

Dated March 24, 1945.
Received March 26, 1945.
Granted July 10, 1945

MEMBERSHIP NO 3339



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

RECORD OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INSTITUTE

In due order
April 4, 1945
C. Keller

A	Name of applicant...	Harry L. Edwards	Chapter	Baltimore Washington, D.C.
B	Address of applicant...	9406 St. Andrews Way, Silver Spring, Maryland		
C	Applicant proposed by...	Cornelius J. Keller and Thomas H. Locraft		
D	Application received with check for \$10.00	on	March 26,	1945
E	Application returned for correction		19	
F	Application in due order on		April 4,	1945
	Record of registration, Form S39, Sent	(D.C.) April 4, 1945	Received	April 9, 1945
		(Md.) April 4, 1945	"	May 12, 1945
G	Notices sent to chapter executive committee:	Second request (Md.) May 7, 1945		
	(a) Form S11, reasonable time ending on	May 25, 1945, on	April 4,	1945
	(b) Form S12, 30 day extension ending on	June 25, 1945, on	May 24,	1945
H	Acknowledgments to applicant, proposers, and chapter on		April 4,	1945
I	Certified resolution of chapter executive committee recommending admission or that application be denied received on		19	
J	No report from chapter executive committee on		June 25,	1945
K	Application sent to The Board of Examiners on		July 3,	1945
L	The Board of Examiners reported on application on		July 3,	1945
M	Applicant was admitted on		July 10,	1945
N	Notice and certificate to applicant and notice of assignment to chapter and letter to proposers on		July 10,	1945
O	Notice of denial of application to chapter and applicant and \$ returned to applicant on		19	

CERTIFICATION OF ELECTION AND ASSIGNMENT

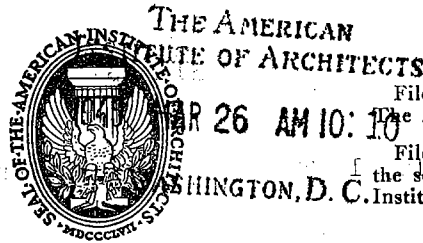
I, Secretary of The American Institute of Architects, hereby certify that, under authority vested in me by The Board of Directors, I have this day duly elected

Harry L. Edwards

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

Date July 10, 1945

Alexander C. Robinson
Secretary



ORIGINAL

File this original with The Secretary of The American Institute of Architects.

File the duplicate, on yellow 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 **Harry L. Edwards.**

2. State whether a natural or a naturalized citizen.

2. I am a **natural** citizen of **U.S.A.**

3. My legal residence is in the City of **Silver Spring.**

County of Montgomery State of **Maryland.**

4. State whether residence or office address.

4. My address in The Institute records will be

Number 9406 Street **St. Andrews Way**

City Silver Spring, Maryland, State

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

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

6. I desire to be a member of the **Washington, D.C.** Chapter.

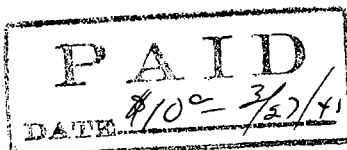
7. I declare that I have read the by-laws and the Principles of Professional Practice of The American Institute of Architects, and that I understand the duties, responsibilities and obligations thereunder of a member of The Institute, and I do hereby agree and declare that, if admitted to membership, 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 **March 24,** 1945 .

Harry L. Edwards
Applicant sign full name in ink



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I list
of
architects
for
recording

STATISTICS

10. Date of birth Jan. 15, 1902 Place of birth Arran. Fla.

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

(State or States) By Examination

Maryland

Certificate No. 302-B

(State or States) By-Exemption

District Of Columbia

Registration No. 362

(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:

Tech High School, Washington, D.C.

George Washington University, Washington, D.C.

Atelier Cunningham, Washington, D.C.

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:

Office Of Supervising Architect, U.S. Treasury Dept. , Washington, D.C.
Louis A. Simon and E.B. Morris (1920 - 1921) Draftsman

James E. Cooper, Architect (1922 - 1923) Draftsman
1421 F. Street N.W., Washington, D.C.

Robert F. Beresford (1924 - 1925) Draftsman

Joseph Younger (1927-) Draftsman

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).

1928 to 1934 Associate Architect, With
Harvey P. Baxter
1108 - 16th Street N.W., Washington, D.C.

1935 to 1945 General Practice Of Architecture
In State Of Maryland and District Of Columbia
Harry L. Edwards Architect
9406 St. Andrews Way, Silver Spring, Md.

PRESENT OR PREVIOUS MEMBERSHIPS IN ARCHITECTURAL ORGANIZATIONS

- 15. Member of Institute from to
- 16. Junior of Institute from to
- 17. Associate of Chapter from to
- 18. Junior Associate of Chapter from to
- 19. Member of State Association in Maryland Society Of Architects from 1939 to 1945

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 6 years.

I have known the applicant for 7 years.

Signed Cornelius J. Keller
4901 - 40th St.
Baltimore Md.

Signed Thomas H. Stumpf
1413 H Street N.W.
Washington D.C.

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

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WASHINGTON, D. C.



