

SKILLS & EXPERIENCE

Austin Patterson Disston Architects, Southport, CT & Quogue, NY

2008-3/20/2020

The firm's work is largely focused on bespoke projects, residential, hospitality and private clubs. "We feel confident doing a broad spectrum of styles and types: renovations, restorations, additions, apartments and new residences," Our design approach respects the integrity of both the built and natural contexts that make every building site unique. The partnership brings to each project a thorough knowledge and understanding of architectural precedent and fresh design solutions that are appropriate to a project's context and responsive to the clients' needs and aspirations.

Associate

- Manage, administer and execute all phases of architectural services including pre-project analysis, construction administration, project development, and services coordinated with consultants.
- Acted as the point person representing the firm and our clients to the contractors, project managers, and consultants.
- Responsible for the design, permit and project management from site layout to finished project.

Projects

- Wilson Point, Rowayton, CT., Project Architect for a new 3000 square foot modern barn house. This project transformed an existing stone carriage house with a 2000 square foot modern barn addition with a free-standing garage.
- Weston, CT., Project Architect for 11,000 square foot private home custom designed for a Cinematographer with a very trained eye and ear. This home is a hybrid construction comprised of a 5,000 square foot renovation of an existing home combined with a 6,000 square foot steel framed new addition containing a world class cinema. The collaboration with custom theater designer Keith Yates Design has been entertaining education on theater construction and sound design.
<http://keithyates.com/portfolio/behind-the-scences/>
- Bell Island, Rowayton, CT., Project Architect for a new 8000 square foot nautical themed beach house. This project maximized the entire buildable area without overpowering the small site. The client asked in his scope of work for all the amenities of a 5 star hotel and we delivered.
- Pound Ridge, NY, Project Architect for A Pound Ridge Revival. A complete renovation of a 1960's compound into a modernist retreat. Several additions were added to the existing home using authentic timber frames fitted with oversized windows and capped with modern flat roofs. A steel sash glazed with frosted glass and clear glass panes formed the walls in the kitchen, the master bath and stair hall.

Gregory Design Consultants, LLC, Rochester, NY & Woodbury CT

2004-2008

Proprietor

- Finger Lakes, NY, Teamed up with Plukas Furniture (www.plukas.com) to design and build a rustic French cave style wine cellar and tasting room.
- Rochester, NY, The Sagamore on East Avenue; Terrace Unit TR-CW Collaborated with Audets Design Studio and Christa Development on the design and construction of several new condominiums for clients who enjoyed modern design.
- Rochester, NY and the 1000 Islands area.
Designed luxury residential homes, additions, guest homes and boathouses.

Grater Architects, PC, Clayton and Rochester, NY

1996-2004

"A company founded on the fundamental principal that lasting architecture emerges from a thorough understanding of the site, well defined spaces, and thoughtful details". Privately held firm specializing in residential, commercial and boathouse projects."

Project Manager

- Manage, administer and execute all phases of architectural services from schematic design to construction documents.
- Serve as principal conduit between clients, contractors and firm's licensed architects for a multiple of projects
- Responsible for the design, permit and project management from site layout to finished project.
- Successfully presented several clients projects before respective town's historic preservation committees
- Coordinate and specify building materials plans with structural engineering resources

EDUCATION

Syracuse University Graduate School of Architecture
Masters of Architecture, December 1995
Thesis: The Antique Boat Museum in Clayton, New York

International Study Abroad Program: Florence, Italy
Fall 1994

Harvard University Graduate School of Design
Cambridge, Massachusetts
Summer Program for Urban Design, 1991

St. Lawrence University, Canton, New York
Bachelor of Arts in Government, 1987

AWARDS & HONORS

- September 2012- NYC&G –Published Pound Ridge Revival
- July/August 2010- Connecticut Cottages & Gardens-Innovations in Design Awards-Winner – Pound Ridge Residence Master Bath
- October 2006-Published in the Great Homes of Rochester and The Finger Lakes – Tortorella Residence
- April 2003- AIA Design Award –Mower Residence

COMPUTER SKILLS

- ArchiCad 23
- Microsoft Word
- Excel

ASSOCIATIONS

- Connecticut Chapter AIA
- Associate Member AIA
- Member of the Institute of Classical Architecture & Art
- President, Amateur Ski Club of New York