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Academic Qualification

University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign, Illinois

August 2021-May 2023

Master of Architecture (advanced standing)

Major: Concentration in Health and well-being

L. S. Raheja School of Architecture, Mumbai, India

Bachelor of Architecture

July 2015-October 2020

Work Experience

- **Architectural Designer at Nia Architects, Chicago, USA July 2023 - Present**
 - Contributed to the design of an intergenerational, multifamily housing project using SketchUp for conceptual design and Revit for modeling and designing unit layout. Additionally, worked on Bally's Chicago with Gensler where I worked on Code plans, door & column details and roofing system on BIM 360. Gained hands-on experience in managing RFIs to address project queries and ensure smooth workflow.
- **Intern at Paul Harding, Chicago, USA May 2022 - August 2022**
 - Worked on restoration projects of Frank Lloyd Wright's Davenport House. Along with conducting on-site assessments and documentation for Anshe Emet Synagogue using Revit. Worked on an interior project for a client's residence.
- **Interior Designer – Freelancing Architect October 2020- July 2021**
 - Worked with an interior designer on a small scale- designing apartment interiors in Mumbai and preparing drawings.
- **Junior Architect at Rummy Shroff and associates, Mumbai, India January 2021- June 2021**
 - Contributed to the planning and design team, actively participating in numerous client meetings. Acquired comprehensive knowledge of technical aspects, utilized Revit in the process.
 - Worked on projects that focused on residential buildings and interiors, along with working on the design of elevations for a residential building in Mumbai, using AutoCAD.
- **Intern at HOSMAC, Mumbai, India January 2019 – May 2019**
 - Worked together on a 700-bed teaching hospital in India, leading from conceptual studies and design phases to actively participating in client meetings and engaging in discussions with structural engineers and the MEP team.
 - Documented and conducted on-site visits of a hospital in Mumbai, India. Additionally, contributed to the development of drawings for nurse call systems using AutoCAD.
- **Intern at Shapoorji Pallonji, Mumbai, India November 2018 – December 2018**
 - Gained experience in technical drawings, contributed to the improvement of presentation drawings to make them more engaging and enhancing to the client, dealing with different vendors.
 - Modeled existing building in Revit and developed elevations, and window details

Competitions and Workshop

The National Association of Students of Architecture

- Gender Sensitivity (GSEN) TROPHY- 2016 - Design Team (Top 8)
- Housing and Urban Development Corporation Limited (HUDCO) TROPHY- 2015
Software - Technical Team (Top 10)
- Attended a seminar for Hospital Planning and Management, Organized by Cahocon 2019, Theme: Healthcare Quality, Hiranandani Hospital, Powai, India.

Certifications

- **Council of Architecture, India - Licensed Architect** **2020**
- **Certified Google UX Designer** **2024**
- Project Management Course
- DTP + Web designing course.
- Graphic Design - 1 month course

Skills

Sketching | Photoshop, InDesign | AutoCAD | Revit | Sketchup| Lumion | Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)