

# EXCELLENCE IN CONCRETE AWARDS



# ABOUT THE PROGRAM

- RMACI Excellence in Concrete Awards program has been in existence for 50 Years
- Recognize Excellence in Architectural and Structural Design as well as Unique, Innovative, and Sustainable uses of Concrete in Colorado construction projects
- Program revised in 2016 with industry input

# CALL FOR ENTRIES

ACI Rocky Mountain Chapter

## 2020 Excellence in Concrete Awards



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## ENTER

You Deserve to be recognized!

### ABOUT THE AWARDS PROGRAM

The American Concrete Institute is a global organization dedicated to the advancement of concrete technology through research and education. The Rocky Mountain Chapter ACI brings this same education and advancement of concrete technology to Colorado. As part of that mission the Rocky Mountain Chapter ACI hosts the Excellence in Concrete Awards. In its 51st year, the program recognizes excellence in architectural and structural design as well as the unique, innovative, and sustainable uses of concrete in Colorado construction projects.

### PROJECT RECOGNITION

The Rocky Mountain Chapter of ACI (RMACI) will recognize your professional accomplishments at the 2020 Excellence in Concrete Awards Banquet. **The banquet will be held at the Lakewood Country Club in April, 2020.** The three designated project team members for each project category will be presented with an attractive Excellence in Concrete Award at the banquet. All projects submitted will receive recognition at the awards banquet; however, winners are held confidential until the night of the event. The RMACI will also send press releases to local and national industry related publications including the American Concrete Institute's *Concrete International* magazine.

The RMACI Board of Directors will select local project winners, the number at its discretion, for nomination to the ACI National 2020 Excellence in Concrete Construction Awards. The projects will compete in an international competition with awardees being recognized at the 2020 ACI Fall Concrete Convention and Exposition in Raleigh, North Carolina.

### ELIGIBILITY

Nominations will be accepted for projects completed in the state of Colorado from January 1, 2017, through December 31, 2019.

- ✓ Nominations are accepted from any person/firm involved in the project
- ✓ Project can utilize any type of Portland cement concrete -shotcrete, self consolidating, roller compacted, pervious
- ✓ Project construction can be standard forming, tilt-up, pre-cast, shotcrete, or cast-in-place
- ✓ Projects constructed in phases are eligible for competition at the completion of each phase as well as at the time of completion of the overall project.

### PROJECT CATEGORIES

Submittals are invited in the following categories:

- ✓ **Commercial/Industrial Buildings** - privately funded projects such as office buildings, hospitals, sports facilities, manufacturing or warehouse facilities, parking structures
- ✓ **Residential** - multi-family or single family
- ✓ **Civic Structures** - publicly funded projects such as schools, military facilities, community water parks
- ✓ **Infrastructure** - bridges, tunnels, roads, water and power resources
- ✓ **Flatwork/Paving** - parking lots, overlays, runways
- ✓ **Decorative Concrete** - floors, artwork, specialty architectural features
- ✓ **Restoration/Repair** - repair of existing concrete in lieu of replacement

*Building projects required to be substantially completed, i.e. TCO.*



### JUDGING

An invited panel of professionals from the engineering, construction, concrete, and design disciplines will evaluate the project entries and select the winning project in each category. The decision of the judges is final. The RMACI and judging panel reserve the right to move an entry to another category and to present special merit awards. Entries will be judged based on the following criteria:

- ✓ Innovative construction techniques or solutions
- ✓ Innovative use of materials
- ✓ Engineering merit
- ✓ Architectural merit
- ✓ Sustainability and resilience
- ✓ Functionality and end use suitability
- ✓ Creativity and Ingenuity

*Refer to Criteria Guidelines for Judging and Definitions.*



## Submission Procedures 2020 Excellence In Concrete Awards

### WHAT TO SUBMIT:

1. Complete the Excellence in Concrete Awards Entry Form. Submitter needs to obtain the project owner's permission to submit the project and check the Owner's Consent box on the nomination form.
2. Please ensure the proper spelling of all company names on the nomination form as this information will be used for the engraving on the awards if the judging panel selects your project for an award.



3. Prepare the submission documents. **Project Facts & Project Description** are used by the judging panel to evaluate your project. **It is highly recommended that you collaborate with other members of the project team to provide the most comprehensive project description.** To view sample project descriptions, please visit the Chapter's website and click on the EIC Awards tab.
 

