

MEL STOUT

Education

B.L.A., Landscape Architecture, 1969, Kansas State University

M.L.A., Landscape Architecture, 1972, University of Michigan

Registration

Registered Landscape Architect, Oregon (59), 1981 (Current) Registered Landscape Architect, Washington, (352) 1982 (Expired) Registered Landscape Architect, California (2569), 1985 (Expired)

Professional Affiliations

Past Member, American Society of Landscape Architects

Past Member, Oregon State Landscape Architect Board

Past Board Member, 40-Mile Loop Land Trust

Awards

Kansas State University Architecture and Design Faculty Award

University of Michigan School of Natural Resources Faculty Award

National ASLA Honor Award, Oregon Chapter ASLA Merit Award — 40 Mile Loop Master Plan

Oregon ASLA Merit Award, Gresham Trails Master Plan and Phase I Development

Oregon ASLA Merit Award, Discovery Greenway Master Plan

Mel Stout, RLA

Introduction

Mr. Stout has more than 40 years of experience in park planning and site/landscape design with particular expertise in developing major park master plans, designing park facilities, trail systems and greenways, and managing project construction. His 40-Mile Loop Master Plan received a Merit Award in 1988 from the Oregon Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects (ASLA), and was cited as an "excellent example of a detailed plan" by Charles Little in his book, *Greenways for America*. His Gresham Trails Master Plan received a Merit Award from the Oregon Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects.

Mr. Stout has special expertise in creating plans that make the most efficient use of land, while still respecting natural features and resources. He has provided landscape architectural designs and site planning for residential, recreational, and commercial developments, including and site planning for residential, recreational, and commercial developments, including single- and multi-family housing communities; planned unit developments (PUDs); apartment complexes, and residences. Mr. Stout has prepared numerous development, design review and planning approvals, often through extensive public involvement processes.

Professional History

Designer/Planner, Mitchell, McArthur, Gardner, O'Kane, Associates, 1972-1973.
Partner, Landscape Planning Associates, 1973-1975.
Park Planner, Oregon State Parks, 1975-1980.
Landscape Architect, Benkendorf Evans Ltd. 1980-1982.
Director of Landscape Arch., David Evans and Associates, Inc., 1982-2005.

Principal, Mel Stout Landscape Architecture, 2005-2006.

Senior Landscape Architect, Harper Houf Peterson Righellis, Inc., 2006-2010.

Ten Most Significant Career Projects

- 40-Mile Loop Master Plan, Project Manager, Lead Designer (Oregon ASLA Merit Award and National ASLA Honor Award)
- Gresham Trails Master Plan and Phase I Development, Project Manager, Lead Designer (*Oregon ASLA Merit Award*)
- Sandy River Delta Gateway Recreation Master Plan, Lead Designer
- Forest Heights Master Plan and Phase I-III Site Design including entry road and open spaces trail system, Lead Designer
- Palm Desert Civic Center Site and Recreation Design Plans, Lead Designer
- Town Center Office Park Site and Landscape Design Plans, Lead Designer
- Maintenance Handbook, Oregon State Parks, Project Manager, Lead Designer
- Willamette River Greenway Development Sites Access FAcilities and Trails Plans, Project Manager, Lead Designer (50 sites)
- Peninsula Crossing Trail Feasiblity Study and Design, Project Manager
- Lewis & Clark Discovery Greenway Master Plan, Project Manager/Designer (Oregon ASLA Merit Award)