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Serving their clients is the top priority for the team at Dennis Wedlick Architect (DWA). Principals Dennis Wedlick, AIA, Alan Barlis, AIA, LEED AP, and their staff have amassed a portfolio of beautifully detailed projects that put a witty, romantic spin on traditional house forms and styles. “We don’t compromise on services,” says Wedlick, who spent 12 years working for Philip Johnson before starting DWA. “We’re old, old, old-fashioned that way.”

The firm also promotes good house design in a more general sense. Along with authoring four design books, Wedlick co-founded the Congress of Residential Architecture (CORA), a group whose mission is to improve the quality of residential architecture by encouraging better communication among homeowners, builders, and designers. Additionally, DWA recently devoted a chunk of time and resources to creating a for-sale Passive House in Hudson, N.Y., which it hopes will inspire others to learn more about this highly energy-efficient way of building.

To further that goal, the firm produced and distributed an informational packet on the Passive House concept, known as the *Greater Good Home Newspaper* (shown at right).—*m.d.*

years in practice: 19 / **projects completed in 2010:** 10 / **firm size:** 18 / **areas of interest:** custom homes, sustainable design, master planning, institutional, commercial / **photography:** Reto Guntli (project); Andrew Lindy (portrait)



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