

**City of Seattle
Notice of Appointment**

Name: <i>Michael Austin</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Executive Appointment <input type="checkbox"/> Legislative Appointment <input type="checkbox"/> Agency Appointment <input type="checkbox"/> PDA Council <input type="checkbox"/> PDA Constituency
Residential Neighborhood: <i>First Hill</i>	Zip Code: <i>98104</i>	Contact Phone No.: <i>N/A</i>
Appointed to: <i>East Design Review Board</i>		Date of Appointment: July 15, 2013
Authority (Ord., Res.): <i>SMC 23.41.008</i>		Term of Office: From: September 1, 2013 To: September 1, 2014
<p>Background:</p> <p><i>Michael Austin currently practices as an urban designer for MAKERS Architecture and Urban Design. His extensive planning and architecture experience have led him to this point. Combining his teaching and planning skills, he has spoken as a guest lecturer for planning courses, and worked as a teaching assistant at the Pratt Institute's School of Architecture and Urban Design, where he received his Master of Architecture.</i></p> <p><i>As an Upward Bound program instructor, he drafted an introductory design course for at-risk and low-income students, exposing them to design projects from various cultures and challenging them to create their own architectural pieces. With LWC, Inc. as an Associate Planner, Michael led extensive public outreach efforts for various community planning projects. His experience, drive, and commitment to design will be a welcomed asset to both the Design Review Board and Get Engaged program.</i></p>		
Authorizing Signature: 		Name and Title of Officer Making Appointment: <i>Mayor Mike McGinn</i>

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MICHAEL AUSTIN

objective

Serve as a member of the Get Engaged program on the Seattle Design Commission or Design Review Board for Capitol Hill

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

fall 2012-current

urban designer

makers architecture & urban design

currently involved in several master plan updates, with an emphasis placed on applying the highest standards in sustainable methodologies and meticulous design

fall 2011

teaching assistant

materials + assemblies, pratt institute graduate school of architecture + urban design

assist with the education and development of high performance building envelopes and curtain wall systems, working with karen brandt of heintges and steven chang of ennead architects (formerly polshek partnership)

summer 2011

part-time instructor

college of the redwoods, upward bound department
introduction to architecture + design, includes a survey of global architecture, graphic + industrial design, with the culmination of an architectural design project

2008 - april 2009

associate planner

lwc, inc

extensive involvement with public outreach, community planning, housing policy, and downtown visioning, including the facilitation of meetings, presentations, and projects throughout central california

2007

transportation planning intern

judd consultants

assist in the development of the downtown transportation plan for the city of dinuba, california, through the creation of illustrative graphics and downtown transportation plan

EDUCATION

2012

master of architecture
first professional
pratt institute,
brooklyn, new york

summer 2010 abroad

architecture, energy, + the environment
Beuth Hochschule für Technik, Berlin

2007

bachelor of science
city + regional planning
california polytechnic state university,
san luis obispo

fall 2006 abroad

eastern and central european studies
univerzita karlova v praze, prague

guest lectures

2008-2009

history of urban planning
community planning studio

involvement

2012

pratt gaud graduate exhibition, brooklyn, ny
agent structures exhibition, brooklyn, ny

2009-2012

facilitator: gaud student council

2010

media spree waterfront exhibition, berlin, ger

2005-2007

chair: college fee advisory council
flute/piccolo: cal poly wind ensemble
coordinator: caed crp resource center

2006-2007

president: associated students in planning

awards

2012

pratt institute graduate school of architecture archives

2008

ccapa award of excellence

2007

mortar board national honors society
service to the department award

2006

ccapa award of excellence
california apa award of excellence
faculty recognition award
caed award

