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21ST ANNUAL AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE EDITION

FALL 2011





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as a conduit for knowledge to everyone engaged in the construction industry.

Each of the 45 projects showcased in this edition of *The Benchmark* confirms that BC Chapter members produce outstanding architectural woodwork.

We have booked the 2012 Awards for September 20th at the Vancouver Convention Centre West. Don't miss it!

Moira Rowan



Congratulations to all the winners of the 2011 AWMAC BC Awards of Excellence. This event is the largest of its kind and is growing by the year.

We encourage you to start thinking about which projects to submit for next year as it provides a fantastic opportunity to showcase your work and to invite your clients to a premiere event at the expense of the Association. Many thanks to all those who helped make this year's Awards a huge success!

Special thanks to Moira, Lezelle and Christina for a job well done.

Mike Harskamp

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## 21st Annual Awards of Excellence

Introducing the winners.....

### Above and Beyond Award

In 2008, **Steve Glegg** of Stirling Woodworks envisioned a green initiative in the architectural woodwork industry. Steve piloted the Sustainable Architectural Woodwork (SAW) certification program from conception to its successful launch in 2011!

*Past President Frank Beck presents the Above and Beyond Award to Steve Glegg.*



### Sales Representative of the Year Award

Awarded to **Steve Mahovlic** of Hardwoods Specialty Products. Steve provided the best, most prompt and professional service to manufacturer members during the year 2010.

*Steve Mahovlic receives the Sales Rep of the Year Award from Tony Lucas, last year's recipient.*



### Supplier of the Year Award

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2011 AWMAC BC Board of Directors

**Left to right:** Steve Glegg, Special Projects; Robert Macdonell, GIS & Vice President; Moira Rowan, BC Executive Director; Jim Taylor, AWMAC Director; Frank Beck, Membership & Past President; Martin Berryman, Special Projects; Rudy Solar, Apprenticeship & Education; Rudy Bardeck, Finance; Tony Lucas, Marketing  
*Absent from photo:* Mike Harskamp, President



# ED FIELDER AWARD

FOR OVERALL EXCELLENCE IN QUALITY AND SERVICE ON A LARGE PROJECT

|          |                                 |
|----------|---------------------------------|
| Project  | Delta Hospice                   |
| Location | Delta BC                        |
| AWMAC    | CWC Architectural Millwork 2007 |
| Designer | DA Architects + Planners        |
| GC       | Kindred Construction            |



Dan Vaandrager of  
**CWC Architectural Millwork 2007**  
receives the Ed Fielder Award from  
Gordon Richards, President, AIBC.



