

Diane Hays, FAIA, began her professional career in San Antonio in 1985 following the completion of her education in both interior design and architecture. In addition to professional practice, Diane joined the faculty at UTSA in 1992 where she merges professional practice with architecture, interior design and construction. She is an award-winning architect and educator, elevated to AIA College of Fellows in 2010, the highest honor bestowed on architectural professionals. Her contributions are recognized by AIA National, Texas Architects, International Interior Design Association, and the American Society of Interior Design. Professor Hays' students have received academic and professional awards, have been featured in professional journals, and many former students are now global leaders in their respective fields.