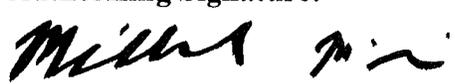


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**City of Seattle  
Notice of Appointment**

<b>Name:</b> <i>Thomas J. Nelson, AIA</i>		<input type="checkbox"/> Executive Appointment X Reappointment <input type="checkbox"/> Legislative Appointment <input type="checkbox"/> Agency Appointment <input type="checkbox"/> PDA Council <input type="checkbox"/> PDA Constituency
<b>Residential Neighborhood:</b> <i>Wedgewood</i>	<b>Zip Code:</b> <i>98115</i>	<b>Contact Phone No.:</b> <i>206-623-3344</i>
<b>Appointed to:</b> <i>Architect Position, Seattle Design Commission</i>		<b>Date of Appointment:</b> <i>March 1, 2012</i>
<b>Authority (Ord., Res.):</b> <i>Ordinance # 116909</i>		<b>Term of Office:</b> <b>From:</b> <i>Confirmation</i> <b>To:</b> <i>February 28, 2014</i>
<b>Background:</b>  <p>Thomas Nelson AIA, LEED® BD+C is a principal at Mithun. With over 25 years of experience as an architect designing major commercial and institutional projects his focus is on civic and higher education. He led the design of the recently completed Puyallup City Hall which has received LEED® Gold Certification. He's a nationally recognized expert on sustainable design and has completed numerous LEED® Certified projects. He holds a Bachelor of Architecture and a Bachelor of Science from Kent State University.</p> <p>As a commissioner, Tom always encourages city staff and their designers to make their projects more sustainable. He has a keen eye for improving architectural form and evaluating energy systems. Representing the Design Commission, he advises WSDOT's SR520 team on consultant selections, bridge and lid design, and community engagement. He served on the WOSCA site committee, formed to advise the city on the development potential and use of a large site near the south portal of the downtown bored tunnel.</p>		
<b>Authorizing Signature:</b> 		<b>Name and Title of Officer Making Appointments:</b>  Mayor Michael McGinn

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THOMAS J. NELSON, AIA / PRINCIPAL

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

As a principal at Mithun, Tom Nelson brings over 25 years of experience as an architect in planning and designing major commercial, institutional, and public safety projects, focusing primarily on scientific research laboratory and civic buildings. His design experience covers a broad range of building types. Tom is a nationally recognized expert in sustainable design; he is deeply committed to creating innovative and responsible design solutions aimed at providing the highest quality spaces while minimizing the potential negative impact construction and building have on our environment.

#### DISTINCTIONS

- Lead designer for 12 major research facilities.
- Experience leading the design of more than 10 LEED-projects
- Team member and lead designer for the Long Beach Aquarium of the Pacific – one of the most complex building types.
- Collaborator in the development of sustainable design practices and standards.
- Expert in BIM technology
- Expert in Integrative Design Process

#### REPRESENTATIVE PROJECTS

##### LABORATORIES

530 Fairview Laboratory	Seattle, WA
Kasai Business Park Research Laboratories	Yokohama, Japan
UC Riverside Insectory, Entomology Laboratory, Programming	Riverside, CA
UC San Diego Basic Sciences Building Teaching Laboratory, Programming	San Diego, CA
UC Irvine Medical Education Building	Irvine, CA
UC Irvine Natural Sciences Building Chemistry and Biology Research Laboratory	Irvine, CA
UC Irvine Neuro-Sciences Research Laboratory, Competition	Irvine CA
CSU San Bernardino Teaching Laboratory, Natural Sciences Building, Sciences Annex	San Bernardino, CA
IDEC Pharmaceuticals Headquarters & Laboratories	La Jolla, CA
San Diego Metropolitan Waste Water District, Environmental Monitoring Laboratory	San Diego CA
Pierce College Center for the Sciences, Natural Sciences Teaching Laboratories	Woodland Hills, CA
Cal State University Long Beach, Peterson Hall 3, Natural Sciences Teaching and Research Laboratories	Long Beach, CA
Drew University Medical Research Laboratory	Los Angeles, CA

##### HEALTHCARE

Los Angeles County/USC Medical Center	Los Angeles, CA
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Kon Kuk University Hospital, Competition  
Los Angeles County Medical Services Building

Chung Ju, Korea  
Los Angeles, CA

SENIOR LIVING

Sunrise Pacific Regent – Mithun Project

Bellevue, WA

CIVIC & CULTURAL

Puyallup City Hall  
Long Beach Aquarium of the Pacific  
Mt. St. Mary's Library Renovation

Puyallup, WA  
Long Beach, CA  
Los Angeles, CA

PUBLIC SAFETY

Emergency Operations Center  
Manhattan Beach Police and Fire Facility  
Fullerton Police Station  
Santa Ana Police Administration and Holding Facility  
San Diego Main Jail  
East Mesa Detention Facility  
San Bernardino Juvenile Justice Complex Master Plan  
Federal Magistrate Courts, Roybal Office Building  
Foley Federal Building and Courts, Programming / Planning  
Orange County Fire Authority

