

Calendar of Events

January 16, 2025

Region Member Orientation

Microsoft Teams

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM MST

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February 20, 2025

Putting Design Back into Design-Build: Successful Tactics for the Design Team

Amanda Faith

1670 Broadway, Denver, CO 80202

Denver, CO 80246

04:00 PM - 06:00 PM MST

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Once seen as an alternative delivery method for capital projects, design-build has rapidly become the fastest-growing and most widely adopted project delivery method in the United States. By 2026, FMI projects that design-build will account for over 47% of construction spending, totaling an impressive \$1.9 trillion over the next five years.

When adhering to Design-Build Best Practices, architects play a crucial and continuous role throughout the process. Design-Build is more than accelerating schedules and creating cost-accountability. Design innovation is often a cornerstone of successful design-build delivery and brings more efficient and effective solutions to projects. The architect's role in driving creative problem-solving and innovation needs to be elevated in the design-build conversation for true success.

More than a contract method, design-build is a transformative mindset and a dynamic process. Design-build thrives on collaboration, integration, and a foundation of trust, mutual respect, and teamwork.

Join the Design-Build Institute of America Rocky Mountain Region, for a deeper dive into how "Design" can be elevated in the Design-Build delivery method.

Participants can expect to:

Develop a better understanding of the Design-Build process and the various components of the Design-Build delivery method.

Discover the flexibility of design-build, including the various approaches to procurement and contracting for design-build services.

Understand how designers and architects can add value throughout the Design-Build delivery process from real life examples of successful design-build projects.

Understand more about the future trends of design-build and how architects can get involved in helping to shape the delivery method and policy.

1 AIA LU with Networking Reception to immediately follow

Free to AIA and DBIA Members

Speakers:

Jason Sielcken, AIA, LEED AP BD+C, Regional Chief Architect, General Services Administration Region 8

Greg Gidez, FAIA, FDBIA, NAC, Retired – Director of Design, Hensel Phelps Construction

Virginia McAllister, AIA, DBIA, LEED, NCIDQ, CEO/ Principal, IronHorse Architects

Tim Barr, LEED Green Associate, Senior Vice President & Office Practice Lead, CannonDesign

March 17, 2025
- March 19, 2025

National Transportation / Aviation Conference

ALL DAY

DBIA National,

Each spring, design-build teams in the water/wastewater and transportation/aviation markets meet in back-to-back conferences to address issues specific to their sectors. It's a rare opportunity for Owners and industry to network, learn, and share their unique sector design-build experiences.

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- March 21, 2025

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April 14, 2025
- April 16, 2025

National Certification Workshop

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A three-day intensive program including the three DBIA core courses required for certification plus access to the code of conduct and exam prep webinars. We advise attendees to take the code of conduct webinar before the workshop.

May 1, 2025

Rocky Mountain Regional Conference

Embassy Suites by Hilton Denver Downtown Convention Center

1420 Stout St

Denver, CO 80202

07:00 AM - 05:00 PM MST

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Design-Build Institute of America Rocky Mountain Region Annual Conference

Call for Speakers

Sponsorship Opportunities

Thursday, May 1st, 2025

Agenda and Registration to come!

May 15, 2025

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June 3, 2025

Colorado Golf Tournament

Arrowhead Golf Course

10850 Sundown Trail

Littleton, CO 80125

07:00 AM - 02:00 PM MST

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Colorado: Annual Golf Tournament

Our annual golf tournament is back this summer! Join us for a fun-filled day full of networking, with maybe a little bit of golf.

Sponsorship Opportunities

TUESDAY, June 3rd

7:00 AM Registration

8:00 AM Shotgun Start

Format: Four-Person Scramble

\$1000 Foursome

\$300 Individual

Includes golf cart, range balls, (2) drink tickets, breakfast, and lunch.

