

Application No.

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS



AIA Document H301

Application for Membership

See Part 3, Instruction Sheet, for current dues and instructions.

1. My name is Mr. Mrs. Ms Miss HARRIS VER SCHURE
2. I am a legal resident of the United States of America.
3. My residence is 2360 Seventh Street, N.W. (616) 453-2721
Address Phone Number
Grand Rapids Kent MI 49504
City County State Zip
4. My business firm and address are Daverman Associates, Inc. 200 Monroe, N.W. (616) 451-3525
Name Address Phone Number
Grand Rapids Kent MI 49503
City County State Zip
- Please use my residence address as my mailing address.
(business) or (residence)
5. My Social Security number is 366-38-9650
6. I desire to be a member of Grand Valley Chapter, AIA. It is my understanding that if elected I also will be a member of the AIA state organization.
7. I declare that I will comply with the Code of Ethics and Professional Conduct, which are attached hereto; and the Bylaws; and the Rules and Regulations supplementary thereto; and that I understand the duties; responsibilities, and obligations of a member of the AIA; and that I have read and understand all the information contained in this form and its attachment.
8. I am not indebted to the AIA or to any of its component organizations.
9. I enclose my check for the admission fee and the first year's annual dues, of which \$8.00 is for a year's subscription to the JOURNAL of the AIA. It is my understanding that if I am not admitted to membership, the dues will be returned to me, and the admission fee retained by the AIA as an examination fee.

Date 1/25/78

Harris Ver Schure
 (Applicant's signature)

MAR 3 1978

BACKGROUND

10. Date of birth 5/4/22 11. Place of birth Holland, Michigan

12. I am licensed to practice architecture in the following states, with the years first registered in each: (Attach evidence that license is current in one state; see instruction sheet.)

Michigan

EDUCATION

13. I attended colleges and universities as follows:

Name	Location	No. of Years	Year of Graduation	Degree
Hope College	Holland, Michigan	1	--	
University of Michigan	Ann Arbor, Michigan	4	1947	B.S.

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING AND PRACTICE

14. I have been employed or in practice during the past three years as follows: (Be sure to include current employment or practice.)

Employer's Name and Address	Employer's Business	Position	Period of Employment From	To
Daverman Associates, Inc.	A & E	Project Architect	1948	1978

Note: If employed by other than an architectural or architectural engineering firm, please attach an explanation of (a) the nature of your firm's operation and whether it offers architectural services to the public (b) a brief job description (c) whether you hold ownership in the firm. This does not apply to architects in government, architectural education, or journalism.

BUSINESS AFFILIATIONS

15. Do you participate or own an interest in any business which could prejudice your professional judgment? Yes No (if yes, please explain.)

PRESENT OR PAST AIA OR CHAPTER MEMBERSHIPS

16. I am or previously have been a member of the AIA or of an AIA Chapter: Yes No If yes, give (a) classification of membership (b) name of chapter (c) dates of membership (c) reason for termination.

Associate Member of Western Michigan Chapter
Student Member of Detroit Chapter

17. I previously have been rejected for membership in the AIA or an AIA Chapter: Yes No If yes, give (a) classification of membership (b) name of chapter (c) year of rejection.

REFERENCES

18. Five references are required, at least three of whom shall be members of the AIA in good standing. Member references must be available for personal contact by the local chapter officers:

* Type or print full names of references.

<u>Joseph T. Daverman</u>	AIA	<u>Daverman Associates (616) 451-3525</u>
<i>* Member</i>		<i>Address Phone</i>
<u>Jay Volkers</u>	AIA	<u>Daverman Associates (616) 451-3525</u>
<i>* Member</i>		<i>Address Phone</i>
<u>Thomas W. Bisbee</u>	AIA	<u>2213 Boston S.E., G.R., MI 245-5228</u>
<i>* Member</i>		<i>Address Phone</i>
<u>Franklin D. Covert</u>		<u>150 Ann St., G.R., MI 363-9007</u>
		<i>Address Phone</i>
<u>James K. Haveman</u>		<u>618 Trust Bldg., G.R., MI 451-0661</u>

OPTIONAL INFORMATION

Please complete the following if you wish:

19. I have been awarded the following scholarships or other honor awards: Denmark, Sweden, Canada,
Italy, France, Belgium, Switzerland, Mexico, Jordan, Israel

20. I have traveled in the following countries: Denmark, Sweden, Canada, Germany, Austria,
Italy, France, Belgium, Switzerland, Netherlands, Mexico, Jordan, Israel


