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EDUCATION

University of Southern California | Los Angeles, CA

Bachelor of Architecture

09.2013 - 05.2018

USC/Barcelona Global Studies | Barcelona, Spain

La Salle University

Barcelona Study Abroad Program

08.2016 - 12.2016

EXPERIENCE

Junior Designer | Coppel Design | West Hollywood, CA | 09.2018 - Present

Handles all stages of interior architecture and interior design development in upmarket HNWI residential projects in Beverly Hills. Skilled in developing and coordinating all aspects of bespoke residential design (interior finishes, custom made furnishings and fixtures) into presentations and subsequently, design proposals for regular meetings with clients and consultation with contractor and architect, translating finalized schematic designs to architectural interior elevations, renderings, plans and project schedules for construction documents and submission packages conveyed to construction team. Regularly visits projects on site for administration of construction, installations, quality maintenance and communication with construction team on site.

Architectural Intern | Commune Design | West Hollywood, CA | 05.2017 - 09.2017

Prepared shop drawings for bespoke furniture per written specs, edited and annotated construction documents for commercial and residential projects (elevations, plans, annotations, schedules), corresponded between project team leads on interiors and researched new spec options

Design Consultant | Oonagh Ryan Architects (ORA) | Los Angeles, CA | 05.2016 - 08.2016

Prepared construction documents (elevations, plans, diagrams) for numerous commercial and residential projects, documented site visits on ongoing projects, corresponded between architect's office and contractor and designed interiors and detailing of multiple residences

Teaching Assistant | USC School of Architecture | Los Angeles, CA | 08.2015 - 05.2018

Extensively mentored first year students in design and representation in major studio course

Held regular meetings and tutorials to assist in project development

Faculty: Man-Yan Lam, Erin Kasimow, Colin Sieburgh

SKILLS

DIGITAL

Proficient in: Revit, Autodesk AutoCAD, Rhinoceros, Tremble Sketchup Pro, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe Premier Pro, Microsoft Office, Adobe InDesign, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe After Effects, Keyshot, Maxwell, Grasshopper, CorelDraw, Pepakura, FormZ, Vray

ANALOG

Proficient in: Drafting, Sketching, Painting [acrylic, oil and watercolor], Model Building, Laser Cutting [Epilog and Universal Laser Cutting Systems], 3D Print submission and processing [ABS extrusion and powder bond]

AWARDS

2018 Alpha Rho Chi Bronze Medal | University of Southern California

The Alpha Rho Chi Fraternity awards the honor annually to a graduating senior nominated by his peers.

Judged by the faculty, the medal is awarded to the senior who has shown commitment to leadership, performed service for his school, and gives promise of true professional merit through his attitude and personality.

ORGANIZATIONS

Alpha Rho Chi | Andronicus Chapter | University of Southern California

President | **Vice President** | **Secretary**

Professional and social architecture fraternity for students of architecture and the allied arts, oversaw numerous positions, coordinated joint events with University and curated materials for regular business meetings

REFERENCES

Angie Socias Fernandez-Coppel | Principal | Coppel Design

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Hadrian Predock | Director of Undergraduate Programs | USC School of Architecture

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Additional references available upon request.