



Dated November 30, 19 43.
Received January 3, 19 44.
Granted February 15, 19 44.

MEMBERSHIP NO 2133

*In due order
January 31, 1944
H. G. Stevens*

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

RECORD OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INSTITUTE

- A Name of applicant... Harold Albion Beam Chapter... Detroit.....
- B Address of applicant... 14200 Woodmont Road, Detroit 27, Michigan.....
- C Applicant proposed by... Talmage C. Hughes and..... Ralph R. Calder.....
- D Application received with check for \$. 10.00.... on..... January 3, 19 44.
- E Application returned for correction..... 19 .
- F Application in due order on..... January 3, 19 44.
Record of registration, Form S39, Sent (Mich.) Jan. 13, 19 44. Received. January 20, 19 44.
- G Notices sent to chapter executive committee:
 - (a) Form S11, reasonable time ending on..... 19, on 19 .
 - (b) Form S12, 30 day extension ending on..... 19, on 19 .
- H Acknowledgments to applicant, proposers, and chapter on..... January 14, 19 44.
- I Certified resolution of chapter executive committee recommending admission
~~or that application be denied~~ received on..... January 3, 19 44.
- J No report from chapter executive committee on..... 19 .
- K Application sent to The Board of Examiners on..... February 8, 19 44.
- L The Board of Examiners reported on application on..... February 8, 19 44.
- M Applicant was admitted on..... February 15, 19 44.
- N Notice and certificate to applicant and notice of assignment to chapter and letter
to proposers on..... February 15, 19 44.
- O Notice of denial of application to chapter and applicant and \$.....
returned to applicant on..... 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

Harold Albion Beam

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

Date February 15, 19 44.

Alexander C. Robinson
Secretary

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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

~~ORIGINAL~~

1944 JAN -3 Filing original with The Secretary of The American Institute of Architects.

WASHINGTON File the duplicate, on gray paper, with the secretary of the local chapter of The Institute.

The American Institute of Architects

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

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

1. My full name is Harold Albion Beam .

2. State whether a natural or a naturalized citizen.

2. I am a natural citizen of United States of America .

3. My legal residence is in the City of Detroit ,
County of Wayne State of Michigan .

4. State whether residence or office address.

4. My address in The Institute records will be
Number 14200 Street Woodmont Rd.
City Detroit 27 State Michigan .

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

5. I am engaged in the profession of architecture as Architect in employ of Great Lakes Steel Corp.

6. I desire to be a member of the Detroit Chapter.

7. I declare that I have read the by-laws and the Principles of Professional Practice of The American Institute of Architects, and that I understand the duties, responsibilities and obligations thereunder of a member of The Institute, and I do hereby agree and declare that, if admitted to membership, I will to the best of my ability abide by and comply with such by-laws and Principles of Professional Practice.

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 chapters or state association members.

9. I enclose my check for \$ 10.00, for admission fee and the first year's annual dues. It is my understanding that if for any reason I am not admitted to membership all of said amount will be returned to me, except five dollars which The Institute will retain as an examination fee.

Date Nov. 30, 1943 .

Harold Albion Beam
Applicants sign full name in ink

PAID
DATE \$10.00 12/1/44

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STATISTICS

10. Date of birth *Oct. 28, 1896* Place of birth *Saginaw, Michigan.*

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

(State or States) *By Examination*

(State or States) *By Exemption*

Michigan

(a) I hold a Certificate No. of the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards.

EDUCATION

12. I attended the following named schools (high school, private school, college or university); have held the following named scholarships; have travelled in the following named countries:

Detroit Western High School
University of Michigan, College of Engineering & Architecture

Have travelled in *England*
France
Italy
Belgium
Austria

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:

<i>1914-15 - 1 year -</i>	<i>Smith Hinchman and Grylls</i>	<i>Detroit</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>Blue printer & Apprentice</i>
<i>1919 - 1 year -</i>	<i>Ford Motor Co</i>	<i>Dearborn</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>Architectural Draftsman</i>
<i>1923 - Abt 1 year -</i>	<i>Rousseau & McConkey, Architects</i>	<i>Ann Arbor</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>" "</i>
<i>1924-25 - 1 year -</i>	<i>Lynn Fry, State Architect,</i>	<i>Ann Arbor</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>Architectural Draftsman & Architects Supt.</i>
<i>1925-27 - 2 years -</i>	<i>University of Michigan College of Architecture</i>	<i>Ann Arbor</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>Senior Draftsman & Architects Supt. during planning & construction of College of Architecture Building.</i>
<i>1928-31 - 3 years -</i>	<i>Malcomson & Higginbotham & Trout</i>	<i>Detroit</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>Architectural Draftsman & Job Captain.</i>
<i>1928-1931 - Abt 1 year -</i>	<i>Jos. C. Goddeyne, Architect</i>	<i>Bay City, Mich</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>Chief Draftsman</i>
<i>1937-43 - 6 years -</i>	<i>Great Lakes Steel Corp.</i>	<i>Detroit</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>Architect</i>

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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

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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).

PRESENT OR PREVIOUS MEMBERSHIPS IN ARCHITECTURAL ORGANIZATIONS

- 15. Member of Institute from to
16. Junior of Institute from 1923 to 1926 Cleveland no dues
17. Associate of Chapter from to
18. Junior Associate of Chapter from to
19. Member of State Association in Michigan from About 1932 to 1943

ENDORSEMENT BY PROPOSERS

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

I have known the applicant for 20 years. Signed [Signature] Proposer

I have known the applicant for 15 years. Signed [Signature] Proposer

Note: The two proposers must be corporate members of The Institute in good standing.

