

## 2008 Institute Honor Awards for Interior Architecture

**Project** Novelty Hill Januik Winery – Woodinville, Washington

**Architect** Mithun – Seattle

**Owner** Tom Alberg and Judi Beck – Woodinville, Washington

### Notes of Interest

The new 31,000-square-foot winery in suburban Seattle represents a time-honored tradition, but with a fresh interpretation that respects the client's love of modern architecture, advanced technology, and winemaking. This is a functional, efficient production facility and a welcoming gathering place that clearly establishes an identity distinct from other wineries in the area.

### Jury Comments

This design represents a traditional process (wine making), with a fresh interpretation of modern architecture and integration of advanced technology. The industrial construction with the interspersed use of natural materials brings an understated elegance to the space types within the project. Details were well thought out from the support elements (the concrete finishing and mechanical distribution) to the extension into outdoor space.



### Additional Credits

**Consultant:** Mithun (Interior Architect) – Seattle  
**Engineer:** IL Gross Structural Engineers (Structural) – Seattle  
David Evans & Associates (Civil) – Bellevue, Washington  
PK Electric (Electrical) – Mercer Island, Washington  
Emerald Aire, Inc. (Mechanical) – Auburn, Washington

**General Contractor:** Walsh Construction Company – Seattle  
**Landscape Architect:** Mithun with Katherine Anderson – Seattle  
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