



2019 Industry Showcase/Expo & Star Design Awards Gala

Tuesday, September 10, 2019

**Four Points Sheraton
8110 Aero Drive
San Diego, CA 92123**

**Showcase/Expo 4:00 PM to 6:30 PM
Dinner, Presentation &
Star Design Awards Gala
6:30 PM to 8:30 PM**

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Gala Keynote Speaker

Ellen Cheever, CMKBD, ASID, CAPS, CLIPP



Presentation by Influential, Award-Winning Industry Figure. Ellen's contribution to innovative design solutions has helped shape the North American Industry.

She's the author of 20+ books and manuals covering the details of Kitchen and Bathroom Standards, including 3 of the 2013/2014 updated National Kitchen & Bath Association Professional Resource Library volumes. She is a regular columnist for Kitchen & Bath Design News Magazine as well.

In 2017 Ellen was recognized in Kitchen & Bath Design News Magazine as one of the top 50 business innovators who have led the Kitchen and Bath Industry.

Most recently in 2018 Virginia Tech, the first NKBA Affiliated College, dedicated a library named "The Cheever Design Library" in the college's Center for Real Life Design.

During this thoughtful and entertaining program, designer and NKBA educator, Ellen Cheever will share insights she has learned over her 48 year career in the Kitchen and Bath Industry. Her program features humorous stories about her varied industry adventures as well as hard lessons she learned when faced with challenging business times.

Ellen is planning to retire early 2020. Her presentation at the Certified Designer Luncheon at KBIS 2019, was awesome! We highly recommend attending.

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