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Education

**HARVARD UNIVERSITY
GRADUATE SCHOOL OF DESIGN**
Master of Architecture
2016 - 2019

UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA
B.S in architecture
2009 - 2013

Core Skills

ARCHITECTURE & INTERIOR DESIGN
Commercial interior design, higher education, mixed-use development, hospitality, tenant amenities, space planning, design strategy, construction documentation

PROJECT MANAGEMENT
Programming, visioning, consultant coordination, schedule&fee management

VISUALIZATION & PRESENTATION
Design storytelling, client presentations, mood boards, finish palettes, rendering visualization, virtual walkthroughs, 2D technical drawings

PRODUCT DESIGN
Brand identity, visual systems, UI/UX design, user research

Profile

Registered Architect and multidisciplinary designer with experience across architecture, commercial interiors, higher education, mixed-use developments, and digital product design. Holds a Master of Architecture from the Harvard Graduate School of Design and has contributed to projects at award-winning design firms including Sasaki, Gensler, Shigeru Ban Architects, Woods Bagot, and MAD Architects.

Experienced in translating client vision, programmatic needs, brand identity, and workplace goals into human-centered spatial solutions. Skilled in concept development, interior architecture, design documentation, consultant coordination, stakeholder presentations, and construction detailing. Brings a strong balance of creative design thinking, technical execution, and project management, with a focus on environments that support innovation, productivity, well-being, and long-term business goals.

Work Experience

ARCHITECT, ASSOCIATE | SASAKI
Jun 2022 - present | Boston, MA

- Developed holistic design strategies grounded in user experience, brand identity, and environmental responsiveness for multiple interior architecture projects in workplace interiors and higher education sectors, from initial concepts to project execution.
- Lead design development from early concept through project execution, balancing design quality, technical requirements, budget, and schedule.
- Communicated regularly with clients and internal stakeholders through design reviews by presenting design concepts, user journey, rendering visualization, 2D technical drawings and virtual walkthroughs.
- Initiated and implemented BIM automation tools using Dynamo to increase team's documentation efficiency and accuracy, while reducing manual drafting time by 80% for repetitive, time-consuming tasks.
- Managed internal deadlines and design solutions in line with the approved budget, balancing quality, innovation, and cost-effectiveness through value engineering and strategic decision-making.
- Crafted details that balance visual aesthetics, constructibility and budget.
- Mentored junior designers and interns on technical and conceptual design aspects.



Software Skills

Revit
Dynamo
Enscape
Autocad
Rhino
Miro
Figma
Adobe Creative Suite
Microsoft Office Suite

Credentials

REGISTERED ARCHITECT
State of Massachusetts, USA
2021 - present

AIA
Member

Languages

ENGLISH
CHINESE, MANDARIN
CHINESE, CANTONESE

Selected Project highlights:

- Drove the creative direction and spatial experience concepts for TJX Companies' comprehensive, multi-year phased renovation of their 750,000 SF corporate headquarters by curating mood boards and material palettes aligned with branding guidelines and sustainability goals.
- Developed technical details and coordinated closely with consultants, engineers and vendors for construction documentation of Amherst College Student Center and Dining Commons, in collaboration with Herzog & de Meuron, the design Architect.
- Led the interior design of Anant University library and multiple buildings of XYU from initial concept through hand-off to local Architects. Worked with teams across time zones and reviewed technical drawings from local Architects and contractor shop drawings to ensure alignment with design intent.

DESIGNER - ARCHITECT | GENSLER

Aug 2019 - Jun 2022 | Boston, MA

- Delivered design packages from concept through constructions, including test-fits, 3D renderings, design presentations, sample boards, and technical documentation sets in collaboration with internal cross-functional team of interior design, brand, strategy, and marketing.
- Translated client's vision, programmatic needs and brand identity into creative space planning solutions to supports growth goals and employee well-being, in compliance with building codes, accessibility and clients' workplace standards.
- Developed key visuals for design presentation, including 3D renderings and virtual walkthroughs with Revit+Enscape, Rhino, Adobe Creative Suite.
- 2D technical drawing documentation.

Selected Projects highlights:

- Programming, Concept design to Design Development for 225,000 SF of workplace fit-out for a confidential financial services client at One Post Office Sq in downtown Boston.
- Programming, Concept to Design Development for building Core's tenant amenity spaces that included lobby, tenant lounge, retail, cycle hub and event space, in IQHQ Research and Development District, a mixed-use life science campus in San Diego.
- Concept to Design Development for JLL's Boston workplace.
- Concepts for Bose's workplace in Shanghai
- Technical documentation for interiors of Verizon at The Hub on Causeway
- Concept to Design Development for MC Partners
- Concept to Construction Documentation for several real estate leasing firm's spec suites.



PRODUCT DESIGNER | VINCERE HEALTH

Sep 2019 - Feb 2020 | Boston, MA

- Crafted brand identities from the ground up, including logos, visual systems, and style guides that positioned the start-up to stand out and build early traction
- Delivered end-to-end product design solutions—from initial concept through to developer hand-off—ensuring consistency across branding and product experiences
- Conducted user research using interviews, surveys, and competitive analysis to uncover insights and guide strategic design decisions
- Created wireframes, user flows, and hi-fi interactive prototypes to define product structure and user journeys using Figma.
- Designed user interfaces that balanced usability with brand personality, resulting in intuitive and engaging digital experiences
- Facilitated usability testing, synthesized feedback, and iterated on designs to improve functionality and user satisfaction
- Collaborated cross-functionally with stakeholders and developers to align on goals and manage feedbacks
- Produced detailed design documentation and assets for a seamless design-to-development workflow

INTERN | SHIGERU BAN ARCHITECTS

Jun 2018 - Aug 2018 | Tokyo, Japan

Worked with senior designers on design presentations, 3D modeling with Rhino and making physical models.

ARCHITECTURAL DESIGNER | WOODS BAGOT

Mar 2014 - Nov 2015 | Shanghai, China

- Worked with senior designers from New York and Shanghai office from concept to Design Development of the Chongqing Tower.
- Developed concept for facade of the JW Marriott Hotel through hand sketches, 3D renderings and technical drawings
- Developed interior architecture concept of key tenant amenity spaces, including lobby, sky lounge, retail.

INTERN | MAD ARCHITECTS

Sep 2013 - Feb 2014 | Beijing, China

- Worked with senior designers in the Design Development of the Zendai Himalaya Center.
- Assisted in developing details of facade articulation
- Created 3D visualization for internal and external design reviews.