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The New Jersey Coalition for Interior Design Legislation (NJCIDL) is a not-for-profit organization committed to advancing the profession of interior design in New Jersey and to protecting the Public's Health, Safety and Welfare through interior design.

Your member contribution of only \$50.00 is invaluable to continuing our work.



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Mission Statement

Committed...
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through INTERIOR DESIGN

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS IN 2013

Tiffany Caporale
Nicole Cozza
Taryn De los Reyes
Sheree Goodman
Gary Kliesch
Brooke Morales
Renee Parenteau
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Noel Pugh
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the President's message

you goes out to Barbara Schoenfeld for her service as our past president. Please see the website for a complete listing of Coalition past presidents.

A special congratulations to Erin Jimenez for her success with the NCIDQ exam, which she passed recently.

The New Jersey Coalition for Interior Design Legislation (NJCIDL) or "Coalition" for short, has, over the last twenty-one years, with the help of very dedicated volunteers, accomplished the long awaited status of Certified Interior Designer which we finally received in 2002.

I am looking forward to the upcoming busy year; and everyone working together. Some examples of what is to come....

- The Coalition is dedicated to increasing the number of certificate holders in our State by encouraging both emerging and long time professional interior designers to pass the NCIDQ exam through small study groups and our yearly "Workshop" at a local campus every August.
- We participate in the quarterly national teleconferences with Coalitions in other states. On these calls, we learn about the issues affecting Interior Designers across the country.
- We will continue our efforts to encourage all members, who meet the criteria of education, experience, and examination to become certified. Since 2007 we have continued to provide serious study with the .6 HSW CEU's to update and educate interior designer's knowledge.
- Each year when the Legislative Symposium is offered by ASID, we subsidize two Coalition members to attend the Symposium in an effort to inform future leaders of the Coalition on legislative issues that affect the interior design profession.
- I am proud to say, we are continuing communication with our membership and others through our website (www.njcidl.org) and our newsletter.
- We will nurture relationships with other related organizations and watch for and report on issues that affect our ability to protect the health, safety and welfare of the public we serve.

I am always interested in hearing from our members. Please feel free to contact us at: administrator@njcidl.org; with your thoughts.

Sincerely,

Diane Evans, President NJCIDL
ASID, IIDA, NJCID #00382, LEED AP ID+C

THE MARK OF A PROFESSIONAL: NCIDQ

More than 29,000 individuals around the world have earned the prestigious NCIDQ Certificate, the Mark of a Professional for interior designers. It is not enough for a provider of interior design services to understand just the aesthetics.

Earning an NCIDQ certificate is an important milestone for any interior designer. In today's increasingly competitive marketplace, an NCIDQ Certificate demonstrates that you are uniquely qualified through education, experience and examination to competently practice interior design. NCIDQ certificate holders have completed a minimum of six years specialized education and experience and passed a rigorous, two day examination based on NCIDQ's independent, comprehensive analysis of the profession and the daily practice of interior designers in a range of settings.

SHOWCASE YOUR CREDENTIAL

Now active NCIDQ certificate holders will be able to utilize NCIDQ as an appellation after

1. Completing the appellation application
2. Agree to terms and conditions and the code of ethics
3. Agree to take .6 CEU credits each year.

PROFESSIONAL LEVEL MEMBERSHIP in ASID, IIDA, and the INTERIOR DESIGNERS OF CANADA

All require an NCIDQ certificate.
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NJCIDL Continues to Offer CEUs for NJ-CID's

Part of The New Jersey Coalition for Interior Design Legislation's mission is to provide an annual quality HSW CEU to meet the State's requirements for New Jersey Certified Interior Designers. For the past few years, The Coalition has offered a series of CEUs from a variety of notable speakers that meet the State's .06 HSW (Health, Safety, and Welfare) requirements for New Jersey Certified Interior Designers and provide quality information for all designers. The Coalition welcomes all designers and architects to attend.

On October 12 the Coalition is presenting a .06 CEU on the **New Directions of Design for the Aging** by speaker Jane Rohde, AIA, FilDA, ACHA, AAHID, an international senior living designer. With more than 20 years experience designing for and studying the needs of the senior population, Jane was recently awarded the prestigious nomination as one of "2013 Leaders of Tomorrow" by Long Term Living magazine. She is the principal of JSR Associates in Ellicott City, Maryland, a design firm that designs

and manages senior living developments on the principles of evidence-based research, sustainable design, and resident centered programming. She uses research methods such as focus groups and post-occupancy reviews to continually improve future development. Interior designers throughout the State, whether certified or not, will be challenged to think beyond their current practices and will benefit from current and new information on the subject.

CID's REQUIRES
0.6
CEUs IN
2 YEARS

Your suggestions for other notable speakers or subjects for future CEUs are welcome from all of you who wish to develop a wider knowledge base to enhance your practice. In the meantime, please join us for a day of stimulating information on October 12th.

