




City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: <i>Christina Orr-Cahall</i>		
Board/Commission Name: <i>East Design Review Board</i>		Position Title: <i>E Board, Community</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Appointment OR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reappointment		Council Confirmation required? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Appointing Authority: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Council <input type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input type="checkbox"/> Other:		Term of Office: Second Term <i>Term start date 4/4/15 Term end date 4/3/17</i>
Residential Neighborhood: <i>First Hill</i>	Zip Code: <i>98104</i>	Contact Phone No.: <i>n/a</i>
Legislated Authority: <i>SMC 23.41.008</i>		
Background: Christina holds a PhD degree in architectural history from Yale University and pursued a career as the CEO/Executive Director of museums across the country, including the Oakland Museum, the Cocoran Gallery and College of Art in Washington DC, and the Norton Museum of Art in Florida. Most recently she served as CEO and Director at the EMP here in Seattle. At all of those museums she presented exhibitions related to architecture and urban design in the United States. Cristina has also been directly involved in the design and building process of two museum buildings, a library and two office buildings. While at EMP she spearheaded the greening of the iconic Frank Gehry building, saving considerable amounts of electricity and water. Cristina served on the Design Review Board for the City of San Luis Obispo, California during one of its greatest growth spurts and has held other numerous board positions over the years, including the Institute for Learning and Brain Sciences, the Institute of Museum and Library Services, the Florida Association of Museums, American Arts Alliance, and the Pilchuck School of Glass among others. Cristina resides in the First Hill neighborhood.		
Date of Appointment: <i>5/27/15</i>	Authorizing Signature (original signature): 	Appointing Signatory: <i>Mike O'Brien</i> <i>City Councilmember</i>

Christina Orr-Cahall

EMPLOYMENT

EMP Museum (<i>formerly Experience Music Project</i>), Seattle, Washington CEO and Director	2009-December 2012
Norton Museum of Art, West Palm Beach, Florida CEO	1990-2009
Corcoran Gallery and College of Art, Washington, DC CEO and President	1988-1990
Oakland Museum, Oakland, California Chief Curator of Art (Director, Art Division)	1981-1987
University of California, Berkeley, California Adjunct Faculty	1986-1987
California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo, California Special Assistant to the Dean of Arts and Humanities and Faculty Member, Art History and Director of University Gallery	1978-1981
California State University System, Long Beach, California Consultant to Chancellor's Collection	1978-1981
Norton Museum of Art, West Palm Beach, Florida Curator	1975-1977

EDUCATION

<i>Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut</i> Ph.D., History of Art Dissertation: "The Architecture and Decorative Arts of Addison Mizner"	1979
<i>Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut</i> M. Phil., History of Art	1975
<i>Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut</i> M.A., History of Art Thesis topic: The Lockwood-Mathews Mansion, Norwalk, Connecticut (Architecture of Detlef Lienau and the Mansion's Restoration)	1974
<i>Mount Holyoke College, South Hadley, Massachusetts</i> B.A., magna cum laude Honors thesis: The Social History of Wadham College, Oxford University, in Seventeenth Century England	1969

Additional coursework:

Stanford University School of Business, Executive Program, Non-Profit Leaders-Arts, Summer 2007
Management for Museums in Crisis (UC Berkeley Extension), 1987
Finance for Non-Profits (Stanford University/San Francisco Extension), 1986
Human Resource Regulations and Labor Relations, City of Oakland, 1985
Oxford University Fellowship, History Reader at Sommerville College, Oxford, England, 1968
Ecole Du Louvre, History of Art Reader in decorative arts, Paris, France, 1965-1966

