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**Formal
Education**

Columbia University, Graduate School of Architecture Planning & Preservation New York, NY
Master of Architecture
School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Department of Interior Architecture Chicago, IL
Bachelor of Interior Architecture
American College for the Applied Arts in London, Department of Interior Design London,
Study Abroad Program ENGLAND

**Professional
Experience**

C L Design Studios, *Principal* 2002-Present
Design/build studio specializing in ownership – restoration/preservation of vintage residential buildings. Professional Services: building acquisition and property management. Design Services: construction, architecture, interior design (“roomscales”) and landscape design.

Project: Park Manor Residence Chicago, IL (Owner) 2006-Present
2-flat (3,330 gsf, two-story, 3 unit dwelling) with Coach House, (1,400 gsf, two-story) located in Southeast Park Manor neighborhood. *Phase 1 completed:* Interior renovation (1st, 2nd floors) and new construction (garden apartment). *Phase 2 completed:* Exterior restoration. *Phase 3 construction 2012:* Coach House renovation (garage conversion to dwelling/studio), Landscape Design (adjacent lot/parkway).

Project: Greystone Residence Chicago, IL (Owner) 2003-Present
3-flat Greystone (7,600 gsf, three-story, 4-unit dwelling), located in Southeast Bronzeville neighborhood. *Phase 1 completed:* Interior renovation (2nd, 3rd floors) and new construction (garden apartment), Landscape Design (rear / front yard and parkway). *Phase 2:* Interior renovation (1st floor – owner’s apartment), custom “roomscales”.

Nia Architects, *Project Architect (managed team of 3-5)* 2000-2002

Project: Antioch Homes Chicago, IL Chicago, IL
Construction Administration Phase. 57 affordable residential rental units located at five sites in Southside Englewood neighborhood. Five attached three-story townhomes (four sites) and three 3-flat multi-family apartment buildings (one site).

Project: Normal Parkway Homes Chicago, IL
Design Development, Construction Documents and Building Permit Phase. 40 affordable residential rental units located at three sites in Southside Englewood neighborhood. Two attached three-story townhomes (one site) and two 8-flat multi-family apartment buildings (one ea. site).

Project: Mayfair Apartments Chicago, IL
Interior Design Development Phase, Construction Administration Phase. 67 residential rental units, renovated four-story apartment building located in Southeast Bronzeville neighborhood.

Project: Mount Vernon Haven Homes Chicago, IL
Interior Design Development Phase, Construction Documents Phase. 58,000 gsf, six-story, 50 unit Elderly Residential Housing located in Northwest Austin Village neighborhood.

Project: Lake Park Crescent Chicago, IL
Conceptual Proposal, Schematic Design, Design Development Phase. 24 rental and market rate apartment buildings, located in Southeast Lake Park neighborhood. Eighteen 6-flat three-story, two 8-flat four-story, and four 3-flat three-story multi-family apartment buildings.

Project: Abl/Fosco Community Center Chicago, IL
Interior Design Development Phase, Construction Documents Phase. 60,000 gsf, one/one-half story Community Center Prototype designed for Near Westside communities.

Robert A. M. Stern Architects, Junior Architect

1997-2000

Project: Residence Los Angeles, CA

New York, NY

Construction Documents Phase. 900 gsf, second floor master-suite renovation.

Project: Office Building and Parking Garage Yonkers, NY

Construction Documents Phase. 37,000 gsf, four-story, 600-car parking garage with an adjacent 30,000 gsf, four-story retail and office building.

Project: Residence Palo Alto, CA

Design Development Phase and Building Permit Phase. 6,600 gsf, Palladian-style two-story residence.

Project: Robert A. M. Stern Building and Projects Monograph 1993-1998

Collaborated with principal architects to format drawings for selected projects. Completed free-hand and drafted drawings (ink on mylar) for publication.