**Note:** The judging will be based solely on the documentation submitted with the entry - there are no site visits.

4. Photographs - please submit a minimum of 15 and a maximum of 25 photographs in jpg format. **Please note photographs taken by a professional photographer must include a photographer's release in order to be included in the submission. It is the responsibility of the submitter to obtain the release.** Once the nomination form is received by the RMACI office an email will be sent to the project submitter with instructions about how to upload the pictures to a Drop Box account. Pictures of the project throughout the entire construction process are preferred and should include a photo of the unobscured access. If available you may also submit time lapsed or drone video. **Please make sure that all photographs are devoid of any date stamps, company names, or company logos.** Photographs should be numbered with the project name, 1, project name, 2, etc.

5. Submit materials electronically to the Rocky Mountain Chapter of ACI at [rockymountainaci@outlook.com](mailto:rockymountainaci@outlook.com). **Deadline for submission is 5:00 p.m. on January 15, 2020.**

6. Please note that entering the competition constitutes your agreement that all materials submitted become the property of the Rocky Mountain Chapter of ACI and its industry partners. This material may be used by the Rocky Mountain Chapter of ACI or the American Concrete Institute for promotional purposes including, but not limited to, print materials, web content, or digital promotion without compensation to any of the members of the construction team. **The person submitting the entry is responsible for obtaining all necessary releases from all parties (owner, photographer, etc.) prior to entering the competition.**

**Entry form must be completed in entirety for submission of projects. Incomplete forms will not be accepted.**

If you have questions about the submission process, materials, or project description please contact Dawn Miller, RMACI Executive Director, at 703-203-7817 or [rockymountainaci@outlook.com](mailto:rockymountainaci@outlook.com).



Excellence In Concrete Awards Banquet - April, 2020





# PROJECT CATEGORIES

- Commercial/Industrial Buildings
- Residential
- Civic Structures
- Infrastructure
- Flatwork/Paving
- Decorative Concrete
- Restoration/Repair

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## Official Entry Form 2020 Excellence In Concrete Awards



### PROJECT INFORMATION

Name of Project: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Concrete Quantity (in cubic yards): \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Completion: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Construction Duration (month/year-month/year): \_\_\_\_\_

### PROJECT SUBMITTED BY:

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Company: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

### Owner Consent

By checking this box, submitter certifies they have communicated with the owner and received approval to submit this project for award nomination. All submission materials will become the sole property of the Rocky Mountain Chapter A/C. This sheet include the right to publish photographs and information without compensation.

### PROJECT CATEGORIES (SELECT ONE)

- Commercial/Industrial Buildings     Residential     Civic Structures  
 Infrastructure     Flatwork/Paving     Decorative Concrete  
 Restoration/Repair

### PROJECT FACTS (150 - 200 words)

Please submit a word document with your nomination titled "Project Facts: (Project Name)" that outlines the basic project information. Include information such as project size, scope, span length, duration of construction, cubic yards of concrete in project, concrete strength, etc.

### PROJECT DESCRIPTION (200-500 Words)

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- Project description should include an overview of the project including:
- Unique or unusual structural or architectural concrete features (specific finishes, shapes, or project properties)
  - Concrete material innovations (high performance concrete, special admixtures, special reinforcing, coatings, etc.)
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  - Project challenges i.e. accessibility, historical limitations, agency requirements, environmental factors

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### PROJECT CONSTRUCTION TEAM MEMBERS (All award engraving will be based on the information supplied below)

Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Architect: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Engineer: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Contractor: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Concrete Supplier: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Concrete Contractor: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

### \*OPTIONAL - Additional Significant Project Contributor

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**Submission Deadline: January 15, 2020**

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### PROJECT AWARD INFORMATION

Please indicate which photograph you would like used for the Award if your project is chosen as a winner. Photograph must be a landscape orientation. (Example: project name.1)

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Please indicate the **three** team members who will receive the Excellence in Concrete Award:

Owner     Architect     Engineer     Contractor     Concrete Supplier     Concrete Contractor

Testing/Insp.     Other \_\_\_\_\_

*Additional Excellence in Concrete Awards will be available for purchase from RMACI for the other members of the construction team after the Awards banquet. Advance payment of \$85/award for the additional awards will be required.*

