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DOING OTHER THINGS

[call for entries]

CWA kicked off their 2009-2010 lecture series with a stimulating roundtable discussion featuring an august panel of leading female architects in the Chicago community. They came together to talk about navigating their careers through the challenges that the architectural world is currently facing. The trajectory of the profession is changing daily; tough economic times have made creative choices a must. Our membership is defining and redefining itself, identifying new opportunities, and finding its place within the structure of the new context. In order to support ourselves financially...in order to find professional and personal fulfillment...out of necessity or creative imperative, we as professionals have begun to do things other than what has traditionally defined the Architect.

*This exhibition is an exploration of personal journeys...between **architecture** and **Doing Other Things**.*

ELIGIBILITY

women with a bachelor or masters degree in architecture who see themselves as **Doing Other Things**:

1. You have an education in architecture but are **Doing Other Things**
2. You were practicing architecture but left the profession to **Do Other Things**
3. You were practicing architecture but are now **Doing Other Things** within the profession
4. You are currently practicing architecture but are **Doing Other Things** outside of work

IMPORTANT DATES

March 19, 2010 - Intent to Enter: email your contact information to mviamentes@muller2.com

April 9, 2010 - Entry Due: email your submission to mviamentes@muller2.com

May 5, 2010 - Exhibition: AJ Kane Gallery, 119 N. Peoria St, Suite 2B

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- ▶ self portrait, headshot, or image representing self (1200pixels high)
- ▶ 3-5 photos/images of your work (1200pixels high)
- ▶ Education: Post secondary institutions, degrees/diplomas etc.
- ▶ 6-10 narratives (max 150 words each): select from the following to best describe your personal journey
All narratives should be included within 1 Microsoft Word document and clearly labeled. The graphic layout will be done by Chicago Women in Architecture. **DO NOT FORMAT YOUR TEXT.**

Architectural Background

Hobbies/Interests

Current Work

Career Path

Roadblocks

Motivator/Instigator

Future Career Goals

Inspirations

What are your thoughts on the past, present and future of architecture?

Advice for others considering doing 'other things'

If I could pick another profession, I would be...

- ▶ *Optional:* If you would like to display physical work, please submit a description of the work, dimensions, and display requirements. Physical work will be allowed if space permits.

This exhibit is being curated by Chicago Women in Architecture and will feature up to 30 women. CWA reserves the right to select the final entries and will notify applicants no later than April 23, 2010.

Chicago Women in Architecture