

BOARD MEETING
October 28, 2022

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Ernesto Buch
Case No. 2021-047957

The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order imposing costs of \$135.00 and suspension until compliance against Ernesto Buch’s license to practice architecture. Mr. Buch failed to provide proof of the required continuing education requirements and pay the fines and costs totaling \$1,135.00 required by Final Order entered on March 4, 2021.

Jacqueline Cantwell
Case No. 2022-028515

The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order approving a settlement stipulation imposing a fine of \$500.00 plus costs and 17 hours of continuing education against Jacqueline Cantwell’s license to practice interior design. Ms. Cantwell affirmed at renewal that she had completed the required hours and only provided 13 hours of continuing education during the audit period.

Spyros Drivas
Case No. 2022-025135

The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order approving a settlement stipulation imposing costs of \$330.00 and suspension until compliance against Spyros Drivas’ license to practice architecture. Mr. Drivas affirmed at renewal that he had completed the required hours and did not provide any hours of continuing education during the audit period.

Rebecca Gates
Case No. 2022-017894

The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order approving a settlement stipulation imposing costs of \$390.00 and suspension until compliance against Rebecca Gates’ license to practice architecture. Ms. Gates failed to pay fines and costs of \$1,210.00 required by Final Order entered on November 9, 2021.

Steven Matable
Case No. 2022-033725

The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order accepting a voluntary relinquishment of Steven Matable's license to practice interior design.

Jorge Mateo
Case No. 2021-058579

The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order approving a settlement stipulation imposing costs of \$750.00 and suspension until compliance against Jorge Mateo's license to practice interior design. Mr. Mateo failed to pay fines and costs of \$1,195.00 or complete 40 hours of continued education as required by Final Order entered on March 5, 2021.

Michael D. Miller
Case No. 2020-044513

The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order accepting a voluntary relinquishment of Michael D. Miller's license to practice architecture.

Michael McMillin
Lotus Architecture
Case No. 2022-011542
2022-011540

The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order approving a settlement stipulation imposing costs of \$750.00 and a reprimand against Michael McMillin's license to practice architecture. Mr. McMillin previously qualified Louts Architecture however neither his license number nor name appeared on the firm web site.

Stephen Page
Case No. 2021-058588

The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order approving a settlement stipulation imposing a fine of \$1,000.00 plus costs and 37 hours of continuing education against Stephen Page's license to practice interior design. Mr. Page failed to pay fines and costs of \$1,135.00 or complete 40 hours of continued education as required by Final Order entered on March 8, 2021.

Luis Javier Rivera
Case No. 2022-025873

The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order approving a settlement stipulation imposing a fine of \$500.00 plus costs and 21.5 hours of continuing education against Luis Javier Rivera's license to practice architecture. Mr. Rivera affirmed at renewal that he had completed the required hours and only provided 14.5 hours of continuing education during the audit period.

Taylor Smith
Case No. 2022-026360

The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order approving a settlement stipulation imposing a fine of \$500.00 plus costs and 19.5 hours of continuing education against Taylor Smith's license to practice architecture. Mr. Smith affirmed at renewal that he had completed the required hours and only provided 16.5 hours of continuing education during the audit period.

Dereck Winning
Case No. 2021-038834

The Florida Board of Architecture and Interior Design agreed to enter a final order imposing a fine of \$4,000.00 plus costs against Dereck Winning. Mr. Winning is not licensed to practice architecture and contracted to provide architectural drawings for a commercial project. Further, Mr. Winning is using an architectural seal on his drawings.