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Interior Design recognizes KlingStubbins / Tocci for Autodesk project Innovative design earns Best of Year honors



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CAMBRIDGE, MA – December 7, 2009 – *Interior Design* recognized KlingStubbins and Tocci Building Companies by naming their Autodesk AEC Headquarters project in Waltham, MA, the best of the year in the “Eco” category of the magazine’s fourth annual Best of Year Awards ceremony, which was held at the Solomon R. Guggenheim museum in New York City on Thursday night.

Winners were chosen by *Interior Design* editor in chief Cindy Allen and a jury of design leaders will be featured in the December issue of the magazine.

The design solution expresses the Autodesk mission by exposing and featuring the building systems. A three-story floor opening visually connects the activities among all floors and demonstrates the energy of the space to visitors. Open workspaces and glass conference rooms provide visual

connection and encourage collaboration. Open ceilings expose the structural and mechanical systems as a significant design features. The project has also received LEED Platinum certification.

This has been a banner year for Autodesk’s AEC headquarters. In addition to this award, the project has also earned *Business Week / Architectural Record*’s annual “Good Design is Good Business” award, a Building Information Modeling Award from the American Institute of Architects Technology in Architectural Practice Knowledge Community, and an Associated General Contractors of Massachusetts’ Build Massachusetts Award.

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