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Institute for Learning and Brain Sciences (I-Labs), University of Washington, Seattle, Washington Advisory Board Member	2011-present
Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS), Washington, D.C. Board Member	2006-2012
Seattle Convention and Visitors Bureau, Seattle, Washington Board Member, Executive Committee Member 2012	2010-2012
Seattle Music Commission, Seattle, Washington Member	2011-2012
Friends of Flying Heritage Collection, Everett, Washington Board Member	2011-2012
KEXP Advisory Committee, Seattle Washington Member	2010-2012
American Association of Museums, Accreditation Committee, Washington, D.C. Reviewer	1996-2012
Association of Art Museum Directors, New York, New York Member	1984-present
Trustee (Chair, Government and Arts Committee)	1999-2001
Florida Association of Museums Board Member	2002-2009
American Arts Alliance Board Member	1999-2001
Pilchuck School of Glass, Seattle Washington Member, Board of Trustees	1997-2003
Florida Art Museum Directors Association Member	1990-2009
President	1996-1997
Strategic Planning for Culture in Florida, Division of Cultural Affairs Member (sole representative for art museums)	1998-1999
Governor's Committee on Eco-Tourism, State of Florida Member (sole arts member for development of guidelines and strategic plan for eco-heritage tourism in Florida)	1997-1998
Cultural Institutions Program, Division of Cultural Affairs, State of Florida (redesigned funding program for major cultural organizations in Florida) Member, Review Commission	1996-1998
Palm Beach County Committee for Master Plan for Culture, Palm Beach, Florida Palm Beach County Cultural Council (represented arts executives)	1991-1992

Major and Vital Organization Restructuring Committee, Division of Cultural Affairs, State of Florida Member	1991-1992
Archives of American Art, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C. Advisory Council Member	1986-1990
Djerassi Foundation (artists' colony), Woodside, California Board Member	1984-1988
Planning Committee for New Art Building, Mills College, Oakland, California Member	1984-1986
Planning Committee, Artists' Award Fund, San Francisco Foundation, San Francisco, California Member	1983-1985
Museum Computer Project, Art Museum Association, San Francisco, California Advisory Committee	1982-1984
City of San Luis Obispo, California Design Review Board	1979-1981
Served on many panels for NEA (National Endowment for the Arts), NEH (National Endowment for Humanities), IMLS (Institute of Museum and Library Services), GSA, District of Columbia Arts Council, including Chairman, Strategic Planning and Endowment Panel, 1997; Member, NEA Education Panel, 1994; NEA Challenge Grant Overview Panel, 1989, NEA Exhibition/Education Panel, 1986.	

AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- Outstanding Leadership in the Arts Award, Cultural Council of Palm Beach County, 2004
- Florida Innovator's Award in Museums, Florida Association of Museums, 1995
- Woodrow Wilson Fellow, Woodrow Wilson Center for Scholars, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C., 1990
- Distinguished Professor Award, California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo, California, 1981
- Garvan Fellowship in American Art, Yale University, 1975
- Djerassi Foundation Fellowship for study at Oxford University, 1968

Seattle Design Review Board 2015

36 Board members Total: Per SMC 23.41.008 all subject to City Council confirmation, two-year terms that may be reappointed to a subsequent term. The Get Engaged member serves a 1-year term and is appointed per SMC 3.51.

- 11 Appointed by City Council
- 11 Appointed by Mayor
- 14 Appointed by both City Council and Mayor
- 1 Appointed by Council per SMC 3.51 (Get Engaged)

