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Part 1 Architecture Student

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SUMMARY

A third year architecture student currently seeking a 3 month work placement (Jul-Sept) as part of a 4 year placement sandwich course. With a strong belief that an integrated creative process that understands the scheme's function, respects the context and encourages environmental design will result in architecture that is truly beautiful. Underpinned by past employment on a construction site, I possess a strong interest in the tectonics of a scheme, and how design choices, at all scales, can affect the visual, conceptual and emotive qualities of a space.

EDUCATION

2013-2017 University of Bath, Department of Architecture and Civil Engineering
(expected) BSc (Hons) Architecture (RIBA Part 1)

Current Grade: 76%

Units include:

Detailed Design (96%)

Practice, Management & Law (74%)

Design Studio (73%)

Digital Illustration (72%)

History and Theory (74%)

Environmental Design (86%)

Awards: *Oculus Award for Detailed Design, 2nd Year*

Letter of Congratulations, Director of Studies, 1st Year

2015-2016 Universidad Europea de Madrid (Erasmus Year)

(expected) Grado en Fundamentos de la Arquitectura

Units include:

Urban Design (80%)

Landscape Design

Awards: *Annual UEM Exhibition Design Competition, Commendation*

2007-2013 Chatham Grammar School for Boys, Kent

A Levels: Mathematics (A*), Product Design (A), Geography (A), Spanish (A)

AS Levels: Art (A), Physics (A) 9 GCSEs Grade A*-B

EPQ (A*) -'Exploring the creative process of the Bauhaus'

Awards: *Head Prefect*

Stratford Award for Design Technology

OTHER QUALIFICATIONS

- Construction Skills Certification Scheme: Technical, Supervisory & Management Trainee
- CMI Level 3 Award in First Line Management (QCF)
- Full, clean UK driving license

EMPLOYMENT

Feb 2015 - Architectural Assistant, Hawkins\Brown *Farringdon, London*

Aug 2015 Primarily worked on Liverpool St Crossrail Station, part of the architectural team completing the RIBA Stage F contract. Roles included delivering the blockwork architectural package, through close co-ordination with the engineering disciplines. Also the production of front-of-house details, working with suppliers to ensure the original design intent is translated into a buildable solution. I also worked on a large mixed-use residential masterplan scheme through RIBA Stage 1, completing site analysis to aid the planning and consultation process.

Jun 2014 - Technician/Labourer, Heritage Brickwork Limited *Poplar, London*

Sept 2014 Worked on a large scale residential development under the main contractor of Willmott Dixon Housing Ltd. Started as a labourer and then moved to a more technical position which involved working from drawings supplied by the architect/consultants to install cavity trays, wall ties and insulation etc. on the metsec/concrete frame construction.

2013 - 2014 Retail Assistant, Bath Students Union Shop *Bath, Somerset*

2011 - 2013 Cashier, Robin Hood Service Station *Walderslade, Kent*

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Jun 2013 Alan Camp Architects *Southwark, London*

Whilst shadowing and assisting a senior architect I was tasked with producing a Sketchup model and visualisations of an existing listed building to be used for its proposed redevelopment and small scale private extension.

Jul 2012, Clague LLP *Ashford, Kent*

Aug 2011, Tasks and projects included producing presentation drawings for proposed primary Jun 2011 school, as well as toilet fittings and wall finish schedules for the expansion of a secondary school.

SKILLS

AutoCAD	● ● ● ● ● ● ●	Advanced
Photoshop	● ● ● ● ● ● ●	Advanced
SketchUp	● ● ● ● ● ● ●	Advanced
Microstation	● ● ● ● ● ● ●	Advanced
InDesign	● ● ● ● ● ● ●	Advanced
Vectorworks	● ● ● ● ● ● ●	Int/Adv

Illustrator	● ● ● ● ● ● ●	Int/Adv
3D Studio Max	● ● ● ● ● ● ●	Intermediate
V-Ray	● ● ● ● ● ● ●	Intermediate
Kerkythea	● ● ● ● ● ● ●	Intermediate
Revit	● ● ● ● ● ● ●	Basic
Spanish	● ● ● ● ● ● ●	Int/Adv

REFERENCES

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