

Jim Gordon Hagstrom, FASLA

EDUCATION

University of Minnesota, 1978, Bachelor of Landscape Architecture
La Napoule Art Foundation, France, 1989 & 1990, Landscape Design Workshop

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

1981 – Present **Savanna Designs, Inc.** Principal, Afton, Minnesota
1979 – 1980 **Eldon Morrison Architects, Inc.** Landscape Architect-in-training, White Bear Lake, Minnesota

REGISTRATION

Registered Landscape Architect: Minnesota License No. 22555

TEACHING

1996 – 2002 **University of Minnesota**, Adjunct Professor of Landscape Architecture, Plants in Design, LA 5572
1998 – 1999 **Epicentro Relaciones Culturales**, John Brookes School of Landscape Design, Santiago, Chile
1997 – 1998 **University of Minnesota**, Complete Scholar Program, Ecologically Based Landscape Design
1990 **La Napoule Art Foundation**, Landscape Design Workshop with James van Sweden & John Brookes
1981 – 1984 **University of Minnesota**, Teaching Assistant, Graphics, LA 1025, 1026 and LA 3098
1981 **TLH Associates, Inc.**, Lecturer, St. Paul, Minnesota, Designing and landscaping earth-sheltered structures.
1981 **University of Minnesota**, Teaching Assistant, Detail Landscape Technology, LA 3075

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

American Society of Landscape Architects
2010 Council of Fellows, FASLA
2002 – 2008 Board of Trustees
Minnesota Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects (ASLA-MN)
2005 Lob Pine Award, Minnesota Chapter's highest honor for service and leadership.
1999 – 2000 Alzheimer Garden Design Team Coordinator, "100 Years, 100 Parks Celebration"
1997 – 1999 President, Executive Committee
1994 – 1996 Secretary, Executive Committee
1989 – 1994 Program Committee
Minnesota Nursery and Landscape Association (MNLA)
2001 – 2007 Committee Chair, Environmental Concerns
1993 – 2000 Committee Member, Environmental Concerns
1990 – 1996 Board of Directors
1988 – 1994 Landscape Design Committee

SELECTED DESIGN HONORS AND AWARDS

2011 **Merit Award, ASLA-MN**
Waverly Gardens, North Oaks, Minnesota
Merit Award, MNLA
Waverly Gardens, North Oaks, Minnesota
2010 **Grand Honor Award, MNLA**
Advance Corporation, Cottage Grove, Minnesota
2009 **MNLA Friend of the Environment**
2009 **Grand Honor Award, MNLA**
Capen Prairie Garden, Minnesota Landscape Arboretum
2008 **Merit Award, ASLA-MN**
Capen Prairie Garden, Minnesota Landscape Arboretum
2007 **Merit Award for Excellence in Landscape Design – Residential, MNLA,**
Andrews Residence, White Bear Lake, Minnesota
2004 **Merit Award, ASLA-MN**
Roy Residence, Lakeland, Minnesota
Honors Award for Excellence in Landscape Design - Residential Yard, MNLA,
Cox Residence, Roseville, Minnesota, Painter-Somermeyer Residence, St. Paul, Minnesota, Potish Residence, Stillwater, Minnesota
Honors Award for Excellence in Landscape Design - Sustainable Environments, MNLA
Gacek-Shannon Residence, White Bear Lake, Minnesota
1999 **Merit Award, ASLA-MN**
Holmen Residence, Dellwood, Minnesota
1996 **Honor Award for Private Landscape Design, ASLA-MN**
Brandt Residence, Stillwater, Minnesota

- 1995 **Honor Award for Commercial Landscape Design, ASLA-MN**
St. Jude Medical, Woodridge Technology Center, St. Paul, Minnesota
- 1993 **Landscape Design Award of Excellence, MNLA**, Gesell Residence, Mendota Heights, Minnesota
Landscape Design Certificate of Merit, MNLA, Fatuzzo Residence, Dellwood, Minnesota
- 1991 **Landscape Design Certificates of Merit, MNLA**, Reell Precision Manufacturing,
Vadnais Heights, Minnesota
Orchard Park, Oak Park Heights, Minnesota
- 1988 **Landscape Design Honor Award, MNLA**, Andersen Residence, Arden Hills, Minnesota
Landscape Design Certificates of Merit, MNLA, Springsted Residence, Afton, Minnesota, Becken
Residence, Lake Elmo, Minnesota, Schacker Residence, Arden Hills, Minnesota, Mulberry Hill
Townhouses, Stillwater, Minnesota