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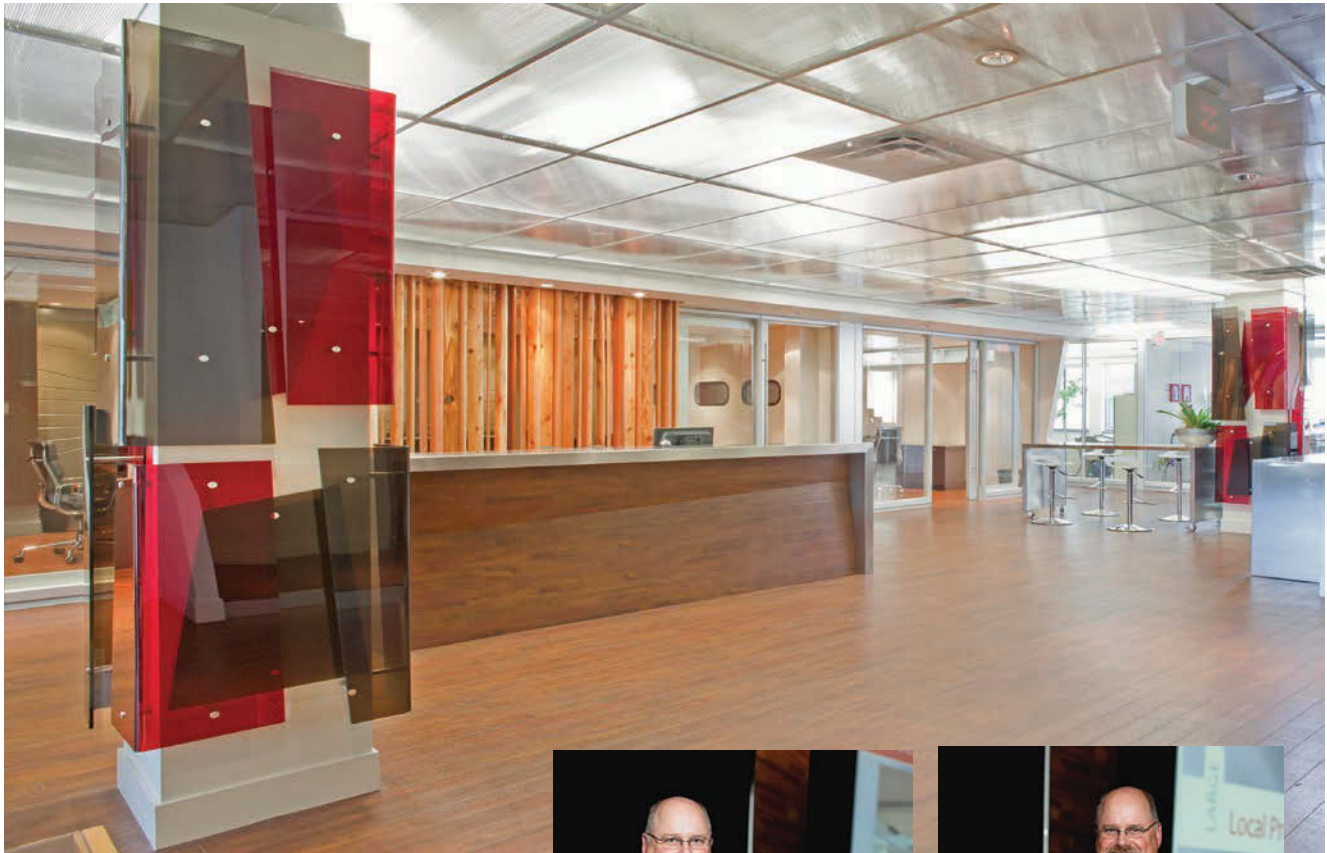
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# ED RUSSELL AWARD

FOR OVERALL EXCELLENCE IN QUALITY AND SERVICE ON A SMALL PROJECT

|          |                          |
|----------|--------------------------|
| Project  | Camp Fiorante Matthews   |
| Location | Vancouver BC             |
| AWMAC    | Pacific Woodworking      |
| Designer | False Creek Design Group |
| GC       | Amacon Construction      |



John van Vliet of Pacific Woodworking receives the Ed Russell Award from Alyssa Myshok, President, IDIBC.



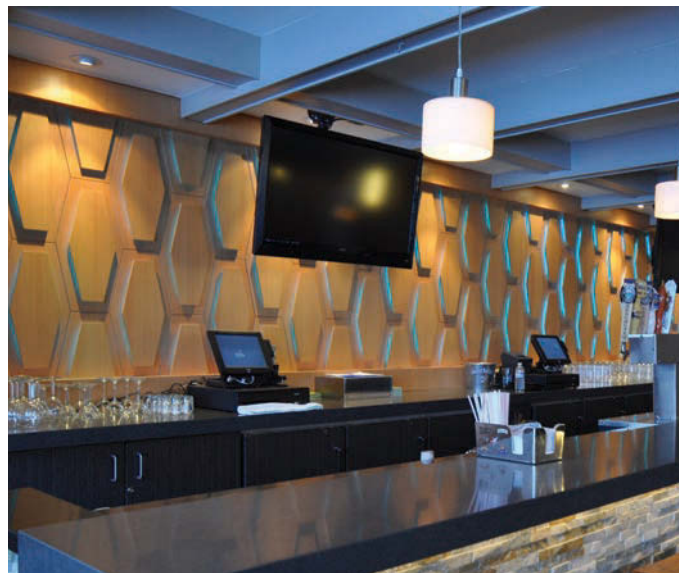


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### Excellence in SERVICE | GOLD

Project | Back Bar Feature Wall  
Location | Squaw Valley CA  
AWMAC | Wanes Custom Woodworks  
Designer | Three Dimensional Services  
GC | DCS



