

## ACCREDITATIONS

NCIDQ, License Certificate No. 32047

## EDUCATION

### FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY 2008-2012

Tallahassee, Florida, USA

College of Visual Arts, NASAD Accredited  
School of Art and Design, CIDA Accredited  
Bachelor of Science Degree, Interior Design  
Minor: General Business  
GPA: 3.43, Dean's List

## EXPERIENCE

### HBA DUBAI / HIRSCH BEDNER ASSOCIATES - PROJECT DIRECTOR

SENIOR DESIGNER 2018-2019  
DUBAI, U.A.E. - MARCH 2018 - APRIL 2022

- Lead interior design teams on projects; Provide project team coordination for finish plans, specifications, and material selections required for construction
- Collaborate on hospitality interiors projects, including programming client needs, conceptual and schematic design, design development, and management of budgets and schedules
- Develop space planning concepts and generate program documents
- Work with consultants, hotel brands, developers, furniture dealers, product reps, and fabricators to meet overall project objectives
- Prioritized multiple projects and assure design conforms to contractual agreement with client
- Participate in business development and marketing efforts
- Contribute to office activities, mentorship, initiatives and learning programs

#### Project List:

Four Seasons Riyadh, Saudi Arabia; Renovation  
JW Marriott Riyadh, Saudi Arabia; Renovation  
Intercontinental Dar Al Iman, Saudi Arabia; Renovation  
Intercontinental Dar Al Hijra, Saudi Arabia; Renovation  
Zaha Hadid Opus Hotel, Dubai, U.A.E.; New Build  
St. Regis Hotel Apartments, Dubai, U.A.E.; New Build  
Kempinski Amman, Jordan; Renovation  
Hilton Garden Inn Salalah, Oman; New Build  
Hilton Hongqiao Shanghai, China; New Build

### THE GETTYS GROUP - DESIGNER III CHICAGO, IL - JANUARY 2016 - FEBRUARY 2018

- Managed projects in a self-directed manor through all stages of design
- Conducted site visits to survey and meet with clients
- Generated construction documents and FF&E specifications
- Intern Coordinator; Interview, hire and oversee the internship program

#### Project List:

Marriott Lincolnshire, Illinois; Renovation  
InterContinental Indianapolis, Indiana; New Build  
Conrad Chicago, Illinois; Lobby Renovation  
Hilton Buena Vista Palace, Florida; Renovation  
Sheraton Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Guestroom Renovation  
Boutique San Antonio, Texas; New Build

### LOONEY & ASSOCIATES - DESIGNER CHICAGO, IL - OCTOBER 2012 - OCTOBER 2015

- Collaborated on hotel interiors projects, including programming, conceptual, schematic, design development and contract administration
- Selected and specified FF&E, color palettes and materials
- Generated program documents including guestroom matrix
- Reviewed shop drawings and submittals
- Vendor liaison; Scheduled and met with vendors for new product presentations

#### Project List:

Hilton West Palm Beach, Florida; New Build  
Hilton Chicago, Illinois; Renovation  
Hyatt Magnificent Mile Chicago, Illinois; Renovation

**N.D. DESIGNS, INC. - INTERN**

**TALLAHASSEE, FL - JANUARY - AUGUST 2012**

- Provided space planning and furniture layouts for residential projects
- Researched and specified FF&E products, materials and finishes
- Assisted with installations
- Communicated with contractors, vendors and clients

**BASS & BASS, LTD. - INTERN**

**TALLAHASSEE, FL - MAY - DECEMBER 2011**

- Prepared design plans, elevations and details
- Provided programming and space planning analysis
- Participated in site analysis, including survey of existing conditions and field measurements

**PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS**

- Hospitality Design Expo Best Booth Award for design of Valley Forge Fabrics Booth 2017
- Winner of Valley Forge's FRESH Fabric Design competition 2015
- Published in Hospitality Design Magazine May 2015
- Vice President of the FSU ASID Chapter 2010-2012
- Vice President of Interior Design Student Organization 2010-2012
- Meritorious Achievement Award received for Furniture Design Project
- Published in SIX, College of Visual Arts Publication
- Featured in FSView Newspaper for Furniture Design Project
- Seminole Torchbearer- Leadership Award
- Docent at the Florida Governor's Mansion

**SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS**

- Certified Interior Designer with 11+ years of experience as an interior designer, with a focus on hospitality interiors
- Strong leadership, organization, communication and relationship management skills
- Strong knowledge of the design process, knowledge of furniture, finishes, materials, color selections, and specifications. Experience with construction document preparation
- Proficient with AutoCAD, Spexx/SpecSource, Photoshop, and InDesign
- Graphics and visualization skills to effectively communicate design ideas