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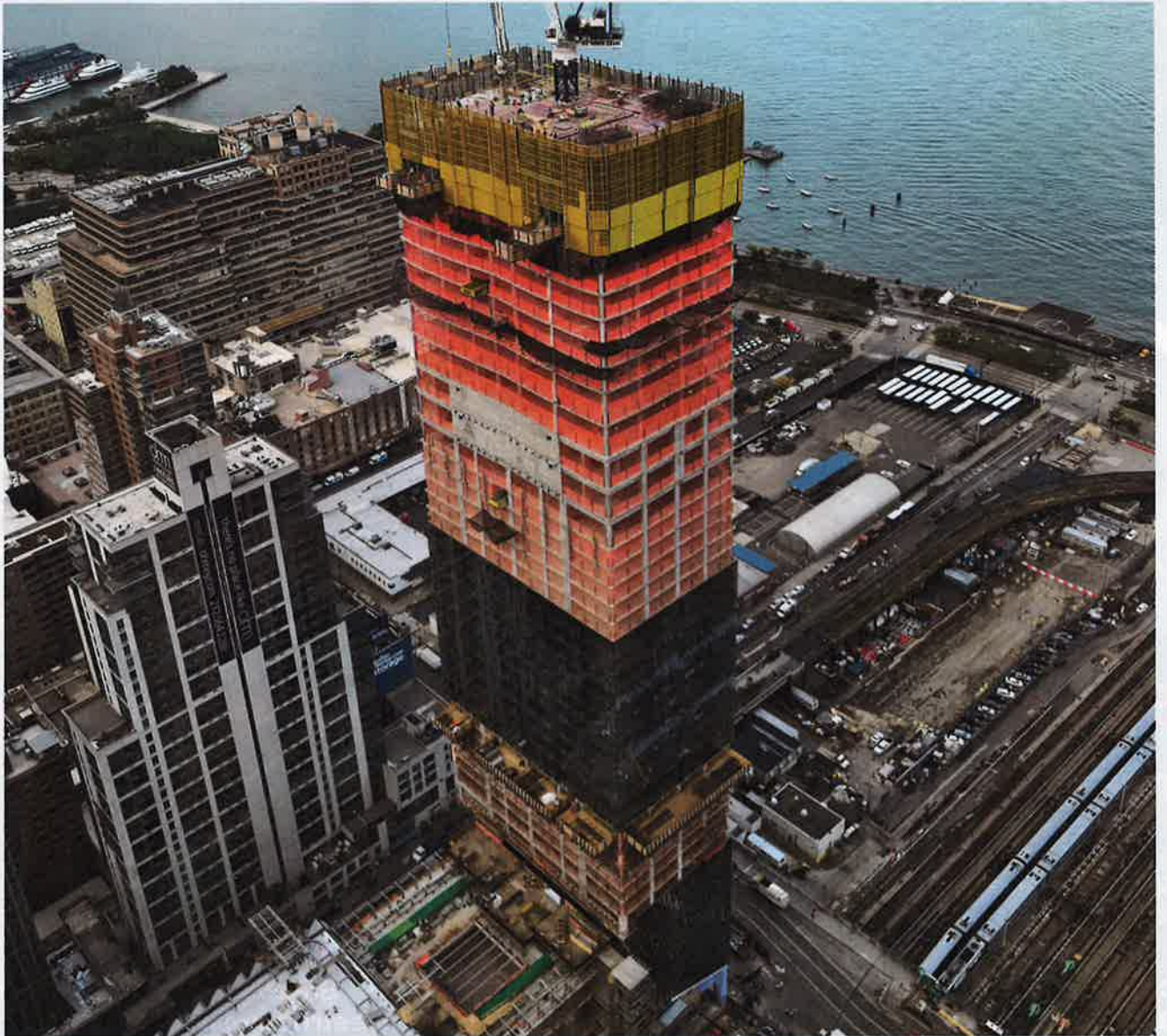