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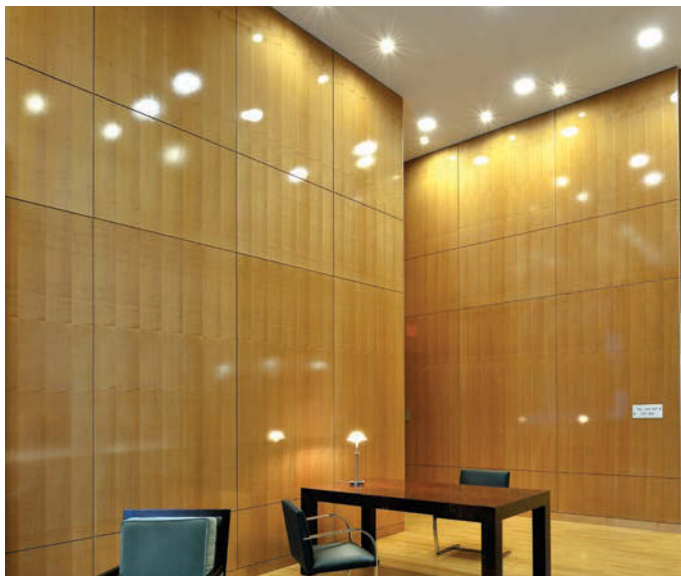


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### Excellence in **QUALITY** | **GOLD**

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|----------|--|
| Project  | Tapestry at Wesbrook Village UBC           |
| Location | Vancouver BC                               |
| AWMAC    | <b>The Artek Group</b>                     |
| Designer | Hopping Kovach Grinnell Design Consultants |
| GC       | BOSA Construction                          |



### Excellence in **QUALITY** | **SILVER**

|          |                                       |
|----------|---------------------------------------|
| Project  | Joey Burnaby                          |
| Location | Burnaby BC                            |
| AWMAC    | <b>Acorn Wood Designs</b>             |
| Designer | Joey Restaurant Group In-House Design |
| GC       | Inline Construction                   |



### Excellence in **SERVICE** | **GOLD**

|           |                               |
|-----------|-------------------------------|
| Project   | UBC Buchanan A                |
| Location  | Vancouver BC                  |
| AWMAC     | <b>Wanes Custom Woodworks</b> |
| Architect | Busby Perkins + Will          |
| GC        | Scott Construction            |



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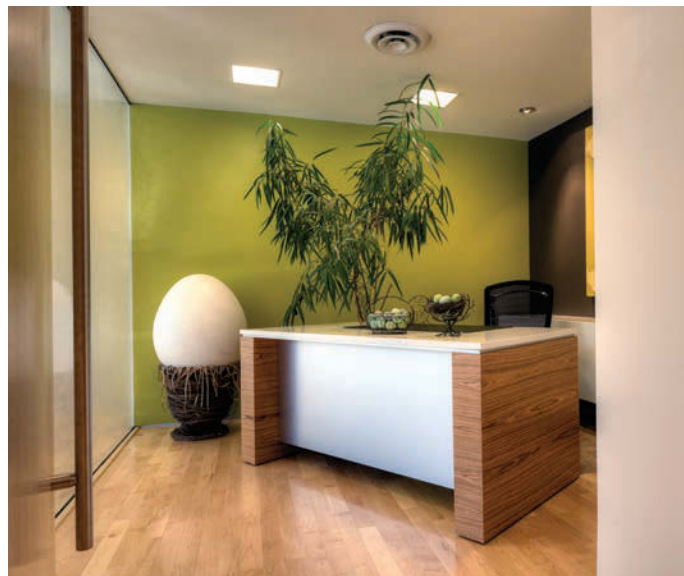
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| Project   | Delta Hospice                          |
| Location  | Delta BC                               |
| AWMAC     | <b>CWC Architectural Woodwork 2007</b> |
| Architect | DA Architects + Planners               |
| GC        | Kindred Construction                   |





### Excellence in **QUALITY** | **GOLD**

|                 |                                     |
|-----------------|-------------------------------------|
| <b>Project</b>  | East Side Mario's                   |
| <b>Location</b> | North Vancouver BC                  |
| <b>AWMAC</b>    | <b>Ebony Architectural Woodwork</b> |
| <b>Designer</b> | McMillan Design                     |
| <b>GC</b>       | P. Grace Construction               |



### Excellence in **QUALITY** | **SILVER**

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| <b>Project</b>   | Central Agricultural Facility   Boardroom  |
| <b>Location</b>  | Abbotsford BC                              |
| <b>AWMAC</b>     | <b>Benchmark Architectural Woodworking</b> |
| <b>Architect</b> | Iredale Group Architecture                 |
| <b>GC</b>        | Summit Brooke Construction                 |



