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EXPERIENCE

Leventhal Center for Advanced Urbanism (LCAU) | Cambridge, US - 2023 - 2024

Project Assistant for the concept and design development of the center's 10th Anniversary Exhibition: Digital Urbanisms.

Civic Data Design Lab (CCDL) | Cambridge, US - 2022 - 2023

Project assistant in a data visualization project concerning Venezuelan migrants in Ecuador.

Drawing Together + Local Code Lab | Project Development | Cambridge, US - 2023

Liminal Web | Design Team | Lazio, Italy - Summer 2023

Wolfgang & Hite | Project Manager | NYC, US - 2020 - 2022

Worked on eight projects in a wide range of programs, including commercial, retail and industrial. Managed five projects related to the cannabis industry, three dispensaries, a growing facility, and a CBD retail location from concept to construction. The designs hinge on education and community building as their main drivers.

Robert A.M. Stern Architects | Junior Architect | NYC, US - 2018 - 2020

Worked on five national and international projects that encompassed a variety of types and programs; residential, commercial, hospitality and adaptive reuse. My time at RAMSA allowed me to gain first-hand experience in leading contextual and historical research, and seeing projects through all design phases.

Friedrich St. Florian Architects | Intern | Providence, US - 2017

Schematic design and research regarding land use for a proposal for the American Farm Museum, in Michigan.

GENSLER | Intern | Boston, US - 2016

Concept and Schematic design proposals for civic and commercial projects, including General Electric's HQ and the re-design of City Hall Plaza, in an exploration of the site's activation as an alternate public space. This was presented to the client, Delaware North.

Tracing Public Space - NGO | Volunteer | Aragua, Venezuela - 2015 - Ongoing

Led in-person design co-creation sessions with children and sector leaders in the community of Juan Moreno. Remotely facilitated software classes for program participants.

EDUCATION

Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)

SMArchS Urbanism 2022 - 2024

Rhode Island School of Design (RISD)

Bachelors of Architecture 2013 - 2018
Bachelors of Fine Arts 2013 - 2017
Concentration in Nature, Culture and Sustainability Studies (NCSS)

Rome Travel Program Summer 2014

Columbia University

Introduction to Architectural Design and Theory, Summer Program 2012

ENGAGEMENT

Involvement at Pratt University

Guest critic at several reviews in the Interior Design INT301-INT302 classes between 2020-2022.

Involvement at RAMSA

Sustainable Design Committee Event Coordinator, Leader of the Sustainable Bookmaking Club, Recruiting Team, WLI (Women's Leadership Initiative)

Involvement at RISD

Teacher assistant: Architectural Projections 2016, Making of Design Principles 2017. Laser Cutter Monitor 2014 - 2018 Computer Lab Monitor 2015 - 2018

AWARDS & **PUBLICATIONS**

Architecture Studies Travel Award (ASTA) 2017

Research focused on uncovering relationships between vérnacular Peruvian architecture and Latin-American magical realism.

Brown University Urban Journal, Vol. 4

Contributed and edited content for the Urban Studies' yearly publication on 2018.

SKILLS

Digital: FIGMA, GIS, Revit, AutoCAD, Rhino3D-Grasshopper, SketchUp / Adobe Suite / Blender, VRay, Lumion, Pano2VR / Flamingo, DIVA, Ladybug, Sefaira, ArchSim / basic HTML & CSS, data visualization. Analog: Hand drafting, model-making, woodworking, painting, sculpture, bookbinding, intaglio, oil.

Languages: Bilingual in Spanish and English, and conversational Italian.

EXHIBITIONS

Advanced Urbanism Proseminar Exbition, MIT Architecture HQ Gallery | Cambridge, MA - 2023 Thesis Gallery & Presentation, BEB Gallery/Woods Gerry Gallery | Providence, RI - 2017-2018 European Honors Program Show, Woods Gerry Gallery | Providence, RI - 2014