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INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS AP No 213
1944 JAN 20 AM 9:57
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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

RECORD OF REGISTRATION

OF

Harold Albion Beam, Detroit, Mich.
(Name of Applicant)

SECRETARY,
BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINERS,
Detroit, Michigan
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 January 11, 19 44 Alexander C. Robinson II
Secretary

1. Is the applicant registered or licensed to practice architecture in your state? Yes
2. Was his registration or licensing by examination? Yes or by exemption?
3. What was the scope of the examination?
4. What was the period of the examination? 3 days. Written examination 28 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 June 3 19 25. Registration No. 1492. Is it current? Yes.

Watt Shelton
(Signature of Secretary of Board)
Michigan State Board of Registration
for Architects, etc.
(Name of Board)

Date Jan. 17 19 44

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

February 15, 1944

Dear Mr. Beam:

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 Detroit Chapter, effective February 15, 1944. 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,

Secretary

Mr. Harold Albion Beam, A.I.A.
14200 Woodmont Road
Detroit 27, Michigan

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Enc.

14200 Woodmont Road,
Detroit, Michigan 48227
December 1, 1971.

The Secretary,
The American Institute of Architects,
1785 Massachusetts Avenue, N. W.
Washington, D. C. 20036

Dear Sir:

Having been a member of the A. I. A. for more than twenty years, I have now reached the age of seventy-five and have been retired from active employment in architectural work for ten years.

If I am eligible, I wish to apply for Emeritus Membership. Both the national dues and the Detroit Chapter - Michigan Society of Architects dues have been increasing rapidly in recent years and are becoming rather high for one living on an income that is almost fixed except for increases in social security.

Sincerely yours,

Harold A. Beam

Harold A. Beam

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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

December 9, 1971

Mr. Harold A. Beam, AIA
14200 Woodmont Road
Detroit, Michigan 48227

Dear Mr. Beam:

In accordance with your recent letter, we are pleased to enclose an application for Membership Emeritus.

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If you qualify under one or more of the three conditions set forth, please check that condition off, sign and return the form to this office.

You probably know that a Member Emeritus is permitted to enjoy full rights and privileges of active membership while being relieved of further dues payments.

Sincerely yours,

Maureen Marx, Director
Membership Procedures

MM:rls
Enclosure

cc: Mrs. Stacy, Detroit Chapter, AIA

Blind note to Chapter: Please let us know Mr. Beam's dues standing.

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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 ⁶⁰65 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 Detroit chapter for 15 successive years or more immediately preceding the date of this application.

Date December 11 1971

Howard Allan Bloom
(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.

Both the first and second reasons above have been checked as both apply.

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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

Notice of Election—Member Emeritus

TO: Mr. Harold A. Beam, AIA
14200 Woodmont Road
Detroit, Michigan 48227

It is my privilege to advise you that the Board of Directors has conferred upon you the title

MEMBER EMERITUS

of The American Institute of Architects and of its component organizations of which you are a member, exempting you from the payment of annual dues to the Institute and such organizations. This action has been effective as of January 1, 1972.

Date January 7 19 72

(SIGNATURE)

14200 WOODMONT ROAD
DETROIT, MICHIGAN 48227

June 3, 1972

The American Institute of Architects,
1785 Massachusetts Ave., N.W.
Washington, D. C. 20036

Sirs:

This is to inform you of the death on
May 14, 1972, of Mr. Harold A. Beam, AIA,
Member Emeritus, 14200 Woodmont Rd.,
Detroit, Mich. 48227

Signed,

Virginia Whipple Beam
(Mrs. Harold A.)

~~JUN 6 1972~~

JUN 7 1972

June 20, 1972

Miss Ann Stacy, Executive Director
Detroit Chapter, AIA
28 West Adams Avenue
Detroit, MI 48226

Dear Ann:

Re: Deaths of Paul J. Ketelhut, ME on 3/17/72; Robert
Thiefels on 3/11/72; and Harold A. Beam, ME on
5/14/72

We are very sorry to learn of the deaths of the members
indicated above.

For The Institute's Baldwin Memorial Archive records, it
would be appreciated if you would have the enclosed forms
filled in. The extra copies are for the Chapter's files.

Sincerely yours,

(Mrs.) Maureen Marx, Director
Membership Procedures

MM:hrs
Enclosures

BEAM, Harold A.

BALDWIN MEMORIAL ARCHIVE
of American Architects

NO. _____

Name: Beam, Harold A. of (address) 14200 Woodmont Rd. Saginaw,
Michigan
Born: October 28, 1896 at Saginaw, MI. Died: May 14, 1972 at Detroit, MI.

Parents: _____ and _____

Married: Virginia W. Beam of _____ on _____

Children:

Education: University of Michigan, B.S. in Architecture

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

Chief Draftsman at Joseph C. Goddeyne Associates
Draftsman at Malcomson, Higginbotham & Trout
Great Lakes Steel Corp.

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

Detroit Chapter, AIA
AIA School Medal, University of Michigan

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

Fraternity Lodge F. & A.M., Ann Arbor, Michigan

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.)

AIA School Medal, University of Michigan (1922)

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

Compiled by: Frances Kacir

Date: June 23, 1972

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