

Greg L. Roberts, FCSI

“For your efforts to educate others about the value of environmental stewardship; for your dedicated promotion of CSI to students through the professional and academic communities; and for your service to the Institute as a “master of collaboration” resulting in increased recognition and respect for CSI within Houston’s construction community, you are advanced to Fellowship in the Institute on the 22nd day of April 2005.”
Chicago, Illinois



GREG L. ROBERTS understands environmental stewardship as a systemic endeavor. In his professional practice and volunteer initiatives, Roberts has combined his passion for a healthy, sustainable environment with his expertise in architectural specifications to shape “green” building programs.

Roberts’ respect for the land and sustainable lifestyle is rooted in his farm family heritage and reinforced by his early naturalist experience in the hills of Arkansas. As a student at the University of Arkansas, under the tutelage of his professors including E. Faye Jones, FAIA, he learned the value of designing “organically” with the environment, and of the importance of resource efficiency. His holistic view of architecture led him to specification writing, which not only requires an appreciation of design and the value of quality but also demands a deep understanding of construction practices and technical issues of codes, materials and systems.

Roberts’ leadership in development of sustainability standards, particularly the pioneering guidelines for the healthcare industry, has had a profound impact on the design and construction activities in healthcare worldwide. Among

his most influential contributions are -- serving on the Steering Committee of the “Green Guide for Health Care” and the Core Committee of the LEED™ for Healthcare, two national initiatives that recognizes the profound impact of the built environment on the health of occupants, local communities, and global ecology and encourages design strategies that enhance the healing environment for patients, healthy and productive work environments for staff, and responsible ecological stewardship.

Articulate and respected, Roberts influences architecture education and practices across the country through his writing and speaking.

Today, Roberts is a leader in the national transformation to incorporate sustainable principles as an integral part of architectural practice. He is making a critical difference in the profession by developing green building standards for healthcare architecture, and by rallying his peers, architectural students and healthcare facilities professionals across the country to embrace sustainable, health-based design.

CSI Membership

Houston Chapter, 1978-1985
Houston Chapter, 1994 to present

Institute Offices, Committees

Member, Environmental Task Team, 2001-2004

Region Offices, Committees

Chair, Education Committee, 2003-2004

Chapter Offices, Committees

Director, CSI Houston Foundation, 2004-2007
Immediate Past President, 2003-2004
Chair, Nominating Committee, 2003
President, 2002-2003
President Elect, 2001-2002
Director, 1998-2001
Chair, Continuing Education/Tech. Committee, 2001-2002
Chair, Technical Committee, 1999-2000
Chair, Education Committee, 1978-1979

Awards

Institute

Outstanding Chapter President Award, 2003
Certificate of Merit and Appreciation, 2003

South Central Region

Certificate of Appreciation, Education Committee, 2004
Certificate of Commendation, Chapter President, 2003
Award for Special Publications, 2003

Houston Chapter

Hall of Fame, 2007
Environmental Award, 2003, 2004
Education Award, 2007, 2008
President’s Gavel, 2003
Chapter Presidential Citation, 2000, 2002, 2004
Certificate of Appreciation - Chapter Director, 1999, 2001
Certificate of Appreciation – Committee Service, 1999

Other

Fellow American Institute of Architects, 2009