IIDA MEMBERS SELECTED AS VISIONARIES
BY THE COUNCIL FOR INTERIOR DESIGN ACCREDITATION

August 18, 2006, Chicago, IL –The International Interior Design Association announces the appointment of seven members to serve as Visionaries for the Council for Interior Design Accreditation. The CIDA Board of Directors invited 15 individuals to help describe priorities for future interior design curriculum. Chosen for their well-informed, broad perspective, these thought leaders will join the Council Board of Directors at a Future Vision session in November 2006. They will consider trends and sort out the greatest need for change to interior design education.

IIDA participants include:

- Barbara Anderson, IIDA, Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS
- Shashi Caan, IIDA, Shashi Caan Design Collective, New York, NY
- Betsy S. Gabb, IIDA, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, NE (Council Board member)
- Denise Guerin, IIDA, University of Minnesota, St. Paul, MN
- Beth Harmon-Vaughan, FIIDA, Gensler, Phoenix, AZ (Council Board)
- Cathy L. Hendricks, IIDA, Executive Director, Texas Board of Architectural Examiners, Austin, TX
- Keith Hooks, IIDA, Hooks Design + Architecture, San Francisco, CA (Council Board)
- Cary D. Johnson, FIIDA, Gensler, Chicago, IL (Council Board)
- Sooz Klinkhamer, FIIDA, Kwantlen University College, Surrey, BC
- Pam Light, HOK, FIIDA, LEED AP, Los Angeles, CA
- Georgy Olivieri, Industry IIDA, Vice President, Architecture and Design, Haworth, Chicago, IL (Council Board)
- Joseph Pettipas, IIDA, HOK Canada, Toronto, ON (Council Board)
- John Weigand, IIDA, Miami University, Oxford, OH (Council Board)
- Ken Wilson, IIDA, AIA, LEED AP, Envision, Washington, DC

Also serving are Allan Guinan, Figure 3 Network, Toronto, ON; Rachelle Schoessler Lynn, Walsh Bishop, Minneapolis, MN; BJ Peterson, Peterson Arce Design Group, West Hollywood, CA; Michael K. Souter, Luminae Souter Associates, San Francisco, CA (Council Board); Bill Black, National Director, Strategic Business Solutions, Haworth Canada, Calgary, AB; Janine James, President and Creative Director, The Moderns, New York, NY; Samantha Sannella, President and CEO, Design Exchange, Toronto, ON; Susan Szenasy, Editor in Chief, Metropolis Magazine, New York, NY (Council Board); Tim Cozzens, Columbia College, Chicago, IL; David Matthews, Ohio University, Athens, OH.

For more information about the Council or the Vision process, visit www.accredit-id.org.

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IIDA is a professional networking and educational association of 12,000 Members in nine specialty Forums and more than 30 Chapters around the world. Additional information is available on IIDA’s website www.iida.org.