

# GARY HUMMEL

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## ARCHITECT / DESIGNER / PROFESSOR

**\*\* Committed to designing architecturally sound, sustainable, and functional buildings and structures that reduce overall impact to the environment while enhancing the human experience \*\***

Highly creative designer / architect skilled in designing innovative residential, commercial, and institutional buildings by understanding and integrating complex and shifting relationships between architecture and cultural, economic, and social change. Experienced in all phases of project lifecycle, from initial capture of objectives and requirements through feasibility, design and production drawings development, and presentation and overall customer satisfaction. Outstanding communication and interpersonal skills with proven ability to interact effectively with clients, team members, and consultants. Loyal, diligent professional with strong work ethic, drive, and ambition. Committed to personal excellence. Core strengths include:

- Customer Needs Assessment
- Team Leadership
- Schematic Proposal Design
- Presentation Board Creation
- Feasibility & Topographical Studies
- Infrastructure & Site Analysis
- Digital & Physical Modeling
- Sketching & Diagramming
- Programming & Digital Graphics Design
- Construction Documents Production
- Project Planning & Management
- Customer & Partner Relations

## RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

City of Louisville, Kentucky

**Consultant to David Kaplan, Chief of Staff/Chief Attorney, City of Louisville**

2022-2023

- **Provided designs for temporary shelters and an affordable modular house, which Kaplan said they will retain and discuss.**

Broward College, Fort Lauderdale, FLORIDA

**Adjunct Professor – Architecture**

2015-2019

Hired to effectively deliver architecture studio design, history and drawing courses to architecture students.

- **Developed student understanding of evolving architecture styles, structural methods, and material usage in cultural context.**
- **Taught students how to draw their studio models in plan, section, as well as three d axonometric and perspective.**
- **Conducted Deconstruction of the Square studio, in which several students won special recognition for their project models.**

Garyscape, Fort Lauderdale, FLORIDA

**Project Manager Home Renovation, Designer Sustainable Structures**

2008-Present

Retained to generate and produce architectural design concepts for the construction of new and renovation of existing residential and commercial buildings and build models and structures for major architectural exhibitions. Collaborate with clients to analyze needs, research and incorporate sustainable materials and design, conduct feasibility studies, perform infrastructure / site analysis, and develop and present designs and construction documents to clients leveraging AutoCAD and SketchUp tools.

- **Drew CAD interior elevations Menlo Park new residence, 3-d designs Lake Tahoe residence for Dimitra Anderson Home, Inc.**
- **Designed a boutique hotel and mixed-use development in response to the City of Wilton Manors Florida RFP.**
- **Developed a design for a solar beach house.**
- **Completed renovation and interior/exterior/landscape redesign of a 1961 house in Oakland Park Florida. Awarded Home beautification award by the Mayor and Commissioners for native landscape design and complementary hardscape.**
- **Drew a 3-d contemporary remake of a house in South Beach for a Fort Lauderdale architect.**
- **Designed interior reconstruction and renovation of the lobby and recreation room of Drake Tower Condominium, Ft Lauderdale**
- **Produced 3-d and AutoCAD drawings for a complete landscape and pool redesign existing house, Addison Reserve, Delray Beach**

- **Created a 12x15 foot floor plan for the construction of a compact 4-floor unit residential tower.** Leveraged advanced sustainable materials and a modular design to reduce energy consumption and construction timeframe.
- **Designed and oversaw the renovation of a 1940s period ranch home in St Petersburg Florida, which culminated in 11 showings and 2 offers.**
- **Designed and built architectural model transportation containers and drew graphic placard for the “Fabrications” exhibition at the University of California, Berkeley,** showcasing design models from Le Corbusier, Scarpa, Michelucci
- **Developed design for a sustainable compact house called Micro House to be constructed on site with readily available local materials and construction techniques.**

**Coach / Juror – Architecture Department**

COLLEGE OF DUPAGE, Glen Ellyn, IL

2009

Volunteered to coach, tutor, and judge architecture students on studio design projects, portfolio presentations, and community outreach projects; coached professor on AutoCAD technology to enable the build-out of online course curriculum.

- **Team members of 6 charged with judging Final Studio Project, “Chicago Artist Residence”, for third-year architecture students.** Assessed and critiqued design projects based on quality, creativity, and workmanship.
- **Coached third-year students on selecting and recommending sustainable materials for Habitat for Humanity for “Resident 2009 Project”.** Recommendations won the U.S. Green Building Council (USGBC) Award in Education 2009 in the Technical College category.
- **Mentored and coached architecture students in creating a modular, easily built, economical single room design for submission to the “Shelter for the Homeless Child 2010” competition.**

BALL-NOGUES EXPERIMENTAL DESIGN STUDIO, Echo Park, CA

2007-2008

**Designer**

**Retained to assist in developing model for the Museum of Modern Art (MOMA) “PS1 Design” Competition, which won the Young Architect prize.** Participated in team charrettes to create summer pavilion model. Laser cut and assembled materials over resin models.

JON GREEN ARCHITECTS, Culver City, CA

2006

**Contractor**

Brought in to design steel structure to support lighting and signage for stores in a new shopping center.

GRUEN ASSOCIATES (2005) / WAHLROOS-RITTER ARCHITECTS (2004), Los Angeles & Echo Park, CA

2004-2005

**Intern**

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**PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE**

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Ameritech CORPORATION (AT&T) / Hoffman Estates, Illinois.

1984-2000

**Project Manager / Product Development Manager / Business Development Manager / Communications Manager / Forecasting Manager / Communications Consultant**

Built an impressive record of achievements through a series of increasingly responsible positions for this leading telecommunications provider. Pivotal role in planning, coordinating, and leading the on-time delivery of new products, custom packaging, and communication systems solutions and projects to enable continued competitive growth.

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**ACADEMIC BACKGROUND**

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**3 year Master of Architecture 2006 – THE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTURE – GPA: 3.74/4.0**

**Documentation & Design Coursework (90 Credit Hours) – COLLEGE OF DUPAGE – GPA: 3.83/4**

**BA, Colgate University, Hamilton NY**