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# Precast Concrete Building and Transportation Projects Honored with 2025 PCI Design Awards

CHICAGO, January 14, 2025 - A university building where students learn about concrete, an eye-catching highrise in Canada, and a location in Nebraska made famous by an Oscar-winning movie are some of the captivating projects honored with 2025 PCI Design Awards, presented by the Precast/Prestressed Concrete Institute (PCI).

For 62 years, the PCI Design Awards have showcased and recognized creative and innovative uses of precast concrete. Panels of engineers, architects, and precast concrete producers judge all submittals. The buildings and transportation categories are judged on aesthetic, structural, and use versatility; site, energy and operational efficiency, and risk reduction; and resiliency, such as structure durability, multi-hazard protection, and life safety and health.

Several projects are also honored with special awards. These are judged on similar criteria to the building and transportation projects, as well as additional requirements, including industry advancement, sustainable design, technology, and designs using all-precast concrete solutions. These are the Harry H. Edwards Industry Advancement Award, the Building Information Modeling (BIM) Award, the Sustainable Design Award, and the All-Precast Concrete Solution Award.

"This year's winning projects leave no doubt that precast concrete is the construction material of choice for a wide variety of building and transportation projects," said PCI President and CEO Bob Risser, P.E. "The projects demonstrate precast concrete's superior sustainable, resilient, aesthetic attributes. Congratulations to all of the winners."

Winning projects will be recognized on February 6 at the 2025 PCI Convention in Indianapolis, Ind. PCI publications, including *Ascent, PCI Journal*, and *ASPIRE* magazines, will also feature the winning projects.

Photos of all projects are available by emailing <u>tbagsarian@pci.org</u>.

View all of this year's winners and honorable mentions. View past winners.

## 2025 PCI Designs Awards Winning Projects – Specials

Harry H. Edwards Industry Advancement Award Co-winner and Bridge with a Main Span from 76-200 Feet Harkers Island Bridge Replacement Harkers Island, N.C. Coastal Precast Systems

## Harry H. Edwards Industry Advancement Award Co-winner and Higher Education/University Building

MTSU School of Concrete and Construction Management Murfreesboro, Tenn. GATE Precast

#### **All-Precast Concrete Solution Award**

43 Green Phase 1 Chicago, III. Dukane Precast Inc.

#### **Building Information Modeling (BIM) Award**

Teterboro ATCT Teterboro, N.J. Unistress Corp.

## Sustainable Design Award and Healthcare/Medical Building

Baptist Hospital Campus Pensacola, Fla. GATE Precast

## Special Awards Jury

Mary Ann Griggas-Smith, PE, FPCI, engineering director, Tindall Corporation Timothy Hawk, FAIA, partner, WSA Studio Jordan Watkins, PE, CEO, PTAC

#### 2025 PCI Design Awards Winning Projects – Buildings

#### **Convention Meeting Facilities**

Gas South District Convention Center Addition & Renovation Duluth, Ga. GATE Precast

#### **Government and Public**

General Assembly Building Richmond, Va. GATE Precast

#### **International Building**

Odea Montréal Montreal, Canada Saramac

#### Mixed-Use

The Crossing at Jamaica Station Queens, N.Y. Global Precast Inc.

#### **Multi-Family**

Lofts on Grove Grand Rapids, Mich. Fabcon

#### Office

Educational Media Foundation Headquarters Franklin, Tenn. GATE Precast

## **All-Precast Concrete Parking Structure**

University of California Davis Health Parking Structure IV Sacramento, Calif. Clark Pacific

> Parking Structure (Façade Only) 7001 Burnet Road Austin, Texas GATE Precast

**Religious Structure** The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints Temple Tallahassee, Fla. GATE Precast

> School (K-12) Boys Town Education Center Boys Town, Neb. Enterprise Precast Concrete

## Theater

Wildflower Studios Astoria, N.Y. Universal Concrete Products

## **Custom Solution**

Duke University Central Campus Chilled Water Plant #3 Durham, N.C. GATE Precast

## **Building Awards Jury**

Dusty Andrews, PE, FPCI, engineering director, Knife River Prestress Suzanne Aultman, PE, SE, FPCI, vice president of engineering, Metromont Corporation Tony McConnell, senior associate, Robert A. M. Stern Architects LLP Michael Novendstern, AIA, NCARB, studio practice manager and partner, HKS Inc.

## 2025 PCI Design Awards Winning Projects – Transportation

Bridge with a Main Span up to 75 Feet I-5 Over 26th Avenue Bridge Replacement Project Portland, Ore. Knife River Prestress

## Bridge with a Main Span from 76-200 Feet

Blue Hill Falls Bridge Over Salt Pond Outlet Blue Hill, Maine J.P. Carrara & Sons Inc.

## **Non-Highway Bridge**

Robert F. Kennedy Pedestrian/Cycle Bridge New York, N.Y. The Fort Miller Co. Inc.

## **Transportation Special Solution**

SR 519 Seattle Ferry, Multimodal Terminal at Coleman Dock Seattle, Wash. Concrete Technology Corporation

## Transportation Awards Jury

David Garber, PhD, PE, senior structural engineer, Federal Highway Administration Francesco (Frank) Russo, PhD, PE, founder and principal, Russo Structural Services Lee Wegner, regional sales manager, Contech Engineered Solutions LLC

#### About PCI

Founded in 1954, The Precast/Prestressed Concrete Institute (PCI) is a technical institute for the precast concrete structures and systems industry. PCI develops maintains, and disseminates the Body of Knowledge for the design, fabrication, and construction of precast concrete structures and systems. PCI develops consensus base standards, industry handbooks, quality assurance programs, certification, research and development projects, design manuals, continuing education, and periodical publications. PCI members include precast concrete producers, erectors, suppliers, professional engineers and architects, educators, students, and industry consultants who complement the wide range of knowledge of precast concrete. For more information, visit <u>pci.org/howprecastbuilds</u>.