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NCSEA Awards Firms for Structural Engineering Excellence

November 24, 2020 - The National Council of Structural Engineers Associations (NCSEA) announced the winners of the 2020 Excellence in Structural Engineering Awards. These awards were presented in eight categories, each with one Outstanding Project Winner.

- New Buildings < \$30 Million
- New Buildings \$30 Million to \$80 Million
- New Buildings \$80 Million to \$200 Million
- New Buildings Over \$200 Million
- New Bridges or Transportation Structures
- Forensic/Renovation/Retrofit/Rehabilitation Structures < \$20 Million
- Forensic/Renovation/Retrofit/Rehabilitation Structures > \$20 Million
- Other Structures

The Winners and Outstanding Projects were announced at the Awards Celebration on Thursday, November 5th at the 2020 Virtual NCSEA Structural Engineering Summit.

Category 1: New Buildings < \$30 Million

Winner

Project: Wagner Education Center at the Center for Wooden Boats - Seattle, Washington
Engineering Firm: KPFF, Inc.

Outstanding Project Winner

Project: ICE Block I - Sacramento, California
Engineering Firm: Buehler Engineering

Category 2: New Buildings \$30 Million to \$80 Million

Winners

Project: North Surrey Sport & Ice Complex Hybrid Timber Roof - Surrey, British Columbia
Engineering Firm: StructureCraft Builders Inc.

Project: Apple Park Visitor Center - Cupertino, California
Engineering Firm: Nabih Youssef & Associates

Project: California State Polytechnic University, Pomona (Cal Poly Pomona) Student Services Building - Pomona, California
Engineering Firm: John A. Martin & Associates, Inc.

Outstanding Project Winner

Project: Casa Adelante - Delivering Affordable Seismic Resilience - San Francisco, California
Engineering Firm: Mar Structural Design

Category 3: New Buildings \$80 Million to \$200 Million

Winners

Project: Charles Library, Temple University - Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Engineering Firm: LERA Consulting Structural Engineers

Project: University of Michigan Biological Sciences Building - Ann Arbor, Michigan

Engineering Firm: SmithGroup

Outstanding Project Winner

Project: International Spy Museum - Washington, DC

Engineering Firm: SK&A

Category 4: New Buildings Over \$200 Million

Winners

Project: W Hotel Tower - Bellevue, Washington

Engineering Firm: Cary Kopczynski & Company

Project: New Stanford Hospital - Palo Alto, California

Engineering Firm: Nabih Youssef & Associates

Outstanding Project Winner

Project: The Academy Museum of Motion Pictures - Los Angeles, California

Engineering Firm: Buro Happold

Category 5: New Bridges or Transportation Structures

Winners

Project: 707 Fifth - Manulife Place Pedestrian Bridge - Calgary, Canada

Engineering Firms: Skidmore, Owings & Merrill

Project: LaGuardia Airport Pedestrian Bridge B - East Elmhurst, New York

Engineering Firm: HOK

Outstanding Project Winner

Project: Dublin Link Pedestrian Bridge - Dublin, Ohio

Engineering Firm: Endrestudio

Category 6: Forensic/Renovation/Retrofit/Rehabilitation Structures up to \$20 Million

Winners

Project: First Unitarian Society Meeting House - Madison, Wisconsin

Engineering Firm: Pierce Engineers

Category 6: Forensic/Renovation/Retrofit/Rehabilitation Structures up to \$20 Million (Continued)

Project: 28 Liberty Street - Sub-Cellar Conversion to Retail Space - New York, New York
Engineering Firm: Shmerykowsky Consulting Engineers

Project: Napa County Historic Courthouse - Napa, California
Engineering Firm: ZFA Structural Engineers

Outstanding Project Winner

Project: West Virginia State Capitol Building - Structural Repairs to the Inner Dome - Charleston, West Virginia
Engineering Firm: WDP & Associates Consulting Engineers, Inc.

Category 7: Forensic/Renovation/Retrofit/Rehabilitation Structures over \$20 Million

Winners

Project: Yotel - San Francisco, California
Engineering Firm: Holmes Structures

Project: Stanley A. Milner Library Renewal - Edmonton, Canada
Engineering Firm: Fast + Epp

Outstanding Project Winner

Project: Google Spruce Goose - Los Angeles, California
Engineering Firm: Arup

Category 8: Other Structures

Winners

Project: Coastal Wall at Northwestern University, Ryan Fieldhouse and Walter Athletics Center - Evanston, Illinois
Engineering Firm: SmithGroup

Project: Cayton Children's Museum Courage Climber - Santa Monica, California
Engineering Firm: Holmes Structures

Outstanding Project Winner

Project: Mackinac Bridge Paint Platforms - Mackinaw City, Michigan
Engineering Firm: Ruby + Associates, Inc.

To view the Awards presentation and learn more about the NCSEA Excellence in Structural Engineering Awards visit www.ncsea.com/awards/excellenceinstructuralengineeringawards.

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