



Join Anne Arundel Community College's Chapter of the AIAS

Join AIAS (American Institute of Architecture Students) at AACC in order to explore the dynamic world of architecture and design outside of the classroom!

***- It's not just for Architecture majors.
Interior Design and Construction Management
majors will benefit too.***

If you join, your membership will last for two semesters (September 1, 2008 - August 31, 2009).

The Benefits of Joining the AIAS Include:

Discounts

AIA Bookstore

Save at least 10% on online purchases on the AIA bookstore. Use your member number to access the discount.

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Architectural Record Magazine

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To view the many more discounts go to:

<http://www.aias.org/membership/benefits.php>

Design Competitions

Design competitions with over \$40,000 in prize money. AIAS members receive free registration to all AIAS design competitions.



<http://www.aias.org/competitions.php>

Crit, Journal of the AIAS

The Crit, Journal of the AIAS has been the only continuous source of published student work from across the world. This \$30.00 value is free to AIAS members.

http://www.aias.org/crit_journal/crit_journal.php

AIASinfo Newsletter

The biweekly newsletter keeps members of the AIAS community abreast of events, news and opportunities. AIASinfo serves to disseminate information directly related to and affecting AIAS on the international, regional and local levels. It is forwarded to all members via email only.

Local TRIPS!

As a member of the AIAS, you are recognized as a member of the AIAS Architecture "club" at AACC, which allows us to go on school trips to see local architectural design.

Some of the local trips and activities that I have thought of include:

- ***Helping build for the local branch of Habitat for Humanity***

<http://www.arundelhabitat.org/>

- ***Touring the old American Brewery building in Baltimore City (still under huge renovation)***

<http://www.humanim.com/content/index.cfm/ContentID/2607/SectionID/62>

- ***Touring one of the "greenest" buildings in MD, the Chesapeake Bay Foundation's Merrill Center***

http://www.cbf.org/site/PageServer?pagename=about_sub_merrill

- ***Touring the very "green" newly developed Montgomery Park building (with its own green roof)***

<http://www.montgomerypark.com/>

- ***Visiting the National Building Museum in DC.***

<http://www.nbm.org/>

With your participation, I would like the entire group to come up with other alternative/additional local trips.



Resume

Stating that you are a member of the AIAS on a resume or transcript shows an employer or future school that you have an interest and dedication to architecture and design.

More Benefits

For more benefits please go to:

<http://www.aias.org/membership/benefits.php>

How to Join:

To join the Anne Arundel Community College branch of the AIAS please do the following:

- Make out a check in the amount of \$52.00 (paying this fee covers everything included in your AIAS membership for the year).
- Complete the 2008-2009 membership form.
(Attached as a file to this e-mail is the membership form)
- Attach the check or cash to the form and hand it in to me, Jen Lewis (the Vice President) or Professor Lowe in CALT 332.

For further information about the AIAS, feel free to contact:

Jay Lerch: JayLerch@Gmail.com

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The AIAS also provides a video showing the opportunities of the AIAS:

http://www.aias.org/news_detail.php?nid=134