

EDUCATION	Syracuse University, B.Arch '25 B.A in Music History and Cultures with Distinction '25 GPA: 3.987/4.0 Design GPA: 4.0/4.0 Renée Crown Honors Candidate	Masters offers (Fall 2025): MIT SA+P Urbanism with 100% Tuition Grant Harvard GSD MDes Ecologies with Dean's Scholarship Princeton University, M.Arch II with Highest Scholarship
WORK EXPERIENCE	Robert Siegel Architects Worked part-time in the schematic design phase on multiple Higher Ed. projects.	Feb. - May, 2025 New York City (remote)
	Perkins&Will Worked with the Design Director Eric Keune on projects in Higher Ed. and Healthcare.	Jun. - Aug. 2024. Boston, MA
	Salazar x Sequero x Medina (SSM) Assisted the principals on competitions for affordable housing projects and biennale pavilions.	Dec. 2023 - Nov. 2024 Madrid, Spain (remote)
	General Architecture Collaborative (GAC) In this not-for-profit office, I worked on exhibition, housing, and urban projects in Rwanda.	Aug. 2023 - Jan. 2024 Kigali, Rwanda
	Material Archi-Tectonic Research Lab (MATR Lab) Worked in a team on developing modular dwelling units. Supervised by Daekwon Park.	May 2023 - Jun. 2024 Syracuse, NY
	Workshop/APD Worked on D.D. and C.A. phases of single-family and mid-rise residential projects in NYC	Jun. - Aug. 2022 New York City
	Virtuarch Co., Ltd Worked at the conceptual design stage on multiple educational projects in China.	Jul. 2020 - Jan. 2021 Shanghai, China
	MILLIONS Architects Part-time Photographer	Summer 2022
	SOURCE Grant Research Fellow Research project titled "Re-Imaging the Urban Informal Settlements in East Africa." One-month independent fieldwork in Kigali, Rwanda. August, 2023 One-month independent fieldwork in Nairobi, Kenya. December, 2024	2023-2025 Syracuse University
	Distinction in Music History Capstone Project Independent project titled "Staging the Extremes: Model Operas and Struggle Sessions during China's Cultural Revolution," interrogating the political space and sound in Contemporary China.	Fall 2024 Syracuse NY
RESEARCH	Syracuse University Art Museum Kaish Fellow Used architecture and music to interpret five Landscape paintings in the museum collection.	2023-2024 Syracuse University
	"The Yang-tze River Dilemma" Harvard GSD Research Assistant Assisted MDes Ecologies student Angelina Zhang on a floodplain resilience fieldwork.	May 2024 Wuhan, China
	Design for Biodiversity Fieldwork on the Galapagos Islands Two-week group survey led by Julia Czerniak et al. on island urbanization and ecological conflicts.	June, 2023 Galapagos, Ecuador
	Interactive Design and Visualization Lab (IDVL Lab) Lab Assistant Assisted Professor Bess Krietemeyer on a net-zero housing retrofit strategy project.	June 2022 - June 2023 Syracuse, NY
	"Just 20 Feet" Research Assistant to Julia Czerniak Assisted Dean Julia Czerniak (UB) on a biodiversity corridor project.	Summer, 2022 Syracuse ,NY
	University Scholar Awarded to twelve top students for the highest academic achievements	Class of 2025
	University Senior Class Marshal Awarded to two students annually for campus contribution	Class of 2025
	Syracuse University Remembrance Scholar	2024 - 2025
	Veinus Prize for the best musicology paper in SU's music history department	2025 Music History Dep.
	Crown Thesis Award Architecture Capstone Project, "Made in China, Remade in Kibera"	2024 Syracuse Honors
ACADEMIC HONORS	Alfred L. Kaskel Scholarship Solo Recipient of the Highest Award for Academic Merit	2024 Syracuse SoA
	Peter J. Moore Award Solo Recipient for Excellence in Architecture Sketching	2023-2024
	Maxwell Citizenship Scholarship Winner of a university public policy-design competition	2020-2024
	The National Organization of Minority Student (NOMAS) Design Team Chair	2022 and 2024
	Architecture Media Team Social Media Coordinator	Sep. 2021 - present
	School of Architecture DEIA Committee Elected Representative	2021-2022
POSITIONS		

