



The American Institute of Architects  
APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

APPLICATION NO AP 10893  
Dated May 6, 1955  
Received July 15, 1955  
Granted August 15, 1955  
MEMBERSHIP NO 10893

- A Name of applicant Walter P. Manske Chapter St. Louis
- B Address of applicant 9947 Riverview Drive, St. Louis 15, Missouri
- C Application received with check for \$20.00 on August 8, 19 55
- D \$20.00 check returned to Chapter for endorsement 19 .
- E Application returned for correction August 8, 19 55. ✓ FH<sup>e</sup>
- F Application in due order on July 22, 19 55
- G Acknowledgments to applicant and chapter on July 15, 19 55
- H Certified resolution of chapter executive committee recommending admission July 15, 19 55
- I ~~Resolution received on~~
- H Record of registration, Form S39, Sent Mo. July 15, 19 55 Received. July 25, 19 55.
- I The applicant has **not** been examined as to his professional qualifications ~~on~~
- J The applicant is - currently registered as an architect or licensed to practice architecture in the states of Missouri.
- K Application sent to The Board of Examiners on August 9, 19 55
- L The Board of Examiners reported on application on August 9, 19 55.
- M The applicant was requested to furnish additional evidence of his professional qualifications on or before 19 , which was received.

REPORT:

As a result of its findings on the evidence submitted The Board of Examiners unanimously reports that in its opinion the applicant is\* qualified for membership in The American Institute of Architects.\*\*

Date August 9, 19 55.

THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS  
*[Signature]*  
*[Signature]*  
*[Signature]*  
Chairman

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

**Walter P. Manske**

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

Date August 15, 19 55

*[Signature]*  
Secretary

- N Applicant was admitted on August 15, 19 55
- O Notice to applicant and notice of assignment to chapter on August 15, 19 55
- P Notice of denial of application to chapter and applicant and \$ returned to applicant on 19 .

A.I.A. Form SI  
3000—Rev. 12-1-54  
Mr  
July 15 ✓

OK  
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INSTRUCTIONS

Type in all information carefully and sign with ink.

Mail both copies to the secretary of the local Chapter of The Institute, with check for \$20.00 made payable to The American Institute of Architects.



# 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 **Walter P. Manske**

2. State whether a natural or a naturalized citizen.

2. I am a **natural** citizen of the United States.

3. My legal residence is in the City of **St. Louis**

County of \_\_\_\_\_ State of **Missouri**

4. State whether residence or office address.

4. My address in The Institute records will be

Number **9947** Street **Riverview Drive**  
City **St. Louis** Zone **15** State **Missouri**

5. State whether as a practicing architect, a teacher, a public official, etc.

5. I am engaged in the profession of architecture as **practicing architect**

6. I desire to be a member of the **St. Louis** Chapter.

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; and that I have read and understand all the information contained in this form and its attachments.

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 \$20.00, 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 \$15.00 will be returned to me, and \$5.00 retained by The Institute as an examination fee.

Date **May 6 19 55**

Walter P. Manske  
Applicant sign full name in ink

STATISTICS

10. Date of birth **July 12, 1894** Place of birth **St. Louis, Missouri**

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

**Missouri - License No. A-120**

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

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

EDUCATION

(2.(a) I attended St. Louis private schools. As my education was obtained piece-meal at nights, the following explanation is necessary.

1908 to 1909, 12 months business course at St. Louis business College, St. Louis, Mo.

High School, Central High School, St. Louis, Mo.,  
3 years night school, Architectural Drafting 1910,  
1911 and 1912.

International Correspondence Schools, Scranton, Penn.  
Complete Architectural Course, four years, 1913 to 1917

Washington University Night Classes held at the old  
Architectural Club in St. Louis. Took design and free-  
hand drawings 1917, 1918 and 1919.

Feb. 1913 to Nov. 1921, while studying the correspondence  
course and attending Washington University Night classes,  
I apprenticed under Mr. Theo. C. Link, Architect of St.  
Louis, Mo. Was chief Draftsman when I left in 1921 to go  
into business for myself.

St. Louis

1917

1919

\* (NOTE: Applications received after July 1, 1953, must conclusively show that applicant has had three full years of experience in architectural work, in offices, governmental employment, or teaching, in addition to graduation from an architectural school; or eight full years of such experience without formal education; or equivalent combinations of both of the foregoing.)

