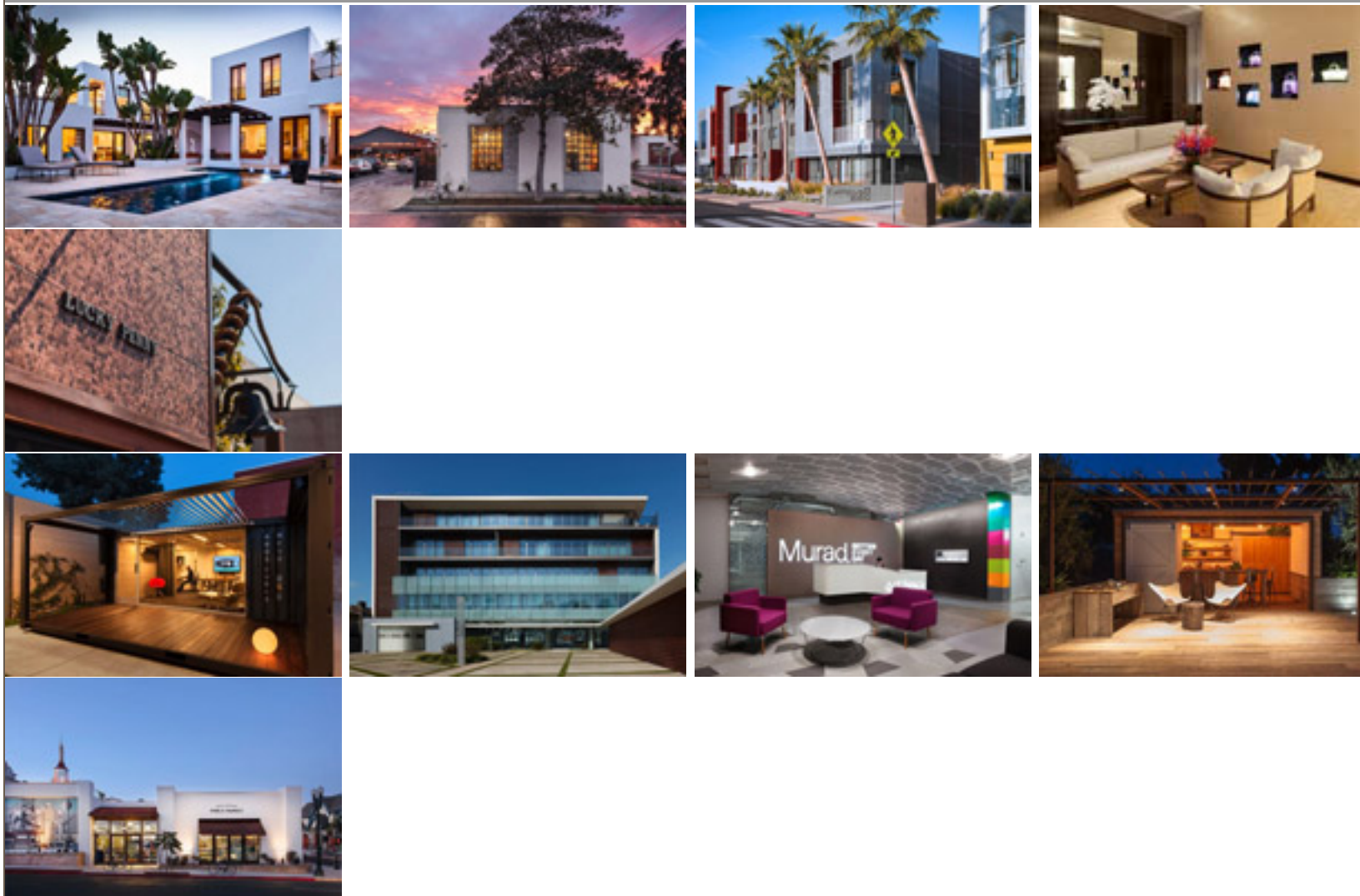




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## Design Awards 2016

The AIA Santa Barbara Design Awards program recognizes design excellence in architecture, residential architecture, restoration/renovation, and urban design. Criteria used by the jury include quality of design, resolution of the program idea, sustainable responsibility, innovation, thoughtfulness, and technique.

On Thursday, December 8, 2016, the following 16 projects were awarded for exceptional design excellence.

### Honorable Mention:



Butterfly Beach Villa, Santa Barbara  
Category: Residential

[Neumann Mendro Andrulaitis Architects](#)  
Photographer: [Ciro Coelho](#)

General Contractor: [Allen Construction](#)



Modern Cottage  
Category: Multi Family/Mixed Use

[AB Design Studio, Inc.](#)  
Photographer: [Ciro Coelho](#)

General Contractor: [Beachfront Construction](#)

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Lobero Theatre Renovation  
Category: Interior Architecture and Design

[Kruger Bensen Ziemer Architects](#)  
Photographer: Kruger Bensen Ziemer Architects

General Contractor: Frank Schipper Construction Co.



