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Consultant to AIA California in regulatory and code matters. Recent work has included successful implementation of the FIRST Embodied Carbon mandatory measures effective July 2024 in CA; expansion of California's Existing Building Code with seven new chapters including the first CA adoption of the Work Area Method, effective July 2024; and collaboration

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Principal of Applied Architecture Inc. in Sacramento with 44 years' experience in historic adaptive reuse and residential projects at all scales.

Current (and former) member of AIA National Code Committee, and two term former member of the ICC Existing Building Code Committee; founder and president of the non-profit [Streamline Institute](#), which advances regulatory efficiency and effectiveness around the country; former president of AIA CA, AIA Central Valley; Sacramento's Development Oversight Commission, Preservation Commission, Design Review Commission, and other organizational leadership and honors.