

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



OPENING KEYNOTE: 8:15AM

CHERYL DURST, HON. FIIDA Executive Vice President & CEO, IIDA

An exceptional communicator, innovator, and visionary leader, Cheryl S. Durst has spurred progress, driven change, and encouraged the expansion of the interior design industry. As the Executive Vice President and CEO of IIDA, Cheryl is committed to achieving broad recognition for the value of design and its significant role in society through both functionality and engagement in every day workspaces and the built environment. Demonstrated by her active involvement in connecting industry professionals, including designers, manufacturers, clients, end users, and employers, she has worked to promote an understanding of how design impacts human behavior and affects all aspects of shared spaces.



CLOSING KEYNOTE: 4:00PM

DR. EVE EDELSTEIN, F-AAA Director of Design Quality Guy's & Thomas' Foundation Trust National Health Service, UK

Dr. Eve Edelstein, F-AAA, is Director of Design Quality, National Health Service, Guys and St Thomas Hospital Foundation Trust. Eve applies neuroscience to design in all practice areas, consulting with experts, stakeholders, users, and design teams. Eve developed the first Neuroscience and Architecture courses with ANFA, NSAD, UCSD, and the Salk Institute, and Building Blocks for Clinicians at Great Ormond Street Hospital. With Essentia at GSTT, Dr. Edelstein is developing a broad series or courses, workshops and practices to achieve efficient and effective design experiences for all users.



SUSTAINABILITY

THE PATH TO ZERO

9:30AM - 10:30AM

JOHN ANDARY,
Senior Principal,
Mechanical, Integral Group

BUILDING REUSE + UPGRADE: SAVING CARBON, BUILDING COMMUNITY & EQUITY

11:00AM - 12:00PM

LARRY STRAIN, FAIA
Founding Principal
Siegel & Strain Architects

DONALD I KING, FAIA
Principal / Chief Executive
MIMAR Studio
Nehemiah Initiative Seattle

SEAN ARMSTRONG,
Managing Principal
Redwood Energy

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MASS TIMBER

1:00PM - 2:00PM

DONALD DAVIES,

President

Magnusson Klemencic Associates

PAULINE SOUZA, FAIA, Well APP, LEED Fellow

LFA Director of Sustainability, Partner

WRNS

LISA PODESTO,

Timber & Innovations Specialist,

SEAOCC Sustainable Design Committee,

Senior Business Development Manager

Lendlease

LETICIA SOOHOO, AIA, LEED AP BD+C

ADDRESSING SCALE: WATER IN CALIFORNIA

2:15PM - 3:15PM

TAYLOR NOKHOUDIAN,

Water Resources Analyst SFPUC

AMELIA LUNA, Msc, PE, LEED AP, ENV SP,

Senior Project Manager, Associate

Sherwood Design Engineers

SVEN THESEN,

Director, Benisol Solar;

Founder, Project Green Home



EQUITY

INSPIRED BY HISTORY TO FORM THE FUTURE

9:30AM - 10:30AM

ANNA SOKOLINA, PhD

Founding Chair,

Women in Architecture Affiliate Group of Society of Architectural Historians

PRIYA JAIN, AIA, LEED BD+C

Assistant Professor, Architecture, Associate Director

Center for Heritage Conservation

Texas A&M

YAN WENCHENG, PhD

EVA M. ALVAREZ ISIDRO, PhD

Associate Professor

Architectural Studio Department,

Universiate Politecnica de Valencia

CARLOS J. GOMEZ ALFONSO, PhD

Associate Professor

Architectural Studio Department,

Universiate Politecnica de Valencia

MERAL EKINCI OGLU, PhD

SAH WiA Affiliate Group Registers Committee

SAH Historic Interiors Affiliate Group Research Committee

REMAPPING THE FUTURE: A TOOLKIT FOR ADVANCING EQUITABLE HOUSING POLICY IN THE SUBURBS

11:00AM - 12:00PM

SHAJUTI HOSSAIN,

Associate Attorney

Renne Public Law Group

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CROSSING SCALE & CULTURE THROUGH HOUSING EQUITY

1:00PM - 2:00PM

JENNIFER KRETSCHMER, AIA, NCARB, LEED Green Associate

Principal Architect and Founder

J. Kretschmer Architect

KATE CONLEY, AIA

Principal

Architects FORA

MATTHEW REED, PhD

Director of Policy

SV@Home

LAKSHMI SUBRAMANIAN, AIA

Principal

Lean Lens

CONNECTING THE DOTS: DESIGN CHALLENGES IN GLOBAL HEALTH

2:15PM - 3:15PM

DR. XINSHU SHE, MD, MPH, FAAP

Clinical Associate Professor | Pediatrics

Stanford University School of Medicine

BRIE FALKARD, PhD

Senior Research Scientist

Immunologist

Global Health Professional

INSPIRATION

CONSTRUCTING ARCHITECTURAL ECOLOGIES

9:30AM - 10:30PM

ADAM MARCUS,
Associate Professor
California College of the Arts

FRAMING THE AIR

11:00AM - 12:00PM

NORBERTO F. NARDI, AIA, NCARB
Principal Partner
Nardi Associates LLP

EXPANDING PRACTICE FOR A WHITEWATER WORLD

1:00AM - 2:00PM

ANN M. PENDLETON-JULLIAN,
Architect, Writer

VISUALIZING SPACE: FROM SPECULATIVE TO PRAGMATIC

2:15AM - 3:15PM

SHAMSHER VIRK,
Executive Director
ZERO1

SUSAN MOFFATT,
Creative Director, Future Histories Lab;
Executive Director, Global Urban Humanities Initiative
UC Berkeley

GUY MESSICK, AIA
Director of Design Intelligence
IA Interior Architects

DASHA ORTENBERG,
Moderator, AIA Silicon Valley