**Academic
Experience****The School of the Art Institute of Chicago**

Academic Year 2002-Present

Department of Architecture, Interior Architecture, & Designed Objects, Instructor**Introduction to Interior Architecture**

Fall 2003 - 2009, Spring 2007-2009

Human Factors in Design

Spring 2004-2009

Well Tempered Environment

Spring 2004, Fall 2004-2008

Design with Details

Fall 2007

Graduate Projects: Interior Architecture (Faculty Advisor)

Spring 2006

Ideas and Spaces (Co-Instructor)

Fall 2004, 2005

Beginning Interior Architecture Design Studio (Co-Instructor)

Spring 2004, 2005

Design with Materials

Fall 2003 (Co-Instructor), Summer 2004, Fall 2004

Intermediate Interior Architecture Design Studio (Co-Instructor),

Fall 2002, Spring 2003

Office of Admissions

2002- Present

National Portfolio Day, SAIC Day, Multi-Cultural Day, IDO Day Events, Faculty AdvisorMeet with prospective students individually to review portfolio and application for admissions approval, provide constructive feedback (*how to prepare/improve a portfolio*), advise student's on academic, residential, social life at SAIC. Perform personal slide presentation (Multi-Cultural Day Event) chronicling professional work/projects and academic experiences at SAIC.**Family Weekend Workshop, Instructor**

Fall/Spring 2008-2009

Formatted a interior architecture one-day work shop for prospective-admitted students and their parents. Provided lectures and demonstrations on space creation through drawing and model building.

Perspective Student Mentorship Program, Mentor

Spring 2008, 2009

Collaborated with the Presidents Office to mentor a Perspective Charter School intern for a day.

Office of Student Affairs

2003-Present

Academic Advising & Student Success, Academic Advisor

2004-Present

Serve as an Academic Adviser for a group of first year program and transfer students: meet individually with students and Research Studio group (fall/spring visit), advise through email/portal and serve as a resource for the Research Studio faculty. Assist students with course selection, education planning, course / or personal concerns and answer questions about School policies/procedures.

Cooperative Education Program, Faculty Advisor

2003-Present

Advise and monitor student internship and professional development. Schedule an Introduction Seminar to provide an opportunity for students to meet and discuss initial internship experience. Conduct a site visit to observe the student performing on the job and meet employer. Conduct an individual meeting with students to discuss job performance/experience, review resume/portfolio, and discuss future professional/academic goals. Schedule a Final Seminar for students to evaluate internship, review professional projects/portfolio, and resume.

Evanston Art Center, Faculty

Evanston, IL

Summer Camp: "Architectural Space Camp"

Summer 2004 - 2007

Architecture Space Camp explored three-dimensional architectural space design. Formatted a 1-week summer camp (ages 11-14). A range of architectural styles and space definition both interior and exterior were examined as inspiration to create a dream building. Provided lectures and demonstrations on space creation through drawings and model building. Selected and installed projects for final exhibition.

Marwen Foundation, Co-Teacher

Chicago, IL

Marwen Studio: "Think Like an Architect" Fall Session

Fall 2000

Collaborated to format a 6-week class curriculum, instructed students on the discipline of architecture and building, integrating CPS drafting curriculum. Performed site field trips, firm visits, slide / pin-up presentations. Coordinated a final presentation at Lane Technical High School, inviting panelist from Lane, Marwen and University of Illinois-UIC. Selected and installed projects for final exhibition.

Lectures, Panels & Exhibitions

School of the Art Institute of Chicago

Alumni Exhibition – Department of Interior Architecture Fall 2002
 Futures Volume I Stories of Life After SAIC (Interview) –
 Office of Student Affairs, Career Development 2002
 First Year Colloquium Series – Visiting Artist Lecture 2000 Fall 2000
 Beginning, Intermediate, & Advanced Interior Architecture Design - Studio Critiques Fall, Spring 2000-02

Marwen Foundation

New Work, New York Exhibition 2007
 Annual Report 2001 – Interview Article Fall 2002
 College Planning & Portfolio Day – Guest Speaker Fall 2000
 Alumni Exhibition 1993, 1994, 1995, 2000

Affiliations

National Council of Architecture Registration Boards

2002, completion

Intern Development Program

City of Chicago Department of Police

2000-2002

We Care Role Model – Youth Motivational Program

Chicago Architecture Foundation Summer Intern Program

Summer 2001, 2002

Newhouse Design Competition Mentor & Supervisor

INOMA, Illinois National Organization of Minority Architects – Chicago Chapter

2001

Secretary

Marwen Foundation

Alumni Advisory Board Member 1992-1998

Benefit Committee Member, Student Participation Coordinator 1990-1995