AP No

3339

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Office of The Secretary

RECORD OF REGISTRATION

OF

Harry L. Edwards, Silver Spring, Maryland

(Name of Applicant)

SECRETARY,

BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINERS,

Washington, D. C.

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 April 4, 19 45

Alexander C. Robinson III
Secretary

1. Is the applicant registered or licensed to practice architecture in your state? YES
2. Was his registration or licensing by examination?.....or by exemption? Transfer from Maryland.
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? No If so, give Certificate No.....
6. Date of last registration.....19..... Registration No. 362 Is it current? YES
Registration granted Nov 1939

Robert F. Bussard
(Signature of Secretary of Board)

District of Columbia Board of Examiners and Registrars of Architects.

(Name of Board)

Date April 7 19 45

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

RECORD OF REGISTRATION

OF

Harry L. Edwards, Silver Spring, Maryland
(Name of Applicant)

SECRETARY,
BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINERS,
Baltimore, Maryland
Address

Dear Sir:

SECOND REQUEST

(First notice not received)
This notice forwarded from AOG Calvert Bldg

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 May 7, 19 45

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? Senior Examination & 10 yrs or more actual practice.
4. What was the period of the examination?.....days. Written examination.....hours; Oral examination Yes - ? 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 6/1/AA-61 19 45 Registration No. 302-B Is it current? Yes.

[Signature]
(Signature of Secretary of Board)

Maryland Board of Examiners and
Registration of Architects
(Name of Board)

Date May 11 19 45

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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

COPY

Copy to the Director, Middle Atlantic District
Proposers: Thomas H. Locraft
Cornelius J. Keller

April 16, 1945

Dear Mr. Edwards:

Your application for membership in The Institute and its Washington, D. C. Chapter, dated March 24, 1945, was received here on March 26th, with your check for \$10.00 attached. Your desire to become a member of The Institute is appreciated by The Board.

The application is in proper form, except your request for assignment to the Washington, D. C. Chapter.

Under the by-laws of The Institute, corporate members must be assigned to the chapter in whose territory the member has his legal residence or principal place of business. It is noted from your application that your legal address and address for the records of The Institute both are in Maryland, and in the territory of the Baltimore Chapter.

Accordingly, it would appear necessary to submit your application through the Baltimore Chapter, and if elected to assign you as a member of that chapter.

Before proceeding in this manner, may we have your permission to take such action?

Upon hearing from you on this point your application will be put forward promptly.

Sincerely yours,

K/g

Executive Secretary

Mr. Harry L. Edwards
9406 St. Andrews Way
Silver Spring, Maryland

Sunday, April 22, 1945

MEMORANDUM - For Mrs. Dienelt:

Thank you for forwarding the telephone message from Mr. Edwards, in re: his application for membership and his wish to be assigned to the Washington, D. C. Chapter.

You will find his application with others in the usual drawer - perhaps with those which are being held for returns of questionnaires on their status as registered architects.

Will you write to him something like this, please - not having his full name and address I can't do it direct as I should be glad to do:

"With further reference to your telephone call of April 20th, concerning your pending application for corporate membership in The Institute:

"At the direction of Mr. Kemper, who is in Atlantic City attending meetings of The Institute Board of Directors and convention, this letter is to advise you that assignment to the Washington, D. C. Chapter would not be permissible under the A.I.A. by-laws, as you reside and practise in the State of Maryland.

"The only suggestion which could be made after submission of your application through the Baltimore Chapter, and subject to election and assignment to that Chapter, is that you could apply for what is known as 'unassigned membership' of the Washington, D. C. Chapter. This would permit your attendance at meetings of the chapter and participation in its work and activities, except that you could not vote for delegates to Institute conventions, nor on matters affecting The Institute which might come before that chapter. This election to 'unassigned membership' is made by the chapter without action by The Institute.

"The next meeting of The Board of Examiners will be held on May 8th, and if you will authorize the submission of your application through the Baltimore Chapter, we shall be glad to do all we can to complete it in time for the May meeting. This, however, will depend upon action first by the Baltimore Chapter which might not be possible by that date."

If Mr. Edwards responds to the last paragraph in the affirmative, if you will take the yellow copy of his application and send it to the Secretary of the Baltimore Chapter on the (or rather with the) yellow form used for that purpose - the one which asks the chapter to act by sending a recommendation within a certain time - filling in the date by which the recommendation should be filed as thirty days from the day on which it is sent by you - it would help to push it along. That's the very best that can be done under the circumstances.

I hope you can figure this all out - and I believe you can.

FHG

INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
11 New York Avenue, N. W.
WASHINGTON 6, D. C.

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THE OCTAGON

Inter-Office Communication

Mr. Edwards phoned April 25 and said okay to go ahead and send his application to the Baltimore Chapter. That after the war he plans to open his office in the District and then he'll apply for a transfer.

DD 4-25-45

MAY 5 1945



BALTIMORE CHAPTER
AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
BALTIMORE, MD.