Watch your e-mail and check the www.NJCIDL.org website for upcoming CEU presentations sponsored by NJCIDL that will continue to fulfill the NJ Interior Design certification requirement for Health Safety and Welfare and will provide current and inspiring information for all interior designers and architects.

Saturday Session 1 9:00am – 3:00pm	Sunday Session 2 9:00am – 3:00pm	Wednesday Session 3 6:00pm – 9:30pm	Saturday Session 4 9:00am-3:00pm
6 hours Space Planning •Codes Overview for Space Planning ½ hr •Space Planning Techniques ½ Space Planning 3 ½ hr •Test Approaches •Space Planning Timed Exercise Review Solutions 1 hr	6 hours Codes –Egress 2 hr •Timed Exercise •Review Solutions Life Safety 1 ¾ hr •Wall Schedules •Hardware & •Life Safety Equipment •Review Solution ADA Bathrooms 1 ¾ hr •Fixture Count •Floor Plans and Elevations •Review Solutions	3 1/2 hours Space Planning 3 hr •Test Approaches •Planning Timed Exercise Review Solutions ½ hr	6 hours Systems Integration •2 hr Exercise HVAC/Lighting •Review Solutions Millwork and Wood Types 2 hr Exercise •Section Details & Elevations •Review Solutions Lighting & Electric Exercise 1 ½ hr •Review Solutions

Improved Format
"A-La-Carte"
Program

WORKSHOP STUDY GROUP AUGUST 2013

Once again the Coalition has completed another successful Workshop Study Group. We have changed our format to an "a la carte" program allowing participants to choose which portions of the practicum they need most and to select the days they want to attend, paying for only those sessions attended.

Watch for "SAVE THE DATE" notices through your interior design organizations and membership in the New Jersey Coalition for Interior Design Legislation (NJCIDL) for the next Workshop.

The four day session includes the entire seven sections of the

practicum portion of the exam with emphasis on exercises that include actual exams. For the FX and PX multiple choice portion of the exam, which can be studied independently, we are providing participants of the full four day Workshop with study information and a suggested text book. Many of the multiple choice questions will also be addressed in the practicum exam exercises.

The Coalition is planning on future Workshop Study Groups twice a year, in January and August, to coordinate with the NCIDQ Exam schedule in April and October.

We welcome all interior designers and architects who

are interested in obtaining the professional status and appellation of a National Interior Design Credential that is a direct path to Interior Design Certification in the State of New Jersey, by passing the NCIDQ Exam.

Please consult the www.NCIDQ.org website for the two step process which takes several weeks. It includes 1) an evaluation of an applicant's credentials to take the exam and 2) once approved, applicants pay the fee to take the exam. The Coalition encourages each applicant to contact NCIDQ early to complete the application process.

EYE ON IT Legislation

We are not alone in advocating legislation for interior designers to become licensed, registered or certified. Statistics from ASID and IIDA websites indicate that 41 states have coalitions for interior design legislation who are actively involved in working to obtain legislative recognition that interior design is a profession and monitoring the interior design acts that are currently in place. Twenty nine (29) of those coalitions, including Washington D.C., currently have title, or licensing acts. In New Jersey interior designers are part of The New Jersey State Board of Architects regulating and approving applicants registering for our title act to become a certified interior designer. The NJCIDL continues to work diligently to insure our interior designers in New Jersey continue to practice as certified interior designers.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Please visit the



New Jersey Coalition for Interior Design Legislation website for information about NJCIDL and upcoming events at www.njcidl.org.

SHOWCASE YOUR CREDENTIAL (continued from page 2)

Beginning July 15, 2013 Active NCIDQ Certificate Holders will now be able to utilize NCIDQ as an appellation after completing the "NCIDQ Appellation Application" in their MyNCIDQ account. Certificate Holders will be asked to agree to Terms and Conditions that include a Code of Ethics and agreeing to random annual audits to confirm they reached the minimum of 0.6 CEU credits each year.

Correct Usage for Active NCIDQ Certificate Holders once they have completed the online agreement:

Your Name, NCIDQ
or
Your Name, (NCIDQ LOGO)

Incorrect Usage:
Your Name, NCIDQ-Certified

Correct Usage for Inactive NCIDQ Certificate Holders:

Your Name, NCIDQ® Certificate Number 000000
or
Your Name NCIDQ® Certificate No. 000000

To continue receiving the Appellation benefit, Certificate Holders must continue to renew their certificate. Otherwise, they become an Inactive NCIDQ Certificate Holder and may no longer utilize the appellation. Inactive Certificate Holders must use the longer version of showcasing their credential, as shown in the last example above.

The corporate name of the "National Council for Interior Design Qualification" (NCIDQ) has changed to "Council for Interior Design Qualification" with the initials "CIDQ." Active NCIDQ Certificate holders can soon download the CIDQ logo from the NCIDQ website and use it on promotional materials.