James Randolph Urban, ASLA

Education

New York State College of Environmental Science and Forestry, Syracuse, New York; Bachelor of Landscape Architecture, 1971

License

Registered landscape Architect

State of Maryland	1975
State of New York	1986
State of Virginia	1989

Professional Associations

The American Society of Landscape Architects,
President of the Maryland Chapter, 1986
The International Society of Arboriculture
The American Forestry Association

Professional Experience

JAMES URBAN, ASLA and URBAN & ASSOCIATES
Annapolis, Maryland; 1978 to the present.

National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial, Washington, DC.
National Geographic Society Headquarters, Washington, DC.
Hirshhorn Museum Plaza Renovation, Washington, DC.
Henry Moore Sculpture Exhibit, The National Gallery of Art, Washington, D.C.
The Lincoln Memorial Restoration, Washington, DC.
The American Center for Physics, College Park, Maryland.
1001 Pennsylvania Ave, 11th Floor Roof Terrace Gardens, Washington, DC.
Rosewood Georgetown, Washington, DC.
The Bethesda Guest Quarters Hotel, Bethesda, Maryland.
Boston Artery Highway Realignment Project, Boston, Mass.
City of Norfok Landscape Design Advisor, Norfolk, Virginia.
Bureau of Engraving and Printing, Washington, DC.
The Acacia Building, Washington, DC.

Skidmore, Owings & Merrill, Chicago, Illinois and Washington, DC.; 1975 - 1978

Landscape Architect and Site Planner for a wide range of commercial and institutional projects

Projects

The Riyadh Zoo
The Jiddah Airport - Housing
The North East Corridor Rail Improvement Project
Trinity College Master Plan

The American Peace Corps, Mashhad, Iran; 1973 - 1975

Maryland National Capitol Park and Planning Commission, Riverdale, Maryland; 1971 - 1975

Grants

National Endowment for the Arts, Individual Design Arts Grant, "Evaluating and redesigning Planting Practices of Urban Trees", 1988.

BZA
Case No. 16836
Exhibit No. 93

Board of Zoning Adjustment
District of Columbia
CASE NO.16836
EXHIBIT NO.93

Lectures

"The City of New York, Urban Tree Workshop", New York, New York, 1992

Visiting Lecturer, Ohio State University, School of Landscape Architecture, Columbus, Ohio, 1992

"Bringing Order to the Technical Dysfunction Within the Urban Forest", International Society of Arboriculture Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 1991

"Key Note Speaker", The Second International Conference on Urban forestry, Dudley, England, 1991

Visiting Lecturer, SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry, School of Landscape Architecture, Syracuse New York, 1990

"Urban Tree Planting" Harvard University Graduate School of Design, Cambridge, Massachusetts, 1988

Publications

Journal of Arboriculture, March, 1992, Volume 18, Number 2, "Bringing Order to the Technical Dysfunction Within the Urban forest"

Landscape Architecture Magazine; January 1991, Vol. 81, No. 1; "From the Ground Down"

Journal of Arboriculture, November 1989, Vol. 15, No. 11; "New Techniques in Urban Tree Plantings"

Landscape Architecture Magazine; December 1988 , Vol. 78, No. 8,; "Graft Rejection"

Landscape Architecture Magazine; March 1996 , Vol. 78, "Room to Grow"

Awards

American Forestry Association, National Professional Urban Forestry Award, 1989

The National Endowment for the Arts, 1996 Federal Design Achievement Awards

- The Hirshhorn Museum
- National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial

American Association of Nurserymen, National Landscape Award, 1986, National Geographic Society

American Society of Landscape Architects

- Merit Award, 1996, Tree Research

Maryland Chapter of the ASLA;

- Award, 1985, National Geographic Society
- Merit Award, 1983, The Darnestown School
- Honor Award, 1991, Action Hall

Landscape Contractors Association / MD DC VA.;

- Grand Award, 1992, National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial,
- Heritage Award, 1991, Jefferson Court
- Grand Award, 1986, National Geographic Society