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MICHAEL MALTZAN RECEIVES 2016 AIA LOS ANGELES GOLD MEDAL



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Los Angeles, October 25, 2016 -- Michael Maltzan, FAIA, has been named the 2016 Gold Medal Presidential Honoree by the AIA Los Angeles. Conferred by the AIA|LA Board of Directors, the Presidential Honors Program recognizes architects and individuals for their passion, talent, and undeniable contribution to Los Angeles. The Gold Medal is the chapter's highest honor and recognizes the long-term contributions and lasting impact of an individual architect.

Maltzan joined a highly distinguished group of past Gold Medal winners and an outstanding group of 2016 Presidential Honorees. This year's AIA | LA honorees were recognized at the AIA|LA's annual awards celebration on October 24, 2016 in Los Angeles.

Michael Maltzan founded Michael Maltzan Architecture, Inc. in Los Angeles in 1995. Through a deep belief in architecture's role in our cities and landscapes, he has succeeded in creating new formal, cultural, and social connections across a range of scales and programs. Michael received an M. Arch from the Graduate School of Design, Harvard University, and BFA and B. Arch degrees from the Rhode Island School of Design. His award-winning projects have been published and exhibited internationally. Michael is a Fellow of the American Institute of Architects and a recipient of the American Academy of Arts and Letters Architecture Award. He served as a Director on the Board of the Los Angeles chapter of the AIA in 2003.

The American Institute of Architects Los Angeles (AIA|LA) is a not-for-profit organization dedicated to serving the interests of the local Los Angeles architecture and design community. The AIA|LA is one of the top three largest and most active AIA chapters in the United States with members that are consistently recognized with prestigious national and international awards. In addition to advocating on behalf of the profession, the organization hosts tours, talks, events, and award programs that celebrate excellence in design and enrich understanding of the built environment. Its programs and initiatives serve as models for the association as a whole.

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