STATISTICS

10. Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

1930 graduate of \_\_\_\_\_  
 College, Mo. was given \_\_\_\_\_ when I left in 1931 to go  
 to \_\_\_\_\_ under Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of St.  
 Louis and \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_  
 for 1931 to 1932 while attending the correspondence

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

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:

Theo. C. Link, Architect, St. Louis	From 1913	To 1917
Theo. C. Link and Wilbur T. Trueblood St. Louis	1917	1919

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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.)

W. P. Manske, Architect From 1921 To date in Missouri

15. Is architecture your principal vocation? Yes

BUSINESS AFFILIATIONS

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

None

PRESENT OR PREVIOUS MEMBERSHIPS IN ARCHITECTURAL ORGANIZATIONS

- 17. Member of Institute from to
18. Junior of Institute from to
19. Associate of St. Louis Chapter from 1-7-54 to date
20. Junior Associate of Chapter from to
21. Student Associate of Chapter from to
22. Member of State Organization in Missouri 1948 from 1948 to date

REFERENCES

Five references are required, at least three of whom shall be corporate members of The Institute in good standing.

Chas. M. Leisse 112 Forest Av., Kirkwood 22, Mo.
John D. Sweeney 3163 S. Grand Bl., St. Louis 18, Mo.
F. Ray Leimkuehler 2718 N. Euclid Ave., St. Louis 13, Mo.
Geo. F. Hellmuth 825 Locust St., St. Louis 1, Mo.
Erwin Carl Schmidt 6376 Clayton Rd., St. Louis 17, Mo.



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

Walter P. Manske - St. Louis 15, Missouri  
(Name of Applicant)

SECRETARY,  
BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINERS,  
Jefferson City, Missouri  
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, 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 15, 19 55

Edward L. Wilson  
Secretary

1. Is the applicant registered or licensed to practice architecture in your state? Yes
2. Was his registration or licensing by examination? NO or by exemption? under Section 11-c of Mo. law
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? ----- If so, give Certificate No. -----
6. Date of first registration August 25, 19 42. Registration No. A-120 Is it current? Yes

Clarence V. Wall  
(Signature of Secretary of Board)

Date July 20 19 55 Missouri State Board of Registration for Architects and Professional Engineers  
(Name of Board)

M I S S O U R I

STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR  
ARCHITECTS AND PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS  
Box 184  
Jefferson City, Missouri

ABSTRACT OF RECORD OF REGISTRATION AND STANDING OF:

W. P. MANSKE  
9947 Riverview Drive  
St. Louis 15, Missouri

1. Application was filed June 27, 1942
2. Registration as an architect was granted August 25, 1942,  
under the grandfather clause (without examination).
3. Registered under Number A-120
4. Registration is now and has been continuously in full force and effect for  
more than 12 years prior to date hereof.
5. Attached is copy of provisions of the Missouri registration law prescribing  
qualifications for registration. Please see checked paragraphs.

Done at the office of the Board in Jefferson City, Missouri this July 20, 1955.

*Clemmie V. Wall*  
Secretary of the State Board of  
Registration for Architects and  
Professional Engineers

M I S S O U R I  
STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR  
ARCHITECTS AND PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS  
Box 184  
Jefferson City, Missouri

Section 11. No person shall be eligible for registration as an architect or professional engineer unless upon satisfactory evidence being submitted to the respective division of the Board to which application is made for registration that he be at least twenty-one years of age and of good moral character. In addition he shall furnish additional requisite evidence that such applicant is qualified:

(c) at any time within five years after this Act becomes effective the proper division of the Board may accept, as evidence that the applicant is qualified for registration as an architect or a professional engineer, a specific record of twelve years or more of active experience in architectural or professional engineering work of a character satisfactory to the architectural or professional engineering division, as the case may require, indicating that the applicant is qualified to design or to supervise architectural or professional engineering work and has had responsible charge of important architectural or professional engineering work for at least five years. Graduation in a course other than architecture or professional engineering from a college or university of recognized standing may be considered as equivalent to two years of active practice; provided, however, that no applicant shall receive credit for more than four years of active experience because of educational qualifications.

(The right to apply for registration under the above section expired October 10, 1946, but was extended to members of the armed forces of the United States in service at that time by Section 327.070 of an act of the 66th General Assembly of Missouri, effective October 9, 1951.)



