

Mr. Hans E. Butzer, AIA, LEED AP

Together with his wife/partner Torrey, Hans is best known as the co-designer of the internationally acclaimed Oklahoma City National Memorial. Since the dedication of the Memorial in 2000, Hans remains active in the central Oklahoma community through his teaching, design practice and involvement on various community boards. He has been teaching at the University of Oklahoma's College of Architecture since 1999. He is the Mabrey Presidential Professor of Architecture and Urban Design and holds the A. Blaine Imel Jr. Professorship of Architecture. Since January 2013, Hans is Director of the University's Division of Architecture. His teaching and creative research focus is on sustainability, ethics, efficiency, community and architectural practice. As a partner with Butzer Gardner Architects, Hans continues to be deeply involved with planning, urban design, architectural and interior design projects in Central Oklahoma. He is a master of collaboration, as is proven by the numerous AIA and ASLA Awards that his shared work has received. Today, Hans and Torrey reside in downtown Oklahoma City with their three children and Clifford, the big red dog.