21. Marital Status: Single Married . If married, please give spouse's name _____
Eleanor A. Ver Schure

22. Race: (Caucasian, Black, Oriental)
Caucasian

23. Other organizations in which you hold membership: G. R. Arts Council, G.R. Symphony Society,
Smithsonian, American Forestry

MR. ROBERT REID
Reid-Terzes: Architects
688 Cascade West Parkway, S.E.
Grand Rapids, MI 49506

RE: APPLICATION FOR A.I.A. MEMBERSHIP

WILLIAM G. MILLIKEN GOVERNOR			STATE OF MICHIGAN		
DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATION					
THE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR ARCHITECTS					
ANNUAL REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE ARCHITECT					
HARRIS A VER SCHURE ARCH. 2360 SEVENTH ST NW GRAND RAPIDS MICH 49504					
PERM. I.D. NO.		EXPIRATION DATE		AUDIT NO.	
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Grand Valley Chapter A. I. A.

February 27, 1978

Ms. Maureen Marx
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20006

Dear Ms. Marx:

At the February 23 rd. meeting, the Executive Board of the Grand Valley Chapter (Michigan) approved Mr. Harris Ver Schure for membership in the chapter.

An early reply on this application would be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Robert A. Reid, A.I.A.
Secretary

RAR/kjc

cc: A. Stacy, Hon. A.I.A., M.S.A.

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March 10, 1978

Mr. Harris VerSchure, AIA
2360 Seventh Street, N. W.
Grand Rapids, Michigan 49504

Dear Mr. VerSchure:

The Board of Directors of The American Institute of Architects takes pleasure in informing you of favorable action on your application and welcomes you to membership in The Institute.

In the near future, you will receive some literature about The Institute and a lapel emblem. You will also receive a certificate of membership, either directly from The Institute or through formal presentation by your Chapter.

You are assigned to the Grand Valley Chapter and Michigan Society of Architects of the AIA, effective March 10, 1978.

I sincerely hope that you will take an active part in your Chapter and its professional development and community improvement activities. Many of the policies and programs which advance our profession are developed in this way. Such activities give you, as a professional, the opportunity to develop leadership capabilities and to help the AIA meet the challenges and opportunities which the future holds for the architectural profession.

In behalf of our national staff, James Scheeler, Executive Vice President, joins with me in extending welcome, congratulations and best wishes for success. Please feel free to call on any of us, or the Chapter or Institute officers and staff, at any time the need arises.

Sincerely yours,

Elmer E. Botsai, FAIA
President

cc: Grand Valley Chapter, AIA
Michigan Society of Architects, AIA

VERSCHURE, HARRIS A.

**BALDWIN MEMORIAL ARCHIVE
of American Architects**

NO. _____

Name: Harris A. VerSchure of (address) 2360 Seventh St. N. W.
Grand Rapids, Michigan 49504

Born: May 4, 1922 at Holland, Mich. Died: July 10, 1979 at Windsor, Ontario

Parents: Andrew and Fanny VerSchure and

Married: Eleanor Nieboer of Fremont, MI on December 23, 1951

Children: Jenine VerSchure
Lane VerSchure

Education: 1940 - 41 Hope College, Holland, Michigan
1943 - 47 University of Michigan - Ann Arbor, Michigan

Training; and practice as Principal: (Firm Names, Places, Dates, Specialization) Undergraduate work, pre-engineering, Hope College, Holland, Mich., B.S. Architecture, College of Architecture, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor (1947), Professional Registration, Michigan No. 8880 (1955), 1944 associated with Chas. Noble Assoc., Detroit, Mich. 1945 associated with Howell Taylor, Architect - Ann Arbor, Mich. 1945-46 worked for U of M, Housing Research with Prof. Geo. Brigham. 1946-46 associated with Chris Steketee, Grand Rapids, Mich. 1947 joined Daverman Associates, Inc., Grand Rapids, Mich.

Professional Memberships and Service: (Institute and Chapter Activities; Teaching)
Grand Valley Chapter, A.I.A.
American Hospital Association
Hospital and Institutional Fire Safety Committee - Michigan
American Forestry Association

Other Affiliations: (Religious, Fraternal, Political, Social)
Active, participating member of the Bethel Christian Reformed Church of Grand Rapids, Mich., having served frequently as a member of its council and almost continuously as a member of the church choir.

