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## Notable Leaders in Architecture, Engineering & Construction 2026

New York City's growth depends on bold design and construction. Our Notable Leaders in Architecture, Engineering & Construction for 2026 are preserving history, advancing housing, sustainability and community-focused development.



NOTABLE LEADERS IN ARCHITECTURE,  
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**Reuben Pinner**

Principal and co-founder

Prime Builders New York



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**Cathy Savino-Berger**

CFO

Levine Builders



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**Eric Hantman**

Principal and co-founder

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**Stephen DeSimone**

Chairman and CEO

DeSimone Consulting Engineering



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**Gia Mainiero**

Partner

Dattner Architects



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**Robert Ioanna**

Executive principal

Syska Hennessy Group



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**Joseph Whalen**

Senior vice president of operations

Suffolk



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**Angelica T. Baccon**

Principal

SHoP Architects



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**Kristy Whitcher**

Design, construction and  
environmental unit VP

New York State Homes and  
Community Renewal



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**Luc Wilson**

Global director of design technology

KPF



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**Jessica Stander**

Director of design

Denham Wolf



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**Carlo Scissura**

President and CEO

CEO New York Building Congress



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**Sean Clune**

President of the New York office  
Clune Construction



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**Samantha McCormack**

Managing executive and creative  
director  
TPG Architecture



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**Faye Premer**

Founding principal  
About the Work



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**Alex Brito**

Principal  
RKTB Architects



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**Richard Kronick**

Founding principal  
Gerner Kronick + Valcarcel, Architects



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**Carl Oliveri**

Construction practice leader and  
partner  
Grassi



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**David Meade**

Executive director



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**David E. Gross**

Executive partner



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**Pamela Jerome**

President

Architectural Preservation Studio

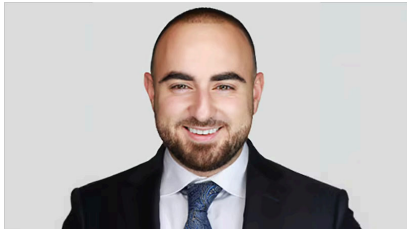


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**Anthony Costello**

Senior EVP and system chief operating  
officer

Westchester Medical Center Health  
Network



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**Willy Pilku**

Co-founder and CEO

Core Scaffold Systems



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**John Boulé**

Executive VP and northeast operations  
unit manager

Dewberry



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**Michael Bevivino**

Partner and principal

Arketekcher

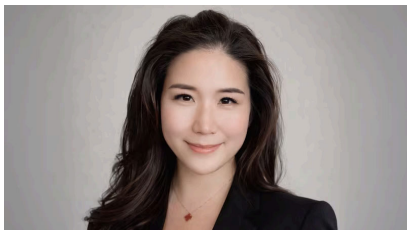


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**Arielle Levy**

Design director

Gensler



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**Yunjung Lee**

Director of design and construction  
NYC Health + Hospitals Bellevue



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**Philip J. Consalvo**

Principal  
PJCArchitecture



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**Claire Weisz**

Founding principal  
WXY Architecture and Urban Design



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**James Carrigan**

Principal  
Syska Hennessy Group



**Michael Mangione**

New York office leader and senior vice  
president  
HNTB



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**John Cetra**

Founding principal  
CetraRuddy Architecture



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**Charles Carroll**

Senior vice president of asset  
management  
Urban Resource Institute



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**Alana Tunstead**

Principal and mechanical engineer  
Arup



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**Peter Varsalona**

Principal and vice president  
RAND Engineering & Architecture



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**Victor Cividini**

Executive vice president for residential  
SJP Properties



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**Julie Chou**

Principal and founding partner  
Purpose by Design Architects



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**Jon Weiss**

President of construction  
B2K Development

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**Cathal Walsh**

VP of physical security and chief  
security officer  
Guidepost Solutions



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**Galia Solomonoff**

Founder, principal and creative  
director  
Solomonoff Architecture Studios



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**Stephen Chu**

Design partner  
Ennead Architects



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**Trevor Munson**

Chief operating officer  
Reidy Contracting Group



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**Justin Sauber**

CEO

Transmission Developers



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**Alison Ashford**

Partner and co-chair of the  
construction practice

Seyfarth Shaw



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**Val Loh**

Senior principal

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**Aria Jahanshahi**

Principal and architect

Opa Architecture



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**Keith Ryan**

Principal

Stantec



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**Ariel Aufgang**

Principal

Aufgang



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**Brent Buck**

Principal

Brent Buck Architects



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**Danielle Axelrod**

Founder and principal

DAXCO



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**John McDonald**

Executive vice president of real estate  
The Doe Fund



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**Les Hiscoe**

CEO  
Shawmut Design and Construction



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**J. Steven Lovci**

VP of capital projects and construction  
Phipps Houses



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**Anthony Mann**

CEO  
E-J Electric Installation Co.



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**Spiro Markatos**

President  
Skyline Restoration



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**Frank Scieme**

CEO and chairman  
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