**Thank you for your submission!**

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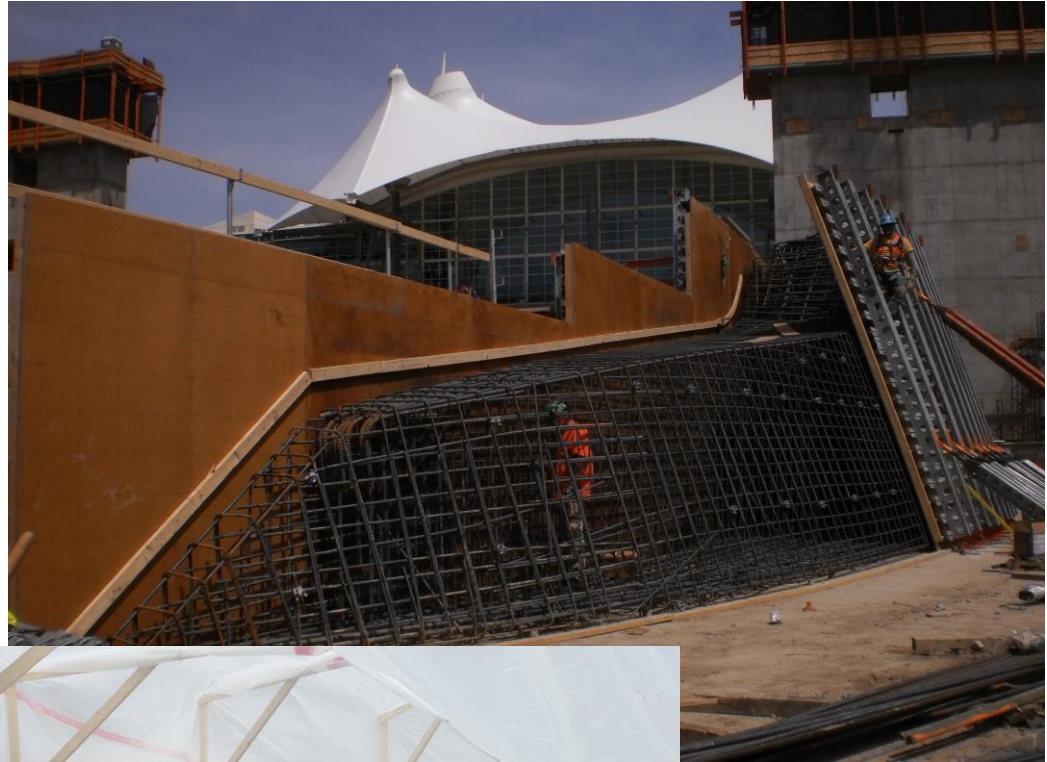
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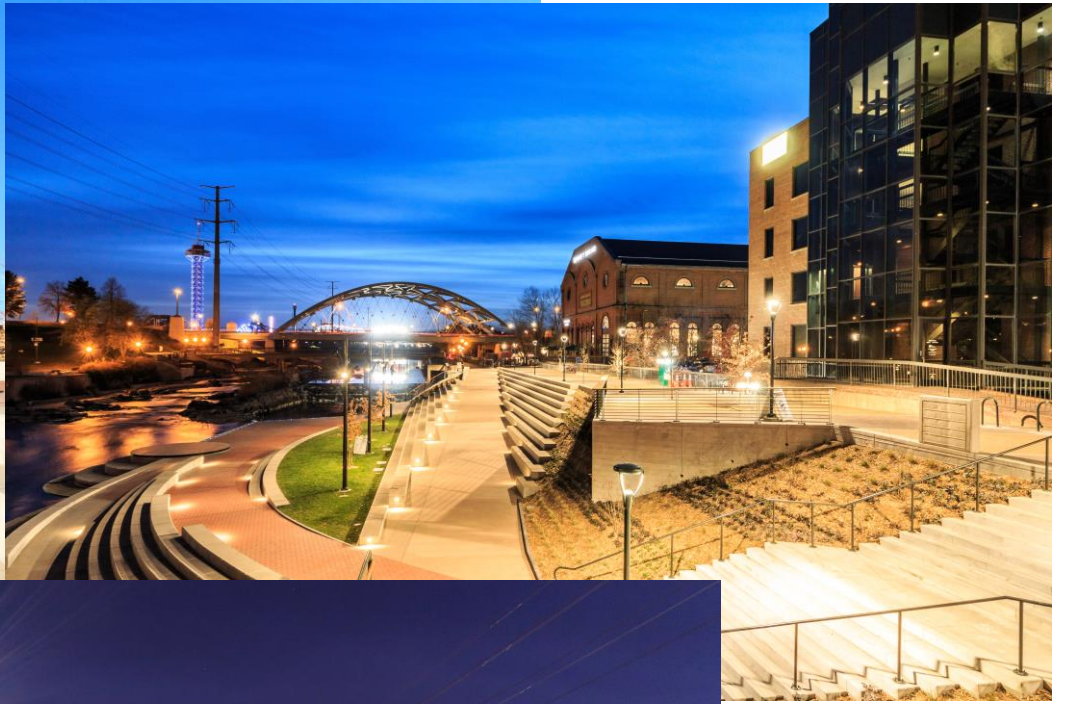
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# JUDGING CRITERIA

