

Hello everyone, I'm Amy Karn. I'm the current President of the Inland California chapter of the AIA. Thanks for coming tonight, it's great to see everyone. I want to start by thanking David Higginson for organizing this event for the past two years, and for sponsoring us tonight.

I'd first like to thank our corporate sponsors, each of whom we see throughout the year supporting our events:

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At our board meeting not tonight we approved the Slate of Officers for the next year. We do not have a lot of turnover this year, but I want to thank Dave Anderson and Jerry Mercado for their service.

We are fortunate that James Rosenlieb, David Ogoli, and Dennis Tanida have decided to continue on the board in their respective positions as Secretary, Director, and AIA CA representative. We have Jason Cochran joining us as the Vice-President for 2023 under incoming President Jeff Johnson's leadership. Candace Lockett from Ruhnau Clarke will be joining us as our Associate Director, a position I'm heartened to say has been held by a woman for at least three years running now. Finally, both Keelan and I—the two immediate past presidents—will be continuing as Directors.

Our membership levels have stayed fairly consistent from 2021, going from 172 last year to 185 this year. This increase is made up entirely by an increase in associate members and emerging professionals. While we have not had any bylaws changes this year, one key change we've made as a board is to split our Education and Scholarships committees in two. Education will now be focused on education for our

members, whether that is programming or continuing education like ADA and ZNE seminars. Our Scholarship committee will now be solely dedicated to the allocation and distribution of scholarship funds.

This split in committees will allow both groups to be more effective and focused on two of the most important things we do as a chapter: programming and scholarships. Our scholarship fund continues to grow thanks to the generosity of Shelley Kain (Bob's wife), and due to proceeds from the Golf Tournament. In August we had our annual Bob Kain Memorial Scholarship Golf Tournament, the proceedings from which topped \$45,000. This is right on budget, and closely aligns to our receipts from 2021. Our newly split off Scholarship committee is looking at additional ways to give this back to our communities. The golf tournament continues to be our most well attended event and our biggest source of revenue, and that is in no small part to our Golf Committee which is steered by many of our corporate sponsors and longtime friends: Design-West, Tilden Coil, RHA, and Leighton, and of course SGH Architects in Redlands. Thank you all.

I'm going to turn it over to Eric Sautter, our chapter Treasurer, for a recap of our finances and the 2022 Annual Treasurer's report.

It's been a busy year otherwise, or it's certainly felt like it to me! A few program highlights from this year include our January webinar from David Barker at Collins + Collins. In March we had our annual Producer's Council event, this year at Peterman Lumber in Fontana. We toured the Cal Poly Pomona Student Housing project (a past design awards winner) in June, and the UCR Barn (a design awards winner this year) in August, both of which were completed during COVID. At the August program we honored 4 recent licensees in our chapter area, and we plan to continue to do this on a regular basis.

In September we had our bi-annual design awards, this time hosted at the Riverside City Hall Grier Pavilion. We had about 70 attendees, which I thought was pretty phenomenal. The awards were announced and winners asked to give a Pecha Kucha style talk, allowing all of us to understand both the student and professional work going on in our region. Thank you to our past president Keelan Kaiser and executive director Ileen Rathnam for their hard work in getting that event arranged, and for Jeff Johnson for emceeding the event.

That wraps up the annual report, but a few things before I stop talking. I'd like to ask Michael Stephens and Scott Griffith of SGH to join me for Appreciation AWARDS.

Thank you, guys. Okay everyone, this is what we've got going on for the rest of the year:

Upcoming programs

November – ADA Seminar, Saturday the 5th at CBU. This will be a hybrid event, look for registration information in your email.

November – Sustainability/ZNE Seminar hosted by PBK on Wednesday November 9

November – membership drive at TopGolf on Thursday the 17th. This is being hosted by our Emerging Professionals group (or EPIC), so thank you Daniela for your hard work.

December – we'll be having our Holiday party, installation ceremony, and design advocacy lecture on Wednesday, the 14th. Please keep an eye on your email for an invite to this event, as we continue to work the details.