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objective

To obtain a challenging position in the field of architecture within a creative and collaborative environment

education

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (Troy, NY) - Summa Cum Laude
Bachelor of Architecture - Spring 1999
Bachelor of Building Science - Spring 1999
Centre for Environmental Planning Technology (Ahmedabad, India) - Spring 1998
Rensselaer School of Architecture Roman Studies Program (Rome, Italy) - Fall 1997

employment

Project Architect @ Arrowstreet, Inc. - 212 Elm Street - Somerville, MA
(March 2008 to present)
Leads internal teams in development of design concept through documentation and coordinates process with external consultants. Chairs firm committee for implementation of BIM.

Faculty @ Boston Architectural College - 320 Newbury Street - Boston, MA
(September 2008 - May 2009)
Co-taught the Degree Project Studio curriculum over the course of two semesters. Course is a thesis equivalent studio for undergraduate students in their final year of education. Studio intends to evolve student projects from initial design concept through more advanced levels of detailed development and systems integration.

Senior Associate @ Symmes, Maini, & McKee Associates - 1000 Massachusetts Avenue - Cambridge, MA
(May 2000 to March 2008)
Served as project architect and job captain for a variety of corporate/commercial, laboratory and institutional projects, including projects for Draper Laboratories and public high schools for the communities of Turners Falls, Swampscott, Bridgewater/Raynham and Quincy, MA. Championed the first use of BIM technology in the office.

Architecture Intern @ Architecture Plus - 297 River Street - Troy, NY
(May 1999 to May 2000)
Involved in design and detail of various projects. Cooperated on design teams for projects in various stages of development. Performed construction administration for renovations at Hudson Valley Community College in Troy, NY.

Adjunct Assistant Professor @ Rensselaer School of Architecture - 110 8th Street - Troy, NY
(August 1999 to December 1999)
Co-taught the Design Development Studio during the fall semester. The studio investigates interrelationships of design, materiality, and detail by advancing a former design project into further stages of development and resolution.

awards

Project Designer/Team Captain for award winning Boston CANstruction SMMA entries in 2001, 2004 & 2006
Harriet R. Peck Prize for the best solution to a problem in an architectural design thesis - Spring 1999
Ricketts Prize in recognition of outstanding academic achievement and promise for a successful career - Spring 1999
Faculty Award for outstanding contribution to the School of Architecture over four years - Spring 1998

activities

Member of BSA BIM Roundtable - Fall 2006 to present
Member of BSA Sketchup Users Group - Spring 2005 to present
Citizen Schools Volunteer Teacher - 2003
Student Advisor to the RPI Presidential Search Committee - Fall 1998
Vice President of Habitat for Humanities - RPI Chapter Fall 1996 - Spring 1997

skills

CAD/BIM platforms [Revit, AutoCAD w/ ADT, Sketchup, Autodesk Viz, DataCAD, FormZ, Microstation, SoftImage3D]
Desktop Publishing and Graphics [InDesign, Photoshop, Illustrator, Word, Excel, Premiere, Powerpoint]
Computer Languages [HTML, Pascal, C++, Java JDK 1.1, Javascript]
Spoken Languages [English, Intermediate French, Introductory Italian]
Operating Environments [MacOS, DOS, Windows, UNIX, and IRIX]