



## DECLARATION PAGE

This form must be completed in its entirety and submitted with the project submission online in order to be considered for a design award. You can complete this form electronically and upload during the online submission process using the design awards platform Open Water. Additionally, the form can be found on our design awards web-page as well as in the Open Water program. This form is not required for the Student Submission or Photography Submission categories.

- If you cannot answer 'Yes' to the Intern Declaration Policy, you are not eligible to submit for this awards program
- If you cannot sign-off on the AIA Code of Ethics and Professional Conduct statements, you are not eligible to submit for this awards program

Please contact AIA Cleveland Executive Director, Patty Lampert, at [director@aialeveland.com](mailto:director@aialeveland.com) should you have any questions concerning the Intern Declaration Policy or the AIA Code of Ethics and Professional Conduct statements.

Please list your firm name as the submitting architect associated with this project and respond to the statements below.

Submitting Architecture Firm Name: \_\_\_\_\_

The Entrant and all architecture firms involved in the project agree that the information and/or materials being submitted are complete and accurate.

☐ Yes

### Intern Declaration:

☐ I affirm that I do not have unpaid intern architects, including working students, and neither does any firm of which I am an owner or manager.

### Code of Ethics and Professional Conduct:

The AIA stands for universal respect for human dignity, and the unbiased treatment of all persons in employment, civic, and business transactions regardless of race, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity, physical abilities, or religious practices.

☐ I affirm that I uphold this value in all of my business practices.

The Rules of Conduct of the AIA Code of Ethics are mandatory for all AIA members and enforceable by the National Ethics Council. To review the AIA Code of Ethics in its entirety, please visit, [www.aia.org](http://www.aia.org)

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| Rule 1.401 - | Members shall not engage in harassment or discrimination in their professional activities on the basis of race, religion, national origin, age, disability, caregiver status, gender, gender identity, or sexual orientation. |
| Rule 1.402 - | Members shall not engage in conduct involving wanton disregard of the rights of others.   |
| Rule 2.104 - | Members shall not engage in conduct involving fraud.  |

☐ I affirm that I abide by Rules 1.401, 1.402, and 2.104 of the 2020 AIA Code of Ethics as it relates to the submission into the 2021 AIA Cleveland Design Awards program.