

ALUMNI eNEWSLETTER

No. 24

February 2021

In view of the cancellation/postponements of the 2021 VSA Summer Schools, the VSA Annual Meeting, and the VSA Study Tour, the Alumni Association is now planning to conduct our Annual Meeting virtually. Further details about our Annual Meeting will be forthcoming in future issues of the eNewsletter.

At the Alumni's 2021 Annual Meeting, we will need to conduct an election for the Officers and Board of Directors for the period January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2024. The terms of all current Officers and Directors of the Alumni Association will end on December 31, 2021.

Many thanks to the current leaders of the Alumni Association. Please see the following listing of our leaders. Without their volunteer efforts, the Alumni Association would not be able to function. To serve on the Alumni Board, an individual must be a current dues-paying member of both the Alumni Association and the VSA. Officers have specific functions to perform and Directors primarily "advise and consent" on various alumni issue such as approval of the annual budget and determining the amount of donations for VSA Summer School scholarships.

For a variety of valid reasons, the continuing pandemic has had an adverse effect on the pace of Alumni membership renewals. If at all possible, please renew your Alumni membership now by visiting our website at vsaalumni.org or by using the form below.

Please find included, the Alumni Financial Report for 2020. Thanks to all who have contributed to help make 2020 such a successful year for the Alumni Association. If any questions, please contact David Lamdin at dalamdin@aol.com

The VSA invites you to register for the 2021 FREE online lecture series. More info at: <u>Lectures - Victorian Society in America</u>

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF THE VICTORIAN SOCIETY SUMMER SCHOOLS Officers, Directors, and Committees as of January 1, 2021

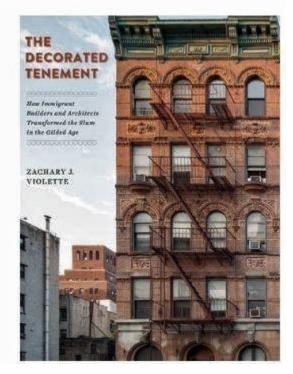
The Alumni Association acknowledges the following individuals for their service to our organization:

President and Acting Treasurer	David Lamdin	dalamdin@aol.com		
Vice President	Bob Chapman			
Corresponding Secretary	Jeanne Solensky			
Membership Secretary	Sara Durkacs			
Director	John A. Martine			
Director	James Russiello			
Director	Armon White			
Director	Elizabeth A. Milnarik-Ta	ylor		
Director	William Cullum			
Finance Committee:	James Buttrick Sibyl McCormac Groff David Lamdin			
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Study Tours Committee: John Martine, Chair				
Social Media Committee: James Russiello				

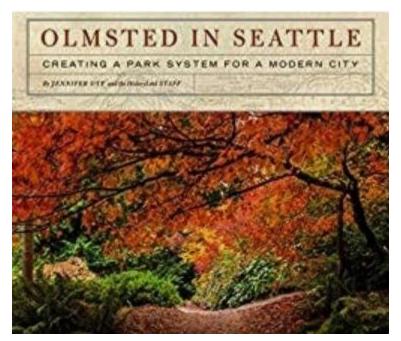
	Main Acct	Pittsburgh Act	TOTAL
BALANCE 1/1/2020	\$108,791	\$12,910	\$121,701
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2020 INCOME			
Membership Dues	\$10,304		\$10,304
Donations to our AA Scholarship Funds	\$2,065		\$2,065
Events (Lisbon Tour Deposits)		\$46,450	\$46,450
Investment			
Advertisements			
Miscellaneous			
Merchandise sales			
Buttrick Challenge	\$49,340		\$49,340
Royalties from Paul D	\$11		\$11
2020 TOTAL INCOME	\$61,720	\$46,450	\$108,170
2020 EXPENSES			
Membership solicitation	\$89		\$89
Scholarship donations to VSA National	\$16,000		\$16,000
Events (Lisbon Tour Guide)		\$4,000	\$4,000
Events (Lisbon Deposit Refund)		\$8,750	\$8,750
Member communications			
Gnosis Membership Software	\$1,140		\$1,140
Website Maintenance .	\$116		\$116
Donations: VSA Annual Chapter Dues	\$100		\$100
Advertising			
SS Recruitment meetings	\$750		\$750
Miscellaneous			
Insurance			
Bank Charges	\$127	\$30	\$157
2020 TOTAL EXPENSES	\$18,322	\$12,780	\$31,102
2020 NET INCOME (LOSS)	\$43,398	\$33,670	\$77,068
BALANCE 12/31/2020	\$152,189	\$46,580	\$198,769
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(BOTH BANK BALANCES)			
End of 2012			\$35,273
End of 2013		\$20,507	\$39,250
End of 2014		\$38,352	\$58,952
End of year 2015		\$00,00 <u>2</u>	\$42,481
End of year 2016	\$18,810	\$42,364	\$61,173
End of year 2017	\$33,090	\$17,364	\$50,454
End of year 2018	\$49,692	\$30,340	\$80,032
End of year 2019	\$108,791	\$12,910	\$121,701
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Buttrick CD	\$45,000		
Buttrick Cash	\$58,795		
Main account CD			
Main Account Cash	\$25,000 \$23,304		
	\$23,394	-	
*see note below	\$152,189		
Please Check off, if this Chapter has NO tangible assets:			
OR Describe tangible assets as instructed laptop and	sottware Purchased 1/	25/2018 for \$459 plus tax and	shipping charges
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\$55 INDIVIDUAL	DUES AMOUNT \$	
\$100 HOUSEHOLD		
\$125 SUPPORTER*	+ SCHOLARSHIP FUND AMOUNT \$	
\$300 SPONSOR*		
\$600 BENEFACTOR*		
\$30 YOUNG PROFESSIONAL	PROF. RICHARD GUY WILSON Newport Scholarship	
*Members at this level and above will be acknowl- edged in our E-Newsletter	GWEN KOCH Memorial Newport Scholarship	
	□ DUCHSCHER Memorial Scholarship endorsed by Sibyl McCor- mac Groff and John Martine	
RENEW ONLINE		
	+ BUTTRICK CHALLENGE \$	
YOUR MEMBERSHIP VALID THROUGH: 12/31/2021	= TOTAL ENCLOSED \$	
PAYMENT METHOD	CONTACT	
Check payable to ALUMNI ASSOCIATION enclosed. Check #	DAVID LAMDIN 1515 KIRKWOOD RD	
	ARLINGTON, VA 22201-5233	
□ Charge my credit card: □ VISA □ Discover □ American Express □ MasterCard		
RENEW ONLINE		
Cardholder Name (as it appears on the card)	Signature	
Card Number	I	
Exp. Date (MM/YY)	СЛА	
Email dalamdin@aol.com	Phone	

