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A newsletter for NCARB-certified architects

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FEATURE STORY

Architect Spotlight: Dena Prastos »

New York architect Dena Prastos shares her passion for waterfront infrastructure and resiliency, as well as the challenges she's overcome throughout her career.

BLOG



Get Help on the Path to Becoming an Architect with a Licensing Advisor »

Learn how to connect with your local architect licensing advisor to find the best tools and resources for navigating the path to licensure.



Christine Snetter-Dick's Journey Through the Field of Architecture »

From West Africa to Virginia, Christine Snetter-Dick shares inspiration and insight from the architecture field.



Women in Architecture Share Their Challenges and Inspirations »

Read about six architects' greatest inspirations, how they overcame career challenges, and their advice for women in the field.



Reimagining Educational Environments Amid Covid-19 »

A Nashville firm designed sustainable outdoor classrooms with students' wellbeing in mind.

CODE COMPLIANCE TECHNOLOGY SURVEY



NCARB is investigating how code content provided through technology plugins in design programs, APIs, apps, and other workflow tools might assist architects in their work.

Share your thoughts by completing our quick survey [here](#).

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



Are you interested in shaping the regulation of architecture? By serving on your local licensing board, you can impact the future of your profession.

The following boards are seeking volunteer architects, educators, land surveyors, and public members: Colorado, Illinois, Maine, Michigan, Minnesota, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Wisconsin.

[Get involved »](#)

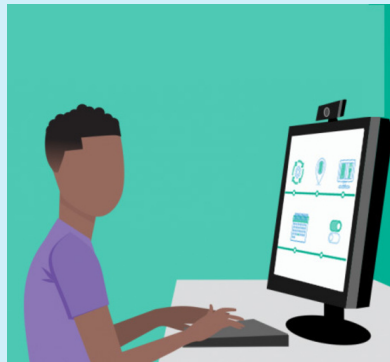
Contact council-relations@ncarb.org for more information or questions.

FREE CONTINUING EDUCATION



Designing to Model Nature: Applying the Concepts of Biomimicry »

Earn 1.25 LU in HSW as you learn about the principles of biomimicry needed to solve sustainability issues and other design problems.



SUPERVISOR'S CORNER

PSI Migration Update and Additional Rolling Clock Extension »

Read about the latest update on the timeline to PSI, an additional rolling clock extension, and our [list of essential online testing reminders](#) for candidates.



Take Advantage of NCARB's Free CE Courses for AXP Supervisors »

Earn HSW CE credit by taking our new supervisor training Continuum Education courses.



Do's and Don'ts for Taking ARE 5.0 Online »

Help your candidates prepare for their online-proctored ARE appointment by sharing our latest guide and video, filled with helpful do's and don'ts.

NCARB Releases ARE 5.0 Guidelines Updates and 2020 Pass Rates »

Learn about minor updates made to the *ARE Guidelines*, progress with tech issues, and 2020 exam pass rates.



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