SELECTED LECTURES AND PRESENTATIONS

- 2006 **October** "A Sustainable Approach to Residential Landscape Design"
Field Session Speaker and Host, ASLA Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, Minnesota
- March** "Native Landscape Management Case Studies", Low Impact Development
Conference – MLA
- 2005 **September** "Embracing Wildness in Cultivated Gardens", National Wild Ones Conference
February "Native Intent: Planting Design with Indigenous Plants", South Dakota Nursery &
Landscape Association
- 2004 **February** "Natural Landscapes and Stormwater Management", Lakeshore Development
Session, MPCA
- 2003 **September** "Design with Ornamental Grasses", Ornamental Grasses Seminar, MLA, MNLA
June "Stormwater Management", AIA Minnesota and MASLA
- 2001 **May** "Native Plant Landscaping in an Urban Setting", Lake Nokomis Environmental Fair
- 2000 **October** "Designing Your Shoreline", Lakescaping for Wildlife and Water Quality, MN DNR
February "Embracing Wildness in a Cultured Garden", Greening Conference: Using Plants to
Build Community
- 1998 **December** "Ecologically Based Landscape Design", Minnesota Turf and Grounds Foundation Convention
January "Landscape Design for Country Properties", Minnesota Land Trust, Annual Meeting
- 1997 **September** "Natural Landscaping", Land Use and Stream Protection Conference, Green Bay, Wisconsin
- 1996 **October** "Backyard Sustainability", Minnesota Conference on Sustainable Development
March "A Vision for Sustainable Landscaping", Olmsted County Extension, Rochester, Minnesota
January "Xeric Parking Lot Design", MNLA Convention, Minneapolis, Minnesota
- 1995 **October** "Sustainability and the Use of Recycled Materials in the Landscape", ASLA, Cleveland, Ohio
April "Prairie Gardens: Presenting Nature", Landscape Architecture Colloquium,
University of Minnesota
- 1994 **November** "Pattern -vs- Chaos: Creating Balance in your Landscape", Minnesota State
Horticultural Society
- February** "A Vision for Sustainable Landscaping", AIA Minnesota, Committee on the Environment
- 1993 **October** "A Vision for Sustainable Landscaping; Landscaping with Midwestern Natives",
FGC Conference
- January** "Designing Natural Landscapes", INLA Convention, Des Moines, Iowa
- 1992 **March** "Trends in Perennial Garden Design", Minnesota State Horticultural Society
February "Creating Your Natural Garden: Using Native Plants in Landscape Design", Art of
Gardens Series
- January** "The Gardens of Provence and the French Riviera", Wayzata Garden Club,
Woodhill Country Club
- 1991 **February** "Designing Water Gardens" - MNLA Education Day
- 1990 **October** "Landscaping with Minnesota Natives; Celebrating Change", Minnesota Landscape Arboretum
- 1988 **March** "Residential Landscape Design Development", The Art of Specialty Gardens Series

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- 2006 *Native Knowledge*, _SCAPE Magazine, MASLA publication
- 2002 *Integrating Native Plants into Traditional Landscapes*, MNLA Newsletter, Vol. 24, No. 3, March 2000
- 1998 *In Search of the Natural Landscape*, Minnesota Landscape Arboretum News, Vol. 17, No. 3 and No. 4
- 1997 *Wildness in the Garden*, Common Ground, Guest Editor, MASLA
Editing Nature: The Paradox of Landscape Design, Common Ground, MASLA
- 1996 *Arranging Wild Plants in Cultured Landscapes*
The Prairie Reader, P.O. Box 8227, St. Paul, Minnesota 55108
- 1994 *Sustainable Development*, Common Ground, Guest Editor
Minnesota Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects

PUBLIC SERVICE AND MEMBERSHIPS

Mr. Hagstrom served on the Buildings and Property Committee for the YMCA Camp St. Croix from 1986 – 1996 and was elected to the Board of Directors and served from 1986 – 1991. He was a VAA Soccer Coach from 1995 – 1997 and a construction worker for a Habitat for Humanity project in 1994. He also participated in a Minnesota Design Team to Afton, Minnesota, in 1994. Mr. Hagstrom is also a member and supporter of the First Presbyterian Church of Stillwater, The Nature Conservancy, Land Stewardship Project, Minnesota Landscape Arboretum, Minnesota Center for Environmental Advocacy, Minnesota Public Radio, Minnesota Land Trust, and the University of Minnesota Foundation.