NATIONAL ALLIANCE *of* PRESERVATION COMMISSIONS

NAPC

education + training + advocacy

Helping to build strong local preservation programs and leaders through education, training and advocacy.

Learn more about the programs and resources NAPC has to offer below!

Commission Assistance and Mentoring Program (CAMP®)
NAPC's well established training program provides high-quality, engaging and informative training to preservation-related boards and commissions, city staff and community partners through presentations, hands-on exercises, group discussions, networking and mentoring via live training. CAMP helps communities address the types of challenges discussed at the Open Forum by means of targeted training, specialized advice from trainers, and even reports and recommendations for next steps following training. This training is available in virtual and in-person formats.
https://www.napcommissions.org/camp

CAMP Resilience and Disaster Planning
Unfortunately, every community faces the threat of natural disasters or climate-related events. This curated collection of training modules addresses planning for disasters, recovering after the event, and the impact on the economics of historic communities. CAMP Resilience and Disaster Planning Trainers are experienced and offer tangible case studies that empower CAMPers to build resiliency in their communities.
https://www.napcommissions.org/camp-resilience

The Alliance Review
Since 1984, NAPC has published *The Alliance Review* which brings together preservation voices from across the country. Now published quarterly, *The Alliance Review* continues to provide readers with thoughtful articles written by their peers in the historic preservation field. Each issue focuses on a timely theme and provides diverse perspectives to some of the industry's most discussed topics and challenges. In addition, the nearly four decades worth of

issues has become a repository for expert advice and case studies, and is available to NAPC members for research.
https://www.napcommissions.org/alliance-review

NAPC-L
NAPC's active listserv consists of over 900 voices from across the country. Newly appointed preservation commission members and longstanding historic preservation experts alike come together on the listserv to ask advice or pose ideas to address common challenges. Past conversations are archived and searchable.
https://www.napcommissions.org/napcl

NAPC Webinar Series
NAPC develops regular webinars with topic experts that address timely subjects in historic preservation. The 60-90 minute live and interactive webinars are perfect for staying current on preservation issues. They are also recorded which make these training opportunities flexible for busy individuals. This format also allows preservation commissions to watch together as a continuing education activity. All webinars are AIA and APA-approved.
https://www.napcommissions.org/webinar-series

FORUM
NAPC hosts a biennial conference bringing together commission members, volunteers, consultants, non-profit professionals, state and federal workers, and municipal staff all with the goal of learning from each other to improve preservation in their community. The conference offers engaging tours, intensive workshops, breakout educational sessions, and fun receptions. FORUM is also an opportunity to experience the sights, sounds, and flavors of a different city each year and showcase the hard work being done in local preservation.
https://www.napcommissions.org/forum

Virtual Summer Short Course
This training has something for everyone. The brand new commission member will gain a solid understanding of historic preservation, and the seasoned preservationist will benefit from updated course content to meet current challenges in the field. Lessons are delivered by knowledgeable and experienced preservation professionals in this two-day training experience. For commissions that require members to take at least one training a year, this is it!

Membership
NAPC currently offers both Individual and Organization level memberships. To learn more and stay connected with preservation at the local level, join NAPC today.
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