



Dated August 30 1944.
Received September 1 1944.
Granted December 5, 1944

MEMBERSHIP NO 2755

In due order
September 1, 1944
F. W. Genova

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

RECORD OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INSTITUTE

- A Name of applicant..... William Robinson Shirley..... Chapter New York
- B Address of applicant. 4851 A Grand Central Terminal, N.Y. 17, N. Y.
- C Applicant proposed by.. Matthew Del Gaudio..... and Richmond Harold Shreve
- D Application received with check for \$10.00..... on..... September 1 1944
- E Application returned for correction..... 19
- F Application in due order on..... September 1 1944
- Record of registration, Form S39, Sent Sept. 6 (N.Y.)... 1944. Received. September 12 1944.
- G Notices sent to chapter executive committee:
 - (a) Form S11, reasonable time ending on.. October 6..... 1944, on September 6 1944.
 - (b) Form S12, 30 day extension ending on.. November 6,..... 1944., on October 6, 1944.
- H Acknowledgments to applicant, proposers, and chapter on..... September 6 1944.
- I Certified resolution of chapter executive committee recommending admission
~~or that application be denied~~ received on..... November 7, 1944.
- J No report from chapter executive committee on..... 19
- K Application sent to The Board of Examiners on..... December 5, 1944.
- L The Board of Examiners reported on application on..... December 5, 1944.
- M Applicant was admitted on..... December 5, 1944
- N Notice and certificate to applicant and notice of assignment to chapter and letter
to proposers on..... December 5, 1944.
- 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

William Robinson Shirley
to membership in The Institute, and hereby declare him to be a corporate member of The
Institute and assign him to membership in the New York Chapter.

Date 19 Alexander C. Robinson Jr.
Secretary

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ORIGINAL

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

WASHINGTON, D.C.

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 WILLIAM ROBINSON SHIRLEY

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

3. My legal residence is in the City of Yonkers
County of Westchester State of New York

4. My address in The Institute records will be
Street 4851 A Grand Central Terminal
City New York, 17 State N.Y.

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

6. I desire to be a member of the New York Chapter.

7. I declare that I have read the by-laws, the rules and regulations, and the Standards of Practice of The American Institute of Architects, and the by-laws and rules and regulations of the chapter of which I desire to become a member, and that I understand the duties, responsibilities and obligations thereunder of a member of The Institute, and I do hereby expressly agree and declare that, if admitted to membership, I will to the best of my ability abide by and comply with such by-laws, rules and regulations, and will abide by and uphold said Standards of Practice and conduct my practice of the profession accordingly. I am financially able to undertake all pecuniary obligations of a member to The Institute and to the chapter.

8. I filed the duplicate of this application with the secretary of the chapter above named and attach his receipt therefor. I am not indebted to The Institute or to any of its chapters or state association members.

9. I enclose my check for \$ 10 , for admission fee and the first year's annual dues. It is my understanding that if for any reason you do not admit me to membership, all of said amount will be returned to me, except five dollars which you will retain as an examination fee.

Date 1 30 1944.

William Robinson Shirley
Applicant sign full name in ink

PAID
DATE \$10 = 9/5/44

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2. State whether a natural or a naturalized citizen.

4. State whether residence or office address.

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

8. Receipt required.

STATISTICS

10. Date of birth 6/17/97 Place of birth Winston-Salem, N.C.

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

(State or States) By Examination

(State or States) By Exemption

New York State

(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:

I attended the following schools and University

Proctor Academy - Andover, N.H.

Chauncy Hall School - Boston, Mass.

School of Architecture, Syracuse University.

I have travelled in the following countries:

Canada

England

France

Spain

Italy

Switzerland

Belgium

Holland

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:

Northup and O'Brien - Architects - Winston-Salem, N.C.
(1923-1925)

Dwight James Baum - Architect - New York, N.Y.
(1925-1928)

Harry Allen Jacobs - Architect - New York, N.Y.
(1928-1929)

Practicing Architect from 1930 to date.

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

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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 have taught architecture or the arts and sciences allied therewith. (State names of firms or corporations and of schools or colleges)

I obtained a license to practice Architecture in North Carolina by written examinations.

I have practiced Architecture in the State of New York from 1930 to date.

PRESENT OR PREVIOUS MEMBERSHIPS IN ARCHITECTURAL ORGANIZATIONS

- 15. Member of Institute from _____ to _____
- 16. Junior of Institute from 1921 to 1922 (*over no dues*)
- 17. Associate of _____ Chapter from _____ to _____
- 18. Junior Associate of _____ Chapter from _____ to _____
- 19. Member of State Association in _____ from _____ to _____

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 him and 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 4 years.

I have known the applicant for ^{more than} 4 years.

Signed *M. Del Dandio*

Signed *H. Shreve*

Proposer

Proposer

Matthew Del Dandio
545 5th Ave.
N.Y., N.Y.

3.

Richard Harold Shreve
11 E. 44th St.
N.Y., N.Y.



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

RECORD OF REGISTRATION

OF

William Robinson Shirley, New York, N.Y.
(Name of Applicant)

SECRETARY,
BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINERS,
Address Albany, N.Y.

DX

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 September 6 19 44

Alexander C. Robinson III.
Secretary

1. Is the applicant registered or licensed to practice architecture in your state? Licensed
2. Was his registration or licensing by examination? yes or by exemption? yes
3. What was the scope of the examination? License issued March 5, 1930 on basis of graduation from Syracuse University June 1923 and three years experience
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 record If so, give Certificate No.
6. Date of last registration Sept 1, 1944 for 1944-1946 Registration No. License 3868 Is it current? yes

H. L. Fields
(Signature of Secretary of Board)

Date Sept 11 19 44

Bureau of Qualifying Certificates
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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

COPY

December 5, 1944

Dear Mr. Shirley:

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 New York Chapter, effective December 5, 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.

