

Canstruction International Announces 2024 Winners – Building Hope, One Can at a Time

June 1, 2025 – Canstruction International is proud to announce the winners of its **2024 International Competition**, honoring the creativity, ingenuity, and compassion of design and construction professionals around the world.

This year's winners were revealed during **SDA's** (**Society for Design Administration**) **Annual Convention in Lexington, KY**, highlighting extraordinary structures built entirely from cans of food. Following each city competition, all cans used in the creations are donated to local food banks, helping to feed families in need.

2024 Award Categories and Winners:

- Best Original Design H2M Architects + Engineers, Canstruction Long Island
- Structural Ingenuity G70 & Swinerton, Canstruction Honolulu
- Best Meal Champlin Architecture, Canstruction Cincinnati
- Best Use of Labels Moseley Architects, Canstruction Hampton Roads
- Most Cans HSBC, Canstruction Hong Kong with 11,565 cans
- People's Choice CF Industries, Canstruction Sarnia

"Canstruction has always been about more than just building with cans. It's about building hope, building communities, and making a tangible difference in the fight against hunger," said Stephanie Kirschner, Executive Director of Canstruction International. "We are so proud of this year's winners and grateful to every team that participated."

In 2024 alone, Canstruction events worldwide collected and donated over **1,175,000 pounds of food** to local food banks and raised **\$641,386 in cash donations** to support hunger relief efforts. Since its founding in 1992, Canstruction has helped fight hunger while showcasing the power of design and collaboration.

For more information about Canstruction, to view photos of the winning structures, or to get involved in a local event, visit **www.canstruction.org**

About Canstruction International:

Founded in 1992 by Cheri Melillo, Canstruction is a global charity competition where teams of architects, engineers, and contractors build giant structures entirely from canned goods. After public display, all food is donated to local food banks, making a real difference in the fight against hunger.