



## BALLOT

### For the 2011 Arizona Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects

The Nominating Committee unanimously recommends the following slate of candidates for 2011. Each candidate has indicated their willingness to serve and has agreed to have his/her name placed on the ballot. Information on each candidate is enclosed.

*Vote for One Candidate per Office:*

*Write-Ins:*

PRESIDENT-ELECT

- Mike Park  
 Joy Lyndes

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CENTRAL SECTION VICE PRESIDENT CHAIR-ELECT

(Only Central Section members vote please)

- Amy Schuchert  
 Valerie Ahyong

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SOUTHERN SECTION VICE PRESIDENT CHAIR-ELECT

(Only Southern Section members vote please)

- Rebeca Field

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**You may vote for the entire slate as listed above:**

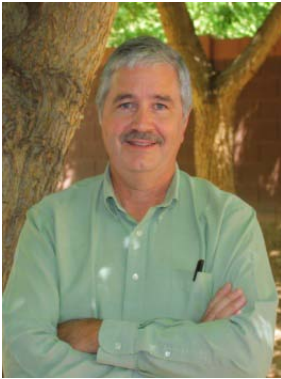
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**IN ORDER FOR YOUR BALLOT TO BE COUNTED PLEASE...**

- Sign and print your name on the ballot above. You may also complete this interactive ballot & sign electronically
- Email your ballot to [khunt@j2design.us](mailto:khunt@j2design.us)
- Completed ballot must be received no later than Friday, September 16, 2011

**BALLOTS THAT ARE UNSIGNED WILL NOT BE COUNTED.**



**Position: President Elect**

**Mike Park**

*EPG, Inc. Phoenix, AZ*

**Background:** Since moving to the Phoenix area in 1986, I have practiced landscape architecture at two international multi-discipline engineering firms and two large local architecture firms before joining EPG in 2007. During my 25-years in Arizona, I have served on non-profit organization boards and led sub-committees for various tasks. I look forward to the opportunity to mentor and learn from other Chapter volunteers and support their responsibilities.

**Vision or Goals for ASLA Arizona:**

My goals for the chapter include the growth of the Chapter following the 2012 National Meeting and supporting recognition and acceptance of the practice of landscape architecture by municipal governments as currently allowed by State Law.



**Position: President Elect**

**Joy Lyndes**

*Kimley-Horn & Associates, Inc. Tucson, AZ*

**ASLA/Community Involvement:** Joy is an active professional leader as exhibited in her two term appointment by the Governor to the Arizona Board of Technical Registration and CLARB; her ongoing contribution to the Arizona Board of Technical Registration Legislative and Rules Subcommittee; her support of ASLA National and AZ Chapter through her continued membership, her leadership on historic landscape issues as AZ ASLA's HALS representative, and her annual ROVE participation in LAAB accreditation review; and her participation on the University of Arizona College of Architecture & Landscape Architecture Dean's Advisory Council. As the past sole owner of SAGE Landscape Architecture & Environmental, and current Associate role with Kimley Horn & Associates, she is versed in budgets and business plans and understands fiduciary responsibilities, business practices and professional goals.

**Background, Vision or Goals for ASLA Arizona:**

Landscape architects, designers, students and teachers all over Arizona are facing unprecedented challenges in areas of municipal budgets, private practice, and educational support. Challenges represent opportunities, and our training as landscape architects positions us to respond to these challenges through creative problem solving and partnership building. There is no better time than now to engage with our vibrant and politically effective national professional body – ASLA - to turn challenge into opportunity through governance, volunteerism, outreach, and education and to define a future for landscape architecture which is central to improved public health, enhanced quality of life, sustained economic vitality and the betterment of our planet.

*ASLA's Mission is to lead, to educate, and to participate in the careful stewardship, wise planning, and artful design of our cultural and natural environments. Extensive and*

fundamental framework building has occurred over the past years by ASLA through state and chapter level leadership, which will be carried forward through my leadership, and expanded in response to new challenges, opportunities and the professional needs of our membership. Through over 25 years of landscape architectural practice in Arizona, I have had the opportunity to build longstanding relationships with both the UofA and ASU professional programs, leadership and faculty; connections with municipal and agency professionals throughout the state; knowledge of the private development and residential design areas of practice, and build a respect for the breadth of our profession. With your support I would like to serve the state of Arizona in this leadership role for ASLA, and in turn ask you to engage with ASLA – together we can make a positive impact on our communities and profession.



**Position: Central Section Vice President Chair Elect**  
**Amy Schuchert**  
*Logan Simpson Design*

**ASLA/Community Involvement:** If I'm elected then I'd see it as a way to continue to mature in the profession even in this economy and have more opportunity to reach out to the chapter and continue to grow the NLAM activities in a way that as a member alone can be difficult.



**Position: Central Section Vice President Chair Elect**  
**Valerie Ah Yong**  
*URS Corporation*

**ASLA/Community Involvement:** Has been actively involved in the student ASU chapter continuing to build the nexus between the students and professionals; Valerie has ample event planning experience having coordinated many events where students and professionals have interfaced; she has also been involved with the Az Gala planning and implementation



**Position: Southern Section Vice President Chair Elect**  
**Rebeca Field**  
*Kimley-Horn & Associates, Inc.*

**ASLA/Community Involvement:** Rebeca has been actively involved in the Southern Section Arizona Chapter of the ASLA for the past 10 years and has attended numerous Chapter luncheons, symposiums and social events. She is also assisting with the HALS program in 2011. She has spoken at an Arizona ASLA Symposium held in connection with the Annual Awards Gala.