

Silver Awards



1111 West Addison- Movement Chicago, IL

Category: Commercial / Industrial

Firm: Hirsch MPG, LLC, Chicago, IL

Contractor: Summit Design Build

Owner: 1111 W Addison Development LLC

Photographer: Patsy McEnroe Photography Inc.

Description: The building, which houses a 3-level climbing gym, has a façade composed of a brick folded 'ribbon' that floats above a glass retail level; it is infilled by textured, colored brick panels that represent where the gym has climbing walls up against the exterior wall and is inspired by granite striations found in nature. The facade pushes and pulls to create outdoor terraces with views to the iconic Wrigley Field Marquee, create a defined entrance and step the building down to the scale of the neighboring residential buildings.

Broken Arrow Des Moines, IA

Category: Commercial / Industrial

Firm: ASK Studio, Des Moines, IA

Contractor: Venter Spooner, Inc.

Owner: Broken Arrow Wear LLC

Photographer: Cameron Campbell, Integrated Studio

Description: The project begins with an abandoned fast food restaurant.

The clients wanted something extraordinary, but contrastingly, the budget required the retention and reuse of all existing areas. The first site visit was indelible. The floors were slippery with a history of cooking oils and optimism was quelled by all observations.



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Full Service Car Wash Brookfield, WI

Category: Commercial / Industrial

Firm: SchultzWerk Architecture, Inc, Wauwatosa, WI

Contractor: 12 ga Construction

Owner: Dave Liekam

Photographer: Matthew Kerr

Description: Provide a new modern façade for an existing dull car wash that is eye catching. Bright modern materials, bold form; natural light; glass and lighting and bold signage were employed.

Grand Prix Des Moines, IA

Category: Multi-Family Homes

Firm: ASK Studio, Des Moines, IA

Contractor: Ball Team Construction

Owner: Newbury Living

Photographer: Cameron Campbell, Integrated Studio

Description: The Grand Prix renovation is an exemplary exercise in finding a structure's architectural strengths in order to give it a marketable appeal. While it could simply be seen as a make-over, the process was one of respectful deconstruction rather than an applique of cosmetic layers.



Merit Awards



Highland Community School Milwaukee, WI

Category: Institutional

Firm: Korb + Associates Architects, Milwaukee, WI

Contractor: Catalyst Construction

Owner: Highland Community School

Photographer: Nairn Olker

Description: After moving from The Schlitz Mansion to the Pabst Mansion, HCS settled into its perfect location on 17th and Highland, allowing the school to remain in the Highland Avenue community. We were engaged to create an addition to the school that reflected both its rich history and strong ties to the community, along with accurately reflecting the transition by advancing students into a bright and vibrant future. Art, sustainability and the pillars were imperative.

Imperial Lobby Des Moines, IA

Category: Architectural Elements

Firm: Ask Studio, Des Moines, IA

Owner: Newbury Living

Photographer: ASK Studio

Description: The design for the lobby space in a half-century old apartment building began with a room that was too small and lacked any definition of the place. There was no message. The design solution was based on layering, lightness and focus. With a limited budget, all the ills of the space would need to be challenged with paint, flooring and an architectural millwork element.



Milan Readiness Center Addition Milan, IL

Category: Institutional

Firm: Bailey Edward Design, Chicago, IL

Contractor: Swanson Construction Company

Owner: Illinois National Guard

Photographer: Dave Burk @ Hedrich Blessing

Description: The Milan Readiness Center Addition inspires National Guard members in their service to the community. Morse code patterns laced in the brick façade remind servicepeople of their promise to the American people. Photovoltaic shades and a solar wall demonstrate commitment to the planet. Daylight flows inside through solar tubes and skylights before being distributed throughout by a glass wall system offering transparency and a sense of community amongst offices, classrooms, and communal spaces within.