Michigan Medical Society Building, East Lansing

The Michigan State Medical Society Building was designed by world-renowned architect Minoru Yamasaki and his firm Yamasaki & Associates, of Troy, Michigan. The original structure was completed in 1961. The society expanded the building’s space in 1979 with the Stockwell Wing. The new wing, also designed by the Yamasaki firm, complements the original building in design.

Since the original building’s construction, the Michigan Medical Society has been an exemplary steward. The society has not made any updates or alterations to the building without consulting with the original interior designer.

While many people recognize the significance of older architecture, there is often a failure to recognize the significance of Modern architecture. The Michigan Medical Society, however, has always understood and appreciated the significance of its building and the importance of maintaining it. For more than fifty years the society has remained true to the original design intent of Minoru Yamasaki and has held to the highest preservation standards.