

APPLICATION NO AP

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Granted July 24, 19 53

MEMBERSHIP NO 9351

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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

RECORD OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INSTITUTE

A Name of applicant... William Robert Stephenson..... Chapter... Southern California
B Address of applicant... 201 South Woodburn Drive, Los Angeles 49, California
C Applicant proposed by... Burton A. Schutt..... and... R. A. Rodriguez
D Application received with check for \$ 20.00..... on..... April 27, 19 53.
E Application returned for correction..... 19 .
F Application in due order on..... June 8, 19 53
Record of registration, Form S39, Sent Calif. May 6, 19 53. Received. June 8, 19 53.
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..... May 6, 19 53.
I Certified resolution of chapter executive committee recommending admission
~~with application received~~ received on..... April 27, 19 53.
J No report from chapter executive committee on..... 19 .
K Application sent to The Board of Examiners on..... July 9, 19 53.
L The Board of Examiners reported on application on..... July 9, 19 53.
M Applicant was admitted on..... July 24, 19 53.
N Notice and certificate to applicant and notice of assignment to chapter ~~and letter~~
~~to proposer~~ on..... July 24, 19 53.
O Notice of denial of application to chapter and applicant and \$..... 19 .
returned to applicant on.....

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

William Robert Stephenson

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

Date July 24, 19 53

George Bain Cummings
Secretary

INSTRUCTIONS

Type in all information carefully and sign with ink.

Mail this original and check for \$20.00 to The Secretary, The American Institute of Architects, 1741 New York Avenue, N. W., Washington 6, D. C.

File the duplicate, on yellow paper, with the secretary of the local Chapter of The Institute.



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 William Robert Stephenson

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

3. My legal residence is in the City of Los Angeles

County of Los Angeles State of California

4. My address in The Institute records will be
201 South Woodburn Drive

Number Street
Los Angeles, 49 California
City Zone State

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

6. I desire to be a member of the Southern California 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.

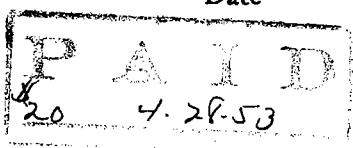
9. I enclose my check for \$20.00, for admission fee and the first year's annual dues, of which \$1.00 is for a year's subscription to the *Bulletin of The American Institute of Architects*. It is my understanding that if I am not admitted to membership \$10.00 will be returned to me, and \$10.00 retained by The Institute as an examination fee.

Is Architecture your principal vocation. Yes

If you are practicing any other vocation kindly indicate the nature of the work.

Date March 18 1953

William Robert Stephenson
Applicant sign full name in ink



STATISTICS

10. Date of birth August 30, 1912 Place of birth Portsmouth, Virginia

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

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

(c) I hold Certificate No. C-1078 of the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards, for having passed their Standard Examination.

EDUCATION

12.(a) I attended high schools, private schools, colleges, universities, as follows:

Name of School, College, University	Location	No. of Years	Year of Graduation	Degree
University of Virginia	Virginia	4	1934	B.S. in Arch.
Columbia University	N.Y.C.	1/2		
New York University	N.Y.C.	1		

(b) I have held the following-named scholarships or other honor awards, and have traveled in the following-named countries:
Mexico, Canada, Bermuda, Nassau, Cuba, Hawaii

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:

Name of Employer	Address	From	To	Classification
Harvey Wiley Corbett	New York City	6-1934	10-1934	Draftsman
Van Lee Schmidt	Los Angeles	11-1945	3-1946	Draftsman
Lloyd Wright	Los Angeles	4-1946	4-1948	Chief Draftsman
Burton A. Schutt	Los Angeles	5-1948	3-31-1953	Associate Architect

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).

Associate architect with
Burton A. Schutt

From
May 1948

To
April 1953

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.

PRESENT OR PREVIOUS MEMBERSHIPS IN ARCHITECTURAL ORGANIZATIONS

17. Member of Institute from _____ to _____
18. Junior of Institute from _____ to _____
19. Associate of _____ Chapter from _____ to _____
20. Junior Associate of Southern California Chapter from 1946 to 1953
21. Student Associate of _____ Chapter from _____ to _____
22. Member of State Organization in _____ from _____ to _____

ENDORSEMENT BY PROPOSERS

(The two proposers must be corporate members of The Institute in good standing.)

