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BOARD MEETINGS:

August 8, 2018
 November 7, 2018

BOARD MEMBERS:

Marzette Fisher, Chair
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 Daniel D. Bennett, Member
 Courtney C. Brett, Member
 Nolanda J. Hatcher, Member
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Governor Ivey Appoints Nolanda Hatcher

Governor Ivey has appointed Nolanda Hatcher from the North Central District to the Board of Architects. Ms. Hatcher is a native of Birmingham, Alabama. She received her Bachelor of Architecture degree from the University of Notre Dame. She also received her Juris Doctor degree from Cumberland School of Law Samford University. After completing law school and returning to practice architecture in 1997, Nolanda established NHB Group, LLC, a full service design firm, in 2002. In 2015, NHB Group, LLC merged with Hoskins Architecture to create the Studio 2H Design, LLC located in downtown Birmingham, AL.



Her proudest accomplishment is her role as mother to daughter Jamese Bearden (26) and son Nickolas Bearden (12). Ms. Hatcher also enjoys golfing, biking, traveling, good food and outings with friends and family.



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The following received their initial registration in Alabama from January 20, 2018 to July 20, 2018:

- Cody Smith—Seay, Seay & Litchfield, P.C.—Montgomery, AL**
- Allison Chang—Homewood, AL**
- Elliot Brown—Birmingham, AL**
- Audra Herriges—Franklin, TN**
- Kelly Lewis—Built by Design—Gardendale, AL**
- Steven Daniel Taylor, II—Birmingham, AL**
- Matthew Smith—Birmingham, AL**
- Justin Thompson—Joppa, AL**
- Christine Eldahaby—Antioch, TN**
- Stacy Kelly Peirce—Atlanta, GA**
- Elizabeth Bennett—Madison, AL**
- Meghan Ballard—BLOX, LLC—Bessemer, AL**
- Emily Bullard-McClellan—KPS Group—Birmingham, AL**
- Peter McInish—New York, NY**
- Michael Shows—Chambless King Architects—Montgomery, AL**
- Kimberly Edwards—Birchfield Penuel & Associates, LLC—Birmingham, AL**
- Lori Fine Baden—Gainesville, GA**
- Michael Braden—Christopher Architecture and Interiors—Homewood, AL**
- Samantha Rambo—Chapman Sisson Architects—Huntsville, AL**
- Cody McKean—McKean & Associates Architects, LLC—Montgomery, AL**

Registration Statistics

<u>Resident Architects</u>		<u>Non-Resident Architects</u>		<u>Certificate of Authorizations Issued</u>	
Active:	849	Active:	2031	Alabama Firms:	299
Emeritus:	<u>73</u>	Emeritus:	<u>16</u>	Non-Alabama Firms:	<u>791</u>
Total:	922	Total:	2047	Total:	1090

Building Officials Are Verifying Firm's COA

Does your firm have a COA? Your firm will need to have an active Certificate of Authorization on file with the BOA to use its title block. Building Officials have been asking for the COA numbers and verifying that the COA is active. If you have any questions about COAs, please contact Debbie Whitman at (334) 242-4179 or at Debbie.whitman@boa.alabama.gov.

EXAM STATISTICS

<u>Total 4.0 Divisions Taken 4/1/2018—6/30/2018</u>		<u>64</u>	
<u>Total ARE 4.0 Divisions Passed</u>		<u>Total ARE 4.0 Divisions Failed</u>	
	<u>40</u>		<u>24</u>
Building Design	2	Building Design	1
Building Systems	6	Building Systems	2
Prog., Planning & Practice	15	Prog., Planning & Practice	11
Construction Documents	9	Construction Documents	2
Structural Systems	2	Structural Systems	5
Site Planning & Design	5	Site Planning & Design	3
Schematic Design	1	Schematic Design	0
<u>Total 5.0 Divisions Taken 4/1/2018—6/30/2018</u>		<u>53</u>	
<u>Total ARE 5.0 Divisions Passed</u>		<u>Total ARE 5.0 Divisions Failed</u>	
	<u>25</u>		<u>28</u>
Project Planning & Des.	7	Project Planning & Des.	10
Programming & Analysis	2	Programming & Analysis	2
Project Dev./Doc.	5	Project Dev./Doc.	3
Project Management	3	Project Management	7
Practice Management	5	Practice Management	1
Construction & Evaluation	3	Construction & Evaluation	5

Disciplinary Notices

Dale Appleby (BOA CASE#18004), failed to disclose disciplinary action in another jurisdiction upon renewal. Appleby signed a settlement agreement and paid a \$1,000.00 fine.

Abhay Pradhan (BOA CASE#18003), failed to disclose disciplinary action in another jurisdiction upon filing for reinstatement. Pradhan signed a settlement agreement and paid a \$1,000.00 fine.

Paul Mussman (BOA CASE#18009), practiced architecture prior to being registered. Mussman signed a settlement agreement and paid a \$500.00 fine.

[ARE 4.0 Retires—Important Reminders From NCARB](#)

- ARE 4.0 candidates will need to log into their NCARB Record and click on their Exams tab to receive their eligibilities in ARE 5.0. This process will automatically calculate their appropriate credits in ARE 5.0 based on the divisions they had passed in ARE 4.0.
- Candidates with approved testing accommodations must contact NCARB customer service to transition to ARE 5.0. These candidates will see a message on their Exams tab instructing them to contact us. There are some coding changes in the technology between versions, so customer service must work with each candidate to ensure their accommodations are properly applied to ARE 5.0.
- Any candidate that has expired eligibilities in ARE 4.0 and now wants to start testing in ARE 5.0 will also need to contact NCARB customer service to be transitioned. These candidates will see a message on their Exams tab instructing them to contact us. NCARB must reactivate the candidate in the system and provide them temporary eligibilities for the purposes of transitioning only. The candidate will be transitioned to ARE 5.0 but they will be instructed to contact your office to have new ARE 5.0 eligibilities opened as appropriate if they continue to meet your Board's requirements.

BOA's Annual Luncheon with the Alabama Board for Engineers and Land Surveyors

In May 2018, the Alabama Board for Engineers and Land Surveyors hosted the BOA for a luncheon. It was a great event to discuss relevant issues. Pictured Right—BELS Members Nathan Johnson and Frazier Christy, BOA Member Dan Bennett, and BELS Legal Counsel Ben Albritton. Pictured Below Left—Speaking with BELS Chair Liz Hyde are BOA Chair Marzette Fisher and BOA Members Jim Seay and Courtney Brett. Pictured Below Right—BOA Legal Counsel Mary Goldthwaite and BELS Member Helen Adams-Morales.



Quotable Quote

Architecture is a visual art, and the buildings speak for themselves — Julia Morgan