Survivors include his wife, Janet, Seattle; son, Joe Holmes, Bellevue; and two grandchildren.

27 July 1986

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Attn: Obituary Dept.

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find two obituaries from local newspapers announcing the death of J. Lister Holmes, FAIA. Mr. Holmes became a corporate member in 1923. He was honored with Fellow status in 1955, and became an Emeritus member in 1971.

If you have any questions or if I may be of assistance, please call.

Sincerely,



Carol Ivory
Assistant Director

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Holmes, a Fellow of the American Institute of Architects, designed many commercial buildings, schools and homes on the West Coast. He was best known for his classic French home designs. Before World War II, the Seattle native was the lead architect on the federal government's Yesler Housing Project, then considered a model nationally for public housing.

He was a Broadway High School and University of Pennsylvania graduate.

Holmes served as president of the Seattle Chapter of the AIA, chairman of the Seattle Planning Commission and the Board of Equalization. He was a member of the University Club, the Seattle Tennis Club and The Diet.

Surviving are his wife, Janet, and a son, Joe Holmes, Bellevue.

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