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{Education}

California Polytechnic State University – Master of Science in Architecture Syracuse University School of Architecture – Bachelor of Architecture Studied Abroad in Florence, Italy December 2013 May 2010 Spring 2009

Enrolled in IDP: 1908.5 Approved Hours, 970 Pending

{Work Experience}

California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo, CA

January 2013 - Present

## **Graduate Research Assistant**

Developing design/build guidelines for California American Water's new Desalination Plant in Marina, CA. Creating interdisciplinary educational materials to aid in the cirriculum for future students. Streamlining graduate student enrollment procedures.

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## **Support Shop Assistant Supervisor**

Responsible for student employees, maintaining equipment, and providing lessons on hardware, procedures, and safety.

GTM Architects, Bethesda, MD

July 2011 - July 2012

## Project Coordinator I/ Junior Architect

Specialized in residential and commercial design. Created construction documents, permit drawings, schematic drawings, existing conditions, & created 3D models using Sketchup, Revit, AutoCAD and Adobe Creative Suite. Aided in office transition to Revit.

Williamson Free School of Mechanical Trades, Media, PA

August 2010 - July 2011

## **Adjunct Professor**

Taught Introductory Drafting, Sketchup, AutoCAD, and drawing techniques to 1st year students as well as instruction in Blueprint Analysis/Construction Documents to upperclassmen. Educated students on design concepts and evaluated work.

{Consultant Experience}

Randall Korman, Architect: Installed sink, kitchen cabinets, & windows, painted walls,

aided in deck design & construction

Mark Linder, Architect: Assisted with design, fabrication, & installation of custom

ceiling panels & 2nd floor renovation

Naomi Mastrocola, Developer: Assisted in demolition of walls, chimney & ceiling,

installed HVAC, repaired ceilings, damaged walls & wiring

Julia Czerniak, Landscape Architect: Assisted in design of rear yard & created grading strategy

John Fitch Company, Manufacturer: Rendered, animated, & collaborated on design of an

emergency pipe shutoff valve

{Skills}

AutoCAD | Rhinoceros | AdobeSuite | SketchUp | Revit Architecture | VRay Render | Cinema4D 3DS Max | Grasshopper | RhinoCAM | Digital Fabrication | Processing | Sibelius | Celtx | Reason Quick Basic | C++ | Carpentry | Welding | Spanish | Italian | First Aid/CPR/AED Cert | SCUBA Cert

{Awards}

Pan Am 103 Remembrance Scholar

Syracuse University Class Marshal (based on merit & contribution to the school) Syracuse University School of Architecture Dean's Scholarship & Dean's List President's Award for Excellence in Media Arts & Academic Excellence

Exhibit Contributor - Slocum Hall Gallery: Rededication Video

{Leadership}

Alpha Rho Chi Bronze Medal for Leadership, Service, & Professional Merit

Representative of the Graduate Student Connection

Founder and President of WhAT, Warehouse Architecture Theatre

Community Council President, Shaw Hall & the International Learning Community

Peer Advising Coordinator & Peer Advisor

{Interests}

Set Design & Construction, Acting, Directing & Writing Theatrical Productions, Woodworking, Video Editing, Collage (Digital & Material), Piano, Juggling

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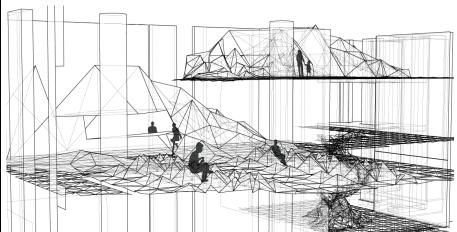


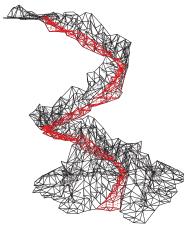




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