



City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: <i>AJ Taaca</i>		
Board/Commission Name: <i>East Design Review Board</i>		Position Title: <i>E Board, Design</i>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appointment <i>OR</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Reappointment		Council Confirmation required? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Appointing Authority: <input type="checkbox"/> Council <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <i>Fill in appointing authority</i>	Date Appointed: 3/8/2018	Term of Position: * 4/4/2017 to 4/3/2019 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Serving remaining term of a vacant position</i>
Residential Neighborhood: <i>Capitol Hill</i>	Zip Code: <i>98122</i>	Contact Phone No.: [REDACTED]
Background: Mr. Taaca is an Architect and project designer at HOK where his experience spans a wide range of project types including aviation, civic, institutional, commercial, technology and justice. Previously he was a design architect at Perkins+Will and contributed to the design of the Burke-Gilman Trail and Life Sciences Building at the University of Washington. He holds a Master of Architecture degree from the University of Washington and a Bachelor of Architecture from the University of Nevada. He also has professional experience in landscape architecture and finds inspiration in the landscape of his native Hawaii. Mr. Taaca lives in Capitol Hill.		
Authorizing Signature (original signature): 		Appointing Signatory: <i>Jenny A. Durkan</i> <i>Mayor of Seattle</i>

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*Term begin and end date is fixed and tied to the position and not the appointment date.



AJ TAACA AIA

An imaginative, free-spirited designer & architect from the Islands of Hawaii

EDUCATION

Master of Architecture
University of Washington
Seattle, Washington; 2011

Bachelor of Science, Architecture
University of Nevada
Las Vegas, Nevada; 2009

EXPERIENCE

HOK | Project Designer

Seattle, Washington; Nov 2015 - Present

Project Experience

- Architecture - Aviation, Civic, Institutional, Corporate Commercial, Science & Technology, Justice

Key Projects

- Concourse D Hardstand - Seattle Tacoma International Airport
- SF Forensics & Traffic Company - City of San Francisco
- Children & Family Justice Center - King County
- WSU Tri-Cities Academic Building - Washington State University

Perkins+Will | Design Architect

Seattle, Washington; Mar 2014 - Nov 2015

Project Experience

- Architecture - Higher Education, Science & Technology, Landscape Design

Key Projects

- Life Sciences Building - University of Washington
- Burke-Gilman Trail - University of Washington
- Plaza of Champions - University of Washington

Gustafson Guthrie Nichol (GGN) | Project Designer

Seattle, Washington; May 2012 - Mar 2014

Project Experience

- Landscape Architecture, Urban Plazas, Public Gardens, Streetscape Design, Master Planning, Residential Landscape Architecture

Key Projects

- The Plaza at Brookfield Place - Brookfield Calgary

The Portico Group | Architectural Designer

Seattle, Washington; August 2010 - May 2012

Project Experience

- Architecture & Landscape Architecture Museums, Visitor Centers, Zoos, Aquariums

UNLV Planning & Construction | Architectural Intern

Las Vegas, Nevada; September 2008 - May 2009

Friedmutter Group | Junior Designer

Las Vegas, Nevada; March 2007 - September 2008

Tate Snyder Kimsey Architects | Intern

Las Vegas, Nevada; July 2005 - October 2005

Seattle Design Review Boards - March 2018

36 Design Review Board Members: Pursuant to SMC 23.41.008, *all* members are subject to City Council confirmation, *two*-year terms that may be re-appointed to a second term:

- **11** City Council-appointed
- **11** Mayor-appointed
- **14** Joint Mayor and Council appointed
- **1** Mayor Appointed per SMC 3.51 (Get Engaged)

Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
1	F	7	1.	Local Residential, DT	Leong, Grace	4/4/2017	4/3/2019	2	Mayor/Council
6	F		2.	Local Community, NE	Haima, Katy	4/4/2017	4/3/2019	1	Mayor
6	M		3.	Development, SW	Rosenstock, Scott	4/4/2018	4/3/2020	1	Mayor
1	M	7	4.	Business/Landscape, W	Nishiwaki, Homero	4/4/2017	4/3/2019	2	Mayor/Council
4	F	1	5.	Local Residential, SW	Loya, Crystal	4/4/2017	4/3/2019	1	Mayor
6	F		6.	Business/Landscape, E	Anderson, Betsy	4/4/2018	4/3/2020	1	Mayor/Council
9	M		7.	Local Community, SE	Colley, Chris	4/4/2018	4/3/2020	2	Mayor
9	M		8.	Development, SE	Small, Jhomar	4/4/2018	4/3/2020	1	Council
6	F	6	9.	Local Community, NW	McNichols, Emily	4/4/2018	4/3/2020	2	Council
6	M	6	10.	Local Business, NW	Bell, Chris	4/4/2017	4/3/2019	2	Mayor/Council
9	M		11.	Design Professional, E	Taaca, AJ	4/4/2017	4/3/2019	1	Mayor
6	M		12.	Development, NW	Campbell, Andy	4/4/2018	4/3/2020	1	Mayor
6	M		13.	Business/Landscape, DT	Luoma, Aaron	4/4/2018	4/3/2020	1	Mayor/Council
6	M		14.	Development, E	Townsend, Alistair	4/4/2018	4/3/2020	1	Council
6	M	3	15.	Development, NE	Marría, James	4/4/2018	4/3/2020	2	Council
1	M		16.	Local Community, SW	Cheng, John	4/4/2018	4/3/2020	1	Council
6	M		17.	Design Professional, NE	Rusler, Dan	4/4/2018	4/3/2020	1	Council
6	M	1	18.	Design Professional, W	Walters, Brian	4/4/2017	4/3/2019	1	Council
6	M		19.	Local Community, W	Morefield, John	4/4/2018	4/3/2020	1	Mayor
6	F	6	20.	Development, DT	Bail, Belinda	4/4/2017	4/3/2019	1	Council
6	M		21.	Business/Landscape, SW	Hutchins, Matt	4/4/2017	4/3/2019	1	Mayor/Council
6	F	2	22.	Design Professional, SE	Dagliano Holmes, Carey	4/4/2017	4/3/2019	2	Council
6	M	4	23.	Design Professional, NW	Walzak, Keith	4/4/2017	4/3/2019	2	Mayor

6	M	3	24.	Local Community, E	Haas, Andrew	4/4/2017	4/3/2019	1	Council
6	F		25.	Local Residential, NW	Rock, Lauren	4/4/2018	4/3/2020	1	Mayor/Council
6	M	7	26.	Community, DT	Calvert, Bradley	4/4/2018	4/3/2020	2	Mayor
6	M	6	27.	Development, W	Porter, Stephen	4/4/2017	4/3/2019	1	Mayor
1	F	4	28.	Local Residential, NE	Jeerage, Anita	4/4/2017	4/3/2019	1	Mayor/Council
6	M		29.	Design Professional, DT	Palushock, Ed	4/4/2018	4/3/2020	1	Mayor
6	M	1	30.	Design Professional, SW	Caffrey, Donald	4/4/2017	4/3/2019	2	Mayor/Council
6	M		31.	Business/Landscape, SE	Bader, David	4/4/2018	4/3/2020	1	Mayor/Council
6	F	7	32.	Local Residential, W	Martin, Patreese	4/4/2017	4/3/2019	1	Mayor/Council
6	F	3	33.	Local Residential, E	Alexander, Melissa	4/4/3017	4/3/2019	1	Mayor/Council
3	M	2	34	Local Residential, SE	Romero, Charles	4/4/2017	4/3/2019	2	Mayor/Council
6	M		35.	Business/Landscape, NE	Bishop, Brian	4/4/2018	4/3/2020	1	Mayor/Council
2	M	7	36.	Get Engaged, DT	Argyle, Aaron	9/2/2017	9/1/2018		Mayor (SMC 3.51)

New Appointments

Re-appointments

Shifting Roles (NE Board – Brian Bishop into Business/Landscape position for new term)

SELF-IDENTIFIED DIVERSITY CHART					(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
	Men	Women	Transgender	Unknown	Asian	Black/African American	Hispanic/Latino	American Indian/Alaska Native	Other	Caucasian/Non-Hispanic	Pacific Islander	Middle Eastern	Multiracial
Mayor	10	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	8	0	0	2
Council	7	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	1
Joint	8	6	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	10	0	0	0
Total	25	11	0	0	4	1	1	1	0	26	0	0	3

Key:

***D** List the corresponding *Diversity Chart* number (1 through 9)

****G** List *gender*, **M** = Male, **F**= Female, **T**= Transgender, **U**= Unknown

RD Residential Council District number 1 through 7 or N/A

Diversity information is self-identified and is voluntary.