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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

AIA MICHIGAN PRESIDENT'S AWARD ANNOUNCED

May 30, 2014- Detroit, Michigan- Ronald Loch, AIA will receive the President's Award from the American Institute of Architects Michigan at the annual Celebration of Architecture on June 5 at the Woodward Garden Theater in Detroit.

The President's Award was created in 1992 by AIA Michigan to honor architects, who practice in the education or corporate field, that have made exceptional contributions to the profession and their community through academia, business or government.

Now in his 28th year with Taubman Centers, Ron Loch is vice president, of planning & design. His roles and responsibilities include creating unique concepts and master planning for all new development projects; leading the design team in establishing a vision and unique sense of place for each development; managing the Planning & Design team for existing assets; and providing leadership and planning & design guidance to the Taubman Asia team for all developments internationally.

Ron is currently leading the retail planning and design efforts for International Market Place in Waikiki, Hawaii, opening in summer 2016 and several Taubman core property renovation projects. He led the design team in the master planning and design of the international award-winning City Creek Center, an urban mixed-use development in Salt Lake City, Utah. Ron was also instrumental in creating the vision and leading the design teams for University Town Center in Sarasota, Fla, opened in October 2014, as well as The Mall of San Juan in San Juan, Puerto Rico, opened in March, 2015.

Additional previously completed projects include The Mall at Partridge Creek in Clinton Township, Mich., Stony Point Fashion Park in Richmond, Va., Northlake Mall in Charlotte, N.C.; International Plaza and Bay Street, a hybrid enclosed upscale regional mixed-use center with an outdoor dining and entertainment component in Tampa, Fla; The Mall at Wellington Green, a regional center in West Palm Beach, Florida, and The Shops at Willow Bend, an enclosed regional center in Plano, Texas.

Ron is a licensed architect and a member of the American Institute of Architects. Additionally, he is a member of the Urban Land Institute, and the International Council of Shopping Centers. Ron holds a Bachelor of Science degree in architecture from Lawrence Technological University in Southfield, Michigan.

The American Institute of Architects Michigan, headquartered in the historic Beaubien House across from the Renaissance Center in downtown Detroit, established its awards program to bring to public attention the value and importance of architectural excellence and to recognize those whose notable achievements encourage all to make excellence in architecture the standard. Visit www.aiami.com or call 313.965.4100 to learn more.

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