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Work experience.

INC Architecture & Design | Project Architect

2025 - Present | New York, NY

Brandon Haw Architecture | Senior Architect

2023 - 2024 | Brooklyn, NY

As a part of my role, I worked as design leader, working closely with the office leadership on design, internal and external coordination, client presentations, and documentation; in various projects across different scales and typologies including hospitality, high-end multi-family residential, and commercial. Project include: a Hotel in Tulum, and Marina Condo Competition. Design phases include: Concept, SD, DD

SCAD Design Group | Architectural Designer

2022 - 2023 | Savannah, GA

At SCAD Design Group, I worked on multiple projects at different phases and typologies, including institutional, residential, and renovations. Supporting design, documentation, and coordination efforts. Projects include: the renovation of Chatham House, The SCAD Backlot, and Granite Hall. Design phases include: SD, DD, CDs, CA

Design Intent Studio | Architect & Partner

2021 - 2023 | Bogotá, Colombia

Work as an independent freelancer. Responsibilities included proposal development, client relations, design, documentation, coordination, and construction, in all phases of design. Projects include: Casa 32, Origen Store Miami, Anywhere Lab Cabins, Doki Doki Ice creamery, Ukiyo restaurant. Design phases include: Concept, SD, DD, CDs, CA.

Sasaki Associates | Architectural Designer

2018 - 2021 | Boston, MA

Worked on multiple projects supporting design, documentation, and coordination efforts. As well as, being a part of the Revit/BIM leadership. Projects include: two new buildings for University of Lima in Peru, and various competitions. Design phases include: Concept, SD, DD, CDs, CA.

Galia | Creative Director & Partner

2019 - 2025 | Colombia

Galia is a Colombian start up that sales sustainable products for personal care and skin care. As creative director, I manage all creative efforts including, branding, graphics, activations, retail spaces, and collaborations.

CallisonRTKL | Architecture Intern

2017 | Seattle, WA

Summer internship in the retail department. Worked on the various store designs for AT&T and Nordstrom.

Design phases include: SDs and CDs.

Serticol | Freelancer

2017 | Bogotá, Colombia

Serticol is an mechanical and electrical engineer company. Freelanced developing Revit models for multiple projects, developing their 3D models & coordination.

Education.

M. Arch | Savannah College of Art and Design (SCAD)

2021 - 2023 | Savannah, GA

GPA: 4.0.

B.F.A Architecture | Savannah College of Art and Design (SCAD)

2015 - 2018 | Savannah, GA

Valedictorian - Summa Cum Laude - GPA: 4.0.

Honors & Awards.

2023 - Chair's Thesis Award

2022 - IDA Design Awards - Gold & Bronze

2022 - Featured artist and commission to design the exhibition for SCAD at DesignMiami/

2021 - SCAD Dean's Fellowship

2020 - SCAD Guest & Gusto - Speaker

2018 - SCAD Graduating Class 2018 - Valedictorian

2018 - AIA Georgia 2018 Design and Honor Award - Winner

2017 - Noma student competition - Honorable mention

2017 - John Lebey Scholarship.

Skills.

Software

Revit
Enscape
Adobe Suite
Sketchup
Autocad
Rhino

Interpersonal

Leader
Public Speaking
Problem Solver
Hard Worker
Time Management
Organized

Design

Creative Thinking
Design sensitivity
Spatial sensitivity
3D modeling
Coordination
Construction Documentation

Art

Digital Rendering
Drawing
Ceramics
Watercolors
Graphic Design
Wood work