

Preserving Affordability, Affording Preservation: Prospects for Historic Multi-family Housing



April 27, 2018, 9:00 AM – 6:00 PM
All Saints' Episcopal Church, 209 Ashmont Street, Boston, Mass.

- 8:30 – 9:00 Check in, posters open, continental breakfast
- 9:00 – 9:15 *Welcome and Introductions*
Charles M. Sullivan, Executive Director, Cambridge Historical Commission
and Member, Historic New England Council
- 9:15 – 10:00 *Opportunities for an Icon: The Three Decker as a Housing Resource*
CM | 0.75 Jacob Wegmann, Assistant Professor, University of Texas School of Architecture
- 10:00 – 10:15 Break
- 10:15 – 11:30 *Preserving Affordability and Affording Preservation*
CM | 1.25 Barry Bluestone, Russell B. and Andree B. Stearns Trustee Professor of Political Economy,
Northeastern University; Senior Fellow, The Boston Foundation
1.25 BSA/AIA
Credits Respondents:
Chrystal Kornegay, Executive Director, MassHousing
Joe Kriesberg, President and CEO, Massachusetts Association of Community Development Corporations
Moderator: Greg Galer, Executive Director, Boston Preservation Alliance
- 11:30 – 1:00 Lunch, posters open
- 1:00 – 1:45 *The Past – A Housing “Menace;” Boston’s Three Deckers through 1930*
CM | 0.75 Deedee Jacobsohn, Ph.D., independent museum consultant
- 1:45 – 2:00 Break
- 2:00 – 3:15 *The Present – Saving Three Deckers: Preserving Neighborhood Character and Affordability*
CM | 1.25 Jason Korb, Principal, Capstone Communities LLC
1.25 BSA/AIA
Credits Danny LeBlanc, CEO, Somerville Community Corporation
Lydia Lowe, Director, Chinatown Community Land Trust
Albert Rex, Partner and Director, MHA Northeast, MacRostie Historic Advisors
Moderator: Kathy Kottaridis, Executive Director, Historic Boston, Inc.
- 3:15 – 4:30 *The Future – Roundtable on Policy Frameworks for Preserving Historic Multi-family Housing*
CM | 1.25 Barry Bluestone, Northeastern University
1.25 BSA/AIA
Credits Daniel Bluestone, Professor, History of Art and Architecture, Boston University
Tom Callahan, Executive Director, Massachusetts Affordable Housing Alliance
Lydia Edwards, Boston City Council
Marcy Ostberg, Director, Housing Innovation Lab, City of Boston
Moderator: Christine Poff, Director, Community Preservation Committee, City of Boston
- 4:30 – 6:00 Reception and poster competition winners announcement
- CM | 5.25** Entire conference



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