## **Air Force Installation & Mission Support Center**



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### HONOR AWARD

FACILITY DESIGN

#### Nellis Virtual Warfare Center Design

Nellis Air Force Base, Nevada

<u>Design Organization</u>: Michael Baker International, Inc. <u>Design Agent</u>: US Army Corps of Engineers, Los Angeles District <u>Base Engineering Organization</u>: 99<sup>th</sup> Civil Engineer Squadron

Juror Comments:

- This project implemented cutting edge materials as well as thoughtful design decisions that resulted in a beautiful, contemporary building befitting of its intended mission.
- The usage of Insulated Concrete Forms, reduced the carbon footprint of the facility, while improving the energy consumption, allowing the building to achieve a 30% energy reduction relative to industry energy standard.
- The spacious, two-story lobby fenestrations and clearstories allow for deep penetration of daylighting throughout the building interior.
- Open floor plan and reconfigurable walls allow for great flexibility in space utilization for multiple applications.







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**FACILITY DESIGN** 

#### **Dental Clinic Replacement**

Joint Base Andrews, Maryland

<u>Design Organization</u>: Rogers, Lovelock & Fritz, Inc. <u>Design Agent</u>: Navy Facilities Command Washington DC4 <u>Base Engineering Organization</u>: Resident Officer In Charge of Construction Andrews

**Juror Comments:** 

- Efficient space planning in the design development of this project resulted in a facility that harmoniously exists with the environmentally sensitive habitat.
- The facility's juxtaposition of rectilinear and curved design elements is expressed in the building's fenestrations and circulation patterns providing intuitive wayfinding and patient connection with the natural environment.
- Attention to the Air Force Corporate Facilities Standards & Installation Facilities Standards passive vs active strategies, and the compact building footprint were foundational in achieving a 35% reduction in energy consumption







### **MERIT AWARD**

**FACILITY DESIGN** 

#### <u>Air Force Reserve Command –</u> <u>Consolidated Mission Complex Phase 1</u> Robins Air Force Base, Georgia

<u>Design Organization</u>: Jacobs <u>Design Agent</u>: US Army Corps of Engineers, Louisville District <u>Base Engineering Organization</u>: 78<sup>th</sup> Civil Engineer Group

Juror Comments:

- Facility presents a strong exterior elevation through the use of vertical and horizontal design elements, effectively translating the vision statement of heritage and combat power for America.
- Impressive, grand, two story lobby with contrasting material palates present a timeless design and a fitting backdrop for exhibiting Air Force Reserve Command history and heritage artifacts. Incentivizes wellness by inviting users to traverse the beautiful stairs and the illuminated hallway.







### **CITATION AWARD**

**FACILITY DESIGN** 

#### **Tactical Response Force Alert Facility**

Malmstrom Air Force Base, Montana

<u>Design Organization:</u> WSP <u>Design Agent</u>: US Army Corps of Engineers, Seattle District <u>Base Engineering Organization</u>: 341<sup>st</sup> Civil Engineer Squadron

**Juror Comments:** 

- Interdisciplinary and dynamic requirements of this facility dictated a purpose driven process, resulting in a functionally harmonious design, successfully meeting mission criteria.
- Impressive space utilization in conjunction with attention to sustainable requirements of public law and executive orders delivers a building that aligns with Air Force priorities.







### **CITATION AWARD**

FACILITY DESIGN

#### **Distributed Common Ground Station Operations Center**

Beale Air Force Base, California

**Design Organization: Jacobs** 

**Design Agent:** US Army Corps of Engineers, Sacramento District **Base Engineering Organization:** 480<sup>th</sup> Intelligence Surveillance, and Reconnaissance Wing Civil Engineer Office

#### **Juror Comments:**

- Column free design complimented with demountable partitions enhances flexibility of space, to quickly adapt and keep pace with operational battle rhythm.
- Relying on Beale's Installation Facilities Standards facilitated the development of opportunities for campus synergies, maximizing functional adjacencies to create a unified, well-defined architectural image for the complex.
- Significant cooling loads of the space were offset by technologies such as electro-chromatic (smart glass) glass to achieve a 12% increase in energy efficiency beyond industry standard.







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#### **McConnell Air Traffic Control Tower**

McConnell Air Force Base, Kansas

<u>Design Organization</u>: Burns & McDonnell Engineering Company <u>Design Agent</u>: US Army Corps of Engineers, Kansas City District <u>Base Engineering Organization</u>: 22<sup>nd</sup> Civil Engineer Squadron

**Juror Comments:** 

- Simple exterior design elements veil the attention to interior design details that focus on enriching working conditions, alleviating stress related to long shifts for air traffic controllers.
- Focusing on life cycle cost analysis the team identified systems and technologies to achieve 100% compliance with Federal mandates.







### **CITATION AWARD**

FACILITY RENOVATIONS AND ADDITIONS

#### Burlington Air National Guard Base F-35 Maintenance Hangar Renovation

Vermont Air National Guard, South Burlington, Vermont

<u>Design Organization</u>: Burns & McDonnell Engineering Company <u>Design Agent</u>: National Guard Bureau <u>Base Engineering Organization</u>: 158<sup>th</sup> Civil Engineer Squadron

**Juror Comments:** 

- Great example of architectural excellence, even in utilitarian infrastructure applications. Interjection of energetic interior color palate introduces a diversion from industrial function of facility.
- Extensive analysis and redesign of the facility spotlights the highly collaborated process necessary to complete the complex renovation.
- Impressive achievements for a renovation project! Through a whole building approach, that included building envelop improvements the project achieved 100% compliance with the Federal sustainability requirements and an impressive 26% reduction in energy use.







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**FACILITY DESIGN** 

#### **Pittsburgh Air Reserve Station C-17 Hangar**

Pittsburgh International Airport Air Reserve Station, Pennsylvania

<u>Design Organization</u>: Burns & McDonnell Engineering Company <u>Design Agent</u>: US Army Corps of Engineers, Louisville District <u>Base Engineering Organization</u>: 911<sup>th</sup> Civil Engineer Squadron

**Juror Comments:** 

- Noteworthy design of form following function, complementing adjacent hangars through material selection and choice of exterior color palate.
- Low impact development strategies adjacent to the runway exemplifies an uncommon approach to preserving existing site hydrology.







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FACILITY RENOVATIONS AND ADDITIONS

#### Goodfellow Air Force Base Cressman Dining Facility Addition Goodfellow Air Force Base, Texas

Design Organization: C.H. Guernsey & Company Design Agent: Tom Green County Base Engineering Organization: 17<sup>th</sup> Civil Engineer Squadron

**Juror Comments:** 

- Intentional design of prominent entry is smartly enhanced through use of contrasting color and material selection.
- Creative stakeholder partnering resulted in unique design solutions, capitalizing on the synergies of building functions while expanding and maximizing facility flexibility.







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#### **A New Squadron Operations Facility**

Alabama Air National Guard, Montgomery, Alabama

**Design Organization**: Seay, Seay and Litchfield, P.C. **Design Agent**: US Property and Fiscal Office **Base Engineering Organization**: 187<sup>th</sup> Civil Engineer Squadron

Juror Comments:

- Superb design exemplifies key characteristics of minimalist architecture through use of pure unadorned geometric form, unification of basic building materials and simplification of interior color palate.
- Smart use of facility siting and strategic interior configuration are conducive to future mission-driven modifications with minimal disruption to facility users.



