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Jennifer Marett

Part II Architectural Assistant.

I am a dedicated and creative student, from the Welsh School of Architecture, committed to everything I do. I face challenges confidently and enjoy evolving designs to create imaginative outcomes with technically sound solutions. I am interested in the architectural concepts/initiatives, reflected in the range of styles explored throughout my portfolio, exploring the technical analysis of buildings as well as the design process and master planning. With particular interests in regenerative design and creating sustainable spaces to benefit communities and future generations. I am keen to continue developing the depth and breadth of this knowledge throughout my time as an Architectural Assistant.

Education

MArch RIBA Part II Preliminary Grade - First class honours.

BSc Architecture RIBA Part I upper 2:1

With a First in Thesis Project and Technology module
Cardiff University

A-Levels

Mathematics - A

Design and Technology - A

Physics - B

GCSE's

7A*'s, 2A's

2011-2018 Haberdashers' Aske's Girls School Elstree, HERTS, WD6 3BT

Technical Skills

AutoCad

Rhino - with Grasshopper plugin

Adobe Photoshop

Adobe InDesign

Adobe Illustrator

Sketchup

3D Model Making

Hand drawing and sketching

Revit

Interests

Sailing - Completed 5 years of Junior Sailing courses.

Travelling - Exploring the culture and landscapes of different countries.

Swimming - Member of Bushey Amateur Swimming Club 2009-2018.

Music; Clarinet & Saxophone, ABRSM Grade 5 Clarinet.

Experience

Employment at Grimshaw Architects. Working on projects across the globe has led to a wider understanding of how culture and climate impact the design process, I have also experienced a wide variety of design stages which has made me a well rounded designer showing me the importance of every stage. With specific details in arena design, public buildings and master planning.

Practical build experience with Think Pacific. The hands on experience of building a medical dispensary gave me a wider understanding of the physical process of a build project and has led to a more practical design approach.

Design Tutor assistant at the Welsh School of Architecture. Engaging with other years across the school to assist in the design process.

Work placement at LOM Architecture and Design. Involvement within the design team and experience with technical programmes to help develop skills.

Work experience at Buro Happold engineering, with the Facades team. This gave me insight into the technical aspects of the design and thought processes which go into a building project of different sizes and scales.

Summer employment waitressing and bartending at Royal Dart Yacht Club 2016-Present. Being part of the front of house, I work well in a team and this employment has given me the chance to develop professional relationships.

Lifeguarding at Bushey Grove Leisure Centre 2016-2018. My part-time work meant I experienced dealing with a wide range of customers and am therefore proficient in compromising in order to keep good brand reputation.

Volunteer swimming teacher assistant for Bushey ASC 2014-2018. Developing leadership skills by leading a team of volunteers as Captain at BASC where communication and delegation were key to keeping events running smoothly and ensuring swimming lessons were safe and successful.

Qualifications/Awards

- 'Impressive Submission' in 2016 Talent 2030 National Schools Engineering Competition.
- Gold Medallion in lifesaving and qualified assistant instructor in RLSS lifesaving.
- Qualified National Pool Lifeguard 2016.
- Qualified ASA Level 1 Swimming Teacher and Qualified time keeper 2017.
- Club Captain at Bushey Amateur Swimming Club 2016-2017.
- Haberdashers' Swimming Captain 2018, awarded junior and senior swimming colours.

References

Steven Kennedy, Principal, Grimshaw Architects, stevenkennedy@grimshaw.global

Richard Hutchinson, Director, LOM Architecture and Design, richardh@lom-fdp.com

Shankari Raj, 5th Year Tutor, rajs4@cardiff.ac.uk

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