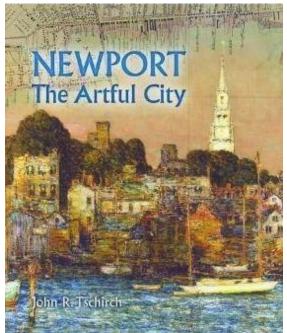
Jaclyn Spainhour Tubbs recently announced the winners of the VSA Book awards for 2021. The VSA will properly honor all winners from 2020 and 2021 at the VSA Annual Meeting in 2022. Congratulations to all the winners!



The Decorated Tenement by Zachary Violette



Olmsted in Seattle by Jennifer Ott



Newport: The Artful City by John Tschirch

Information on prior year awards can be found at:

Book Awards - Victorian Society in America



Yosvanis Fornaris (Newport 2014) was appointed Director at the Museo Nacional de Artes Decorativas La Habana in Havana Cuba. Alumni who attended the tour of Cuba may remember meeting him.





BUTTRICK CHALLENGE DONORS

Contributions processed April 1, 2019 through February 2, 2021. Every effort is made to accurately report all donations. However, there was a flurry of donations at the last minute to meet the 12/31/2020 deadline so this listing may not be complete. Errors and omissions may occur. If you see an error, please bring it to our attention so that a correction can be made in future listings.

\$20,000 and above

Mary Anne Hunting Anonymous in Memory of Bill Dane

\$10,000 to \$19,999

John Freed Administrative Trust; Don Merrill, Trustee (2)

\$5,000 to \$9,999

Nancy and Fred Golden (2) Robert Chapman and Frances Sinofsky (2) Gretchen Redden (2)

\$2,500 to \$4,999

Pauline C. Metcalf's Felicia Fund

\$1,000 to \$2,499

Liz Leckie (2) Charles Robertson III Robert Rettig Joan K. Wells Sibyl Groff in memory of Richard Reutlinger and Bill Dane John Martine, AIA Kristine Steensma David Lamdin (2) William D Grasse and Emily Haldeman John McHugh and Janet Self via The Henry Lyman Greer Fund of the Greater Cincinnati Foundation (2) Michael Hendron Sheila Donahue Hank Dunlop (3)

\$500 to \$999

Richard Tuck and Neale Grasham Hank Dunlop (3) Sara Durkacs Members of the Washington DC Chapter of the VSA (2) Jennifer Trotoux Christopher Forbes Roger Scharmer (2) Donald and Elizabeth Roberts

<u>\$100 to \$499</u>

Richard Merrill Candace Volz (2) Peter Trippi Nancy Evans Hays IMO Gavin Stamp Nancy Kilpatrick in Memory of C Dudley Brown Suzanne and Larry Cavazos Sergei Troubetzkoy (2) William Avers Jane Severance Jan-Paul Malocsay (2) Darrell Lemke and Maryellen Trautman Kerrill Rubman (2) William and Patricia Eldredge Phyllis Quinn Cynthia Casey (3) Laura Macaluso Warren Ashworth Susan Wagg Phyllis Quinn Mary Findlay (2) Janet Geiser John Simonelli (2) lan and Margaret Berke Wilson Stiles (2) Jeanne Solensky (2) Lamar Lentz (2) Christopher Pollock Matthew and Jolene Dessert Donna Ann Harris Whitney W White William Hines Morgan and Megan Pierce Sarina Forbes Edward Bosley Susan Robertson Yorkman Lowe Hilda Regier James Russiello

<u>Up to \$99</u>

Jennifer Mary Wood Laura Parrish Marilyn C. Scott Alessandra Merrill Margaret Starr (2) Duane Myers (2) Suzi Barbee Dale Wheary Anne-Taylor Cahill John Faust Judith Martorelli in memory of Dudley Brown Theodore Sawruk Andre Hoek Catherine Olasky Max Sinsteden Alexis Mucha Jaclyn Spainhour Mitzi Mogul Keith Letsche in memory of Richard Reutlinger