Seattle Design Review Board 2013

July 2013

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
3	M	1.	Albores, Matthew	2011	4/3/2015	2	Local Residential	Mayor/Council	DT
6	F	2.	Begley, Ivana	2013	4/3/2015	1	Community	Mayor	NE
6	M	3.	Bennion, Laird	2012	4/3/2014	1	Development	Mayor	SW
6	F	4.	Black, Mindy	2011	4/3/2015	2	Local Business	Mayor/Council	W
6	M	5.	Bronk, Todd	2013	4/3/2015	1	Design Professional	Mayor	SW
6	F	6.	Bushnaq, Dawn	2010	4/3/2014	2	Local Business	Mayor/Council	E
2	M	7.	Cameron, Sam	2010	4/3/2014	2	Community	Mayor	SE
6	M	8.	Case, Tony	2010	4/3/2014	2	Development	Council	SE
6	F	9.	Cecil, Ellen	2012	4/3/2014	1	Community	Council	NW
6	M	10.	Coburn, Jerry	2011	4/3/2015	2	Local Business	Mayor/Council	NW
6	M	11.	Cochrane, Ric	2012	4/3/2014	1	Design Professional	Mayor	E
3	M	12.	DeLilla, Mike	2010	4/3/2014	2	Development	Mayor	NW
6	M	13.	Grant, Gabe	2010	4/3/2014	2	Local Business	Mayor/Council	DT
3	F	14.	Gualy, Natalie	2013	4/3/2015	1	Development	Council	E
5	F	15.	Habibuddin, Salone	2010	4/3/2014	2	Development	Council	NE
6	M	16.	Harrell, Myer	2010	4/3/2014	2	Community	Council	SW

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6	M	17.	Hurley, Joe	2010	4/3/2014	2	Design Professional	Council	NE
6	F	18.	Idziorek, Katherine	2013	4/3/2015	1	Design Professional	Council	W
6	F	19.	Kurfurst, Jill	2010	4/3/2014	2	Community	Mayor	W
6	M	20.	McCullough, Murphy	2013	4/3/2015	1	Development	Council	DT
6	F	21.	McNamara, T. Frick	2013	4/3/2015	1	Local Residential	Mayor/Council	SW
6	F	22.	Miller, Amoreena	2011	4/3/2015	2	Design Professional	Council	SE
6	M	23.	Neiman, David	2011	4/3/2015	2	Design Professional	Mayor	NW
6	F	24.	Orr-Cahall, Christina	2013	4/3/2015	1	Community	Council	E
6	M	25.	Panton, Ted	2010	4/3/2014	2	Local Residential	Mayor/Council	NW
5	M	26.	Parikh, Pragadesh	2010	4/3/2014	2	Community	Mayor	DT
6	M	27.	Pickrell, Boyd	2013	4/3/2015	1	Development	Mayor	W
3	F	28.	Pizana, Christina	2011	4/3/2015	2	Local Residential	Mayor/Council	NE
6	F	29.	Proksch, Gundula	2012	4/3/2014	1	Design Professional	Mayor	DT
6	M	30.	Skaggs, Daniel	2011	4/3/2015	2	Local Business	Mayor/Council	SW
6	M	31.	Smith, Benjamin	2012	4/3/2014	1	Local Residential	Mayor/Council	SE
6	F	32.	Stephenson, Janet	2013	4/3/2015	1	Local Residential	Mayor/Council	W
6	M	33.	Wall, Chip	2011	4/3/2015	2	Local Residential	Mayor/Council	E
1	M	34.	Yamada-Heidner, Stephen	2011	4/3/2015	2	Local Business	Mayor/Council	SE
6	F	35.	Zettle, Martine	2011	4/3/2015	2	Local Business	Mayor/Council	NE
1	M	36.	Michael Austin	2013	9/1/2014	1	Get Engaged	Council (SMC 3.51)	E

***Diversity Roster**

					(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
	Men	Women	Vacant	Minority	Asian-American	African-American	Hispanic Latino	Native-American	Other**	Caucasian
Mayor	8	3	0	3	0	1	1	0	1	8
Council	5	6	0	3	1	0	1	0	1	8
Mayor/Council	8	6	0	3	1	0	2	0	0	11
Total	21	15	0	9	2	1	4	0	2	27

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