



2024 Arkansas Preservation Award Recipients

Parker Westbrook Award for Lifetime Achievement

Award Mark Brown and Jill Judy, Little Rock

W. L. Cook Award for Excellence in Heritage Preservation

Award Jamie Simmons, Texarkana
For her 30 years of museum and preservation work

Honorable Mention Davis Videos, Lincoln
For the Benton County Oral History Project

Excellence in Preservation through Rehabilitation

Award House at 121 N. Park Street, Little Rock
Owner: Capitol Properties of Arkansas
Contractor: Tanner Worley

Award Forrest Apartments, 204 Exchange Street, Hot Springs
Owner: Francisco and Leah Arango
Architect: Taylor/Kempkes Architects
Contractor: Natural State General Contractors

Award E. O. Manees Building II, 315 Main Street, North Little Rock
Owner: John Chandler
Architect: SCM Architects
Contractor: Austin Brothers Construction

Award RiverBank, 203 W. Broadway, Pocahontas
Owner: Kyle Baltz
Architect: Tommy Jameson
Contractor: Kyle Baltz

Honorable Mention Ridge House, 230 W. Center Street, Fayetteville
Owner: Washington County Historical Society
John Firmin, Property Management Chair
Lee Anne Wiederkehr, Project Manager
Architects/Designers: Valeria Gibertoni & Lee Anne Wiederkehr
Contractors: Gustavo Becerra of GB Painting, Royal McCloyen & Matt Sindelar

Excellence in Preservation through Restoration

Award Brothers Residence, 665 N. Gray Avenue, Fayetteville
Owner: McKee Properties, LLC
Architect: David W. McKee Architect
Contractor: David W. McKee Architect

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Excellence in Preservation through Restoration

Award

Calico Riverview Inn, 100 Rodman Street, Calico Rock
Owner: Tracy Owens, Cathy Beard, and Ben Owens, Jr.
Contractor: Tracy Owens, Cathy Beard, and Ben Owens, Jr.

Award

Fulk Estate Building, 609 Main Street, Little Rock
Owner: John Chandler
Architect: SCM Architects
Contractor: Austin Brothers Construction

Award

Kirby-Colburn House, Hwy. 45, Cane Hill
Owner: Historic Cane Hill
Architect: WER Architects
Contractor: Wagner Construction

Honorable Mention

Dunbar Middle School Window Restoration Project, 1100 Wright Ave., Little Rock
Owner: Little Rock School District
Architect: WER Architects
Contractor: Wagner Construction

Honorable Mention

Garland County Circuit Courtroom Restoration, 501 Ouachita Ave., Hot Springs
Owner: Garland County, Arkansas
Architect: Taylor/Kempkes Architects
Contractor: Harrison Construction Company, Inc.

Outstanding Achievement in Preservation Education

Award

UALR Center for Arkansas History and Culture, Mapping Little Rock History Digital Humanities Project

Honorable Mention

Arkansas Archeological Survey, Towards Achieving Curation Literacy program

Excellence in Personal Projects

Award

Scott Jones, Little Rock
For the Martin-Tunnah-Fulk House triple-hung window restoration project

Outstanding Achievement in Adaptive Reuse

Award

Plunkett-Jarrell Grocer Co. Building, 150 Creek Street, Hot Springs
Owner: Noah Lloyd
Architect: Taylor/Kempkes Architects
Contractor: Harrison Construction Company, Inc.

Outstanding Service in Neighborhood Preservation

Award

City of Little Rock Dept. of Planning and Development
For the MacArthur Park Local Historic District Viewer



Outstanding New Construction in a Historic Setting

Award

Justice Building Addition and Renovation, 625 Marshall Street, Little Rock

Owner: Administrative Office of the Courts and TSS-Division of Building Authority

Architect: AMR Architects with Brackett-Krennerich Architects

Contractor: Wagner Construction

Outstanding Preservation Reporting in the Media

Award

Arkansas Democrat-Gazette Reporter Bill Bowden, Fayetteville

For his extensive coverage of historic places and preservation efforts