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Emily Hinton Earns National Design-Build Certification Hinton Joins Growing Industry of Design-Build Professionals Redefining How America Builds

Greensboro, NC (August 21, 2023) – Emily Hinton, AIA, NCARB, DBIA, principal of Lindsey Architecture, successfully completed the Design-Build Institute of America's (DBIA) comprehensive education and certification testing program to achieve the design-build industry's highest designation as a nationally certified Design-Build Professional®. Two to six years of substantial, documented direct project experiences in design-build project delivery experience is an additional prerequisite for Designated Design-Build Professional® certification.

[DBIA Certification](#) is the nation's only measurable standard of an individual's knowledge of the Design-Build Done Right® principles vital to successful project delivery. By completing these requirements, which touch on all aspects of design-build, candidates earn the right to display "DBIA" after their names, identifying them as experienced design-build professionals.



"DBIA's Designated Design-Build Professional™ certification program has grown exponentially over the years mirroring the growth of the entire the design-build industry. In fact, many public and private owner solicitations now expressly encourage the inclusion of team members with DBIA® Certification in their expanding number of design-build projects. DBIA is proud to offer the industry's gold standard in education and to continue to certify record numbers of dedicated design-build professionals each year," stated Lisa Washington, DBIA Executive Director/CEO.

DBIA offers certification in design-build project delivery to:

- Owners
- Architects
- Engineers
- General contractors
- Subcontractors
- Project managers
- Legal professionals
- Academics

Maintaining the credential requires a minimum of 24 hours of continuing education credit every two years.

“Earning the DBIA certification ensures I have the current, technical knowledge to best approach design-build projects,” stated Emily Hinton, AIA, NCARB, DBIA, principal with Lindsey Architecture. “With the increasing interest and demand in design-build delivery in the markets and verticals where Lindsey Architecture works, it’s important to stay in front of trends, and project delivery best practices to maintain market differentiation, relevancy, and successful project delivery.”

Lindsey Architecture has delivered dozens of design-build projects since its inception in 2008, including the Greensboro Rotary Carousel; a Glen Raven expansion in Norlina, NC; an aircraft hangar at Virginia Tech, and multiple corporate and industrial projects for various clients. Currently, Lindsey Architecture is proud to be the prime design partner on the design-build teams for two new projects working with the Greensboro Science Center and City of Greensboro.

About Lindsey Architecture

Lindsey Architecture is an award-winning, full-service architectural, planning, and interior design firm based in Greensboro, North Carolina, focused on making a positive impact across the southeastern United States. Founded on the premise that a dedication to creative excellence, imagination and innovation, tempered with common sense, professionalism and

financial stewardship results in built environments that foster quality of life and work for its clients, Lindsey Architecture ensures successful outcomes through collaboration and thoughtful understanding of each client's vision and objectives. With a long track of creating spaces that achieve far more than simple function, they design places for people to achieve, succeed, and enjoy life through sustainable, integrated solutions across a broad range of focus areas, including industrial, aviation, workplace, municipal, parks and recreation, cultural and civic, and more. Learn more by visiting the website [here](#).

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