Los Angeles, CA  
Manhattan Beach, CA  
Fullerton, CA  
Santa Ana, CA  
San Diego, CA  
San Diego, CA  
San Bernardino, CA  
Los Angeles, CA  
Las Vegas, NV  
Irvine, CA

OFFICE BUILDINGS & MIXED USE

State Center Mixed Use Development  
Minami Office Tower  
10 Hutton Center  
Summit Phase 4  
Ulgiro Office Tower  
Samwan Office Tower  
Rand Corporation Headquarters  
Arco Indonesia Headquarters, Programming  
Hunt Wesson Headquarters Master Plan  
EFI Headquarters Master Plan  
South Bay Office Building  
Opus Glendale Office Building  
Orix Headquarters  
Veritas Office Complex  
IDEC Pharmaceuticals Headquarters & Laboratories  
Goregaon Office Building  
Maricopa County Administration Building

Baltimore, MD  
Las Vegas, NV  
Santa Ana, CA  
Aliso Viejo, CA  
Seoul, Korea  
Seoul, Korea  
Santa Monica, CA  
Jakarta, Indonesia  
Fullerton, CA  
Foster City, CA  
Torrence, CA  
Glendale, CA  
Tama, Japan  
Milpitas, CA  
La Jolla, CA  
Mumbai, India  
Phoenix, AZ

HOSPITALITY

City Light Plaza Hotel Little Tokyo  
Grand Hotel

Los Angeles, CA  
Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

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THOMAS J. NELSON, AIA / PRINCIPAL

RETAIL

The Gap Superstore Santa Monica, CA

TRANSPORTATION

Santa Clarita Transit Maintenance Facility Santa Clarita, CA  
Gardena Municipal Bus Lines Gardena, CA  
Jeddah Airport, Competition Jeddah, Saudi Arabia  
Kansai Airport, Competition Kansai, Japan  
Chubu Airport Control Tower Competition Chubu, Japan

OTHER

Cal State Fullerton College of Business & Economics Fullerton, CA  
Hippodrome Mexico City, Mexico  
Central Fruit & Vegetable Market, Competition Busan, Korea  
Eco Expo Office of the Future Demonstration Project Los Angeles, CA

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Architecture, Kent State University  
Bachelor of Science, Kent State University

PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATION

California  
Washington

PROFESSIONAL ACCREDITATION, AFFILIATIONS AND ACTIVITIES

USGBC LEED® AP BD+C (Leadership in Energy & Environmental Design)  
Accredited Professional – Building Design + Construction  
American Institute of Architects, 1989-Present  
USC Architectural Guild, 1995-2005  
USGBC LA Chapter, Board of Directors, Vice Chair – Education, 2002  
USGBC LA Chapter, Board Chairman, 2003-2005  
Cascadia GBC, Board of Directors, 2007-2010  
USGBC Pacific Regional Council, 2009-2010  
USGBC Chapter Steering Committee, 2009-2010  
Society of College & University Planners (SCUP), 2003-2005  
City of Santa Monica Environmental Task Force, Technical Advisory Committee,  
1999-2001  
Santa Monica Chamber of Commerce, Sustainable Quality Awards – Judge,  
1995-1997  
Santa Monica – Heal the Bay Aquarium, Advisory Board Member, 2004-2005  
Urban Land Institute (ULI), current member  
A+D Sustainable Design Leaders Summit, member, 2008-present  
City of Seattle – Northeast Design Review Board, community member, 2007-2009  
City of Seattle – Living Building TAG, Current Member  
AIA Seattle – Laddership Mentoring Program, Mentor

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## Seattle Design Commission

MARCH, 2012

Ten members: Per Ordinance # 116909, all subject to City Council confirmation, 2-year terms

- # Appointed by City Council
- 10 Appointed by Mayor
- # Appointed by

D*	G	Position No.	Name	Appointed	Term Ends	Term #	Position	Appointed By
6	F	1	<b>Julie Bassuk</b>	3/12	3/14 (Chair 3/13)	2	<b>Urban Planner, Chair</b>	<b>Mayor</b>
6	F	2	Mary Fialko	9/11	9/12	1	Get Engaged	Mayor
6	F	3	<b>Laurel (Lolly) Kunkler</b>	3/12	3/14	2	<b>Engineer</b>	<b>Mayor</b>
6	M	4	Shannon Loew	12/11	3/13	1	At Large (Developer)	Mayor
6	M	5	<b>Tom Nelson</b>	3/12	3/14	2	<b>Architect</b>	<b>Mayor</b>
6	F	6	Julie Parrett	10/08	3/13	2	Landscape Architect	Mayor
5	M	7	Osama Quotah	3/12	3/13	1	Architect	Mayor
6	M	8	<b>Don Vehige</b>	9/09	3/14	2	<b>Urban Designer</b>	<b>Mayor</b>
6	F	9	Debbie Wick-Harris	3/11	3/13	1	Engineer	Mayor
			Vacant				Artist	Mayor

### \*Diversity

	Men	Women	Vacant	Minority	(1) Asian- American	(2) African- American	(3) Hispanic Latin@	(4) Native- American	(5) Other**	(6) Caucasian
<b>Mayor</b>	4	5	1	1					1	8
<b>Council</b>										
<b>Other Bodies</b>										
<b>Total</b>										

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