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

I have known the applicant for 5 years. I have known the applicant for 10 years.

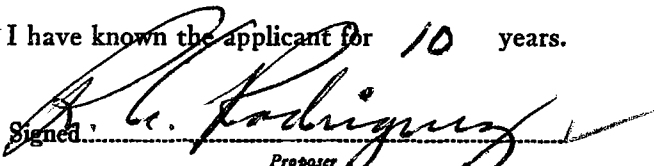
Signed


Proposer

1048 CARDE DRIVE - L.A.

Address

Signed


Proposer

7024 MELROSE AVE. - L.A.

Address

Burton A. Schutt

3.

R. A. Rodriguez



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

RECORD OF REGISTRATION
OF

William Robert Stephenson - Los Angeles 49, California
(Name of Applicant)

SECRETARY,
BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINERS,
Los Angeles, California
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 May 6, 19 53

Car. A. D. [Signature]
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? WRITTEN AND ORAL
4. What was the period of the examination? 4 days. Written examination 36 hours; Oral examination 1 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 first registration 10/16/48 19 48. Registration No. C-1078. Is it current? yes

Robert K. Kelley
(Signature of Secretary of Board)

Date June 4, 1953 19 53 California State Board of Architectural Examiners
(Name of Board)

Mr. William Robert Stephenson, A.I.A.
201 South Woodburn Drive
Los Angeles, 49, California

Dear Sir:

July 24, 1953

I am pleased 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 as indicated below.

You will be a member of the listed organizations, unless you later transfer therefrom, 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 my office is at your service to the extent of its powers.

The Policies of The Institute are developed largely from activities within the chapters and State organizations. By taking an active part in their affairs, you will contribute to the advancement of the objects of The Institute and will increase the benefits to be derived from Institute membership.

I bespeak your active cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary

ASSIGNMENTS:

Chapter:	Southern California Chapter, A.I.A.
State Organization:	California Council of Architects, A.I.A.
Effective Date:	July 24, 1953

GBC/fhg
Enclosures:



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

1735 NEW YORK AVENUE, N.W., WASHINGTON, D.C. 20006

Application for Membership Emeritus

TO THE SECRETARY,
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

I hereby apply for Membership Emeritus in the Institute for the following reason:

(Check the appropriate reason)

- ☒ I am more than 70 years of age.
- ☐ I am more than 60 years of age and retired from the profession of architecture.
- ☐ I am unable to engage in the profession of architecture because _____

(state nature of incapacitation)

I have been in good standing in the Institute and the LOS ANGELES Chapter
for 15 successive years. California Council

If and when elected to Membership Emeritus, I wish to continue to receive AIA mailings
Yes ☐ No ☒

Date _____

Name _____

(written and printed signature)

Address _____

WM. R. STEPHENSON, AIA
201 SO. WOODBURN DRWG
L.A., CA. 90049

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Information for applicant: The applicant may supplement the above reasons on a blank sheet. In exceptional circumstances and for adequate cause, the Secretary of the Institute may lessen the period of good standing but not the other conditions.

Upon election to Membership Emeritus, all rights and privileges of membership, including the use of the title Member Emeritus written in full after the initials "AIA" or "FAIA", as the case may be, remain intact while the member is exempted from further dues payments to the Institute and the member's Chapter and State.

Members Emeriti have the option to remain on the AIA mailing list for \$15 per year to help defray mailing costs. Members Emeriti who do not wish to receive AIA mailings and publications need not pay this mailing charge.

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November 2, 1983

Mr. Wm. R. Stephenson, AIA, Member Emeritus
201 So. Woodburn Drive
Los Angeles, CA 90049

Dear Mr. Stephenson:

It is a pleasure to inform you that your membership classification has been changed to Member Emeritus.

We are grateful for your many years of support and we hope that your participation and interest will continue, even though you are now relieved of further dues payments.

With best wishes.

Sincerely yours,

Harry Harmon, FAIA
Secretary

cc: Los Angeles Chapter, AIA
California Council, AIA