



Please join us in wishing Logan Schutz a joyful and relaxing retirement!

At the end of this year, and after 43 years of **Creating Together: Meaningful Architecture + Client Success**, Logan Schutz is retiring from Grimm + Parker Architects, a firm he has helped grow and guide for over four decades. Logan has consistently advanced the profession of architecture through a practice built on the core value of serving our communities through his leadership in our Residential and Urban Design Studio.

Together with his colleagues in our Residential and Urban Design Studio, Logan has designed and delivered many award winning, multi-family residential and mixed-use projects. Highlights include Victoria Park at Walkersville, winner of the 2009 National Association of Home Builders Gold Award for Affordable Housing the highest honor in affordable housing design. Logan's leadership, his design skills, his commitment to service and his extraordinary talent for place-making, have all contributed to making multi-family housing beautiful, affordable, and accessible to so many in the Mid-Atlantic region.

Logan's early career at G+P included schools (K-12), churches, government and civic projects, but his passion and strong commitment to serving under-resourced communities took hold early on. Evidence of his enduring dedication and his legacy to these sectors can be found across the region in many mixed-use, affordable and market rate multifamily and senior living communities. With his high level of expertise, Logan has become a widely sought speaker on issues related to affordable and multifamily housing. Under his guidance our Residential and Urban Design Studio has collaborated on 200+ projects, including over 81 senior projects while working extensively with local agencies through federal tax credit and jurisdictional tax credit projects, as well as accelerating the sustainability of the built community through ensuring the use of Viridiant, Green Communities, NGBS and LEED standards.

While dedicated to the practice of architecture, Logan has been equally dedicated to his beloved alma mater, The University of Maryland (Go Terps!), Cheryl, his wife of over forty years, his faith community, and his family. He is much loved by his energetic four-legged companion, Oliver, and his many nieces and nephews who rely on his trusted ear for wisdom and guidance.

All of us at G+P deeply appreciate Logan's leadership and friendship over the many years. Logan has inspired us as architects and as people. He has led by example, doing extensive volunteer work, and helping others whenever he could - from family to friends to clients to community organizations. We wish Logan the very best as he embarks on his next adventure as well as the healthiest and happiest of retirements as he prepares to spend more time with friends, family, traveling and volunteering. We will stay connected with Logan and are happy to share that he is just a phone call away if we need to tap into his trusted wisdom in the future.

Congratulations, Logan! Rest assured Grimm + Parker will continue to honor the values and vision you have established for our Residential Urban Design studio. We hope that you and Cheryl have a wonderful time in retirement!

