



MICHAEL A. BARBER, ASSOC. IALD, LEED AP BD + C

Principal

Experience:

Michael Barber joined The Lighting Practice in 1995 and became a principal of the firm in 2004. He has designed lighting for healthcare, education, corporate and retail environments. In addition, he has conducted lighting energy audits for approximately 20 million square feet of academic, hospitality, and manufacturing facilities. Michael acts as the firm's sustainable design coordinator, working with the staff to maximize their design vision while minimizing the impact to the environment.

He is an Associate Member of the International Association of Lighting Designers (IALD) and participates on the Energy and Sustainability committee. He served for over a decade as an assistant adjunct professor in the Architecture Department at Drexel University and has lectured in the Master of Science in Sustainable Design program at Philadelphia University.

Education:

Bachelor of Architectural Engineering, The Pennsylvania State University

Professional Awards:

- *IES International Illumination Awards, Award of Merit - 1999 - 2003, 2007 - 2009, 2012 - 2016, 2020, 2022*
- *International Interior Design Association*
 - *Best of Category, Healthcare: Saint Barnabas Cooperman Family Pavilion - PA/NJ/DE Chapter, 2018*
 - *Exemplary Element Award: GlaxoSmithKline Philadelphia Navy Yard - PA/NJ/DE Chapter, 2013*
 - *Best Interior Design: Young Conaway Stargatt & Taylor, LLP - PA/NJ/DE Chapter, 2012*
 - *Best of Category, Healthcare: Atlanticare Regional Medical Center - Philadelphia Section, 2008*
 - *Best of Category, Law Firm: Morris James, LLP - Philadelphia Section, 2008*
- *Institute of Store Planners/Visual Merchandising & Store Design*
 - *Special Award: Burdines Store, Florida Mall*
 - *Award of Merit: Portland Public Market*
- *Shop! Environments Association*
 - *Gold Award, Supermarket/Grocery Store: Landmark Filinvest, 2018*

Professional Activities & Organizations:

- *LEED Accredited Professional - Building Design + Construction*
- *IALD - Associate Member, Member of Energy & Sustainability Committee*
- *Adjunct Professor - Drexel University, Department of Architecture, 1997 - 2000, 2004 - 2011*