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### Excellence in **SERVICE** | **GOLD**

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| Project  | Camp Fiorante Matthews   |
| Location | Vancouver BC             |
| AWMAC    | Pacific Woodworking      |
| Designer | False Creek Design Group |
| GC       | Amacon Construction      |



### Excellence in **SERVICE** | **GOLD**

|          |                        |
|----------|------------------------|
| Project  | iQmetrix               |
| Location | Vancouver BC           |
| AWMAC    | Wanes Custom Woodworks |
| Designer | SSDG Interiors         |
| GC       | Fusion Projects        |



### Excellence in **SERVICE** | **GOLD**

|          |                              |
|----------|------------------------------|
| Project  | Ocean Beach Hotel   Lounge   |
| Location | White Rock BC                |
| AWMAC    | Ebony Architectural Woodwork |
| Designer | SSDG Interiors               |
| GC       | Toni Veltri                  |



### Excellence in **SERVICE** | **GOLD**

|          |                         |
|----------|-------------------------|
| Project  | Local on Lonsdale       |
| Location | North Vancouver BC      |
| AWMAC    | Beckville Woodcrafts    |
| Designer | BYU Design              |
| GC       | Anthem Properties Group |



Excellence in **QUALITY** | **GOLD**

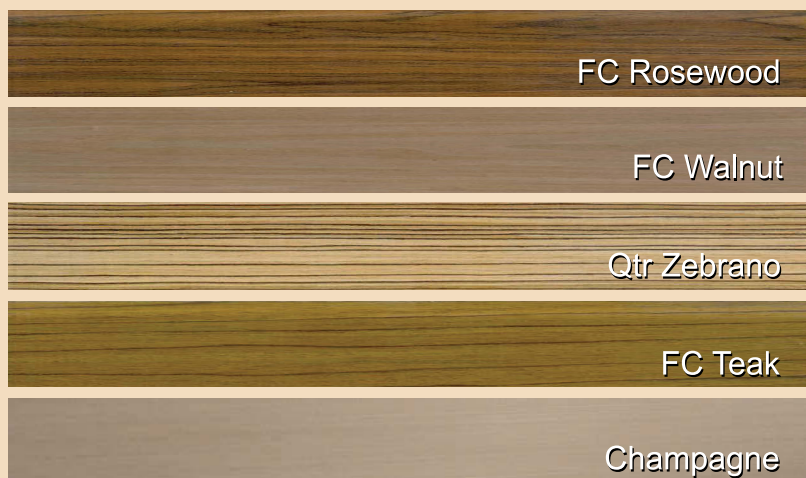
**Location** | Whistler BC  
**AWMAC** | **SOMA Furniture**  
**Designer** | Valerie Reed Design Consultant



Excellence in **SERVICE** | **GOLD**

**Location** | West Vancouver BC  
**AWMAC** | **Radius Architectural Millwork**  
**Architect** | Lamoureux Architect  
**GC** | Trueform Construction  
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 AWMAC | Feature Millwork  
 Designer | Pritchard Design Consultants



### Excellence in QUALITY | SILVER

Location | West Vancouver BC  
 AWMAC | Ars Ligneae-Custom Cabinets & Millwork  
 Architect | Lamoureux Architect  
 GC | WoodRose Homes



### Excellence in SERVICE | GOLD

Location | Vancouver BC  
 AWMAC | Stirling Woodworks  
 Designer | Hodgson Design Associates  
 GC | Lane Cove Construction



### Excellence in SERVICE | SILVER

Location | Cranbrook BC  
 AWMAC | Cranbrook Interior Woodwork  
 Designer | Brenda Crago's Interior Design  
 GC | New Dawn Developments

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**AMY HAGEDORN**  
receives the Kwantlen Design Award  
from Paola Gavilanez, Kwantlen  
Polytechnic University.



### AWMAC BC BCIT APPRENTICESHIP CONTEST



**NICK SHORT**  
of Radius Architectural Millwork receives  
the BC Apprenticeship Contest Award  
from Rudy Solar, Education Director.



## GUARANTEE & INSPECTION SERVICE AWARD



JSV Architectural Veneering & Millwork achieved a consistently high level of quality in projects that were inspected as part of the AWMAC Guarantee and Inspection Service Program.

