# **DESIGNArlington 2019 Award Winners**

DESIGNArlington 2019 award recipients were recognized for projects including public art, private home renovations, new construction, open space, sustainable design and historic preservation.

Our panel of distinguished judges for the 2019 program:

- Adrienne McCray, RLA, ASLA Principal, Lee and Associates
- Leonardo Sarli, AIA Architect, Laboratory for Architecture & Building
- Rebeccah Ballo Supervisor, Historic Preservation Office Montgomery County Planning Department
- Scott Matties, AIA Executive Vice President & Studio Director, Wiencek + Associates

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#### Awards of Excellence

#### Arlington National Cemetery Millennium Project



**Institutional/Civic:** The first expansion of the cemetery in over 40 years developed 27 acres on the property's north side. The design accommodates an additional 56,000 interments through a combination of in-ground casket burials, cremation burials, and cremation interments in multiple courtyards across the site.

Owner: U.S. Department of the Army

Design and Construction Manager: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Norfolk District

Architect: JACOBS

Cemetery Planning and Design: JACOBS

Additional Design: JACOBS, Ammann & Whitney, Sasaki, Beyer Blinder Belle, WSP, Rice Engineering, Wetland Studies and Solutions, Inc.

Contractor: Forrester Construction

Photography: Mark Schneider, JACOBS

## Ballston Quarter - 4238 Wilson Blvd.



**Renovation, Residential/Commercial, Open Space:** Ballston Quarter's new open-air, two-level "street" is anchored by existing retail and a new 23-story, mixed-use tower. The mall's reconfiguration creates a shopping loop along Wilson Boulevard and through the newly converted "street." The tenant mix was also updated, including a new food destination at the basement level.

Owner: Brookfield Properties, QIC

Architect: CallisonRTKL

Contractor: Clark Construction Group

Additional Design: Cooper Carry, Mahan Rykiel Associates, Landscape Architecture Bureau

Photography: David Madison Photography

#### The Heights Building – 1601 Wilson Blvd.

**New Construction:** The Heights Building combines two separate programs into a 5-story urban school, including outdoor classrooms, flexible classrooms, advanced technology and other amenities. Its vertical design creatively responds to site constraints and meets the main goals of providing a central space that connects the building levels with access to outdoor space at all levels.

**Owner:** Arlington Public Schools

Architect: Leo A Daly

Contractor: Gilbane Building Company

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Additional Design: Bjarke Ingels Group

Photography: Laurian Ghinitoiu

## Manifold House - 1512 N. Garfield St.





New Construction, **Residential:** Inspired by the owner's passion for repairing small-scale engine parts, Manifold House is an ode to the precision of manufactured assemblages. Composed of a prefabricated . structural frame, weathered steel

louvers are mounted without interruption and serve as a screen, providing privacy and moderated light.

- Owner: Heather and Billy Buck
- Architect: David Jameson

Contractor: Sagatov Design + Build

Additional Design: Oscar Maradiaga

Photography: Paul Warchol

#### Rubio Residence – 4012 25th Road N.



Addition, Residential, Historic Preservation: This addition enhances a classic, early 1940's Art Moderne house with both complimentary massing and similar architectural vocabulary. The 2-story rear exterior addition employs curving or softened corners, long horizontals, extended window expanses, glass block and nautical elements such as round windows.

Owner: Greg Rubio

Architect: DW Ricks Architects

Contractor: Ralph Carder Company

Photography: David Ricks

#### **Merit Awards**

Country Club Hills Residence – 3226 N. Albemarle St.



**Renovation/Addition, Residential:** This residential project preserves the character of the original home through reclaimed materials. The final design blends interior and exterior, including a fireplace and courtyard that visually connects the home's social spaces.

Owner: Anne Blakeman Coleman

Architect: GreenSpur

Contractor: GreenSpur

Additional Design: Elizabeth Cross-Beard

Photography: Mitch Allen

Dominion Apartments - 333 S. Glebe Road



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**Renovation, Residential, Historic Preservation/Sustainable Design:** This multi-family apartment building renovation features updated existing units as well as a historic façade restoration. All exterior doors, windows, storefronts and retail display cases were replaced, carefully balancing energy efficiency and historical accuracy.

Owner: Snell Properties

Architect: Bonstra | Haresign Architects

Contractor: HITT Contracting

Additional Design: Hickok Cole Lifestyle

Photography: Hoachlander Davis Photography

## Alice West Fleet Elementary School – 115 S. Old Glebe Road



**New Construction, Institutional/Civic, Sustainable Design:** Reflecting a desire to "build up, not out," Fleet Elementary School is Arlington's first four-story elementary school – and one of the first in the Commonwealth. This project demonstrates how existing public assets can be revitalized and transformed into vibrant spaces.

**Owner:** Arlington Public Schools

Architect: VMDO Architects

Contractor: Whiting-Turner

Additional Design: CMTA Engineers

Photography: Sam Kittner

## Gravity and Grace – 1800 N. Lynn St.



**Public Art:** This site-specific, large-scale LED public artwork integrates into the architecture of Central Place in Rosslyn. The work is 150-feet long and 15-feet high, and incorporates real-time environmental data that organizes its spectral shifts of color.

Owner: JBG Smith

Artist: Cliff Garten Studio

Photography: Luke Walters, Joseph Romeo, Arlington Public Art

### Living Tudor Revival - Country Club Hills



Addition: This project features living walls that both frames the addition and highlights the original 1940's tudor. The original dormer forms were used, which also guides interior ceiling planes and angles. A bomb shelter discovered during construction inspired a new wine room.

Architect: David Lococo Architects

**Contractor:** Clemens Builders

Additional Design: Jennifer Horn, Ella Scott Design, Linton Engineering

Photography: Anice Hoachlander

### 3200 Lee Highway

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**Renovation, Commercial:** With an eye towards the larger vision for Lee Highway, this site transforms the underdeveloped strip and offers an exciting place to work today. The steep slope across the back of the site was both a challenge and a solution. The designer created a cantilevered office over the landscape, surrounded by tree canopy, bringing nature into the space.

**Owner:** Deer Equities

Architect: MTFA Architecture

Contractor: Bush Construction

Additional Design: Linton Engineering, JB Wyble & Associates

Photography: Eric Taylor Photography

## **Honorable Mentions**

Arlington Abstracted - Courthouse



Adaptive Re-Use, Institutional/Civic, Public Art/Open Space: This colorful ground mural covers three former parking spaces that were transformed into a pop-up plaza in Courthouse. The mural features the re-imagination of eight iconic businesses, both past and present, in the artist's signature abstracted aesthetic.

Owner: Arlington County

Artists: Marc Pekala, Cory Bernat

Photography: Marc Pekala, Arlington County

Central Place - 1800 N. Lynn St.



**New Construction, Residential/Commercial, Open Space/Sustainable Design:** This new mixed-use development features two high-rise towers on either side of an open plaza, which will host events, a farmers market, pedestrian circulation and more. Everything was built so it seamlessly integrates with one of the busiest inter-modal transit hubs in the area.

Owner: JBG Smith

Architect: Beyer Blinder Belle

Contractor: Clark Construction Group

Photography: Joseph Romeo

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