

Objective

To pursue a career in Architecture where I may contribute to small- and medium-sized projects with my strong organizational skills and strength in clean resolution of problems at all scales. To develop responsibility for project management and coordination, while continuing to provide excellent drafting and rendering skills.

Employment

Junior Designer - BRB Architects, New York, NY September 2010 - Present
-Worked on school and college projects in all phases from feasibility study to bidding & negotiation. Extensive use of Revit in creating and organizing a full drawing set for the renovation of a 20,000 GSF college student center. Graphic and presentation work for an award-winning Univesity master plan. Various tasks in firm marketing and office management.

Architectural Intern – Sasaki Associates, Watertown, MA March – May 2010
-Involved in intermediate resolution of master plan for Lulu Island, Abu Dhabi, UAE. Worked in conceptual design phase with tasks including drafting of diagrammatic plans, building design through digital modeling, creation of presentation graphics, and drafting of residential and public buildings.

Education

Roger Williams University Bristol, Rhode Island
-Master of Architecture with minor in Visual Arts/Photography August 2005 – December 2009
-Semester abroad at The Institute at Palazzo Rucellai in Florence, Italy Spring 2008
-Thesis, titled Density: An Additive Process, seeks a way to deal with the inevitable densification of Manhattan. Goals include preservation of the existing structures that give the city its character, as well as the beginning of a system of organic, additive growth. It proposes a system of vertical growth based on towers of offices and public nexuses, linked by bars of housing and linear garden sequences. This combination of elements yields an elevated, pedestrian, public level.

Achievements

Master of Architecture Thesis Commendation
One of six-member team winning 1st of 7 at regional Design Build competition hosted by Associated General Contractors of America
One of six-member team winning 3rd of 14 in competition to design revitalization scheme for Modena, Italy
Initiation into Tau Sigma Delta Honor Society in Architecture and Allied Arts – 2007
Dean's list honoree at Roger Williams University

Related Experience

Assistant to Studio Manager, D.J. Alexander – Roger Williams University August 2007 – December 2009
-Photographed and archived student architectural and fine art work using digital SLR and studio lighting equipment. Designed layouts for posters and documents and installed gallery exhibits.

Tutor for Arch 432: Architecture Technology II – Roger Williams University Summer 2009
-Prepared students for exams, ensured thorough understanding of lecture material and evaluated completed work as sole graduate assistant in most advanced technical course for Master of Architecture degree.

Tutor and critic for Summer Academy Design Studio – Roger Williams University Summer 2009
-Sole assistant in Design Studio course as part of architectural summer program for 14 high school students.

Skills

Adept at creating full drawing sets in Revit, including working with existing conditions, phases, design options, and in the creation of custom families. Great strength in digital renderings using 3D Studio Max. Excellence with the Adobe suite, particularly Photoshop and InDesign, with some experience in many other softwares.