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## Education

**University of Pennsylvania - School of Design** | Aug 2007 - Present

- Master of Architecture. Candidate 2010

**University of California, Davis** | June 2004 - Aug 2006

- Bachelor of Science in Design
- Interior Architecture Emphasis - Distinction in Interior Design

**Sacramento City College** | Jan 2001 - May 2004

- Art Studio

## Experience

**NAO - Srdjan Jovanovic Weiss** *Philadelphia, PA*

Architectural Intern | May 2008 - Present

- Work on Ordos 100 - Inner Mongolia, China.
- Responsible for all phases of the design process. Work closely with all NAO members in the creation and execution of design concepts and developments.
- Work as the lead 3D modeling and rendering person.
- Assist in translate text into Chinese.
- Curator: Ai Wei Wei / Fake Design. Architect Selection: Herzog & de Meuron

**Guangzhou Xinye Hide Products Ltd.** *Guangzhou, China*

Design Consultant | Dec 2006 - Present

- Conduct marketing research in the United States and review design proposal.
- Work closely with the CEO and managers in the creative and production process of shoe design.
- Involve in shoe design process and brainstorming sections to sourcing materials for production.

**University of California, Davis**

Lecturer | Summer Session 2006 & 2007

- Introduced students to basic architectural drafting: plans, elevations, sections, details, dimensioning and lettering; sketching, rendering, hand-drawn techniques, and the principles of perspective drawings; presentation technique development, including media and methods used in the preparation of presentation boards.

**Gifts Department. Guangdong Arts & Crafts Imp. & Exp. Corp. (Group)** *Guangzhou, China*

Design Consultant | Jan 2007 - June 2007

- Provided assistance with product export to the United States.
- Assisted with photography sessions, graphic, package and product design.
- Worked independently and collaboratively to manage and execute projects on time and efficiently, with the highest quality deliverable and client satisfaction.

**California Lighting Technology Center** *Davis, California*

Research Assistant | Dec 2004 - Aug 2006

- Worked closely with senior lighting scientists and engineers. Researched new lighting technologies and conducted proof of concept experiments.
- Provided assistance with prototype productions, worked on CAD based designs involving the latest lighting technology.

**University of California, Davis**

Teaching Assistant | Oct 2005 - Jun 2006

- Introduction to Interior Design: Provided weekly critiques of student work on the theory and practice of interior design with focus on small commercial and technical spaces.
- Computer-Assisted Drawing for Designers - Nemetschek Vectorworks: Provided technical assistance and instruction to students; met with students weekly to discuss progress in course.

## Skills

### Computer

- Extensive Experience with Mac and PC.
- Adobe Creative Suite 3. Adobe After Effect CS3. AutoCAD. SketchUp. Microsoft Office. Rhinoceros. V-Ray. Vectorworks. 3D Studio Max. Luxology Modo.

### Graphic / Web Design

- Experienced in album cover design, editorial design, poster design, brochure design, flyer, logo, T-shirt and many others. Basic working knowledge of HTML coding and Flash ActionScript.

### Language

- Bilingual and Biliterate: English and Chinese (Mandarin and Cantonese)

### Others

- Solid experience in metal fabrication, woodworking, prototype construction, model making, and digital photography.

## Achievements **WORKWORKWORK Exhibition**

University of Pennsylvania - School of Design | Jan 2008

- Projects selected for Annual PennDesign architecture student exhibition
- Curator: Detlef Mertins

### **The Helge B. Olsen Award**

University of California, Davis | Jun 2006

- Distinction in Interior Design

### **Outstanding Contribution to Design Award**

University of California, Davis | Jun 2006

- The call of duty in service to the design program and the surrounding community

### **First Prize of Caballo Blanco Renovation Project**

University of California, Davis | Apr 2006

- 2006 Design by Design Annual Student Exhibition

### **Featured Artist**

The 20th Street Art Gallery. Sacramento, California | Dec 2004

- 2004 American Society of Interior Designers Art Show

### **Recognition of Outstanding Scholastic Achievement and Excellence**

University of California, Davis | Sep 2004

- Golden Key International Honour Society

### **President's Honors**

Sacramento City College | Spring 2001

- Outstanding Scholastic Performance

## References

Available upon request.