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August 1, 2025

Utah Golf Tournament
The Ridge Golf Course
5055 Westridge Blvd
West Valley City, UT 84118

07:00 AM - 01:00 PM MST

AGENDA

Registration & Breakfast: 7:00 am

Tee Time: 8:00 am

More details to come

August 15, 2025

Colorado Sporting Clay Tournament

Kiowa Creek Sporting Club

46700 E County Rd 30

Bennett, CO 80102

07:30 AM - 01:30 PM MST

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Colorado Sporting Clay Tournament

Our annual sporting clay tournament at Kiowa Creek is just around the corner. Are you thinking about who to team up with for the tournament? A true design-build team of owner, designer, contractor, and specialty subcontractor gains a special advantage at this yearly event!

Sponsorship Opportunities

August 15th, 2025

Registration: 7:30 AM

Shotgun Start: 8:30 AM

Format: Four-Person Teams

August 20, 2025

- August 21, 2025

Federal Design-Build Symposium

ALL DAY

DBIA gathers the nation's leading federal sector design-builders each year for a one-of-a-kind conference for industry and Owners. The Federal Design-Build Symposium brings together key players from federal agencies and the design and construction industry for sessions focused on the challenges and opportunities we face on a national level.

August 28, 2025

Owners Forum

Exact Agenda TBD

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Our Owners Forum offers an afternoon full of quality speakers presenting on a variety of Design-Build Done Right™ topics in a comfortable environment. This allows Owners to speak frankly with each other about interests and concerns around their projects. Great food, a comfortable setting, and knowledgeable speakers have made the event very popular in years past, so you will want to register early!

More information to come for 2025!

September 18, 2025

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October 1, 2025
- October 3, 2025

Collaborative Delivery Leadership Academy

08:00 AM - 05:00 PM MST

DBIA National,

Elevating Leaders - Optimizing Outcomes

The rapid growth of design-build presents the need for leaders who can deftly navigate the unique landscape of collaborative project delivery. Projections show that nearly half of all construction spending will be design-build by 2026, so building a strong foundation of leadership is vital to keeping up with that trend.

DBIA's Collaborative Delivery Leadership Academy is designed to equip AEC professionals with the leadership skills and mindset needed to successfully transition from a segregated services approach to an integrated one. The Academy elevates the capacity and capability of individual team members to create optimized solutions that translate into project outcomes that consistently exceed expectations.

Leadership Academy Home Page

November 5, 2025
- November 7, 2025

Design-Build Annual Conference and Expo

visit DBIA National's website for more information

DBIA National,

The Design-Build Conference & Expo is the largest design-build event in the nation. In addition to the largest number of education tracks, we also honor the nation's best design-build projects, teams and individuals at our annual awards night celebration. It's a jam-packed three-day session that leaves everyone energized and equipped to deliver the best design-build projects possible.

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December 4, 2025

Utah: Annual Ugly Sweater Social

Top Golf - Midvale

920 Jordan River Blvd

Midvale, UT 84047

04:00 PM - 06:00 PM MST

Come join the Utah DBIA chapter and friends of the industry at Top Golf for some food, and drinks. Don't forget to wear your ugly sweater! There will be a prize for the UGLIEST sweater.

Agenda

4:00 - 6:00 pm

Registration

Owners - Free

Utah Chapter Sponsors - 1 Free Registration

Utah Top Tier Sponsors - 2 Free Registrations

Individual Registration - \$30

December 11, 2025

Annual Members Meeting and Sponsor Appreciation Breakfast

The Oxford Hotel

1637 Wazee St

Denver, CO 80202

08:00 AM - 10:00 AM MST

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Join us for our Annual Member's Meeting and Sponsor Appreciation breakfast. Our chapter experienced a great year. We look forward to celebrating our successes, lessons learned and where we are headed next!

Agenda:

8:00 - 8:30: Registration / Networking

8:30 - 9:30: Breakfast and Annual Meeting

9:30 - 10:00: Networking

Registration:

Owners: Free

Members: Free

2023 Board Members and Sponsors: Free

Non-Members: \$40

Coming Soon

Designer Liability in Design-Build

Microsoft Teams

Date and Time TBD

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Virtual event tentatively planned for January 2025. More details to come!