

# WALTER ECKENHOFF, FAIA, ACHA

FOUNDING PRINCIPAL



## EDUCATION

Master of Architecture,  
Washington University  
Bachelor of Arts in Architecture,  
Washington University  
Distinguished Alumni

## PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATIONS

NCARB (Connecticut, Wisconsin,  
Minnesota, Kansas, New Jersey,  
Tennessee, Georgia, Colorado,  
Florida, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan,  
Ohio, Pennsylvania, Texas, Virginia,  
New Mexico, Missouri)

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Institute of Architects  
Member, College of Fellows  
American College of Healthcare  
Architects

## CIVIC AFFILIATIONS

Chicago Architecture Foundation  
Board of Trustees: Past Chairman,  
Trustee Emeritus  
Village of Glencoe, Illinois Chairman,  
Design Review Commission;  
Member, Plan Commission  
Sustainable Working Group;  
Chairman  
Trevian Soccer Club  
Past President, Premier Girls Team  
Coach  
Chicago Literacy Conference  
Co-Chair, 1990-1992

Walt co-founded Eckenhoff Saunders in 1983 and has overseen the planning and design of over \$2 billion in new healthcare facilities in the past four decades. These include four hospital campuses for Endeavor Health (NorthShore University HealthSystem)—Evanston, Highland Park, Glenbrook, and Skokie—as well as three outpatient family care campuses for Ingalls Health System and two research structures in the Evanston/Northwestern University Research Park.

Walt's planning and design experience includes banking, education, hospitality, and industrial projects. His diverse portfolio includes two Unicom Thermal Technologies cooling plants (both of which won design awards from AIA Chicago), the Northern Trust Company Canal Center (900,000 sf of banking back-office space), the Southgate Market Retail Center, and the 26-story Eurostars Magnificent Mile (Former Dana Hotel).

Walt has been chair of the Board of Trustees of the Chicago Architecture Foundation and served as a Board Member for 15 years. He has chaired the Design Review Commission and the Sustainable Working Group for the Village of Glencoe, Illinois, and served on its Plan Commission. He holds a bachelor's and a master's degree in architecture from Washington University in St. Louis and was awarded Distinguished Alumni status in 2009.

### Howard Brown Health Halsted

Chicago, Illinois  
- 91,000 sf, 5-level AIA national award-winning  
healthcare clinic

### After School Matters

Chicago, Illinois  
- 36,000 sf 1065 N Orleans St. development  
- 24,000 sf facility development at Gately Park  
- 34,000 sf Lutz Center in Belmont Cragin

### The Michael and Karyn Lutz Center for After School Matters

Chicago, Illinois  
- Award-winning 34,000 sf educational  
development

### Evanston Hospital - Endeavor Health (NorthShore University HealthSystem)

Evanston, Illinois  
- Masterplan implementation

### Highland Park Hospital - Endeavor Health (NorthShore University HealthSystem)

Highland Park, Illinois  
- Masterplan implementation

### Skokie Hospital - Endeavor Health (NorthShore University HealthSystem)

Skokie, Illinois  
- Masterplan implementation

### Glenbrook Hospital - Endeavor Health (NorthShore University HealthSystem)

Glenview, Illinois  
- 165,000 sf CVI expansion  
- Masterplan implementation

### UChicago Medicine/ Ingalls Health System

Family Care Centers  
- Flossmoor campus  
- Tinley Park campus  
- Calumet City campus

### Evanston Northwestern University

Evanston, Illinois  
- Research Park

### Old St. Patrick's Church Campus

Chicago, Illinois  
- Fellowship Hall  
- Social services building  
- Masterplan  
- Frances Xavier Warde School

### Eurostars Magnificent Mile

Chicago, Illinois  
- 26-Story, 216 room award-winning hotel

### 203 North LaSalle

Chicago, Illinois  
- Tenant amenity

### Northern Trust Company

Chicago, Illinois  
- 8-story, 900,000 sf Canal Center  
- 2-story, 13,000 sf Oak Street branch

### Laborer's Union Training Facility

Chicago, Illinois  
- Addition and renovation of training facility  
including training bays and classrooms

### Southgate Market

Chicago, Illinois  
- 310,000 sf, 5-story retail center

### Unicom Thermal Technologies at State and Adams

Chicago, Illinois  
- 3-story, 95,000 sf cooling plant

### Unicom Thermal Technologies at Franklin and Van Buren

Chicago, Illinois  
- Award-winning, 40,000 sf cooling plant

### De La Salle Institute

Chicago, Illinois  
- Masterplan

### Chicago Public Schools

Chicago, Illinois  
- Jordan Community School  
- CADE/ASM/CAF - Conceptual design of a new,  
design-focused high school