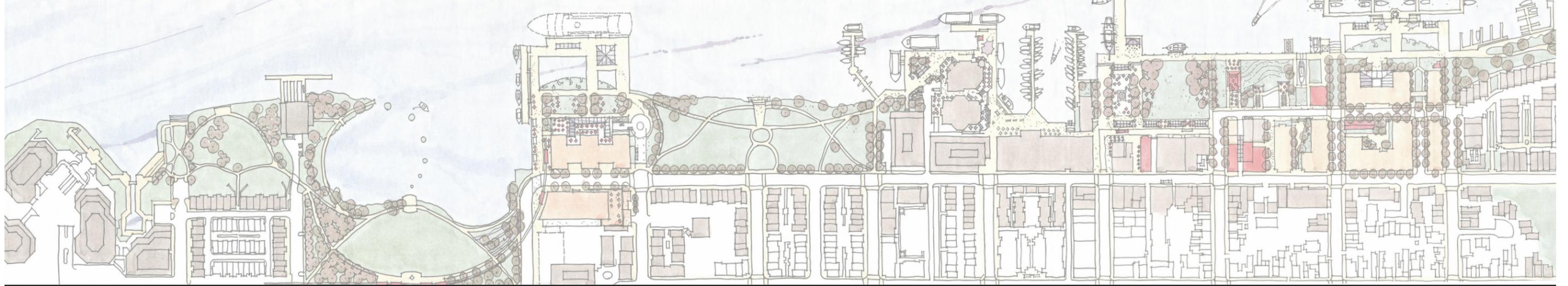


# ARCHITECTURAL PRACTICE IN THE PUBLIC SECTOR

*Exploring the Diversity of Career Paths in Public Design*



**WHEN: NOVEMBER 11, 2019**

Reception begins at 6:00 p.m.  
Panel discussion begins at 6:30 p.m.

**WHERE: THE ALEXANDRIA LYCEUM**

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## WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

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### **John A. Burns, FAIA, FAPT**

**Chief Appeals Officer, Cultural Resources, National Park Service**

John has worked for the National Park Service for over forty-five years, beginning with the Historic American Buildings Survey, followed by a series of increasingly responsible positions, and is now the Appeals Officer for the Federal Preservation Tax Incentives Program. He is also Chairman of the Fairfax County Architectural Review Board. John has a Bachelor of Architecture and a B.A. in Art/Architectural History from The Pennsylvania State University, and is a licensed architect in DC and Virginia.

### **Thomas H. Canfield, AIA**

**City Architect, City of Alexandria**

Tom has been with the City of Alexandria for 13 years. Previously he ran an international design consulting partnership, focused on hotels and resorts, multifamily housing and master planning, primarily in Singapore, Hong Kong and China. He also previously worked as Design Director at Smith McMahon Architects, and before that as a lead designer with Eric Colbert & Associates, Moshe Safdie, Perkins & Will, and Arthur Cotton Moore/Associates. He has a B.A. and M.Arch. from Harvard, and is licensed in DC, MD and VA.

### **Al Cox, FAIA**

**Historic Preservation Manager, City of Alexandria**

Al has worked as an Architect for the City of Alexandria for the past 28 years in the Departments of Planning & Zoning and Code Administration. He was previously a partner in a small private practice in Texas focused on historic preservation and urban infill. Al has a B.Arch from Texas Tech, a Masters in Urban Design with a Certificate in Preservation from UVA and is licensed in Virginia.

### **Adrian J. King AIA, NCARB**

**Capital Projects Manager-DGS, City of Alexandria**

Adrian previously worked as the Architect of the University at Howard U and Architect for the Prince George's County School District. He has been with the City for the past 12 years as the Capital Project Manager for the Department of General Services, managing CIP and CFMP projects throughout the City.

He was previously the sole proprietor of a small private firm focused on new construction, tenant fit out, alterations and additions for medical facilities, retail and commercial, school and universities, single family and multi-family residential projects. Adrian has a B. Arch from Howard U and a Masters in Engineering from Catholic U. He is licensed in MD, DC, VA, FL and GA.

### **Sharon C. Park, FAIA, FAPT, LEED AP**

**Associate Director, Architectural History and Historic Preservation; Office of Planning, Design & Construction; Smithsonian Institution**

Sharon has been with the Smithsonian since 2007, providing both policy and technical review for infrastructure improvements and preservation approaches to the existing historic buildings on the Mall in Washington, DC, at the National Zoo, and at other Smithsonian sites. For the previous 25 years, she was an Architect for the National Park Service, serving as the Chief of Technical Preservation Services, Manager of the Historic Rehabilitation Tax Credit Program and author of numerous technical bulletins and Preservation Briefs. She has a B. Arch from Catholic U and a Masters in American Studies with a specialty in Historic Preservation from George Washington University. She is registered in DC, Virginia and Maryland.

### **Moderator**

**Theresa del Ninno, AIA – President, Maginniss + del Ninno Architects**

Theresa serves as President of Maginniss + del Ninno Architects in Alexandria, designing institutional projects in DC, Maryland and Virginia. She is engaged in her local community, having participated as a Board Member and Chair of the Parker Gray Board of Architectural Review. She is currently the Past President of the AIA NOVA chapter. She holds a B. Arch from the University of Notre Dame, and is licensed in MN, DC, MD and VA.