

Clark David Manus, FAIA - CEO

Clark Manus, FAIA, as CEO of Heller Manus is an architect and urban/environmental designer whose work for 25 years continues to influence the character of San Francisco. Clark's experience encompasses a wide range of major new and reconstruction projects including residential, commercial, civic, rehabilitation/adaptive re-use, performance facilities, retail and urban design/planning in the San Francisco Bay Area. His unique manner of coalition building has orchestrated the design and building approval process in the San Francisco Bay Area. His architectural sensitivity has touched key building projects that include the renovation/restoration of San Francisco City Hall, 2,100 units of high-rise residential in San Francisco's newly evolving Rincon Hill Neighborhood and Downtown, San Francisco's Emergency Communications Center, and the Master Plan for Pleasant Hill Downtown.

Beyond the realm of his practice, Mr. Manus' leadership position on advocacy issues affecting policies and plans has helped preserve the urban fabric and encouraged respect for the historic and natural setting of the San Francisco Bay region. His chairmanship, for over a decade, of the San Francisco Mayor's Citizens' Advisory Committee on the Transbay Terminal Area, Central Embarcadero and Rincon Hill, are examples of his long-standing public contributions. He has received National AIA Honor Awards for Design and Urban Design. He represents California on the National AIA Board, was past President of AIA/San Francisco, an urban design critic at various universities, speaker, and published. He holds a Master's of Architecture from the University of Pennsylvania and a Bachelor's of Architecture in Environmental Design and Psychology from SUNY @ Buffalo.

A selection of his projects include:

San Francisco City Hall

Renovation/restoration of 1915 Beaux-Arts landmark, 500,000 SF

San Francisco 9-1-1 Emergency Communications Center

3-story, 55,000 SF, emergency facility, San Francisco, CA

The Metropolitan, San Francisco, CA

342-unit, twin high-rise 'Rincon hill' residential towers, 27 & 20-story, San Francisco, CA

Hotel Vitale, San Francisco, CA

Ferry Plaza Hotel 8-story, 200-room hotel, views of the bay, public transit integration

199 New Montgomery Street, San Francisco, CA

Historical District context for 165 high rise units above retail and below grade parking

300 Spear Street, San Francisco, CA

4-building 'Rincon hill' high rise residential complex, 655 units retail and below grade parking

University of California, Seismic Replacement Building 1, Berkeley, CA

3-story flex building of 75,000 SF

Park Chalet Restaurant, San Francisco, CA

Glass conservatory addition to landmark Beach Chalet within Golden Gate Park

Beach Chalet, San Francisco, CA

Environmental visitor's center and restaurant, 2-story landmark, 10,000 SF

White River Amphitheatre, Seattle, WA

Amphitheatre, 20,000-seats on 100 acres of Muckleshoot Indian Reservation

Club Quarters Hotel, San Francisco, CA

347-room hotel, 12-story, 130,000 SF

Costco Wholesale, San Francisco, CA

135,000 SF retail above 800-car garage

Sunnyvale Civic Center, Sunnyvale, CA

Concept Study for city hall; library; parking garage

Crescendo @ Riveroaks Village, San Jose, CA

2-story, 180 affordable condominiums

Ninth Street Center, San Francisco, CA

2-story retail center, with 140,000 SF

Pleasant Hill Downtown, Pleasant Hill, CA

42 acres; 1.2 million SF, retail, office, hotel, parking,

Mid-Embarcadero, San Francisco, CA

Concept Plan for urban design and roadway/open space

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Professional Activities

Board of Directors	AIA National, 2005
Board of Directors	AIA California, 2002-2004; 1994-1996;
President	American Institute of Architects/San Francisco (AIASF), 1994
V.P./President Elect	American Institute of Architects/San Francisco (AIASF), 1993
Board of Directors	AIASF, 1990-1992
Chair, Professional	AIASF Fellowship Committee, 2001,2002 AIASF Advocacy Committee, 1992-1991 AIASF Urban Design Committee, 1987-1990 Chair, AIASF Nominating Committee, 1995 AIASF, Design Professionals' Consortium, 1992 Board of Directors-Advocacy Commission, 1990-92 Board of Directors-Long Range Planning Committee, 1993-1995
Charrette Chair	AIASF DAT, The Embarcadero Freeway Replacement, 1990 AIASF DAT, Second Street Corridor Plan, 1990 AIASF Loma Prieta Earthquake Recovery Planning Charrette, 1989-1990 AIASF Civic Center Planning Committee, 1987
Steering Committee	Embarcadero Corridor Urban Design Charrette, 1985-86
Program Chair	AIA National Convention, "San Francisco Downtown Plan," 1985
Presenter	Wharton Urban Design AIA National Convention, "Architect as Advocates" 2002 AIA National Convention, "911" 1996
Member	AIASF-Chamber Urban Design Task Force on SF Downtown Plan, 1984
Program Author	AIAS International Design Competition for Embarcadero Freeway, 1992-91
Steering Committee	Citizen's Advisory Committee for Central Embarcadero, 1993-1991 AIASF DAT: Townscape Marin, 1992 AIASF DAT: "The Embarcadero Plan: Urban Design for SF Embarcadero," 1986
Organizing Com	SOMA (South of Market Association) Cornerstone Conference, 1989-90 AIASF City Planning Directors' (1989-1946) Forum, 1989
Chair, Government	SF Transbay Concept Plan Citizen's Advisory Committee, 1996-Present SF Transbay Transit Terminal Area Citizen's Advisory Committee, 1995 SF Terminal Separator/Transbay Terminal Consortium Working Group, 1993-1992 SF Terminal Separator/ Transbay Terminal Planning Consortium (DAT), 1993-1992
Chair 1996-present	SF Redevelopment Agency Transbay Concept Plan Citizen's Advisory Committee, Mayor's Transbay Transit Terminal Area Citizen's Advisory Committee (TAP), 1995 Terminal Separator Freeway Structure Ad-Hoc Citizen's Advisory Consortium, 1992 -1994
Member	SPUR City Planning and Development Committee, 1986-1995
Director	Citizen's Advisory Committee for the Central Embarcadero (CACEP), 1992-1993
Vice-Chair,	Mayor's Mid-Embarcadero Open Space Advisory Committee (MEOS), 1993 -1995
Vice Chair	SF Citizen's Advisory Committee, Mid-Embarcadero Open Space (MEOS), 1993
Member	Urban Land Institute Council on Tall Buildings and Urban Habitat Lambda Alpha San Francisco Planning and Urban Research (SPUR)
Board of Directors	San Francisco Friends of City Planning, 1994-2005
Appointed Member	AIA National Urban Design Committee, 1992-1991
Appointed Member	AIA California, Governmental Relations Committee, 1993-Present
Member	AIASF Urban Design Committee, 1993-1982
Member	Studio Critic Urban Design Studio, CA Polytechnic, San Luis Obispo, 1992-Present Speaker AIA National Grassroots Leadership Conference, 1991 San Francisco Leadership Council/Chamber of Commerce; SPUR, ULI