



Marvin is an NCARB-Certified Architect, and a Certified Interior Designer in Maplewood, New Jersey. He has been a member of the AIA since 1990, most recently serving on the AIANY Interiors Committee.

While consistently participating in AIA-NJ events, Marvin was energized by the collegial atmosphere of the membership and spirited enthusiasm of the leadership which ultimately impacted his decision to change his affiliation from AIA New York to AIA Newark Suburban Architects.

Since 2000, Marvin has become intimately familiar with the business of architecture as the owner of a small firm in Maplewood with his spouse and business partner Mary Rene Clawson, AIA. Marvin is known for his honesty and integrity when working with clients and his strategic planning and organizational skills when serving on professional, civic and community boards.

Marvin's professional board experience began with the Institute of Classical Architecture & Art (ICAA) Fellows where he served for over 10 years, holding positions such as Fellows President, Secretary and Treasurer. He has served on the Maplewood Township Economic Advisory Committee (EDAC) and Board of Directors for the Maplewood Village Alliance.

Now a Fellow Emeritus of the ICAA, he has shifted his focus to become more involved in the American Institute of Architects, specifically in and around New Jersey.

Marvin is excited about his membership and involvement with the AIA Newark Suburban Architects and strongly believes that the more an individual is involved in an organization, the more benefits he receives.

His platform is supporting our members through fiscal responsibility and education. Marvin has worked in large and small firms giving him a global perspective of the profession. He will work towards the goal that all members of the AIA-NJ feel valued by our leadership. Marvin will also work to reinforce the benefits that our organization provides our members and will strive to unite our collective voices in order to empower and sustain our membership. Marvin will focus on providing financial support to key initiatives that will advance the mission of our membership and promote an awareness of our influence in development of the built environment and in the lives of the people who occupy our buildings.

Marvin is thrilled to be nominated for a leadership position in the AIA-NJ and is excited about the opportunity to serve with his colleagues at the state level.

Your vote for Marvin Clawson for Treasurer of the AIA-NJ would be greatly appreciated.