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Sheila Kennedy is an American architect, innovator and educator. As co-principal of Kennedy & Violich Architecture, Ltd (KVA Matx) and Professor of the Practice of Architecture at MIT, Kennedy's work has been recognized with a Design Excellence Award from the National Endowment of the Arts, The Good Design Award, Green Building Awards, Progressive Architecture Awards, and National Honor Awards for Design Excellence from the American Institute of Architecture. Kennedy is the author of many patents integrating digital technologies in architecture, and building materials and she has served as an advisor to the U.S. Department of Energy, the National Academy of Sciences' Government-Industry Partnerships, and the Vision 2020 National

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