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Objective Seeking a position as an Architectural Designer to gain experience in a multi-disciplinary firm. Interested in developing projects with goals that expand the definition of "architecture" where my knowledge of design and building can be applied.

Education **Rhode Island School of Design, RISD** Providence, RI
Bachelor of Architecture 2009
Bachelor of Fine Arts 2008

Technische Universität München Munich, Bavaria, DE
International Exchange Program 2007

Professional Experiences **HKT Architects** Somerville, MA
Model Builder April 2010
Built 1/8" scale presentation model including site and buildings. Develop system to allow for different iterations to be inserted into model. Coordinated with CNC and laser cutting contractors.

The Art Institute of Boston Boston, MA
Adjunct Faculty September 2009 - present
In charge of instructing a medium sized class of undergraduates, developed syllabi and weekly assignments. Courses taught were "Visual Thinking," studio class focusing on elements of two-dimensional design and "Exploratory Drawing," studio class discussing the role of drawing in contemporary design and art.

David Dilks Design and Fabrication Cumberland, RI
Fabricator 2008 - 2009
Developed knowledge of construction detailing, building materials, technology capabilities, finishes, on-site installation for architectural millwork and furniture. Experienced the client/architect/fabricator relationship and bidding process.

Michael Neumann Architecture New York City, NY
Design Intern Summer 2006, February 2007
Hired for two consecutive periods to work in a mid-size firm designing high-end retail stores. Experienced in product research, preparation of construction documents, and shop drawings. Focused on design organization, construction documents and clarity in representation.

Other Experiences **Aardvarchitecture Barn Project** Stanfordville, NY
Builder 2009
Helped build the design for a barn. Focused on fenestration details.

RISD Architecture Department Providence, RI
Monitor for Laser Cutter and Model Shop 2007 - 2009
Assisted students with constructing models using power, hand tools and laser-cutting technology.

Publications, Exhibitions, Affiliations, & Awards **Boston Society of Architects**, Associate AIA, Boston, MA 2009-present
Beyond Media/Visions, "By All Means", Stazione Leopolda, Florence, Italy 2009
SkinDeep, RISD Architecture Publications 2008
Architecture Department Show, Woods Gerry Gallery, Providence, RI 2008
Velux Juried Travel Grant, 2008

Skills **Computer** PC and Macintosh OS platforms; Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, and Dreamweaver; AutoCAD, Rhinoceros, Flamingo, Sketch-Up; Microsoft Word, Excel, and PowerPoint. Ability to learn programs quickly and adapt to studio needs.

Making Model making and fabrication utilizing laser cutter and CNC mill, woodworking, metalworking, finishes; knitting and crocheting; hand and machine sewing.

Drawing Hand and computer drafting; observational drawing.

Clear public presentation and listening skills
Conversational Mandarin