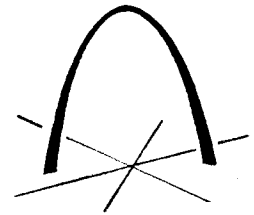
# SAINT LOUIS CHAPTER AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS



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1221 LOCUST ST.  
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180 SO. SAPPINGTON RD.  
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ST. LOUIS 22, MO.  
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ST. LOUIS '55

August 5, 1955

Mr. Edward L. Wilson  
Secretary  
The American Institute of Architects  
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.  
Washington 6, D.C.

Dear Mr. Wilson:

I am enclosing the check from Mr. W. P. Manske which has been properly endorsed by Mr. George Otto, Treasurer of the Saint Louis Chapter, A.I.A., so that you may proceed with his election to Corporate Membership.

Please pardon my negligence in not noting that the check was improperly made out.

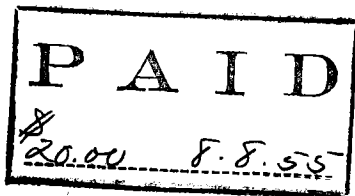
Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Emmet Layton".

Emmet Layton, Secretary

EL:vl

Enc. (check)



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

COPY

August 19, 1955

Mr. Walter P. Manske  
9947 Riverview Drive  
St. Louis 15, Missouri

Dear Mr. Manske:

The Board of Directors of The American Institute of Architects takes pleasure in informing you that it has acted favorably on your application and welcomes you to corporate membership in The Institute. You will receive shortly a certificate of membership duly executed by the officers of The Institute.

You are assigned to the St. Louis Chapter effective August 15, 1955.

I sincerely hope that you will take an active and interested part in your chapter activities since it is through these activities that Institute policies are developed. Your cooperation and participation will contribute to the advancement of Institute objectives and increase the benefits to be derived from Institute membership.

I want you to know that my office is always at your service to the fullest extent of its powers.

Sincerely yours,

George Bain Cummings  
Secretary

Enclosures



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

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP EMERITUS

TO BOARD OF DIRECTORS,  
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS:

Strike out the  
inappropriate  
reason, a, b,  
or c, as the  
case may be.

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

- a. I am more than 70 years of age.
- ~~b. I am 65 years of age, retired, and not engaged in the practice of architecture.~~
- ~~c. I am unable to engage in any gainful vocation.~~

Write in  
name of  
chapter.

I have been in good standing in The Institute and the St. Louis chapter  
for 15 successive years or more immediately preceding the date of this application.

Respectfully,

*W.P. [unclear]*  
*C. J. Mlenuske*  
Signature

Date

*July 24 1970*

*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 of a, b, or c.*

*See [unclear] Jones*  
*[unclear]*

*7/28/70*

MANSKE-DIECKMANN + PARTNERS, ARCHITECTS 256 CHAMBERS RD. ST. LOUIS, MO. 63137

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WALTER P. MANSKE - EDWARD DIECKMANN - MILTON BISCHOF, JR. - LEONARD KOSTECKI - WALTER L. NIEHAUS  
MEMBERS OF AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

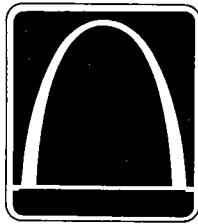
July 30, 1970

To: Ann Walsh  
Fr: Maureen Marx  
Re: Harris Armstrong, FAIA, and W. P. Mauske, AIA

Messrs. Armstrong and Mauske have applied for Membership Emeritus and both are eligible.

Would you please let us know their standings?  
We will proceed with final action when we hear from you.

Many thanks.



SAINT LOUIS CHAPTER / AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS / WAINWRIGHT BUILDING  
107 NORTH SEVENTH STREET                      SAINT LOUIS, MISSOURI 63101                      (314) 621-3484/621-3485

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DIR.    Jack Sorkin  
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EX. SEC.    Ann Walsh

August 5, 1970

Mrs. Maureen Marx  
Manager Membership Procedures  
American Institute of Architects  
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D. C. 20006

Dear Maureen:

I am in receipt of your letter referring to Emeritus Membership for our members Harris Armstrong, F.A.I.A. and Walter Manske, AIA.

Mr. Armstrong was born, April 6, 1899 (71) and has been a member in good standing in the St. Louis Chapter since 1936. He has been a Corporate Member since 1943.

