

EXPLORE, EXPERIENCE, ENVISION DENVER.

Denver Architecture Foundation inspires people to explore our dynamic city, experience the importance of design to our quality of life and envision an exceptional future for Denver.

Denver's built environment is rapidly changing and, with it, public interest in architecture and design continues to grow.

Denver Architecture Foundation is Denver's go-to resource for architecture education and experiences, working collaboratively with cross-sector partners to offer public programs that celebrate quality design and integrate design experiences into everyday life.



The Denver Architecture Foundation engages audiences and participants of all ages, identities and backgrounds and invites them to explore the Mile High City through an array of programs.

Doors Open Denver (DOD)



DOD is a curated exhibit of Denver's built environment. Participants experience architecture through free and ticketed offerings and the *Y/OUR Denver* photography competition.

Cleworth Architectural Legacy Project (CAL)



CAL brings architecture and design education into Denver classrooms, reaching hundreds of K-8 students. The program pairs teachers with volunteer architects, engineers and designers for a multi-week learning experience.

Hard Hat Tours + Walking Tours + Audio Tours



Tours provide access to historic, contemporary, iconic and under-construction architecture year-round. Tours are in-person, virtual or in audio format.

Box City



Children in grades K-5 learn about the process of urban development by designing and constructing buildings out of recycled materials and placing them on a child-sized city grid.

Special Events + Lectures



Members of the public connect with architecture and design experts in private residences, exhibition spaces or lecture halls and explore topics related to the built environment.