

James MP Donovan



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PORTFOLIO

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SOFTWARE & SKILLS

revit
autocad
rhinoceros 3D
grasshopper
sketch up
vray
illustrator
photoshop
indesign
acrobat
excel
mac osx
windows
photography
physical modeling
digital fabrication
cnc prototyping

EXPERIENCE

Transportation
Hospitality
Education
Civic
Historic Renovation
Multi-Family Residential
Tenant Improvement

REFERENCES

Zach Pauls
204.510.5838
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Aaron Kelly
213.279.2404
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Brian Rex
605.688.4841
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EDUCATION

University of Southern California Los Angeles, CA
Master of Architecture in American Architecture and Urbanism - May 2012
Graduate Certificate in Building Science - May 2012
GPA: 3.877

Texas Tech University Lubbock, TX
Bachelor of Science in Architecture, Summa Cum Laude - December 2009
GPA: 3.923

Study Abroad Brussels, Paris, Amsterdam
Texas Tech University College of Architecture Summer Program - Summer 2009

HMC Architects Los Angeles, CA
Designer II - September 2013 - Present
Markets: Education (K-12), Student Housing
Developed construction documents for a new High School campus in Camarillo, CA and the renovation of a 140,000sf student dormitory at San Diego State University. Developed and maintained Revit models with collaboration between architectural, structural and MEP teams; coordination of details and door hardware schedules.

RNL Los Angeles, CA
Junior Architect - June 2012 - September 2013
Markets: Transportation, Hospitality, Interiors, Civic & Historic Renovation
Tasks included development of drawing sets in all phases of design, conceptual design, 3D modeling, site visits and analysis, coordination with engineering teams, code analysis, product research, construction administration, and attending design presentations with clients.

University of Southern California Los Angeles, CA
Software Teaching Assistant, Graduate Design Studio 1 - fall 2011
Hired as software expert in Rhino 3D and Adobe Creative Suite by Selwyn Ting to provide individual mentoring for fellow graduate students.

John Mutlow Architects Los Angeles, CA
Summer Intern / Autocad Consultant - summer 2011
Market: Mixed Use Multi-Family Residential
Development of construction documents for a 40 unit project in West Hollywood, CA.

Texas Tech University Lubbock, TX
Head Editor, TTU COA Student Publication "CROP 01" - spring 2010
Helped to create the first student work publication at the TTU COA. Oversaw selection of entries, book design, organization, and final publication.

Teaching Assistant, Architectural Design Studio I - spring 2009 / 2010
Personally requested by Associate Dean Brian Rex to serve as a teaching assistant. Guided students' explorations while teaching the importance of an iterative design process and developing fabrication strategies for large scale installations.

USC Tau Sigma Delta - Best Graduate Student Designer
USC School of Architecture Educational Grant
Birdwell Architecture Competitive Scholarship
AIA Architecture Competitive Scholarship
Moffit Architecture Competitive Scholarship
President's List Texas Tech University
Alpha Lambda Delta National Honor Society, Texas Tech University Chapter
3rd Degree Black Belt in Tae Kwon Do and Hapkido

EXPERIENCE

AWARDS & HONORS