

education

MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY | MASTER OF CITY PLANNING | 2007

Specialized in *City Design & Development*. Thesis on *Arterial Street Design* in California.

Coursework included: Negotiation in the Public Sector, Site Planning, Brownfields Policy, Kiev Urban Design Studio, Gaoming Planning Studio, Ecological Strategies for Disturbed Sites, Urban Design & Development, Land Use Law.

UC BERKELEY | BACHELOR OF GEOGRAPHY, MINOR IN CITY & REGIONAL PLANNING | 2000

experience

SAN FRANCISCO PLANNING DEPARTMENT | PLANNER III | San Francisco, CA | April 2015 - Present

Conceptualizing and implementing diverse public processes. Managing consultants, inter-agency staff for 17-acre master plan. Managing public-private strategy to develop multi-modal transit facility. Secured funding, managed consultant, and co-wrote neighborhood Transportation Demand Management strategy. Analyzing land-use benefits of high-speed rail.

SAN FRANCISCO PLANNING DEPARTMENT | PLANNER II | San Francisco, CA | July 2013 - April 2015

Managed consultants and technical advisory committee to study multi-modal transit needs, evaluate station alternatives, and select preferred station location. Secured funding, managed consultants and created public space stewardship guide. Developed capital plan for eastern neighborhoods of SF. Co-wrote design guidelines and planning code for 20-acre site. Developed surface-mounted facility design criteria and legislation.

MISSION COMMUNITY MARKET | EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR | San Francisco, CA | March 2010 - July 2013

Secured \$2.1M from various City funds to design and construct a shared street. Managed community design and bilingual outreach process. Managed non-profit organization, weekly market, board of directors, and community partnerships. Raised funds for annual operating budget of \$200,000.

EISEN|LETUNIC | ASSOCIATE PLANNER | San Francisco, CA | December 2011 - July 2013

Evaluated MTC Climate Initiatives, including TDM programs, demand-based parking, dynamic ride-sharing, and mobile bike repair. Co-wrote BART Bicycle Access Plan, recommended system-wide bicycle strategies, designed bike parking scenarios for 15 stations.

WEST 8 | URBAN DESIGNER/PLANNER | Rotterdam, NL | October 2008 - March 2009

Designed 800-acre master plan, street sections, and networks of streets, bike paths and open space in Almere, NL. Planned 30-year growth plan, including urban design, housing, landscape, and economic strategies for Samarra, Iraq.

HOK PLANNING GROUP | SENIOR PLANNER | San Francisco, CA | July 2007 - July 2008

Managed projects and subconsultants. Designed State office campus and parking concepts, evaluated construction costs, and strategized growth for the State of California. Managed campus sustainability plan. Designed BART station-area redevelopment and parking scenarios.

NELSON NYGAARD CONSULTING ASSOCIATES | CONTRACTOR | CA | May - July 2007

Proposed parking construction standards, structure designs, joint development and operations scenarios for BART. Analyzed BART parking policy to facilitate public-private partnerships. Managed shared street design project in L.A.

CALTHORPE ASSOCIATES | SENIOR PLANNER | Berkeley, CA | April 2001 - July 2004

Designed and facilitated workshops for public officials, staff and communities. Managed client relations and public consensus building. Assistant managed regional land use-transportation plans. Designed and modeled GIS-based transportation, land and redevelopment scenarios. Wrote GIS analyses & reports.

skills

LANGUAGES: Proficient Spanish.

SOFTWARE: ArcGIS, Adobe Illustrator, InDesign, PhotoShop, Sketchup, AutoCAD, MS Suite, SPSS.

activities

MISSION COMMUNITY MARKET | BOARD PRESIDENT | San Francisco, CA | 2013 - Present

SAN FRANCISCO BICYCLE COALITION | VOLUNTEER | San Francisco, CA | 2009 - 2013

SAN FRANCISCO GREAT STREETS PROJECT | VOLUNTEER PLANNER | CA | 2009 - 2010

CITY OF BERKELEY | LEED-ND ANALYST | Berkeley, CA | 2009 - 2010

TERREBONNE READINESS AND ASSISTANCE COALITION | VOLUNTEER | Houma, Louisiana | June 2006

accreditations and memberships

U.S. GREEN BUILDING COUNCIL | LEED® Accredited Professional

SAN FRANCISCO PLANNING & URBAN RESEARCH ASSOCIATION (SPUR) | Member

SAN FRANCISCO BICYCLE COALITION | Member

honors

ALMERE | ALMERE HOUT DESIGN COMPETITION - WINNERS | March 2009

URBAN LAND INSTITUTE | URBAN DESIGN COMPETITION - HONORABLE MENTION | February 2005

MIT URBAN STUDIES & PLANNING | GRADUATE STUDENT FELLOWSHIP AWARD | February 2005

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