

BIO

Well-versed in design thinking at both the macro and micro level — from the urban to the architectural scale — I'm committed to an ideal of the built environment that engages architecture, society, community, and place in equal measure.

Thoughtful design shouldn't just be relegated to the usual clients: it should enhance the daily lives of all inhabitants regardless of socioeconomic standing through thoughtful consideration of design and the design process.

EDUCATION

M.Arch I	2016
University of California—Los Angeles	
B.A. Architecture	2004
University of California—Berkeley	

DESIGN SKILLS

Knowledge	
Schematic Design	●●●●●●●●
Design Development	●●●●●●●●
Construction Docs	●●●●●●●●
Construction Admin	●●●●●●●●
Planning Code	●●●●●●●●
Building Code	●●●●●●●●
Project Management	●●●●●●●●
Fabrication	●●●●●●●●
Software	
Revit	●●●●●●●●
Rhino	●●●●●●●●
AutoCAD	●●●●●●●●
Sketchup	●●●●●●●●
Grasshopper	●●●●●●●●
Adobe Illustrator	●●●●●●●●
Adobe InDesign	●●●●●●●●
Adobe Photoshop	●●●●●●●●

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

SOM / Los Angeles, CA	2021–2023
Intermediate Designer	
Produced milestone document sets as a team member for an array of complex projects: <u>Verde Square</u> – 100%DD set for a commercial campus in Austin, TX adjacent to Q2 Stadium comprised of a 20-story office tower with accompanying high-rise multi-family residential, hotel and retail components. Extensive re-design and reprogramming occurred on a near-weekly basis in close coordination with the owner and contractor. <u>Project 641</u> – 50%DD set for the headquarters of a video game developer based in South Korea. Approximately 102,000 m <sup>2</sup> of program area incorporating workspaces for research & development as well as related office amenities (cafeteria, gym, roof garden etc.) <u>La Jolla Commons</u> – Responded to RFIs and submittals, coordinated with consultants, during the construction administration phase of a 12-story high-rise core and shell office tower located in La Jolla, CA.	
KFA Architects / Culver City, CA	2016–2020
Job Captain	
Produced and managed project documentation through all phases of design—SD/DD/CD/CA—for a variety of project types including multi-family residential, adaptive reuse, historical preservation and institutional/educational. Construction types included Type I, II & III. Coordinated with consultants during all phases of design and construction. Ushered projects along from initial building department submittal to plan check/back check/department clearances to final ready-to-issue/RTI permits.	
RAW International / Los Angeles, CA	2011–2014
Designer	
Prepared architectural and urban design graphics for a multitude of clients, both public and private, including the City of Los Angeles Department of City Planning, Port of Los Angeles, Los Angeles Public Library, County of Los Angeles Public Works. Created programmatic diagrams detailing tenant improvement construction phasing for Los Angeles County authorities, designed workstation typologies and configurations for interior retrofits. Designed, edited and managed the production and layout of an 80+ page report regarding zoning changes to transit-oriented districts in South Los Angeles, which was delivered to the Los Angeles City Planning Commission.	
Community Housing Development Corporation / Richmond, CA	2008–2010
Project Assistant / AmeriCorps	
Assisted Director of Development in the real estate development of multi-family affordable housing for low-income populations in the Bay Area by preparing loan applications for pre-development and construction financing. Coordinated project information and project schedules with architects, general contractors, city agencies, utility providers, and financial lenders. Managed third-party development consultants through pre-development up to start of construction.	
Peace Corps / Përmet, Albania	2007–2008
Community Development Volunteer / Planning & Engineering	
Drafted urban plans establishing parcel locations and property line dimensions within city boundaries, instructed city employees and planning staff on basic computer skills and CAD drafting, and formulated architectural and urban design solutions for local businesses and developing properties to enhance visibility and aesthetics at the street level.	
John Kaliski Architects / Los Angeles, CA	2005–2007
Junior Designer	
Produced as-built plans and elevations, design documentation and construction sketches for multi-family residential developments. Prepared plans and graphic representations of various urban designs, transit hubs, mixed-use developments and streetscapes for the	

REFERENCES

<u>2016-2020</u> KFA Architects Culver City, CA <i>kfalosangeles.com</i> (310) 399-7975	<u>2021-2023</u> SOM Los Angeles, CA <i>som.com</i> (213) 327-2400
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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE (continued)

cities of North Hollywood, Santa Barbara and Santa Ana, CA. Assisted in the expediting and clearance of building permits at the Department of Building and Safety. Conducted fieldwork, researched and prepared preliminary zoning analyses of development sites.	
Community Redevelopment Agency / Los Angeles, CA <i>Urban Planning Intern</i>	2004–2005