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PRESS RELEASE

NCSEA Awards Firms for Structural Engineering Excellence

Anaheim, CA November 9, 2023: The National Council of Structural Engineers Associations (NCSEA) announced the winners of the 2023 Structural Engineering Excellence Awards on Thursday, November 9, during the Awards Celebration at the 2023 NCSEA Structural Engineering Summit. These awards were presented in eight categories, each with an Outstanding Structure Winner.

Category 1: New Buildings < \$30 Million

Outstanding Structure

Children's Museum of Eau Claire, Wisconsin – Eau Claire, WI, USA
KPF Consulting Engineers & ERA Structural Engineering

Award Winner

North Houston Sports Complex – Warner Robins, GA
PES Structural Engineers, Inc.

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

Outstanding Structure

University of California, San Diego, Epstein Family Amphitheater – San Diego, CA,
Thornton Tomasetti

Award Winner

Orange County Museum of Art – Costa Mesa, CA
John A. Martin & Associates, Inc.

Award Winner

West Hollywood Recreation and Aquatics Center – West Hollywood, CA
LPA Design Studios

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

Outstanding Structure

Ascent – Milwaukee, WI, USA
Thornton Tomasetti

Award Winner

Limberlost Place at George Brown College – Toronto, Ontario, Canada
Fast + Epp

Award Winner

(W)rappier – Los Angeles, CA
Arup

Category 4: New Buildings Over \$200 Million

Outstanding Structure

Google Bay View – Mountain View, CA
Thornton Tomasetti

Award Winner

Long Beach Civic Center – Long Beach, CA
Nabih Youssef Associates and Skidmore, Owings & Merrill

Award Winner

New York University – John A. Paulson Center – New York, NY
Severud Associates Consulting Engineers, PC

Category 5: New Bridges or Transportation Structures

Outstanding Structure

Sixth Street Viaduct Replacement Project – Los Angeles, CA
HNTB Corporation

Award Winner

Port Lands Bridges – Toronto, ON, Canada
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Award Winner

Nancy Pauw Bridge – Banff, AB, Canada
StructureCraft

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

Outstanding Structure

Sandi Simon Center for Dance at Chapman University – Chapman University, Orange, CA
Structural Focus

Award Winner

Downers Grove North High School Commons Roof – Downers Grove, IL
Wight & Company

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

Outstanding Structure

TSX Broadway and Palace Theater Redevelopment – New York, NY
Severud Associates Consulting Engineers, PC

Award Winner

Colorado Convention Center Expansion – Denver, CO
Martin/Martin, Inc.

Award Winner

UCSD York Hall Historic Seismic Retrofit – San Diego, CA
LPA Design Studios

Category 8: Other Structures

Outstanding Structure

KF Aerospace Spiral Stair – Kelowna, BC, Canada
StructureCraft

Award Winner

Blue Owl Signature Stair – New York, NY
CRAFT | Engineering Studio

Award Winner

Albright Knox Gallery, Common Sky – Buffalo, NY
Thornton Tomasetti

2023 Structure of the Year

Children's Museum of Eau Claire, Wisconsin – Eau Claire, WI, USA
KPF Consulting Engineers & ERA Structural Engineering

The National Council of Structural Engineers Associations (NCSEA) was formed to constantly improve the standard level of practice of the structural engineering profession. The Association's vision is that structural engineers are valued for their contributions to safe structures and resilient communities. The Association's mission is that NCSEA, in partnership with its Member Organizations, supports practicing structural engineers to be highly qualified professionals and successful leaders.