



Curriculum Vitae

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Assistant Professor of Environmental Design
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EDUCATION

Master of Architecture With Honors 2023
*Taubman College of Architecture & Urban Planning
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI*

Bachelor of Architecture 2020
*Auburn University, Auburn, AL
Graduated Magna Cum Laude*

Bachelor of Interior Architecture 2020
*Auburn University, Auburn, AL
Graduated Magna Cum Laude*

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor of Environmental Design 2023
*College of Architecture, Design, and Construction
Auburn University, Auburn, AL
(tenure-track)*

Graduate Student Instructor GSI 2022
*ARCH 516: Architectural Representation
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI*

Publication Designer 2023
*2023 Master of Architecture Thesis Book
+ Posters with Thesis coordinator, Jose Sanchez
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI*

Graduate Student Research Assistant 2023
*Fabric Formed Poured Earth: Limiting Greenhouse
Gas Emissions by Eliminating Portland Cement
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI*

Graduate Student Research Assistant 2022
*"Better When Messy" Fellowship Showcase
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI*

Graduate Student Research Assistant 2022
*"ON AIR" Faculty Research Exhibition
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI*





Publication Designer

*Promotion & Tenure Review Dossier for Associate to Full Professor,
Perry Kulper
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI*

2022

Graduate Student Research Team

*Faculty Engineering/Arts Student Team
University of Michigan x The Mayo Clinic*

2021

Undergraduate Student Instructor

*ARCH 1010 + 1020: Summer Design Studio
Auburn University, Auburn, AL*

2020

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

RVTR

*Research Assistant, R1
University of Michigan
Ann Arbor, MI*

2023

Regional Globalism in the Tennessee Valley Project Team

*Worked under Kathy Velikov (Professor and Associate Dean
for Research and Creative Practice) and Geoffrey Thün
(Professor of Architecture and Associate Vice President for
Research: Social Sciences, Humanities and the Arts, U-M
Office of Research)*

MacKay-Lyons Sweetapple Architects Remote

*Intern Architect - Full Time + Part Time
Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada*

2021 - 2022

Intern Architect / Junior Designer

*Private Residences in British Columbia, Ontario,
and Nova Scotia*

Intern Architect / Junior Designer

*Commercial Projects (Hotel, Restaurant, Spa) in
Jackson Hole, Wyoming, and North Adams, Massachusetts*

Wilson Associates

*Student Intern Interior Architect - Full Time Summer
Dallas, TX*

2017 - 2018

Intern Interior Architect

Wharf Niccolo Changsha Hotel, Changsha, China





EXHIBITIONS

gifting & ghosting & gigabytes

2023 - 2024

Chicago Architecture Biennial, CAB5: This is a Rehearsal with Perry Kulper

M.Arch Thesis Show

2023

*Exhibition Designer for Rocket(ed) Red Thesis Section
Taubman College, University of Michigan*

HONORS + AWARDS

M.Arch Thesis Awards

2023

*Honorable Mention for Sensibility for Aesthetic Exploration Award
Taubman College, University of Michigan*

Graduate Student Show Nominee

2022

*Arch 662 Systems Studio
with Morgan Davis and Andrew Hoover
University of Michigan*

Graduate Student Show Nominee

2021

*Arch 552 Institutions Studio
University of Michigan*

Undergraduate Thesis Award Winner

2020

*Arch 5020 Thesis Studio, Randal Vaughan
Auburn University*

Outstanding Undergraduate Student of the Year

2019

*Interior Architecture
Auburn University*

Marvin Windows by Dale Portfolio Competition

2019

*First Place Prize
Auburn University*

First Annual Summerour Prize Recipient

2019

Auburn University





Spire Student Design Competition

*Third Place Prize
Auburn University*

2018

Showcase: The Work of Creative Scholarship Teamwork Award

Auburn University

2018

APLA Writing Award

*Honorable Mention in a History Course
Auburn University*

2017

SCHOLARSHIP

Taubman Scholar

University of Michigan

2021 - 2023

Architecture Graduate Grant

University of Michigan

2022 - 2023

GSI Tuition Waiver

University of Michigan

2022

Charles Mount Study Abroad Scholarship

Auburn University

2018

Talons Scholar

Auburn University

2015 - 2020

SERVICE + SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

Project Sleep Rising Voices of Narcolepsy Speaker

*Trained Public Speaker / Presenter
Engagements at: Rush University, Creighton University, etc.*

2019 —

Project Sleep: Sleep & Your Space Panel Speaker

Project Sleep, SleepIn with Dr. Dayna Johnson + Dr. Till Roenneberg

2021

Greenbuild International Conference

*Student Volunteer
Boston, Massachusetts*

2017