D*	G	No.	Name	Appointed	Term Ends	Term #	Position	Appointed By	Board
1	F	1.	Leong, Grace	2015	4/3/2017	1	Local Residential	Mayor/Council	DT
6	F	2.	Begley, Ivana	2015	4/3/2017	2	Community	Mayor	NE
6	F	3.	Moravec, Alexandra	2014	4/3/2016	2	Development	Mayor	SW
1	M	4.	Nishiwaki, Homero	2015	4/3/2017	1	Local Business	Mayor/Council	W
6	M	5.	Bronk, Todd	2015	4/3/2017	2	Local Residential*	Mayor	SW
6	M	6.	Bigelow, Curtis	2014	4/3/2016	1	Local Business	Mayor/Council	E
6	M	7.	Sauvion, David	2014	4/3/2016	1	Community	Mayor	SE
6	M	8.	Hicks, Drew	2014	4/3/2016	1	Development	Council	SE
6	F	9.	Cecil, Ellen	2012	4/3/2016	2	Community	Council	NW
6	M	10.	Bell, Chris	2015	4/3/2017	1	Local Business	Mayor/Council	NW
6	F	11.	Buseti, Barbara	2015	4/3/2017	1	Design Professional	Mayor	E
6	M	12.	Angelillo, Marc	2014	4/3/2016	1	Development	Mayor	NW
1	F	13.	Grant, Anjali	2014	4/3/2016	1	Local Business	Mayor/Council	DT
3	F	14.	Gualy, Natalie	2015	4/3/2017	2	Development	Council	E
6	F	15.	Levitt, Julia	2014	4/3/2016	1	Development	Council	NE
6	M	16.	Zinski, Matt	2014	4/3/2016	1	Community	Council	SW

D*	G	No.	Name	Appointed	Term Ends	Term #	Position	Appointed By	Board
6	M	17.	Blank, Eric	2014	4/3/2016	1	Design Professional	Council	NE
6	F	18.	Idziorek, Katherine	2015	4/3/2017	2	Design Professional	Council	W
6	F	19.	Harrington, Christine	2014	4/3/2016	1	Community	Mayor	W
6	M	20.	McCullough, Murphy	2015	4/3/2017	2	Development	Council	DT
6	F	21.	McNamara, T. Frick	2015	4/3/2017	2	Local Business*	Mayor/Council	SW
6	F	22.	Dagliano-Holmes, Carey	2015	4/3/2017	1	Design Professional	Council	SE
6	M	23.	Walzak, Keith P.	2015	4/3/2017	1	Design Professional	Mayor	NW
6	F	24.	Orr-Cahall, Christina	2015	4/3/2017	2	Community	Council	E
6	M	25.	Kutzera, Dale	2014	4/3/2016	1	Local Residential	Mayor/Council	NW
6	M	26.	McWain, Alan	2014	4/3/2016	1	Community	Mayor	DT
6	M	27.	Pickrell, Robert Boyd	2015	4/3/2017	2	Development	Mayor	W
6	M	28.	Williams, Blake	2015	4/3/2017	1	Local Residential	Mayor/Council	NE
6	F	29.	Proksch, Gundula	2012	4/3/2016	2	Design Professional	Mayor	DT
6	M	30.	Caffrey, Donald A.	2015	4/3/2017	1	Design Professional	Mayor/Council	SW
6	M	31.	Weber, Julian R.	2014	4/3/2016	1	Local Business**	Mayor/Council	SE
6	F	32.	Stephenson, Janet	2015	4/3/2017	2	Local Residential	Mayor/Council	W
6	M	33.	Foltz, Dan	2013	4/3/2017	2	Local Residential	Mayor/Council	E
3	M	34.	Romero, Charles	2015	4/3/2017	1	Local Residential	Mayor/Council	SE
6	F	35.	Lenz, Laura A.	2015	4/3/2017	1	Local Business	Mayor/Council	NE

2	F	36.	Krystal Brun	2014	9/1/2015	1	Get Engaged	Council (SMC 3.51)	E
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*Shifting into different positions for their second term on the SW Board.

** Shifting into different position mid-term on the SE Board.

Diversity Chart:

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	Men	Women	Vacant	Minority	Asian-American	Black/African American	Hispanic/Latino	American Indian/Alaska Native	***Other	Caucasian/Non-Hispanic	Pacific Islander	Middle Eastern	Multiracial
Mayor	7	4	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	11	0	0	0
Council	4	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	9	0	0	0
Mayor/Council	8	6	0	4	3	0	1	0	0	10	0	0	0
Total	19	17	0	6	3	1	2	0	0	30	0	0	0

Key:

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

**G List *gender*, M or F

***Other Includes diversity in any of the following: *race, gender and/or ability*