Public Service: (Civil and Military; Community, State, National)
In 1975 was invited to Heshemite Kingdom of Jordan to study and make recommendations for physically handicapped, mentally ill, and mentally retarded citizens of the Country. This work was accomplished under the sponsorship of the Young Women's Moslem Assoc., the Royal Rehabilitation Commission and the Christian Reformed World Relief Committee.

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

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Harris VerSchure, AIA was a member of the Grand Valley Chapter.

July 11, 1979

TO: Membership & AIA Bureau

IN MEMORIAM

Harris VerSchure	1922 - 1979
Dewald (Mac) McCombs	1923 - 1979

All of us at Daverman Associates are still stunned at the news of yesterday's air tragedy which took the lives of two of our colleagues and a contractor-friend.

It is unfortunate that our 75th Anniversary Year should be impacted by the greatest tragedy in D/A's history.

We are all deeply saddened.

Harris and Mac will be missed by all of us at D/A and by many of our clients. They were not just fellow-workers. They were our friends. They were both well liked and they will be sorely missed by all their many friends - but they will be missed most deeply and dramatically by their families.

Our prayers and our hearts go out to Harris' wife Eleanor and their two children, Jenine and Lane. Our thoughts and sympathies also go out to Mac's seven children, Stephenia, Dewald, Jr., Kevin, Leslie, Cindy, Steve and Lori and his two grandchildren.

We feel so utterly helpless amid the deep sadness caused by this tragedy - but we pray that God will comfort and sustain them through these difficult days.

All three of the funerals will be held on Saturday. Funeral services for Harris will be held Saturday at 10:00 A.M. at the Bethel Christian Reformed Church, 728 Shamrock S.W. The family will receive visitors at their home at 2360 7th St., N. W., Thursday and Friday evening from 7 to 9 P.M. Memorial contributions may be made to the Christian Reformed World Relief Committee.

Mac's family will receive visitors Thursday 7 to 9 and Friday 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 at the Metcalf and Jonkhoff Funeral Home, 2111 44th Street S. E., (between Breton and Kalamazoo). Funeral services will be held 1:00 P.M. Saturday at the funeral home.

THE DIRECTORS

/bjk

JUL 20 1979

VerSchure
McCombs

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Victims Left Mark Here

Two victims of the plane crash Tuesday over Windsor, Ontario, were involved in a number of Grand Rapids area building projects.

Harris A. VerSchure, an architect with Daverman Associates, Inc., designed the Pine Rest Christian Hospital at 6850 S. Division Ave. in Cutlerville, the Michigan Veterans' Facility, 3000 Monroe Ave. NE, and the Raybrook Manor for the Holland Home in Holland.

VerSchure also designed the initial building as well as the first addition to the Grand Rapids Osteopathic Hospital, 1919 Boston St. NE.

Roger Gust, a Spring Lake contractor, built many of the buildings for the Wolverine Worldwide complex in Rockford. He also constructed the Northview Apartments, 2625 Northvale Drive NE, the Madison Public School, 851 Madison Ave. SE, and the LaCroft Condominiums in Charlevoix.

In addition, he built a number of buildings around the country for Interstate Motor Freight.

VER SCHURE — Mr. Harris A. VerSchure, aged 57, of 2360 7th St. NW, passed away of accidental injuries Tuesday, July 10, 1979. Surviving are his wife, Eleanor; a daughter and son, Jenine VerSchure and Lane A. VerSchure both at home; his mother, Mrs. Fannie VerSchure of Holland; a sister, Mrs. Seymour (Alma) Krol of Holland. Mr. VerSchure was an Associate with Daverman & Assoc. Funeral services will be held Saturday 10 AM at the Bethel Christian Reformed Church, 728 Shamrock SW, with The Rev. Robert N. Prins and The Rev. John Joldersma officiating. Interment Rosedale Memorial Park. The family will receive visitors at their home at 2360 7th St. NW, Friday evening from 7 to 9 PM. Those who wish, may make memorial contributions to the Christian Reformed World Relief Committee.

SHAWMUT HILLS FUNERAL HOME
2120 Lake Michigan Dr. NW
Posthumus-Karelse-Matthysse

Verschure was married and had two children. He was a member of the Grand Rapids Symphony Orchestra's choir as well as the choir at Bethel Christian Reformed Church. He was with the Daverman company for 32 years.

VerSchure is survived by his wife, Eleanor; a daughter, Jenine; a son, Lane A.; his mother, Fannie VerSchure, and a sister, Alma Krol.

Funeral arrangements at Shawmut Hills Funeral Home, 2120 Lake Michigan Drive NW, were still incomplete Wednesday morning.