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Education

Thoughtful UX Design Immersion
UX/UI Certificate

San Jose State University
BFA in Interior Design

Software & Tools

Revit

Ideate

Enscape

V-ray

Adobe CC

BlueBeam

Dynamo

Figma

Sketch Up

AutoCad

AVAIL

BIMBeats

Miro

Skillsets

Usability Tests

User Research

Design Thinking

User Interview

Wireframing

Prototyping

Persona

Work Experience

KTGY, inc.

May 2023 - Present

BIM Manager

- Partnered company wide studio leaders to deploy, standardize, and refine BIM workflows and standards across projects and the company
- Led the development and deployment of advanced parametric design tools and computational workflows, enhancing project efficiency and accuracy.
- Oversaw the creation and implementation of customized BIM standard templates for Los Angeles, Oakland, and Denver studio projects, enhancing project-specific accuracy and productivity
- Collaborated with cross-disciplinary teams to create standard and custom Revit families and manage model coordination for various types of housing projects, ensuring accurate design integration
- Delivered comprehensive training on BIM best practices, provided ongoing support to Architecture and Interior Design divisions, and established a feedback loop to enhance BIM standards adoption
- Assessed and integrated emerging BIM technologies and software, managed the development of BIM standards, and created 3D content to support project execution and team skill development
- Fostered dynamic collaboration across projects and firm-wide initiatives, promoting synergistic efforts and improving overall team performance and project outcomes

Huntsman Architectural Group

Jan. 2018 - Feb. 2023

Architectural Production/ Designer

- Lead BIM (3D Model) Manager on projects to execute design development and construction documentation to minimize model errors
- Organized 10+ design and presentation document sets
- Managed deliverables by reviewing and delegating revisions to team
- Collaborated with varying sized teams and consultants to design and document workplace, building repositioning, and building accessibility projects
- Mentored 6 Designers in Revit to educate and guide to increase productivity
- Developed and delivered training programs on BIM best practices, significantly increasing team productivity and reducing model errors.
- Pioneered rendering standard and concept package to streamline company marketing book and increase client interest

OTJ Architects

Jun. 2021 - Nov. 2021

Project Designer/Project Coordinator

- Collaborated with studio team to design workplace and amenity interiors
- Conceptualized 3 mood boards, palette selections and design concepts
- Coordinated 2 design document sets for permitting and presentations
- Spearheaded technical detailing and modeling to efficiently convey project concept to external stakeholders