Mr. Manske was born July 12, 1894 and has been a member in good standing in the St. Louis Chapter since 1954. He became a Corporate Member in 1955. He is 76 years of age.

We are pleased to recommend both of our members for Emeritus Membership.

Let me know if I can be of further assistance.

Cordially,

Ann Walsh  
Executive Secretary

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8/5/70



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

Preston M. Bolton, FAIA  
Secretary  
1101 South Post Oak  
Houston, Texas 77027

**September 10, 1970**

**Mr. Walter P. Manske, AIA**  
**256 Chambers Road**  
**St. Louis, Missouri 63137**

**Dear Mr. Manske:**

It gives me pleasure to inform you that I have elected you a Member Emeritus of the AIA as of **September 10, 1970.**

In addition, I wish to express my great appreciation for your many years of support of the work and projects undertaken by the AIA towards creating better architecture and a better environment.

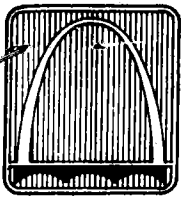
I hope that your interest in the AIA and your chapter will continue, even though you are now relieved of dues payments to both groups.

With best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

Preston M. Bolton, FAIA

PMB:bjm



Saint Louis Chapter  
 American Institute of Architects  
 Syndicate Trust Building  
 919 Olive Street  
 Saint Louis, Missouri 63101  
 314-621-3484

# MEMO

FROM: Miss BettyLou Custer, FAIA

TO MAUREEN MARX, Hon.AIA - MEMBERSHIP  
 STEPHANIE BYRNES -AIA BALWIN MEMORIAL ARCHIVES

THIS IS TO INFORM YOU THAT THE MEMBER SHOWN BELOW  
 (copy of our complete file card)  
 IS NOW DECEASED.

*- to library*

A COPY OF COMPLETED BALWIN ARCHIVES FORM IS ATTACHED.  
 PLEASE INFORM ALL DEPARTMENTS OF AIA THAT ARE CONCERNED  
 WITH SUCH MATTERS, AND REMOVE HIS NAME FROM YOUR MAILING  
 LIST.

YOUR PROMPT ATTENTION WILL BE APPRECIATED.

Thank you,

BLC.

MANSKE

*Deceased 3/10/83*

C'55  
 E'71  
 Mo:A-120

WALTER P. MANSKE

\* o) Manske, Dieckmann and Kostecki,  
 Architects  
 256 Chambers Rd.

868-4500  
 63137

Spouse: None  
 h) 9945 Riverview Dr.

no phone  
 63137

Born: 7/12/1894  
 AIA ID: 489860-1  
 BC ID: 1080593-2 3/1/52

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**BALDWIN MEMORIAL ARCHIVE  
of American Architects**

Name: Walter P. Manske of (address) 9945 Riverview Dr., St. Louis MO 63137

Born: July 12, 1894 at St. Louis, MO Died: 3/10/83 at St. Louis, MO

Parents: - and -

Married: Estelle of - on -

Children: June Manske Dieckmann

Education: International Correspondence Schools, Scranton, PA; Arch. Course 1913-17  
Washington University, St. Louis; night classes at Architectural Club 1917-19

Training; and practice as Principal: (Firm Names, Places, Dates, Specialization)

Apprentice to Theo. C. Link, St. Louis 1913-1921

W.P. Manske, Architect, St. Louis 1921-

Manske, Dieckmann & Partners, St. Louis

Manske, Dieckmann and KostECKI, St. Louis 1977-present

Designed many homes in St. Louis area in the 1930's, including Country Club Hills  
in Belleville, IL; schools in Riverview Gardens district; churches in area

Professional Memberships and Service: (Institute and Chapter Activities; Teaching)

Associate Member of AIA 1953

Corporate Member of AIA 1955

Emeritus 1971

Other Affiliations: (Religious, Fraternal, Political, Social)

Public Service: (Civil and Military; Community, State, National)

Published Material: (Articles and Addresses; Executed Work; Biographical Data)

General Background: (Personal Characteristics and Accomplishments; Interests, Digressions, Travels, Friendships, Side-lights, Honors, and Awards.)

Principal Commissions: (Classified, with locations and Reference Data) (Above)

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Compiled by: Doris Danna

Date: 4/14/83

Acknowledgements: