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22W *Eat With Your Eyes 4: Architecture of Objects and Operations*
G Design Propositions Studio
Architectural Detailing: Tolerances
Graduate Seminar
TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development

21F *Patterns + Types 2: Alternatives to Housing in Detroit*
G Design Systems Studio w Kit McCullough
Integrated Building Systems: Graduate Construction Course in Conjunction w G Systems Studios
Course Coordinator
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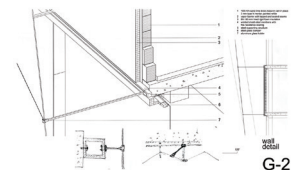
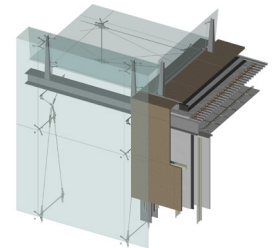
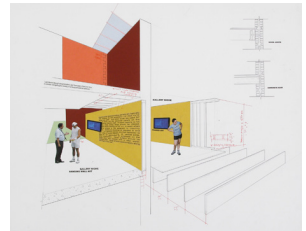
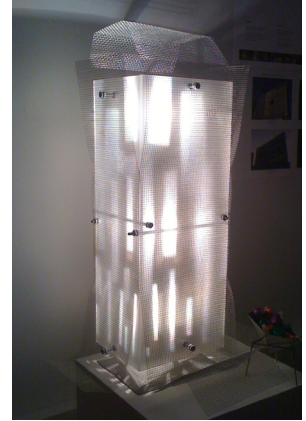
21W *Eat With Your Eyes 4: Architecture of Objects and Operations*
G Design Propositions Studio
Arch537 Fabrication
Steel and Stone + Steel and Foam: Metal Working Processes and Fabrication
TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development

20F *Patterns + Types: Alternatives to Housing in Detroit*
G Design Systems Studio w Kit McCullough
Integrated Building Systems: Graduate Construction Course in Conjunction w G Systems Studios
Course Coordinator
TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development

20W *Architectural Detailing: Small Things Reconsidered*
Graduate Seminar
Arch537 Fabrication Course Coordinator
Fabrication Section w Carlos Pompeo: *Exquisite Lamps 2*
TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development

19F *The Economy of Craft 2: Alternatives to Housing in Detroit*
G Design Systems Studio w Kit McCullough
Integrated Building Systems: Graduate Construction Course in Conjunction w G Systems Studios
Course Coordinator
TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development

19W *Eat With Your Eyes 4: Architecture of Objects and Operations*
G Design Propositions Studio
Arch537 Fabrication Section w Carlos Pompeo: *Exquisite Lamps 1*
Graduate Fabrication Section Working in Steel, CNC woodworking + Zund / Folded Plastics
TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development



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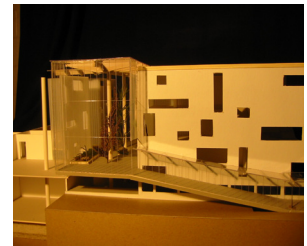
18F
The Economy of Craft: Affordable Housing in Detroit
G Design Systems Studio w/ Kit McCullough
Integrated Building Systems: Graduate Construction Course in Conjunction w G Systems Studios
Course Coordinator
TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development



18W
Eat With Your Eyes 3: Architecture of Objects and Operations
G Design Propositions Studio
Architectural Detailing: Translations from Drawing to Building
Graduate Construction Seminar
TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development

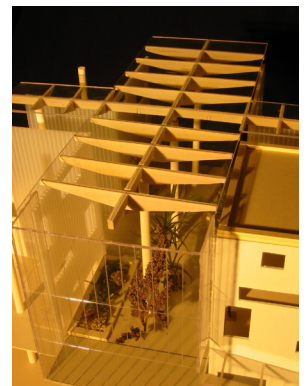


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Nexus Studio 2: Multigenerational Housing in Mexicantown, Detroit
G Design Systems Studio
Integrated Building Systems: Graduate Construction in Conjunction w Systems Studios
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TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development



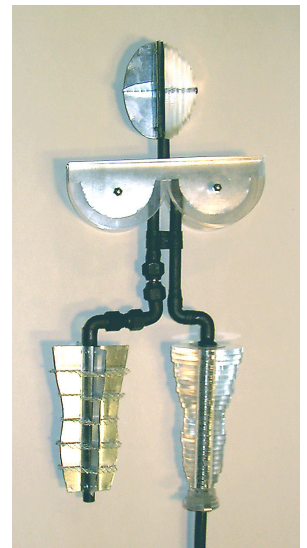
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Eat With Your Eyes 2: Architecture of Objects and Operations
G Design Propositions Studio
Architectural Detailing: Translations from Drawing to Building
Graduate Construction Seminar
TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development