EXHIBITIONS & PUBLICATIONS

Student Conference on Conservation Science - NY Workshop Facilitator Assisted Julia Czerniak and Nina-Marie Lister on a workshop titled "Telling Species Stories"	Oct. 2024, New York City AMNH
GREEN ROOM Syracuse Architecture Student Publication Essay titled "Atriums in Architecture Schools"	October, 2024 Syracuse University
Brand and Pop-up Workshop Facilitator Assisted Dean Michael Speaks on a workshop series on designing pop-up structures in Slocum Hall	Fall 2024 Syracuse University
Climate-Resilient Development in Southeast Asia Conference Presentation Project with Angelina Zhang, "The Yang-tze River Dilemma"	July, 2024, Boston Harvard-China Project
Syracuse University Art Museum <i>Islands and Soundscapes</i> An individually curated final exhibition as part of the Kaish Fellowship.	May, 2024 Syracuse University
Slocum Atrium <i>Rwanda Housing Project</i> Contribute to a composite illustration about Rwandan history as part of an exhibition curated by General Architecture Collaborative led by Professor Yutaka Sho.	May 2024, Syracuse, NY
The Museum of Science and Technology (MOST) Contributed to an exhibition titled "Net Zero Energy Retrofit Living Lab Exhibition."	December 2023, Syracuse, NY
The Crown vol. 1 Journal Article Essay titled "The Regime and the Opera House"	October, 2023, Syracuse University

COMPETITIONS (selected)

NOMA Student National Competition First Place , ACADIA Award, Led a 7-people team. Project "Promenade for Participation"	Oct. 2024, Baltimore NOMA Conference
AIA Central New York Award of Merit, Student Work Category, "The Domestic Nomad"	Oct. 2024 AIA CNY
HOME 2124 First Place , "The Domestic Nomad"	Sep. 2024, Architol Competitions
Skyscraper Competition 2024 Honorable Mention, "Farming Depot City"	Jun. 2024 Evolvo Magazine
Syracuse University Integrated Studio Overall Design Award First Place , "The Domestic Nomad"	Jun. 2024 Syracuse University
Mass Timber Competition 2024 Second Place , "Elevated Commons"	May 2024 SUNY ESF
Concéntrico Festival, The Street in 10 Years Top 5, in collaboration with <i>SalazarSequeroMedina</i> , "The Shared Ground Floor"	Apr. 2024 Logrono, Spain
Asian Design Award 2024 The Bronze Prize and Two Awards of Excellence	Apr. 2024 AAUA
LA Affordable Housing Challenge Honorable Mention	Mar. 2024 the Builders
NOMA Student National Competition Fourth Place , Led a 10-people design team. Project "Between the Land and Memory."	Oct. 2022, Nashville NOMA Conference

TEACHING

B.Arch Core Studio Sequence Teaching Assistant <i>Second-year Landscape Studio, Third-year Urbanism Studio, Visiting Critic Studio</i>	Fall 2022 & Fall 2024 Syracuse University
Summer Exploration Program Teaching Fellow Led a 15-student session in an architecture foundation course for high school students.	Summer 2023 Syracuse University
B.Arch Required Curriculum Student Tutor Building System I & II, Arch. Representation I & II, Arch. History I & II, Architecture Theory	Fall 2021 - Spring 2024 Syracuse University
East China Normal University Guest Speaker Speech title: Experience in Africa as a Chinese Researcher	Jan. 2024 Hangzhou, China
Syracuse Architecture Visiting Critic Studio Review Jury	Fall 2024

SKILLS

Softwares Revit, Rhino, Adobe Illustrator, Photoshop, Indesign, Twinmotion, Acrobat, Microsoft Suite, Cubase, Adobe Audition, QGIS, Sketchup, Enscape, Vray for Rhino, Bluebeam Revu, AutoCAD, ArchiCAD, Premier Pro, Procreate, ArcGIS, Grasshopper

Craft Lasercut, 3D Printing, CNC Milling, Casting, Basic Woodwork

Native proficiency: English / Chinese

Working Proficiency: Italian