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**City of Seattle
Notice of Reappointment**

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Name: Thomas J. Nelson, AIA		<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: Wedgewood	Zip Code: 98115	Contact Phone No.: 206-623-3344
Appointed to: Chair position of Seattle Design Commission		Date of Appointment: May 10, 2013
Authority (Ord., Res.): Ordinance # 116909		Term of Office: From: Confirmation To: March 1, 2014
Comments: Appointment to the Chair position of the Seattle Design Commission for a one-year term.		
Authorizing Signature: 		Name and Title of Officer Making Appointments: Mayor Mike McGinn

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

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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MITHUN

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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

MITHUN

Seattle Design Commission

May 2013

Ten members:

Appointed by the Mayor, confirmed by the City Council who serve a term of two years (*may be reappointed once*)

- 2 Licensed Architects
- 1 Fine Artist
- 1 Member at Large

And at least one and no more than two from the following categories:

- Professional Urban Planner
- Professional Environmental or Urban Designer
- Landscape Architect
- Licensed Engineer

plus

- 1 Get Engaged participant (City/YMCA program)

All appointments are subject to City Council confirmation.

(Chair is also appointed by Mayor for a *one-year* term, confirmed by City Council.)

D*	G	Position No.	Name	Appointed	Term Ends	Term #	Position	Appointed By
6	F	1	Brodie Bain	5/1/13	3/1/15	1	Urban Planner	Mayor
6	M	2	Seth Geiser	9/1/12	9/1/13	1	Get Engaged	Mayor
6	F	3	Laurel "Lolly" Kunkler	3/12/12	3/1/14	2	Engineer (Civil/Surface Water)	Mayor
6	F	4	Shannon Loew	11/5/11	3/1/15	2	At Large (Developer)	Mayor
6	M	5	Tom Nelson	3/12/12	3/1/14	2	Architect, Chair	Mayor
3	M	6	Bernie Alonzo	5/1/13	3/1/13	1	Landscape Architect	Mayor
5	M	7	Osama Quotah	3/1/12	3/1/15	2	Architect	Mayor
6	M	8	Martin Regge	1/2/13	3/1/14	1	Urban Designer	Mayor
6	F	9	Debbie Wick-Harris	3/1/11	3/1/15	2	Engineer (Civil/Transportation)	Mayor
6	F	10	Ellen Sollod	10/1/12	3/1/14	2	Fine Artist	Mayor

***Diversity**

			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)		
	Men	Women	Vacant	Minority	Asian-American	African-American	Hispanic Latino/a	Native-American	Other**	Caucasian
Mayor	5	5		2			1		5	8
Council										
Total	5	5		2			1		1	8

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