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OBJECTIVE

Landscape design and project management

EDUCATION

Master of Landscape Architecture 2011
University of Toronto, Daniels Faculty of Architecture, Landscape, and Design
OALA Certificate of Merit

Studies in Urban Sustainability 2008
University of Toronto, Centre for Environment

Certificate in Landscape Design 2007
Ryerson University

BUSINESS QUALIFICATIONS

Creativity and innovation in landscape design
Working and construction drawing sets for trades and permit
Providing quality and timely client services
Client problem solving
Project planning, organization and management to optimize results and meet project timelines
Relationship building to gain client trust and cooperation
Persuasive communication skills in the selling of ideas and solutions
Researched horticultural and botanical knowledge

MEMBERSHIPS

Ontario Association of Landscape Architects, Associate
Canadian Society of Landscape Architects
Green Roofs for Healthy Cities, Professional

SELECTED PROJECTS

- Arcadia Housing Co-op Toronto, ON 2010
Design and consultation with Co-op board and committee. Planting layout and installation of 9-12" green roof [3500 ft²]. The planted area became the residents' backyard and buffered public pathways from private areas.
- Winch Residence Atlanta, GA 2009
Collaboration with Andrew Jones Design
Revisions and new landscape patterns added to an existing garden of a home in the Arts and Crafts style. The new plant palette was drawn from regional flora to create an urban woodland in the context of existing White oak forest.
- Payne+Smith Residence Toronto, ON 2007
Collaboration with KAVE Architects
Detailed outdoor spaces adjoin the house, moving into intimate lounge decks and an urban 'woodlot' experience at rear. Front sidewalk wall in hardwood to separate municipal from private and increase property value.
- Trudel+Hubbes Residence Toronto, ON 2006
Collaboration with Ian MacDonald Architect
Landscape design and installation of a mid-town Toronto residential property working with an existing architectural language. Formal and informal plantings contrast with a grade terrace in ipe to create a stylized conservation area adjacent to plunge pool.
- Springer Residence Toronto, ON 2005
Complete transformation of a Toronto garden. A design and installation to marry elements of Japanese garden design with native flora. Selection of material palette to encourage unified property style and improved asset value.

EXHIBITIONS AND WORKSHOPS

Presenter, MOVE charrette Institute Without Boundaries
Speaker, Stratford Garden Festival, Stratford ON
Exhibitor, Gould St. charrette KPMB

TECHNOLOGY

Adobe Creative Suite 5; Microsoft Office 2011
AutoCAD 2011; Rhino; ArcGIS 10
Manual drafting; collage; concept model

REFERENCES

Available on request