16F
Nexus Studio: Multigenerational Housing in Mexicantown, Detroit
G Design Systems Studio
Integrated Building Systems: Graduate Construction Course in Conjunction w G Systems Studios
Course Coordinator
TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development



16W
Eat With Your Eyes: Architecture of Objects and Operations
G Design Propositions Studio
UG Advanced Construction Lectures + Lab
Co-coordinator w/ Lars Graebner.
TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development

15F
The Four Books of Sam Houston:
Building Craft in the Age of Digital Fabrication, Drought and Artisanal Okra
G Design Institutions Studio
Architectural Detailing: Translations from Drawing to Building
Graduate Construction Seminar
TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development



15W
SateHouse: Thick is the New Thin
Courtyard Housing in Texas- G Design Systems Studio
UG Advanced Construction Lectures + Lab
Co-coordinator w/ Lars Graebner.
TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development

14F
All the Labor: New Lessons for Students of Architecture
UG1 Design Studio
Architectural Detailing: Translations from Drawing to Building
Graduate Construction Seminar
TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development

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14W

DogYard: Assisted Living
 Courtyard Housing in Austin, TX - G Design Systems Studio
 UG Advanced Construction Lectures + Lab
 Co-coordinator w/ Lars Graebner.
 TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development



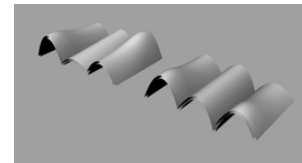
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Stacking Space: From Ocean Park to Gottfried Semper
 UG1 Design Studio
 Architectural Detailing: *Translations from Drawing to Building*
 Graduate Construction Seminar
 TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development



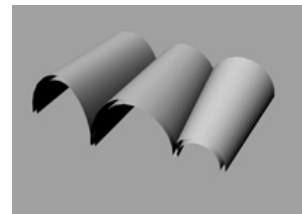
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Elderly Housing and the Architectural Elemental:
 Courtyard Housing in Los Angeles - G Design Systems Studio
 UG Advanced Construction Lectures + Lab
 Co-coordinator w/ Lars Graebner.
 TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development



12F

Aquamart: Ferry Terminal in Chicago - UG Design Studio
 Architectural Detailing: *Translations from Drawing to Building*
 Graduate Construction Seminar
 TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development



12W

Elderly Housing in Seoul, Korea - G Design Systems Studio
 UG/G Advanced Construction Lectures + Lab
 Co-coordinator w/ Lars Graebner.
 TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development



11F

El Museo del Norte: Museums with/out Walls of
 Detroit Latin American History
 Architectural Detailing: *Translations from Drawing to Building.*
 Graduate Construction Seminar
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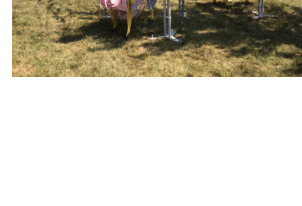


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Safe House: Alternative Sub-urbanism in San Antonio—UG Design Studio
 UG/G Advanced Construction Lectures + Lab
 Co-coordinator w/ Lars Graebner.
 TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development

10F

House of Today: High Density Urban Housing in Chicago – UG Design Studio
 Architectural Detailing: *Translations from Drawing to Building.*
 Graduate Construction Seminar
 TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development



10W

Humanos Postizos: Training Center for Prosthetic Athletes – UG Design Studio
 UG Construction 2 Large Buildings: Materials and Methods, Lectures and Lab
 TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development

09F

Deja la Boberia: A School for the Study of Movement – UG Design Studio
 Detailing: *Revit, BIM and Other Translations from Drawing to Building*
 Graduate Construction Seminar
 TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development

S t u d i o s C l a s s e s S e m i n a r s

- 09W *La Luce e La Nebbia: Building with Light and Fog* – UG Design Studio
 UG Construction 2 Large Buildings: Materials and Methods, Lectures and Lab
 TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development
- 08F *Slow Building: A Winery on Middle Bass Island*-UG Design Studio
 UG Construction 1 Small Buildings: Materials and Methods, Lectures and Lab
 TCAUP Metals Lab Coordinator: Tutorials and Project Development
- 08W *Ecoles Tropicales: Dropping the School Off at the Kids*-UG Design Studio
 UG Construction 2 Large Buildings: Materials and Methods, Lectures and Lab
- F07 *SuperFishialtiy: An Aquarium in Sault Ste. Marie*-UG Design Studio
 UG Construction 1 Small Buildings: Materials and Methods, Lectures and Lab
- W07 *Riding With the King: Detroit Intermodal Transit Hub* UG Design Studio
 Detailing: Critical Construction Documents-Graduate Construction Seminar
- F06 *It's Just About That Taut: Glass in Architecture*-UG Design Studio
 UG Construction 1 Small Buildings: Materials and Methods, Lectures and Lab
- W06 *Building Morphologies: A University Herbarium*-UG Design
 Studio
 Detailing: Material and Assemblies-Graduate Construction Seminar
- F05 *Send in the Clowns: A Circus Site on a Pittsburgh Riverfront* UG Design Studio
 UG Construction 1 Small Buildings: Materials and Methods, Lectures and Lab
- S05 *Florence: Renaissance Architecture and Public Space* – UG Seminar
 University of Michigan Summer Program in Florence
- W05 *Walk In, Drive In: Two Schools for a Small Town* – UG Design Studio
 Arch 427 Construction 2 La Mano y La Machina. Otra Vez
- F04 *Skyscrapin': Tall Building Construction.* UG Design Studio
 Coordinator of UG Construction 1 Curriculum, Lectures and Labs
- W04 *Urban Landscapes 2: -Branch Libraries in Detroit.* UG Design Studio.
 Arch 427 Construction 2 La Mano y La Machina.
- F03 *An Aquarium for Belle Isle.* Undergraduate Design Studio
 Coordinator of UG Construction 1 Curriculum, Lectures and Studios
- W03 *Shrines for Imaginary Saints.* UG Design Studio
 Coordinator of UG Construction 2 Curriculum, Lectures and Studios
- F02 *Pucinello to Puccini: Opera, Buildings and Stage Sites*-UG Design Studio
 Intention to Detail (Thanks to KA) Graduate Construction Seminar
- W02 First Year Studio Curriculum Coordinator
 Urban Landscapes 1: *Designing the Terrain Vague.* Undergraduate Studio

A w a r d s

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G r a n t s

Taubman College Review Redux Grant Winter 2019

University of Michigan Lecturer IV Continuing Review Winter 2018

ACSA Housing Design Education Award 2013

University of Michigan Arts of Citizenship Grant (Spring 2011)

Lecturer's Professional Development Grant,
University of Michigan (Winter 2007)

Ginsberg Center for Community Service and Learning,
Project Development Grant (Summer 2005)

Lecturer's Professional Development Grant,
University of Michigan (Spring 2004)

University of Michigan Center for Research on Learning and Teaching
Project Development Grant (Summer 2002)

German Academic Exchange Service, New York,
Travel and Research Grant (Spring 2001)

University of Michigan Center for Research on Learning and Teaching,
Faculty Associate Grant (2001-2002)

Center for European Studies, University of Michigan
Research Grant-(Fall 2000)

Center for European Studies, University of Michigan
Research Grant-(Summer 2000)

Language Resource Center, University of Michigan
Research Grant-(Summer 2000)

College of Literature, Science and the Arts, University of Michigan
Travel Grant- (Spring 2000)

Rackham Graduate School, University of Michigan
Research Grant- (Spring 2000)

Office of the Vice President for Research, University of Michigan
(ResearchGrant-Fall1999)

Taubman College Donna Salzer Excellence in Teaching Award
April 2000
April 2008

Austin AIA Honor Award *The Jones House* 1996.

W h i l e i n P r a c t i c e :

Registered Architect, Texas 17762

Selected Projects in Practice

Two Guys From Texas, Architects (founding partner, 2011) current work includes:

Casas Pequeñas, Poquitas y Diminutas Community First Village. Austin, TX 2015-Date
Design and construction of 350sf micro-homes for the homeless in a project coordinate by Mobile Loaves and Fishes in Austin. We have been working with CFV and a series of local building professionals in design and construction of these homes utilizing advanced material and construction systems. Four versions of *Casa Pequeña* have been built at CFV. The first two *Casas Poquitas* were completed Summer 2021. *Casas Diminutas* in design development for F2022.

Bell Tower Community First Village. 2017-18.
Design and construction of a wood / steel / concrete bell tower for the CFV community for the homeless in Austin, TX. Bell donated from a Missouri-Pacific train engine. Primary structure in wood and steel plate with precast concrete foundation components.

Taubman College Design-Build Ann Arbor, Michigan

Cloud/Bank UM Contribution to the University Installations at Exhibit Columbus August 2017-February 2018. Columbus, IN and Ann Arbor, MI
A demonstration project utilizing a range of digital and analog design and fabrication process in the Taubman College fabrication shops which articulates a vision of the past, future and contemporary design and fabrication cultures of the Great Lakes region.

Las Carpas Magicas for El Museo del Norte. Detroit, MI 2015 A mobile pavilion for exhibits, events and mariachis in SW Detroit. Developed in coordination with Prof. Nick Tobier from UM Stamps College of A+D.

The Boulevard House, Detroit. A project of El Museo del Norte.
in association with the UM Latina/o Studies Program. The project is to develop a grass roots museum and cultural center that could document the historical presence of Latina/os in Michigan and thereby establish their key role in the life of the State. Mobile Museum project design and construction is scheduled for the Summer-Summer 2011-12 year in coordination with studio and seminar work with UM Taubman College students.