LUCIUS R. WHITE, Jr., President
10 W. Chase Street

WILLIAM D. LAMDIN, Vice-President
1020 St. Paul Street

HENRY L. SANDLASS, Secretary
1020 St. Paul Street

HOWARD G. HALL, Treasurer
Calvert Building

May 4, 1945

Mr. Edward C. Kemper, Executive Secretary
American Institute of Architects
1741 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington, 6, D. C.

Dear Mr. Kemper:

I am returning herewith the Final Notice of Application for Membership of Harry L. Edwards which I believe was sent to me by mistake, as I have received no previous notices regarding his application.

I note that his endorsers are not members of the Baltimore Chapter, and it occurred to me that this application might have been intended for the Washington, D. C. Chapter.

Kindly advise me regarding this.

Sincerely yours

Secretary

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

COPY

May 5, 1945

Dear Mr. Sandlass:

Responding to yours of May 4th, returning the duplicate of the application of Mr. Henry L. Edwards for corporate membership:

The form which accompanied the application when it was sent to you was an incorrect one. It was forwarded during the absence of members of the staff in Atlantic City attending the Convention, and by one not familiar with the application procedure. A proper form has been made and is attached.

Mr. Edwards did wish to be assigned to the Washington, D. C. Chapter, but due to his residence and place of business in Maryland, it was not possible to proceed through the Washington, D. C. Chapter, and he was so advised. Copy of letter to him, enclosed herewith, gives some of the background in this matter.

He has agreed to the submission of his application through the Baltimore Chapter, and it was forwarded to you accordingly.

Therefore, the application is returned to you for further consideration by the Baltimore Chapter.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary

Mr. Henry L. Sandlass, Secretary
Baltimore Chapter, A.I.A.
1020 E. Paul Street
Baltimore, Maryland

K/g
Enclosures

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

COPY

July 10, 1945

Dear Mr. Edwards:

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 the Baltimore Chapter, effective July 10, 1945. 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,

Alexander C. Robinson III.
Secretary

ACR/am
Enclosure

CC to: Mr. Cornelius J. Keller, A.I.A. } Proposers
Mr. Thomas H. Locraft, A.I.A. }

Mr. Harry L. Edwards, A.I.A.
9406 St. Andrews Way
Silver Spring, Maryland

FILE COPY - PLEASE RETURN

*Memorandum
Edwards, Harry L.*

1. FHG
~~2. A53~~
3. Files



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

1735 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington 6, D. C.

February 7, 1958

To: The Secretary or Executive Secretary of the
Washington-Metropolitan Chapter
The American Institute of Architects

Dear **Mrs. MacHartton**:

We were very sorry to learn of the death of **Harry L. Edwards**
on **1/15/58** a corporate member of The Institute
since **1945** .

We would appreciate it very much if you would have two
copies of the enclosed Baldwin Memorial Archive Forms
filled in and returned to The Institute for its files.
The third copy is for your files.

Sincerely yours,

Edmund R. Purves, F.A.I.A.
Executive Director

P:R:s
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cc: Treasurer's Office

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Edwards H. L.
Harry L.

BALDWIN MEMORIAL ARCHIVE
of American Architects

NO. _____

Name: Harry L. Edwards of (address)

Born: Jan. 15, 1902 at Arron, Fla. Died: Jan. 15, 1958 at Emergency Hospital Washington, D. C.

Parents: William Edmonds & Nettie Bush Edwards and

Married: Jane Tate of on

Children: None

Education: George Washington University, Wash. D. C.

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

M. & R. B. Warren, Architect - date not known
Cafritz Construction Co. 1930 - 1945
Aubinoe, Edwards and Beery 1946-1958 - time of death

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

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

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

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

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(OVER)

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

Washington Board of Trade Awards:

Hotel Dupont Plaza, Dupont Circle, Washington, D. C.
Abingdon Apartments, Arlington, Virginia.
Wire Office Building - 1001 K St. N. W. Washington, D. C.

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

Compiled by: Alvin L. Aubinoe

Date: February, 1958

Acknowledgements:

Harry Edwards, Architect, Dead

Harry L. Edwards, who helped design the Dupont Plaza, the Kennedy-Warren, the Pentagon, and numerous other buildings in Washington, died of cancer on his 56th birthday Wednesday at Emergency Hospital.

A Washington architect for 35 years, Mr. Edwards was associated with the Cafritz Co. from 1930 to 1945. For the last 12 years he was a partner in the firm of Aubinoe, Edwards and Beery.



Mr. Edwards The buildings he helped design include the Wire Office Building, the National Home Builders Buildings, and the Tilden Gardens Apartments. He also designed the Foxhall road home of Morris Cafritz.

A native of Florida, Mr. Edwards grew up in Alabama and came to the District with his mother when he was 18. He studied architecture at George Washington University from 1920 to 1923. He married his childhood sweetheart, Mary Jane Tate, whom he had met while attending the Baptist Collegiate Institute in Alabama.

Mr. Edwards lived with his wife at 9406 St. Andrews way, Silver Spring. They had no children. He also leaves his mother, Nettie Bush Edwards, of 1465 Monroe st. nw.

Services will be held at 2:30 p. m. today at Warner E. Pumphrey funeral home, Silver Spring. The family requests that memorial contributions be made to the American Cancer Society.