Villa Las Palmas  
Category: Santa Barbara Architectural Heritage

[Thomas Bollay Architects, Inc.](#)  
Photographer: Thomas Bollay, AIA

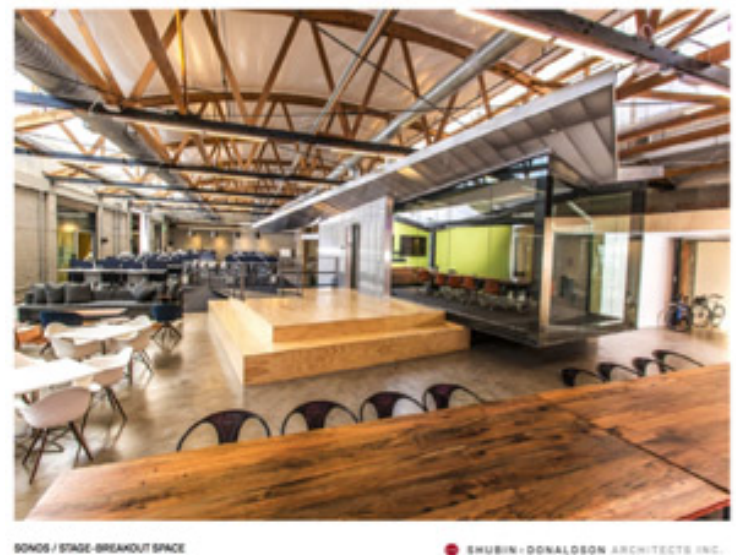


Autocamp Russian River  
Category: Small Projects

[Dan Weber Architecture](#) (now known as Anacapa Architects)  
Photographer: Dan Weber, Architect



**Merit:**



SONOS  
Category: Non-Residential

[Shubin & Donaldson Architects](#)  
Photographer: Matt Danciger

General Contractor: Sierra Pacific Constructors



Villa Vlahos  
Category: Residential

[DesignARC](#)  
Photographer: Brent Winebrenner





Paseo Ferrelo  
Category: Residential

[Dan Weber Architecture](#)  
Photographer: Erin Feinblatt

General Contractor: Gold West Construction



Louis Vuitton Hilton Hawaiian  
Category: Interior Architecture and Design

[Winick Architects](#)  
Photographer: David Franzen

General Contractor: Dickinson Cameron  
Construction



George Washington Smith Estate  
Category: Santa Barbara Architectural Heritage

[Michael Burch Architects](#)  
Photographer: Charles White



Mountain Drive Cabana  
Category: Small Projects

[Bildsten Architecture and Planning](#)  
Photographer: Jim Bartsch

General Contractor: Creative  
Structural Desogn

## Honor:



The Mill  
Category: Non Residential

[AB Design Studio, Inc.](#)  
Photographer: Spenser Bruce

General Contractor: Becker Studios





SBCAST [Santa Barbara Center for Arts,  
Science and Technology]  
Category: Multi Family/Mixed Use

[Macy Architecture](#)

Photographer: Jim Bartsch

General Contractor: Young Construction  
Local Consulting Architect: Winick Architects,  
Inc.



Santa Barbara Courthouse Mural Room  
Category: Historic Preservation/Renovation

[Office of the County Architect](#), Santa Barbara  
Photographer: Ann Kale Architectural Lighting

General Contractor: Signal Construction



2050 Garden Street  
Category: Santa Barbara Architectural Heritage

[Harrison Design Associates](#)

Photographer: Jim Bartsch

General Contractor: Giffin & Crane General  
Contractors



Bento Box  
Category: Small Projects

[Archipelago Workshop](#)

Photographer: Kurt Jordan, [Kurt Jordan  
Photography](#)

General Contractor: Archipelago Workshop

## 2016 Jurors:



### **Barbara Bestor, AIA**

Principal Architect of Bestor Architecture  
Executive director of the University's Julius Shulman Institute

Barbara teaches architecture at Woodbury University in Burbank, California. She has developed a varied, creative and aesthetically progressive body of work over the last ten years propagating the concept that Architecture can and should be a part of all aspects of our creative community. Examples of her work include the Beats Electronics Headquarters in Culver City, the Nasty Gal Headquarters in downtown Los Angeles, Intelligentsia Coffee & Tea in Los Angeles, and the Toro Canyon House in Santa Barbara. In 2011, she was the recipient of the LA Restaurant Design Award from the American Institute of Architects for her design of the Pitfire Pizza in LA.

She was also nominated for the James Beard Foundation Award for the same restaurant that year. The Floating Bungalow house in Venice, CA was featured in MOCA's 2013 survey of contemporary Los Angeles architecture. In 2015, the Beats By Dre Headquarters was recognized with a National AIA Honor Award for Interior Architecture. *Photo credit: Alison Dyer* <http://bestorarchitecture.com/>



**Michael Imber, FAIA**

Principal Architect of Michael G. Imber, Architects, PLLC

Michael G. Imber, Architects, PLLC is a modern classical design firm based in San Antonio, Texas and recognized for a body of work that is strong in historic sentiment, yet modern in its execution.

Michael has been honored with numerous local and national design awards including the Texas Society of Architect's William W. Caudill, FAIA

Award; for his achievements as a young architect and for his contributions to the American Institute of Architects. In 2007, Michael was honored with the Arthur Ross Award for his enduring commitment to the classical tradition in residential architecture, civic buildings, and neighborhood design. In 2008, he was inducted into the American Institute of Architects College of Fellows for his contribution to American design. Most recently, he has won the 2010 and 2011 Palladio Awards for outstanding achievement in traditional design and designed the 2011 Southern Living House.

<http://www.michaelgimber.com/>



**Sandra Stannard, Architect, LEED AP**

Professor at the Cal Poly College of Architecture and Environmental Design

Sandra has taught architecture for twenty years (University of Idaho, University of Washington, and Cal Poly San Luis Obispo), including summer studios in Rome at the Sede di Roma/ Penn State. Sandy Stannard's teaching and research revolves around issues of ecological sensitivity. She teaches advanced design studios at CalPoly, building technology coursework, and advises master's theses. Professor Stannard is one of the faculty advisors for Cal Poly's

upcoming Solar Decathlon 2015 entry; she also served