IIDA ILLINOIS CHAPTER’S LEADERS BREAKFAST A SUCCESS

October 27, 2011, Chicago, IL – The sold out IIDA Chicago Leaders Breakfast attracted more than 500 people to the event featuring keynote speaker Robyn Waters who presented “The Trendmaster’s Guide to Great Design,” Oct. 21 at The Palmer House. The breakfast honoree, Gina Berndt, IIDA, a Global Leader of Interior Design at Perkins + Will, was presented with the Leadership Award of Excellence. The IIDA Illinois Chapter President Pam McClelland, IIDA, LEED AP, and Director of Sponsorship, Michele Rust, Ind. IIDA, organized the event.

The breakfast was such a big hit that people were immediately talking about it. “I thought it was quite possibly the best in years! So many people commented during and after how wonderful the event went. That coffee hour was just packed and The Palmer House is such a special venue. Phenomenal job,” said Tom Peterson, Ind. IIDA, Tandus Flooring Regional Vice President.

For more information on the IIDA Chicago Leaders Breakfast or to get tickets for next year, contact Michele Rust at 312-961-0661 or by email, magic6474@aol.com.

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