



Strategic Plan

Introduction

The Bronx Chapter over the months of September to November held a series of meetings to review its' Strategic Plan to explore, expanding/modifying the short and long-term activities of the Chapter. All Members then adopted the plan at its' November 2025 meeting that basically reinforced its two prior plans, the first in July 2017 and second Strategic Plan, developed in July 2022. This is the third effort to follow up on and expanding on the activities previously agreed to.

The Strategy Plan

1. Tours - The Chapter will again sign an MOU with the Bronx County Historical Society to regularly sponsor tours of Bronx Buildings, Neighborhoods and Historic sites to originate CEU credits. In addition, even though it is not now a requirement for accreditation, the Chapter will continue with an MOU with AIA Westchester + Hudson Valley to jointly provide additional CEU credits not directly provided by the Chapter.
2. Architectural Registration Examination (ARE)
We will build on our relationships with adjacent AIA chapters to coordinate our efforts with theirs to assist in ARE studying and to create/coordinate study groups for Associate members.
3. Committees
The education and awards committee have successfully worked with CCNY's Architectural School and the other Architectural schools within the NYC region to expand chapter involvement to better respond to Bronx chapter professional interests in improving community involvement in architectural education as well as neighborhood issues.
4. AIA functions/representation
The Chapter will support and expanding links with the AIA State as well as with adjacent AIA chapters social and lobbying efforts.
4. Retention and Recruitment
The Chapter will reach out to every member of the Chapter, other AIA Members and/or former AIA Members, to encourage their participation. They will be invited to a series of events over the next year.
6. New Members
New members are always recognized in our newsletters and meetings as we learn of their appointments. This was reinforced since the last Strategy Plan in 2022 and will include efforts to expand chapter activities supporting Woman and Emerging Architectural Professionals.

Conclusion

The Bronx Chapters strategic plan will continue to;
assure that the practice of architecture and Bronx Chapter activities are understood and appreciated by as many people as possible within the profession and Bronx County citizenry.