

Thomas J. Kapels, AIA, ASLA, NCARB, LEED Green Associate Architect | Landscape Architect



Mr. Kapels is a registered architect and landscape architect with over a decade of experience on federal and government projects with work performed on every military installation in Colorado. As a former army officer in the engineer branch and a veteran of the Iraq War, he has formal training in leading teams with a proven track record of performance and success. Tom's background as both an architect and landscape architect offer first-hand knowledge for the management of an entire project team in both site and building design disciplines. His professional experience has resulted in over \$200 million worth in projects for government clients, and he has served as subject-matter expert for design reviews with the Department of Defense, Veterans Affairs, and the State Department. Tom's role as a design team project manager is to ensure responsiveness to the client, full implementation of the client's goals, and overall management of the project's schedule, budget, and quality.

In 2012, Mr. Kapels founded Thomas Kapels Architecture, LLC (dba TK-Architecture, LLC) as a CVE-verified Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business (SDVOSB).

EDUCATION

Master of Architecture, University of Nebraska–Lincoln, 2001

Bachelor of Science in Architectural Studies with Distinction, University of Nebraska–Lincoln, 1998

REGISTRATIONS

Architect: Arizona (59158), Colorado (401854), New Mexico (5442), Utah (9740451), Wyoming (C-3153)

Landscape Architect: Colorado (LA897)

CERTIFICATIONS

National Council of Architecture Registration Boards (66260)

LEED Green Associate, U.S. Green Building Council (10723394)

AFFILIATIONS

American Institute of Architects

American Society of Landscape Architects

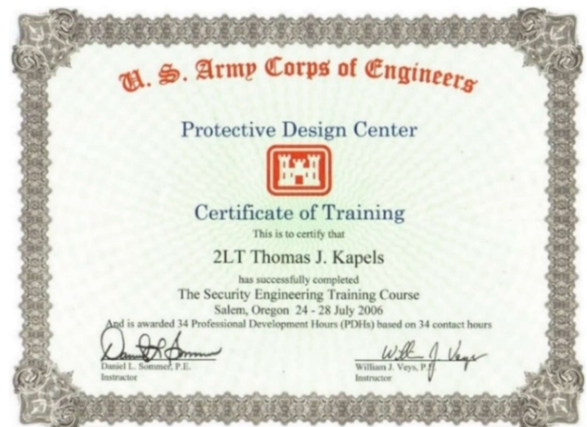
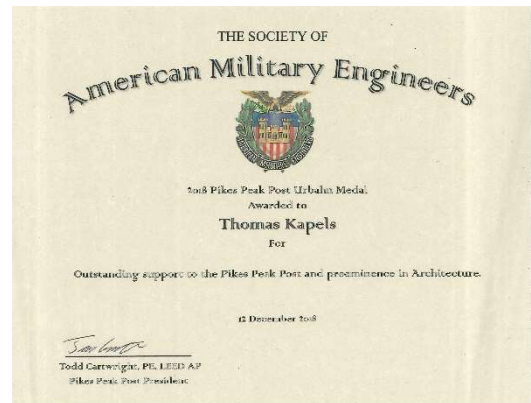
Society of American Military Engineers

AWARDS

SAME Pikes Peak Post Urbahn Medal, 2018 & 2021

MILITARY SERVICE | TRAINING

- Served over 9 years in the Army National Guard (Colorado, Nebraska).
- Graduated from Officer Candidate School with Academic and Top Graduate Honors, 2005.
- Graduated from Engineer Officer Basic Course at Ft Leonard Wood in top 20% of class standing, 2006.
- Served as an officer in both horizontal and vertical construction companies.
- USACE "Security Engineering" Training Course.
- Veteran of Operation Iraqi Freedom, 2003.
- Highest rank held: 1st Lieutenant, Engineer Branch.



