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Education

- 2011 **Harvard University**
Master of Design Studies
- 1999 **Arizona State University**
Master of Architecture
- 1995 **Georgia Institute of Technology**
Bachelor of Science

Teaching Positions

- 2012- **University of New Mexico** School of Architecture + Planning
Assistant Professor
- Design Studio V** - ARCH 401
Undergraduate studio with a focus on urban theories and strategies and transportation systems.
- Design Studio II** - ARCH 602
Graduate studio in conjunction with ABQ+UNM CityLAB with a focus on urban theories and site-specific interventions.
- Graduate Architectural Communications** - ARCH 517
Seminar develops students use of written and oral communication in the expression of architectural theories, process, and positions.
- Research Methodology** - ARCH 551
Seminar focuses on the development and conceptualization of research questions and techniques, and their relationship to design strategies.
- 2010-11 **Harvard University** Graduate School of Design
Teaching Assistant, Research Assistant
- Detroit Interrupted: ... the New American Urban Geography** - GSD 1408
Graduate options studio explored new definitions for the "shrinking city" by examining historic settlement patterns, mapping social and economic flows, and emergent green networks.
- Materials, Constructions, Processes** - GSD 6203/04
Graduate architecture seminar course introduces a conceptual framework for the design of building assemblies.
- 2010 **Harvard University** Institute for English Language Programs
Instructor
- English for Design** - IEL S-D50
Graduate seminar course orients linguistic, philosophical, and cultural mores found in graduate schools, with a focus on landscape urbanism.
- 1999-05 **Arizona State University** College of Design
Adjunct Faculty Lecturer

Design Fundamentals I - ADE 120

Undergraduate design studio for first-year architecture students.

Design Fundamentals II - ADE 220

Undergraduate design studio for second-year architecture students

Learning by Teaching - ASP 494

Created a service-learning teaching seminar, where undergraduate and graduate architecture students engaged middle school students, crafted curriculums, and led individual workshops.

1997-99 **Arizona State University** College of Design
Teaching Assistant

Design Fundamentals I - ADE 120

Undergraduate design studio for first-year architecture students.

Visual Communication - AVC 301

Undergraduate seminar in drawing and representation

Recent Awards

2011 **Penny White Travel Grant** Harvard GSD
Funded research and travel to Bogotá, Colombia

2010 **Travel Fellowship** Harvard GSD
Funded research, travel, and service in Delhi and Mumbai, India

2010 **First Place** – Affordable Housing Design Competition
Interdisciplinary team: Harvard and MIT Design, Planning, and Business schools

Professional Practice

2010 - **LÓNdesign** Boston, Massachusetts
Director / Owner

2009 **Leers Weinzapfel Associates** Boston, Massachusetts
Project Architect

2006-08 **HLW International** Santa Monica, California
Principal

2005-06 **SmithGroup** Phoenix, Arizona
Senior Designer

2001-05 **Gould Evans Associates** Phoenix, Arizona
Project Architect

1999-01 **Architekton** Tempe, Arizona
Project Designer

Professional Certifications

Registered Architect

Arizona, Massachusetts, NCARB