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## **John Prokos 2011**

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Name: John Prokos, FAIA

Title: Principal

Company: Gund Partnership, Architecture & Planning

Location: Cambridge, Mass.

Place of birth: Massachusetts

Family: Wife and 2 sons

College: Cornell University

First job unrelated to your current field: Summer construction crew

First job in current field: Ray Hovsepian Architects in Worcester, Mass.

What your firm does now and its plans for the future?: Gund Partnership is focused on architecture and planning for higher education, private schools, arts and cultural institutions, mixed use developments and corporate headquarters. The firm seeks to continue this focus and with a greater emphasis on cultural Institutions.

Hobbies: Reading, travel, skiing & hiking

Favorite novel: "The Source" by James Michener

Favorite film: "North by Northwest" by Alfred Hitchcock

Keys to success: Perseverance and getting along with people.

Person you most admire (outside of family): LeCorbusier

If you had to choose a different profession, what would it be?: Ski touring guide in the Alps.

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