- Uniqueness and/or innovative applications of new and/or existing concrete construction techniques
- Uniqueness and/or innovative applications of new and/or existing concrete science and materials
- Unique and or innovative engineering design and solutions of concrete components and structures.
- Inspiring and creative architectural designs that showcase concrete as a flexible, versatile, and aesthetically pleasing material.
- Economic and sustainable development considerations.
- Complexity of design and/or construction.
- Successful fulfillment of client/owner needs.



# EXCELLENCE IN CONCRETE AWARDS BANQUET



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## RESIDENTIAL



### THE GRAND

**Owner:** Shorenstein

**Architect:** Shears Adkins Rockmore Architects

**Engineer:** Jirsa Hedrick & Associates, Inc.

**Contractor:** Saunders Construction, Inc.

**Concrete Supplier:** Martin Marietta

**Concrete Contractor:** Saunders Construction, Inc.

### LAKEHOUSE

**Owner:** NAVA Real Estate Development

**Architect:** RNL Design

**Engineer:** KI&A

**Contractor:** GH Phipps Construction Companies

**Concrete Supplier:** Ready Mixed Concrete

**Concrete Contractor:** GH Phipps Concrete  
Services



# PROJECT TEAM AWARDS









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# PROJECT CATEGORIES

- Low-Rise (up to three stories)
- Mid-Rise (4-15 stories)
- High-Rise (more than 15 stories)
- Infrastructure
- Repair and Restoration
- Decorative



## 2016 Excellence Awards Judges



Roberto Afif



Corina-Marie Aldea



Ron Klemencic



Richard Maimon



Jeffery Rodgers



















**The Challenge**  
 2019  
 Gutter Millers  
 Library  
 First Place  
 AIA Excellence  
 in Construction  
 Commercial Building  
 2019  
 Sponsored by  
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**The Challenge**  
 2019  
 Metro State  
 University of Denver  
 Aerospace &  
 Engineering  
 Building  
 Second Place  
 AIA Excellence  
 in Construction  
 Commercial Building  
 2019  
 Sponsored by  
 Realty Executives Chicago - AIA

**The Challenge**  
 2019  
 Midlars  
 Bridge  
 First Place  
 AIA Excellence  
 in Construction  
 Commercial Building  
 2019  
 Sponsored by  
 Gensler Chicago - AIA  
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**The Challenge**  
 2019  
 Goethals Bridge  
 Reinforcement  
 Project  
 Second Place  
 AIA Excellence  
 in Construction  
 Commercial Building  
 2019  
 Sponsored by  
 Gensler Chicago - AIA  
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**The Challenge**  
 2019  
 Public Works  
 Restoration of the  
 Poyne  
 First Place  
 AIA Excellence  
 in Construction  
 Commercial Building  
 2019  
 Sponsored by  
 Gensler Chicago - AIA  
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**The Challenge**  
 2019  
 Lake Placid  
 Parkway  
 Rejuvenation  
 Project  
 First Place  
 AIA Excellence  
 in Construction  
 Commercial Building  
 2019  
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 Gensler Chicago - AIA  
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**The Challenge**  
 2019  
 General Tower  
 First Place  
 AIA Excellence  
 in Construction  
 Commercial Building  
 2019  
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 Gensler Chicago - AIA  
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**The Challenge**  
 2019  
 Station of Unity  
 Second Place  
 AIA Excellence  
 in Construction  
 Commercial Building  
 2019  
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**The Challenge**  
 2019  
 King Abdulaziz  
 Center for World  
 Culture (KWCC)  
 First Place  
 AIA Excellence  
 in Construction  
 Commercial Building  
 2019  
 Sponsored by  
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**The Challenge**  
 2019  
 MGM National  
 Harbor  
 Second Place  
 AIA Excellence  
 in Construction  
 Commercial Building  
 2019  
 Sponsored by  
 Gensler Chicago - AIA  
 Hosted/Coined by  
 Realty Executives Chicago - AIA