PROJECT EXPERIENCE

- 4th ID Combat Aviation Brigade Central Energy Plant, Fort Carson, Colorado
- Battlefield Weather Facility Sustainability Navigation, Fort Carson, Colorado
- Division HQ Band Training Facility*, Fort Carson, Colorado (LEED-Gold certified)
- Elkhorn Conference Center Patio & Landscaping Improvements, Fort Carson, Colorado
- Evans Army Community Hospital Entrance, Fort Carson, Colorado
- Evans Army Community Hospital Sleep Study Lab, Fort Carson, Colorado
- Evans Army Community Hospital Med/Surgery & Behavioral Health*, Fort Carson, Colorado (LEED-Silver certified)
- Hangar 9633 HEF Fire Suppression Upgrades, Fort Carson, Colorado
- Iron Horse Park Expansion, Fort Carson, Colorado
- Physical Fitness Facility Value Engineering Study, Fort Carson, Colorado
- Post-Wide Roof Replacement and Repairs, Fort Carson, Colorado
- Special Forces Battalion Operations Facility*, Fort Carson, Colorado (LEED-Silver certified)
- Stryker Realignment (Headquarters and Company Operation Facilities) Renovations, Fort Carson, Colorado
- Warrior-in-Transition Battalion Headquarters*, Fort Carson, Colorado (LEED-Silver certified)
- Warrior-in-Transition Company Headquarters*, Fort Carson, Colorado (LEED-Silver certified)
- Warrior-in-Transition Soldier Family Assistance Center*, Fort Carson, Colorado (LEED-Gold certified)
- SCI Mission Command & University Registrar Value Engineering Study, Fort Gordon, Georgia (registered LEED-Silver)
- H-Frame Barracks Remodel Value Engineering Study, Fort Hood, Texas
- Barracks Remodel Value Engineering Study, Fort Irwin, California
- Simulation Center & LTP Value Engineering Study, Fort Irwin, California
- Value Study and Review of Army Dining Facility Standards, Fort Lee, Virginia
- Building 205 Improvements Value Engineering Study, Sierra Army Depot, California
- NGIC Secure Ops & Admin Facility Addition Value Engineering Study, Rivanna Station, Virginia (registered LEED-Silver)
- Command-Wide Turf & Irrigation Reduction, Multiple Space Force Installations, Colorado
- Building 2413 Remodel Planning Charrette Report, U.S. Air Force Academy, Colorado
- Accessible Community Park, Buckley Space Force Base, Colorado
- Band Rehearsal Room Renovations*, Buckley Space Force Base, Colorado
- NORAD/NORTHCOM Command Room Renovation, Cheyenne Mountain Space Force Station, Colorado
- Building R8301 Remodel, Cheyenne Mountain Space Force Station, Colorado
- Historic Building 284 Remodel*, F.E. Warren Air Force Base, Wyoming
- Accessible Community Park, Offutt Air Force Base, Nebraska
- Defense Logistics Agency Warehouse Repairs, Offutt Air Force Base, Nebraska
- Guardian Angel Facility Value Engineering Study, Patrick Space Force Base, Florida (registered LEED-Silver)
- Child Development Center Accessible Playgrounds, Peterson Space Force Base, Colorado
- Dental Clinic Replacement Landscaping, Peterson Space Force Base, Colorado (LEED-Silver certified)
- RAIDRS Space Control Facility*, Peterson Space Force Base, Colorado (LEED-Silver certified)
- Building 210 Roof Replacement, Schriever Space Force Base, Colorado
- Building 300 Training Rooms Alteration, Schriever Space Force Base, Colorado
- Building 700 Repair Roof & HEMP, Schriever Space Force Base, Colorado
- North Gate Force Protection Improvements Landscaping, Schriever Space Force Base, Colorado
- Historic Building 11 Remodel, Naval Station Great Lakes, Illinois
- Colorado Army National Guard Readiness Center Master Plan & Programming*, Fort Carson, Colorado
- Colorado Army National Guard Site Sustainment Master Plan, State-wide, Colorado
- Colorado Springs Armory Remodel*, Colorado Springs, Colorado
- Pueblo Armory Remodel*, Pueblo, Colorado
- U.S. Army Corps of Engineers District Headquarters Value Engineering Study, Buffalo, New York
- U.S. Embassy Marine Security Guard Quarters Value Engineering Study, Paris, France
- Next National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency West Value Engineering Study, St. Louis, Missouri (registered LEED-Silver)
- Master Plan of Future Projects, Albuquerque VA-HCS, New Mexico

- Indiantown Gap National Cemetery Expansion (Phase 5) Peer Review, Annville, Pennsylvania
- Arlington National Cemetery Southern Expansion Value Engineering Study, Arlington, Virginia
- Campus-Wide Roof Condition Assessment, Cheyenne VA Medical Center, Wyoming
- Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery Expansion (Phase 4), Dallas, Texas
- Psychiatric Residential Rehab Facility Sustainability Navigation, Eastern Colorado VA Medical Center, Colorado
- Clinic Addition & Seismic Corrections Value Engineering Study, Los Angeles VA Medical Center, Los Angeles, California
- Replacement VA Medical Center Value Engineering Study, Louisville VA Medical Center, Louisville, Kentucky
- Warehouse Replacement Value Engineering Study, North Texas Healthcare System, Texas
- Outpatient Clinic & Columbarium Value Engineering Study, Oakland, California (registered LEED-Silver)
- Outpatient Behavioral Health Clinic, Phoenix VA Healthcare System, Arizona
- Future Projects Master Plan, Phoenix VA Healthcare System, Arizona
- Clinical Laboratory Building Addition, Richmond VA Medical Center, Virginia
- Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery Expansion (Phase 3) Peer Review, San Antonio, Texas
- Spinal Cord Injury & Community Living Center Value Engineering Study, San Diego VA Healthcare System, California
- Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery Expansion (Phase 5) Peer Review, St. Louis, Missouri
- Bed Tower, Clinical Building, & Parking Garage Value Engineering Study, St. Louis VA Healthcare System, Missouri
- Engineering Logistics Building Value Engineering Study, Stockton, California (registered LEED-Silver)
- Satellite Outpatient Clinic Value Engineering Study, Tacoma, Washington (registered LEED-Gold)
- Quantico National Cemetery Expansion Value Engineering Study, Triangle, Virginia

*Project experience gained while employed with another company.