



#### PERSONAL INFORMATION:

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### **EDUCATIONAL CREDENTIALS:**

McGill University, Montréal, Québec, Canada Sept. 2010 – July 2011 (Expected) Master of Architecture in Theory and History of Architecture

#### Relevant Coursework:

- Architectural History Seminar 1: Western Architectural history from Antiquity to the Renaissance.
- Architectural History Seminar 2: Early Modern European theory of architecture, 17th 20th centuries. A hermeneutic reading of primary sources, i.e. a section or chapter of an historical treatise, a frontispiece or image, in the framework of recent scholarship on the subject.
- Architectural Theory Seminar 1: Phenomenology and hermeneutics.
- Architectural Theory Seminar 2: The experience of modernity in cultural criticism, philosophy, literature and art.
- Critical Writing: Seminar to critically review an architectural topic.
- Project Preparation: Thematic, site-specific experimental design project.

# University of Gothenburg, Gothenburg, SWEDEN

Aug 2004 - June 2006

# **MA in Museum Studies**

(http://www.museion.gu.se/Museumstudies/)

Thesis: "The people's Museum: Community Museums of Oaxaca, Mexico"

# Relevant Coursework:

- 1. Museums and Society (15 credits)
- 2. Museums and Communication (15 credits)
- 3. Material Culture and Collecting (15 credits)
- 4. Managing Museums & Exhibitions (15 credits)



University of Alcalá: Alcalá de Henares, SPAIN

2000-2001

# Graduate Degree in Conservation of Cultural Heritage

Title awarded upon presentation of research paper entitled: "Rehabilitación del Complejo Amurallado del Palacio Arzobispal en Alcalá de Henares, Madrid"

# Autonomous State University of Puebla, Puebla, MEXICO

1994 - 1999

Bachelor's Degree in Architecture – Professional Registration in Puebla, Mexico Thesis: "Rehabilitation and Restoration of the Historical Building "Casa Toral" to become Cultural Center for the City of Teziutlán in the Sate of Puebla, Mexico".

# **Professional Experience:**

# **Project Coordinator**

Feb 2009 - Aug 2010

National Institute of Anthropology and History (INAH by its acronym in Spanish) <a href="http://www.inah.gob.mx">http://www.inah.gob.mx</a>

# **DUTIES:**

- -Coordinate museological project (including interpretation techniques), plan main exhibition design strategies, as well as exhibition content in order to renovate exhibitions at history and anthropology museum.
- -Produce reports, briefings, and advancement documentation for senior officials and colleagues to judge, and participate in the advancement of project.
- -Coordinate with other instances of the organization to exchange information relevant to project.
- -Additionally, I was in charge of minor maintenance in museum grounds, and supervised temporary maintenance staff, and contractor staff working at museum grounds intermittently.
- -Organized equipment and payroll of temporary maintenance staff, as well as produce weekly reports to senior officials detailing advancement of maintenance works.



Architect Jan 2008 – Feb 2009

FC Design AB – Norra Ågatan 10, Göteborg, Sweden http://www.cortina.se

#### **DUTIES:**

Participation as architect in a series of architectural and interior design projects in which my duties were to carry out construction details, construction documents, and diverse aspects of architectural work.

Intern Architect Sept 2006 – Oct 2007

Lee Gamelsky Architects - 2412 Miles Road SE, Albuquerque NM 87106 <a href="http://www.lganm.com">http://www.lganm.com</a>

# **DUTIES:**

-Collaborated in a series of architectural projects in which my duties were to develop a series of architectural details, schematic design, and other required actions to contribute to the advancement of the architectural projects at this office.

Project Manager 2002 – 2004

Cultural Heritage Department at the Ministry of Culture of Puebla (Secretaría de Cultura de Puebla, <a href="www.sc.gob.mx">www.sc.gob.mx</a>)

# **DUTIES:**

- -Conduct architectural projects for the adaptive reuse of historical properties belonging to the State Government of Puebla, a city in central Mexico, known for its rich Colonial architectural history.
- -Conduct supervision duties into architectural preservation works carried out by contractors and supervised by the agency I represented, the State Government of Puebla.
- -Produce reports of advances of architectural preservation efforts to senior officials.
- -Produce exhibition proposals at various venues, having to carry out plans, design of furniture proposals, as well as supervision of contractors or internal staff in the production process of exhibitions.

# **Architectural Drafter**

Architectural Heritage Commission of the State of Puebla (Comisión del Patrimonio Edificado). 1999 - 2000



Duties: Drafting of architectural plans and field measurements in order to develop projects of intervention for the conservation of historical buildings, scattered throughout the State of Puebla in Mexico.

#### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE:**

# Adjunct Professor Jan 2010 – June 2010

Technological Institute of Monterrey – Puebla Campus (pue.itesm.mx)

# **DUTIES:**

Teach undergraduate architecture students at various stages in their careers, subjects related to the history and theories of architecture.

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## LANGUAGES:

- Spanish: Reading, writing and spoken levels; Fluent.
- English: Reading, writing and spoken levels; Fluent.
- French: Reading, writing and spoken levels; Intermediate.
- Swedish: Reading, writing and spoken levels; Intermediate.

# **PEDAGOGY:**

**Learning to Teach Professional Development Workshop** – March 2011, McGill University