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Hudson Yards Puts Pieces Into Place

TOP YOUNG PROS • LEGACY AWARD: MOLES' GERRY CARTY

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LEFT TO RIGHT, STARTING AT TOP Row One: David Adams, Margo K. Cargill, Danei Cesario, Enda Crowley
Row Two: William C. Curran, Yaquta Faquih, Alexandra Gellman, Rebecca Klebanoff **Row Three:** Ryan S. Lean, Morgan Moldoff, Ibrahim Odeh, Aine O'Dwyer
Row Four: Lisa Peterson, Christian Roche, Sarah Steib, Joseph Strafacci **Row Five:** Ksenia Tretiakova, Joeann E. Walker, Timothy Ward, Sandra Yenko

ENR New York's Top Young Pros

The New York-New Jersey class of 2018 impressed with its innovation and hard work as well as generosity of spirit **BY EYDIE CUBARRUBIA AND JIM PARSONS**

Two states, 100 entries and 20 winners. ENR New York is pleased to share the stories of its 2018 Top Young Professionals hailing from New Jersey and the Empire State. ENR's regional publications invite people each year to nominate deserving, up-and-coming leaders under the age of 40 in construction and design. Contestants are judged on their industry experience, education, leadership skills and community service.

This year's judges were Jennifer Marcy, a certified floodplain manager with Atkins who was selected as one of 2017's ENR New York regional winners and also earned a spot on ENR's inaugural national Top 20 Under 40; and Christopher Alberio, president of Bravo Builders LLC.

This year's honorees proved themselves to be innovative and eager to share their knowledge with others. Some, like Margo K. Cargill, CEO at Titanium Linx Consulting Inc., focus on helping the communities where they build, while others, like mechanical engi-

neer William Curran of Gannett Fleming Inc., work to save the planet from the impacts of climate change. Many are committed to educating their colleagues or teaching the next generation how to develop careers in engineering, design and construction. The group handled with aplomb projects worth hundreds of millions—even billions—of dollars while helping clients save money and resources.

For the honorees, work is not just a job, but a mission to make the world better. Says architect Sandra Yenko, a project manager at Mace North America Ltd., "Architecture is less about iconic, untouchable design and more about activating space for people to pursue their best version of life."

This year's winners are eager to help others overcome the same hurdles that once challenged them, even if, says Dewberry engineer and land surveyor Lisa Peterson, "it did not dawn on me that I was a woman interested in a male-dominated profession until others pointed it out."

ENR New York congratulates the class of 2018. Read on to find out more about these up-and-coming leaders.



TOP YOUNG PROFESSIONALS

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—LISA PETERSON, Department Manager, Transportation Services, Dewberry

mentors junior staff in building skills to excel in leadership roles and client interaction. He also works with the firm's Project Lead the Way to support STEM education through classroom presentations and hosting students at jobsites.

KSENIA TRETIAKOVA

Engineer crawls through tunnels to ensure splendid renovations

28, Senior Design Engineer

Leslie E. Robertson Associates
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Tretiakova's passion for historic preservation has been instrumental in raising LERA's profile in the market for renovation and conservation services.

To facilitate the adaptive reuse of a former New York City women's prison into a community center, Tretiakova led survey and structural assessments of deteriorating spaces and developed strategies to return them to their original splendor. Crawling through more than 500 ft of an underground service hatchway to examine and photograph building foundations, she found new access points and an abandoned brick storage area.

Tretiakova is a leader in multiple industry organizations, including the Structural Engineers Association of New York and Professional Women in Construction. And thanks partly to her, LERA has won several top awards in the Construction New York charitable design competition.

JOEANN E. WALKER

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Joeann Walker works with design professionals and contractors on complex litigation matters including defects, delays and professional malpractice. She has also become a resource for clients seeking certification as minority- or women-owned business enterprises.

Walker also provides pro bono assistance to clients ranging from a refugee fleeing persecution in Guyana to an individual making racial profiling claims against law enforcement. She also offers



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