Michigan architects laud their own

Local architects and architectural firms were among those honored by the Michigan Association of Architects at its 76th annual convention in Grand

Reyide last week. Key awards and recipients include: • Harold F. VanDine of Birmingham, winner of the gold medal, MSA's highest recognition. • Carl Rochilog of Birmingham, named the MSA's itrat young architect of the year. • Harley Ellington Pierce Yee Associates, Southfield, and Rossetti Associates, Birmingham, 1554 Assion awards.

MSA design awards. VanDine is a senior vice president of architec-ture and design at Harley Ellington Pierce Yee, His gold medal booored his "notable contributions to the American Institute of Architects, the AIA Deand the MSA

His 35-year career, both in partnership with Straub & VanDine Associates and his 10 years with HEPY, includes more than 40 projects, which have been recognized for design excellence under his di-

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rection. They include Comerics Operations Center, ITT automotive beadquarters, St. Hugo of the Hill Church, Oakhand Community College 7 Royal Oak ampus, the city of Troy library and justice build-campus, the city of Troy library and justice build-for GMP Robotics. In addition to his memberships on architectural committees, he has served as lecturer and design initid for more taba 12 years at Lawrence Techno-tid Lor more taba 12 years at Lawrence Techno-logical University and has served on design juries toward the advancement of the architectural pro-for the University of Detroit, University of Michi-gan, and the Michgan State Board of Registration.

ROEHLING, MSA's young architect of the year, i as been employed by Smith, Hinchman & Grylls for live years. His past projects include work for the University of Michigan, Western Michigan Uni-versity, University of Illinois, General Motors, Uphoh, BASF, Indiana University and First Centre Office Plaza. Both IU and the First Center projects revelved design homors.

Office Plaza. Both IU and the First Center projects received design honors. The award was established this year to recognize contributions by architects 40 years of age or younger who reflect "outstanding dedication of the ideals of the MSA and service to the community." Rowling is secretary of the Michigan Architec-tural Foundation, which aponsors an annual high achool design competition, a competition he won in 1866. He has held officer positions on the MSA and the American Institute of Architects and the Deriot AIA chapter have recognized his designs with honors. three times.

Rochling's civic involvement includes Birming-ham's Art in the Park, the Royal Oak historic dis-

loward the advancement of the Charles Blessing ex-fession." Wikile is the designer of the Charles Blessing ex-bilit, creator of the Michigan Architectural Foun-dation's High School Design Competition and past board member of the Detroit chapter of AIA. Ac-cording to MSA, his "professional accomplishments have earned him the position as Wayne County's senior architect."

Rossetti Associates was honored for the Palace f Auburn Hills, multi-purpose sports and entertainment facility.

The Detroit firm of William Kessier and Associ-ates won MSA's architectural firm award, a first-time honor. The award was established this year to show recognition to a firm that has "consistently produced distinguished architecture for a period of at least 10 wear." at least 10 year.

at least 10 year." Among the firm's works are the Kresge Founda-tion fleadquarters in Troy and the renovation of the Fox Theatre and office building Representing more than .700 members, MSA is a professional organization whose alm is to ad-vance the architectural profession and provide ser-vice and education to practicing architects.



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