Yours sincerely,

Alexander C. Robinson III
Secretary

Mr. William Robinson Shirley
4851 A Grand Central Terminal
New York 17, N. Y.

ACR:ds

cc to: Director New York District
Proposers, Mr. Matthew Del Gaudio
Mr. Richmond Harold Shreve

COPY TO

FILES PRESIDENT SECRETARY TREASURER

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Members
Shirley, Wm. R. *Risky*
file

WILLIAM R. SHIRLEY
ARCHITECT
70 EAST 45TH STREET
NEW YORK 17
MURRAY HILL 6-0545

WILLIAM R. SHIRLEY, A.I.A.
GEORGE R. PEDERSEN

March 8, 1960

Mr. Joseph Matterson, Editor
The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Gentlemen:

This is to notify you of a Change of Address. The same to be changed from:

William R. Shirley, Architect
70 East 45th Street
New York 17, New York Room 2938

TO:

William R. Shirley, Architect
51 East 42nd Street
New York 17, New York Room 1100

EFFECTIVE as of April 1, 1960.

Very truly yours,

William R Shirley
William R. Shirley

WRS:dr

*noted
hrs*

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WILLIAM R. SHIBLEY

~~ARCHITECT~~

~~20 WEST 40TH STREET~~

~~NEW YORK 10018~~

~~XXXXXXXXXX~~

~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~

South Road
Millbrook, N.Y.
12545

October 9, 1968

Mrs. Margot A. Henkel,
Executive Secretary-Treasurer
New York Chapter
The American Institute of Architects
20 West 40th Street
New York, N.Y. 10018

Dear Mrs. Henkel:

On May 1st 1967 I closed my office in New York and gave up my practice of architecture., as a result I respectfully request that my name be withdrawn as a member of the American Institute of Architects and the New York State Association of Architects.

The Institute does a splendid work and it is with regret that I request my withdrawal as a member.

Sincerely

William R. Shirley

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February 4, 1969

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

Dear Maureen:

The enclosed letter was received in October of 1968 from William R. Shirley. Since he is 70 years of age, and has 24 consecutive years of membership in the Institute, I had forwarded to him a Member Emeritus blank asking him to fill out and return to me. He didn't do it, and I have written to him again today and sent him an application blank.

Since the new bills have gone out, I would rather like you to know that he wanted to resign. Maybe a letter addressed to him from you would also help to straighten out this matter.

Kind regards.

Sincerely yours,

Margot
Margot A. Henkel
Executive Secretary-Treasurer

*dec 1944
New York*

MAH:jb
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rd. 1968

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February 18, 1969

Mr. William R. Shirley, AIA
South Road
Millbrook, New York 12545

Dear Mr. Shirley:

We have received a copy of your letter dated October 9, 1968, in which you tender your resignation as a corporate member of AIA.

It seems that you may be eligible for election as a Member Emeritus, which, upon election, will permit you to remain in the AIA with full rights and privileges, while being relieved of further dues payments to the AIA and your local chapter.

If you qualify under one or more of the three conditions set forth on the enclosed application form, please check that condition off, sign and return the form to this office. Upon its receipt, we shall be glad to see that the proper action is taken.

On the other hand, if you do not qualify or are not interested in remaining in the AIA, please let us hear further from you and your resignation will be accepted.

Sincerely yours,

Maureen Marx, Manager
Membership Procedures

Enclosure

cc: Exec.-Secty., New York Chapter, AIA

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February 19, 1969

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

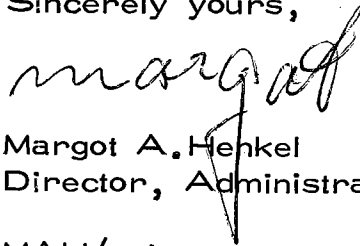
Re: William R. Shirley's
Member Emeritus application.

Dear Maureen:

Please find enclosed Mr. Shirley's application for Membership Emeritus. Since he is more than 70 years of age, we better forget requesting payment of Chapter dues and I would like to report him in good standing. Please elect him to Member Emeritus status.

Kind regards.

Sincerely yours,



Margot A. Henkel
Director, Administration & Finance

MAH/caj

Enc.

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20 WEST 40TH STREET
NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10018
(212) 565-1866



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 65 years of age, retired, and not engaged in the practice of architecture.
- I am unable to engage in the practice of architecture.

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

Date FEBRUARY 8 1969

William Robinson Shirley
(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.

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March 10, 1969

Mr. William R. Shirley, AIA
South Road
Millbrook, New York 12545

Dear Mr. Shirley:

It gives me pleasure to inform you that I have elected you a Member Emeritus of The Institute as of January 1, 1969.

The Treasurer's Office of The Institute and your component organizations are being directed to adjust the records accordingly.

On behalf of The Officers and Board of Directors, I wish to take this opportunity to express my great appreciation for your support, throughout your many years of membership, of the work and projects undertaken by The Institute and its components for the cause of better architecture.

We hope that your interest in The Institute and Chapter will continue, even though you have now been relieved of all dues payments.

With best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

Preston M. Bolton, FAIA

New York

Re: William R. Shulby 2/26/83

Please Be Advised
That Mr. William R. Shulby
died Nov. 22, 1982.

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Thank you for NOTING this
on your files.

B. Talbot, Exec.
Estate of
William R. Shulby

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