**The Challenge**  
 2019  
 Hummel Park  
 Project - Design & Build of  
 Visitors Center  
 First Place  
 AIA Excellence  
 in Construction  
 Commercial Building  
 2019  
 Sponsored by  
 Gensler Chicago - AIA  
 Hosted/Coined by  
 Realty Executives Chicago - AIA

**The Challenge**  
 2019  
 Anacostia Church  
 Second Place  
 AIA Excellence  
 in Construction  
 Commercial Building  
 2019  
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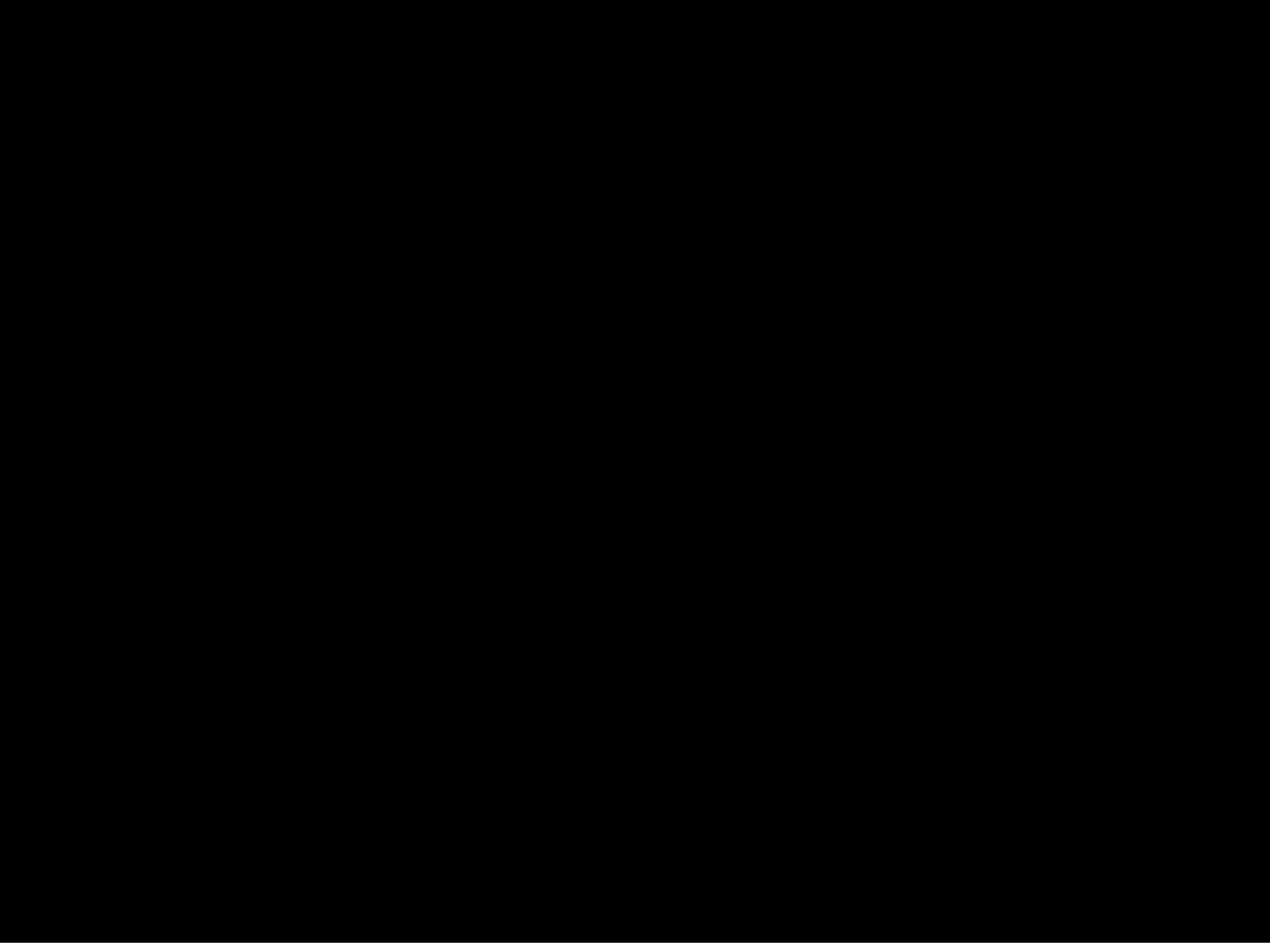
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Building

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