Bob Dumas of JSV Architectural Veneering & Millwork receives the GIS Award from GIS Director Robert Macdonnell.



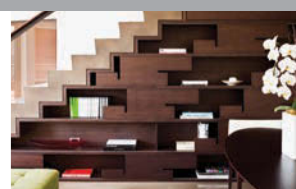
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# JACK SIGURDSON AWARD

FOR EXCELLENCE IN DESIGN OF ARCHITECTURAL WOODWORK

Project | Private Residence  
Location | West Vancouver BC  
Designer | **Lamoureux Architect**  
GC | Trueform Construction | BOSA Construction  
AWMAC | Radius Architectural Millwork



Frank Beck, AWMAC BC Membership Director presents the Jack Sigurdson Award to Brad Lamoureux of **Lamoureux Architect**.



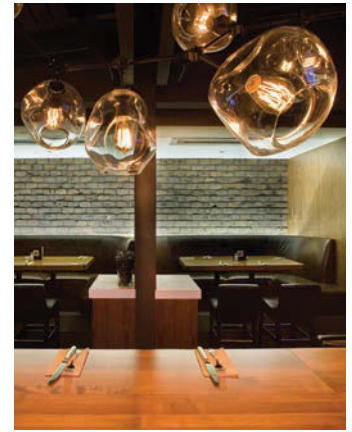
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Golden Tree Jewellers  
Langley BC



**Ace Architectural Millwork**  
Legacy Liquor Store  
Vancouver BC



**Acorn Wood Designs**  
Jewel Tower 1  
Burnaby BC



**Acorn Wood Designs**  
Joey Burnaby  
Burnaby BC



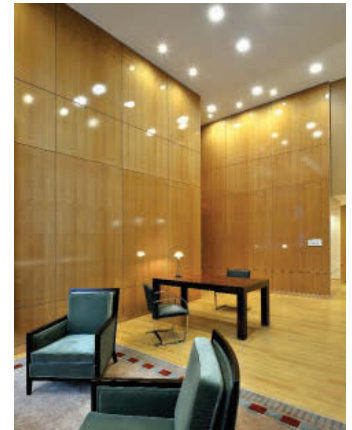
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**Apollo Industries**  
Discovery Parks Cafeteria  
Vancouver BC



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West Vancouver BC



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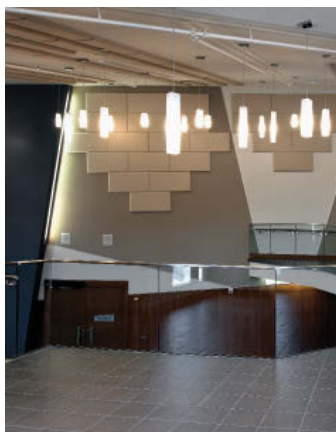
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Vernon BC



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Shawnigan Lake BC



Cutting Edge Woodworks  
Serious Coffee  
Nanaimo BC



CWC Architectural Millwork  
Delta Hospice  
Delta BC



CWC Architectural Millwork  
Innovative Fitness  
Abbotsford BC



Ebony Architectural Millwork  
East Side Mario's  
North Vancouver BC





**Ebony Architectural Millwork**  
Ocean Beach Hotel  
White Rock BC



**Feature Millwork**  
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Vancouver BC



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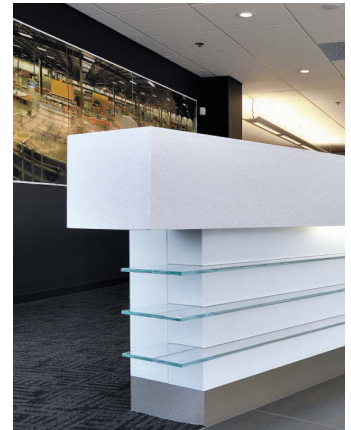
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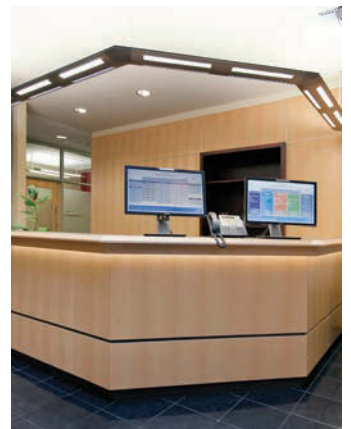
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