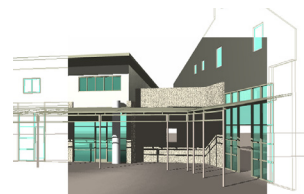
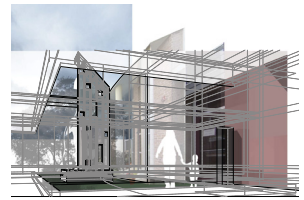
1:12 RampUp. Community Design/Build accessibility projects in SW Detroit

- Summer 2006 All Steel Ramp built for Mary Landrum
- Summer 2007 CNC Milled Ramp buildt for Rosalie Benavides
- Fall/Winter 2007-08 Cahalan Park design with NCI, Springhills Neighborhood, Detroit
Park Masterplanning and design/build of park benches with F07 Arch317 Lab

with **Furman and Keil Architects**, Austin, Texas

Susholtz Pool House Austin, Texas
1000 sf pool house, swimming pool and soil retention and landscape design.
Bad soil, bad site, great client. Completed Winter 2007

Roth House Canyon Lake Texas
4000+ sf house in Texas Hill Country. Great site, great clients.
Completed Winter 2006



Selected Projects in Practice

with **Cotera, Kolar and Negrete Architects**, Austin, Texas (1997-2001):

St. Vincent DePaul Parish Center and Alicia Chapel Project Designer/Architect:

Programming, master planning, and design of a 20,000 sf parish center and chapel.

—Supervised project team in designing, developing and detailing masonry and concrete/steel structure parish center and masonry vaulted chapel. Maintained project schedule and budget, coordinated bidding and permitting and managed all client contact and communication. Project completed April 2001.

with **The Lawrence Speck Studio at Page, Southerland, Page Architects** Austin, Texas (1994-99)

Austin Bergstrom International Airport –terminal addition Project Architect

Design, development, detailing of 6 gate airport addition including exterior pedestrian bridge.

—While the main terminal was under construction we designed a 6 gate addition. This was a complex integration, for the design and also for coordination with the ongoing construction contractor.

Robert E. Johnson State Office Building _Austin, Texas Project Designer:

Design, development, detailing and construction administration for a 375,000 sf office building for the state of Texas, designated as a demonstration project for sustainable building.

—Developed elevations, designed and detailed custom curtain wall system with zinc spandrel panels.

—Developed and tested physical daylighting models to design interior offices and coordinate with the building envelope. Designed specular surface interior light shelves to measure, evaluate and optimize daylighting.

—Developed stone column design and detailing. Coordinated with quarry and masons to optimize selection, cutting, and setting.

—Developed daylighting strategy and glazing system research and design

—Developed and detailed integrated photo voltaic sunshades for assembly with curtain wall. Extensive coordination with photo-voltaic system consultant and manufacturer to develop custom panels. Developed and wrote specifications for the assembly.

*Austin-Bergstrom International Airport*_Austin, Texas Project Designer:

As member of design team developed design, development and detailing of new 20 gate, “greenfield” airport of city of Austin.

—With Jaster-Quintanilla & Associates: designed, modeled and developed 3 dimensional steel truss system for the roofing structure of the airport.

—Developed daylighting strategy and glazing system research and design

—Developed elevations, curtain wall and Pohl panel rain-screen detailing.

—Coordinated glazing research, selection and integration w/ daylighting design

—Developed elevations and stone veneer detailing.

—Coordinated stone cutting operations and procedures with Central Texas Quarries.

—Developed interior finishes and coordinated ceiling systems w/ lighting and communications systems.

—Coordinated integration with HVAC systems with design and engineering teams.

—Coordinated airport baggage handling equipment systems and design integration.

—Coordinated with pre-Homeland Security Federal Offices in design of Immigrations and Federal Inspection facilities for the airport

with **Lawrence W. Speck and Associates** Austin, Texas (1994-98)

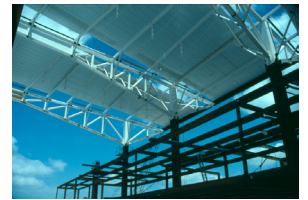
The Jones House, Austin, Texas

Design and construction administration for a 4000 sf home in central Texas.

—Design and detailing in site cast concrete and wood frame.

—Supervised construction of site cast concrete home, including detail work and coordination with contractors and craftsmen.

The Jones House was recipient of the Austin AIA Honor Award in 1996.



E d u c a t i o n s

Master of Architecture, The University of Texas at Austin (1993)
University Graduate Fellowship (1989-92)
Design Thesis w/ Prof. Chris Macdonald: "Markets on 4th Street: A Case Study in Incompletion"



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