

**Frederick Stelle, AIA  
Principal**



Frederick Stelle, the founding principal of Stelle Architects, offers 30 years design experience in institutional and residential projects that have ranged from educational campuses and cultural facilities to administrative centers and private houses and apartments. His clients have included such highly regarded institutions as the DIA Foundation in New York City; The Ross School, Robert Wilson's Watermill Center, Southampton Fresh Air Home, and The Nature Conservancy Easthampton, New York; and the Expressive Arts Therapy Center and Apartment Complex in Zurich, Switzerland.

Mr. Stelle began his career at the office of the architect Edward Larrabee Barnes where he directed the renovation of Yale dormitories for its growing student population. He went on to co-found the New York City firm Frederick Stelle/Richard Gluckman Architects in 1976, and then in 1985, opened Stelle Architects in Easthampton, New York. At each firm, Mr. Stelle's projects have been notable for the realization of the client's program in clear, essential forms.

A consistent part of Mr. Stelle's practice has been the adaptive reuse of historic buildings for current program needs. His innovative approach to the design and construction process can be seen in his participatory programming sessions for the Watermill Center and his success with a combined agency review to expedite the reconstruction of the Emporium building in Sag Harbor.

Charting a course for the future, Stelle Architects is committed to the principles of sustainable architecture and the goal of building less and building smart. Consistent with this approach is the recent award from the Long Island Chapter of the AIA for the Fort Pond House.

As the principal leading Stelle Architects, Mr. Stelle shares design and administrative responsibilities with his staff and oversees business development.

**Registration and Memberships:**

Registered Architect, States of NY and CT  
NCARB Certified  
American Institute of Architects  
Peconic Chapter, American Institute of Architects

**Organizations:**

Trustee and Deputy Mayor, Village of North Haven  
Trustee, Long Island Chapter of The Nature Conservancy  
Director, Breakwater Yacht Club  
Vice president and Director, Peconic Housing Development Fund

**Education:**

M. Arch; B. Arch; B.A.; Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York, 1971  
Recipient of the Dean's Traveling Fellowship for Excellence in Design  
St. Paul's School, Concord, New Hampshire, 1965