## Juan Manuel Chávez Fernández del Busto

SMArchS AD Candidate B. Arch

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**EDUCATION** 

2014-2019 Universidad Iberoamericana Mexico City, Mexico

Bachelor of Architecture (five-year program)

under: Nathan Friedman, Carlos Bedoya, Margarita Flores, Francisco Quiñones, Tiberio Wallentin, , Daniel Mastretta

2018 Politecnico di Milano Milan, Itay

Erasmus Exchange Program (Spring semester) under: Louise Schouwenberg

2022-2024 Massachusetts Institute of Technology (SA+P) Cambridge, USA

Master of Science in Architecture Studies- Architecture + Design (SMArchS AD)

**HONORS + AWARDS** 

2022 Department of Architecture Graduate Fellowship

Massachusetts Institute of Technology (SA+P)

Fall 2022-2024

2021 Fulbright-García Robles (COMEXUS)

Scholarship for Graduate Studies in the United States

Fall 2022-2024

2020 Universidad Iberoamericana Mexico City, Mexico

High Performance Students' Honors

**COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES** 

2019-2020 **Arca Tierra** *Mexico City, Mexico (formerly Yolcan)* 

Planned and implemented the strategic communication as well as designed graphic

material for the project

2017-2019 Construyendo Comunidades Integrales State of Mexico, Mexico (Community Service)

Volunteered in construction works for single-family houses in communities affected by the

earthquake that occurred during September 2017

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2020–2022 **Studio Fierro** New York City, NY

Junior Architect

• Working within architecture, interior design, and curatorial projects

Coordinating projects taking place in Mexico

2016- to date Independent practice

Apartment + House reformations Worked in the design and executive coordination

Office with a view Worked in the design and executive coordination

MuPi Working in the design and prototype of lighting objects

2018 La Metropolitana Mexico City, Mexico

Junior Architect (5 months)

• Oversaw the executive production of interior and architectural design

2017 **Dellekamp Arquitectos** *Mexico City, Mexico* 

Intern (3 months)

• Worked in the production of images and conceptual stage of various projects

**SKILLS** 

Adobe Suite (Photoshop, InDesign, Illustrator, AfterEffects) • Microsoft Office • AutoCad • Rhino • Fusion360 Languages (English: Proficient Spanish: First Language)

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## RELEVANT COURSEWORK (MIT)

2022 Technopolitics, Culture, Intervention

Instructor: Arindam Dutta

The Deep Time Project

Instructor: Cristina Parreño Alonso

Gay for Pay: Designing Architecture for Queer Economies

Instructor: Jaffer Kolb

**SMArchS Collogium** 

Instructor: Skylar Tibbits

2023 SoS: Synchronization of the Senses

Instructor: Renée Green

**Project Polaris** 

Instructor: Brandon Clifford

**Pre-Thesis Prep** 

Instructor: Mark Jarzombek
Digital Lamp: Design/Make/Illuminate

Instructor: Tony Hu + Andy MacInnis

The Early Arts of America Trauma and Transformation: Idols, Idolatry

Instructor: Thomas B.F. Cummins

## **OTHER COURSES + WORKSHOPS**

2020 ACTO: Nuevas Prácticas Mexico City, Mexico

under the mentorship of: Nathan Friedman, Francisco Quiñones and Margarita Flores

2019 Workshop: Porto Academy (Visiting School Barragán) Mexico City, Mexico

Casa Estudio Luis Barragán, under the mentorship of: Manuel Cervantes and Go Hasegawa

2016 Workshop: 'Introduction to japanese architecture and biodesign' Tokyo, Japan

University of Chiba, Japan

**EXHIBITIONS** 

2023 The Deep Time Project Cambridge, MA

MIT Wiesner Student Art Gallery

Group Exhibition: presenting work that explored the cumulative memory of space

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