

KAI BLATT

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EDUCATION

WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY | Middletown, CT 05 / 2017
B.A. with Honors in Art Studio and Biology | GPA: 3.83
Awards: Wesleyan University Dean's List, Bernard J. Zawisa '49 Endowed Studio Art Award

DANISH INSTITUTE FOR STUDY ABROAD | Copenhagen, DK 08 - 12 / 2015
Architecture Concentration

EXPERIENCE

METABOLIC STUDIO | Los Angeles, CA 04 / 2018 - present
Architectural Design Assistant
Creating models and drawings to facilitate the design of *Bending the River Back Into the City*, an infrastructural artwork in the Los Angeles River. Creating models and drawings to aid in the design of a site-specific installation for the Venice Biennale Arte 2019 Collateral Events.

BON VIVANT MARKET & CAFÉ | Los Angeles, CA 08 / 2017 - 02 / 2018
Lead Pastry Assistant
Produced a wide variety of pastry on tight timelines. Oversaw kitchen staff, production, and delivery for three weeks.

WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY CENTER FOR THE ARTS | Middletown, CT 01 / 2016 - 05 / 2017
Wood Shop Monitor
Supervised and assisted students with the use of power tools and a laser cutter.

FORTERRA | Seattle, WA 06 - 08 / 2016
Doris Duke Intern
Part of a four-person team that co-authored a magazine editorial and produced 14 video interviews on livability in Puget Sound.

DORIS DUKE CHARITABLE FOUNDATION / UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON | Seattle, WA 06 / 2015 - 08 / 2016
Doris Duke Conservation Scholar
2016: Developed a research project on perceptions of green space and urban density in the greater Seattle area.
2015: Engaged with conservation professionals to learn different conservation approaches and discuss environmental justice.

WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY WEB AND VIDEO SERVICES | Middletown, CT 01 - 05 / 2016
Videographer/Editor
Directed a three-person team to develop and produce a series of short videos for online publication.

FUNG + BLATT ARCHITECTS | Los Angeles, CA summers / 2011 - 2015
Junior Design Associate
Drafted architectural plans, construction details, and three-dimensional digital models in Vectorworks. Created presentations for architecture competitions and constructed study and presentation models.

SKILLS

DIGITAL / SOFTWARE

Photoshop | Illustrator | Premiere Pro | AutoCAD | Vectorworks | Python

ART / FABRICATION

architectural model making | carpentry | clothing construction | drawing | oil painting | ceramics | pastry