



Dr. Cindy Frewen Wuellner, Adjunct Professor

Dr. Cindy Frewen, FAIA consults with cities and organizations about how we design and build, how we think about the future, and how to apply design and futures thinking to a variety of issues. She owned and operated an architecture firm for 20 years, then got advanced degrees in strategic foresight and communications. She teaches in the Graduate Program in Futures Studies at the University of Houston as an adjunct professor. Frewen is currently writing a book on the hybrid city of virtual and physical realities. She has developed a large following online, evident by top listings on BD Online/Peer Index global scale and Engineering New Record.

Frewen frequently speaks and consults with groups on design futures, the future of cities, creative problem solving, leadership, and entrepreneurship. Presentations include government, institutions, and organizations, and business groups, such as American Institute of Architects, University of Oxford, University of Kansas, Urban Land Institute, National Communication Association, World Futures Society, IBM Smarter Cities, Innovaro, KC Builders Association, Chamber of Commerce, University of Texas, and Copenhagen In 100 Years.

Frewen Architects' architectural and planning projects were recognized for design, sustainability, and community development in civic, education, public housing, and park facilities. Example projects are the Kansas City Downtown Master Plan and Ilus W. Davis Park (pictured); Kansas City Zoo Children's Zoo; Kansas City, Missouri Police Department Facilities Master Plan; Charles E. Whittaker United States Courthouse Interiors; and numerous education facilities and residential developments.

Frewen is a Fellow in the American Institute of Architects and a Distinguished Alumna for the University of Kansas School of Architecture and Urban Design. Her design work was included in the AIA national traveling exhibit "That Exceptional One" and her firm was recognized as the first Woman-Owned Business of the year by National Association of Women Business Owners, Kansas City. She is the Chair of the Association of Professional Futurists, sits on the executive board of the University of Kansas School of Architecture, is Vice President of the Kansas City Design Center, co-founded the Kansas City Architectural Foundation's Scholarship Fund and served as President, among others.