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Education **University of Pennsylvania** | Master of Architecture | Philadelphia, PA | 2018
Certificate in Historic Preservation
3rd place winner of the Schenk-Woodman Competition | 2016 January
Courses in: Revit, Construction, Professional Practice, Environmental Systems, Structures and Visual Studies

Rhode Island School of Design (RISD) | Bachelor of Fine Arts, Interior Architecture | Providence, RI | 2013
Graduated as an Honors Student
RISD Design Build in Costa Rica | 2013 January - February
Kyoto Seika University | Study Abroad | Kyoto, Japan | 2012 Spring
Courses in: Revit, Lighting, Scheme Detailing, Graphic Design and Drawing

Professional Experience **Intern Architect** | **WSA, Modern Ruins** | **Irvington, NY** | **2016 June – 2016 August**
Developed schematics for multiple architecture and historic preservation projects, including adaptive re-use and restoration of buildings in New York City.

Interior Architect | **ABM Architects** | **Mumbai, India** | **2014 March - 2015 July**
Designed and executed designs for commercial and residential spaces, with an emphasis on sustainable design and historical preservation. Coordinated with contractors and furniture and lighting consultants for cohesive design documentation.

Interior Architect | **Somaya & Kalappa Consultants** | **Mumbai, India** | **2013 July - 2014 February**
Conceptualized and prepared presentations for a range of projects from residential to university campuses.

Work Experience and Internships **Creative Operations Manager** | **Penn Student Design** | Philadelphia, PA | March 2016 - Present
Liaises with designers to produce creative materials, including facilitation of print marketing projects such as flyers, posters and design campaigns.

Office Assistant | **RISD Office of International Programs** | Providence, RI | 2010 - 2013
Assisted with data entry, organizational administration and basic graphic design.

Intern | **Julian Marshall** | Pawtucket, RI | 2012 January - February
Collaborated with other RISD students to design and create the entire set for the film 'Obey the Giant'; tasks included building movable walls, creating graffiti for walls and building furniture.

Apprentice | **SJK Architects** | Mumbai, India | 2011 July - August
Assisted with furniture design for hospitality projects, specifically for bedrooms and common spaces; also worked on AutoCAD drawings, layouts and renderings.

Skills Computer skills | AutoCAD 3D, Revit, Rhino 3D, Grasshopper, Cinema 4D, Vray, Maya, Adobe Suite, Web design (css and html). Ability to learn programs quickly and adapt them to studio needs.

Art and Design skills | Experience with prototyping, 3D printing, laser cutting, model making and basic wood shop tools; trained in mixed media - acrylic, watercolor, gouache, pencil, charcoal, pen and photography. Familiar with a broad range of graphic design skills for creating layouts and logos.

Organizational skills | Exceptional organizational abilities and time management skills; resourceful, detail oriented, self-disciplined, hardworking, problem solver.

Languages | English, Hindi, Familiar with Marathi, Gujarati

Design and Volunteer Activities PennDesign Women in Architecture Subcommittee Member | Philadelphia, PA | Fall 2016 - Present
Volunteer for Rebuilding Philadelphia | Philadelphia, PA | Fall 2016
Volunteer for the Kala Ghoda Arts Festival | Mumbai, India | 2013 October - 2015 February
Designed and built furniture for a homeless shelter | Woonsocket, RI | 2012 September - 2013 March
Constructed a sustainable classroom prototype for rural schools | Costa Rica | 2013 January - February
Assisted with a housing rehabilitation project for tsunami victims | Tohoku, Japan | 2012 July