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EDUCATION

B.A. in Psychology, with honors, University of Wisconsin, Madison, 1969.
M.S. in Psychology, University of Illinois, Chicago:1973
Ph.D. in Psychology, University of Illinois, Chicago: 1976. Major Areas: Environmental and Clinical Psychology.

Current Position: Professor of Environmental Psychology, co-chair of Sustainable Urban Environments program

Research Interests: Psychology of green architecture, impact of design on behavior in correctional settings, commuting stress

Selected Publications

Authored Books & Monographs

Wener, R. ***Hard Time, Hard Space: The Environmental Psychology of Prisons and Jails*** (in progress).

Farbstein, J with Axelrod, E., Shibley, R. & Wener, R.. (2008) ***The 2009 Rudy Bruner Award for Urban Excellence***. Bruner Foundation: Cambridge, Mass

Wener, R. with Axelrod, E. Farbstein, J., Shibley, R. (2008). ***Building Sustainable Neighborhoods: The 2007 Rudy Bruner Award for Urban Excellence***. Bruner Foundation: Cambridge, Mass

Wener, R. with Axelrod, E. Farbstein, J., Shibley, R., Welch, P. (2003). ***Placemaking for Change: 2001 Rudy Bruner Award for Urban Excellence***, Bruner Foundation: Cambridge, Mass

Edited Volumes

Wener, R. (ed.) (1998) ***Cumulative Index to EDRA Proceedings: 2nd Edition***, Environmental Design Research Association: Edmund, OK.

Book Chapters

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Wener, R. (2002). "Post Occupancy Evaluation," in **The Encyclopedia of Psychological Assessment**, Rocio Fernandez-Ballesteros (ed.), Thousand Oaks: Sage Publications.

Wener, R. (2000) "Design and the Likelihood of Prison Assaults", p49-54, in **Prison Architecture** Leslie Fairweather and Sean McConville (eds.) Butterworth-Heinemann.

Wener, R., (1989) "Advances in Environmental Evaluations," in E. Zube and G. Moore (eds.) **Advances in Environment, Behavior, and Design**, Vol. 2, p287-313, Plenum: New York.

Papers in Refereed Journals

Wener, R. (in press) "*Climate change 2007: Mitigation of climate change*" (Book review)" **Journal of Environmental Psychology**.

Wener, R. (2008). "History and Trends in Environmental Design Research," **Journal of Architecture and Planning Research**, 25, 4, 282-297.

Nasar, J., Hecht, P., and Wener, R. E. (2008). "Mobile Telephones, Distracted Attention, and Pedestrian Safety," **Accident Analysis & Prevention**, 40, 1. 69-75

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Wener, R. E. and Evans, G. W. (2007). "Physical Activity Benefits of Mass Transit Commuting," **Environment and Behavior**, 39,1, 62-74 .

Evans, G.W. & Wener, R.E. (2006). Rail commuting duration and passenger stress. **Health Psychology**, 25, 408-412.

Wener, R. E. and Carmalt, H. (2006). "Environmental Psychology and Sustainability in High-Rise Structures," **Technology in Society**, 28, 157-167.

Wener, R. E., Evans, G., and Boatley, P. (2005) "Commuting Stress: Psychophysiological Effects on the Trip and Spillover Into the Workplace," **Transportation Research Record**, 1924, 112-117. .

Wener, R. E., (1988) "Doing it Right: Examples of Successful Applications of Environment-Behavior Research to Design," **Journal of Architectural and Planning Research**.

Wener, R. (1984) "Behavioral Implications of Passive Solar Homes," (Book Review), *Journal of Architectural Research and Planning*, p. 73-76.

Wener, R. and Kaminoff, R. (1983) "Improving environmental information: Effects of signs on perceived crowding and behavior," *Environment and Behavior*, 15, 1, 3-20.

Farbstein, J. and Wener, R. (1982) "Evaluating correctional environments," *Environment and Behavior*, 14, 6, 671-694.

Wener, R. and Olsen, R. (1980) "Innovative correctional environments: a user assessment," *Environment and Behavior*, 12, 4, 478-493.

Keys, C. and Wener, R. (1980) "Organizational intervention: A four phased approach to post occupancy evaluation," *Environment and Behavior*, 12, 4, 553-540.

Current Courses Taught

Environmental Psychology
The Psychology of Sustainability
The Design of Cities
Psychology of Transportation
Psychology of Living in Extreme Environments