

EMAIL

3426 WEST SOUTH ST.
RAPID CITY, SD 57702

sam@therocketfactory.com

PHONE: 701-793-0612
WEB: WWW.THEROCKETFACTORY.COM

Samuel Chapman

EDUCATION

Spring 2006

Bachelor of Landscape Architecture North Dakota State University

Spring 2006

Bachelor of Science Environmental Design North Dakota State University

- Art emphasis
- One Semester of Urban Design
- Award Winning Design Thesis - Urban Revitalization

EXPERIENCE

2006 - 2009

Landscape Designer: EDAW/AECOM (San Francisco, CA/Truckee, CA)

- Experience in projects ranging from high impact urban plazas, mountain ski resorts, and master planned communities.
- Emphasis on mountain resorts and urban plazas.
- Diverse experience across the United States, Asia, and the Middle East

Mentorship:

While at EDAW San Francisco I worked primarily under Senior Associate, Alma Du Solier and EDAW Vice President, Jacinta McCann. I also teamed with Senior Director Aki Omi; Managing Principle Todd Kohli; Principle and Office Design Director Steve Hanson; and Director of Resort Design, Brett Park. In addition I worked with Principle, Chris Dunn in the Truckee EDAW office.

Project Experience:

Ayala Center – Overall Streetscape Design, Makati, Philippines

CLIENT: Ayala Land, Inc.

Project role: Landscape Designer

I served as Job Captain handling client collaboration, job tasking deliverables, production and design, deadline management and schedule forecasting. I worked on this project through 50% SD and collaborated until 100% SD.

Project description:

The streetscape design for the Ayala Center will integrate and define the district. It encompasses all pedestrian environments, streetscapes, public parks, and other public spaces and site amenities. EDAW's water sensitive design features a complex integration of bioswales for surface runoff collection and filtration functioning within constraints of underground parking structures, limited space, and underground pedestrian tunnels. With an annual average rainfall of 9.69 inches, cisterns will be used for additional rainwater storage that will eventually be reused for watering site vegetation and greenwalls.

EMAIL

3426 WEST SOUTH ST.
RAPID CITY, SD 57702

sam@therocketfactory.com

PHONE: 701-793-0612
WEB: WWW.THEROCKETFACTORY.COM

Ayala Center – Glorietta Retail Podium, Makati, Philippines

CLIENT: *Ayala Land, Inc.*

Project role: *Landscape Designer*

This project was integrated with the Ayala Center Overall Streetscape Design, of which I was a Job Captain. The role entailed client collaboration, job tasking deliverables, production and design, deadline management and schedule forecasting. I worked on this project to 75% SD.

Project description:

EDAW is providing landscape architecture for the Glorietta Retail Podium as part of the larger Ayala Center project. The designs for this four-level podium include integration of existing spaces, a landscaped deck, a roof garden, and a memorial for victims of the 2007 Glorietta tragedy.

Ayala Center – Lot F, Makati, Philippines

CLIENT: *Ayala Land, Inc.*

Project role: *Landscape Designer*

I was the primary person for this project working as a Job Captain. The role entailed client collaboration, job tasking deliverables, production and design, deadline management and schedule forecasting. I worked on this project from SD to 100% DD.

Project description:

EDAW is designing Lot F Park, a small pocket park (< 2,000 square meters) that is flanked by a luxury hotel, residential development, and high-rise residential condominiums as part of Phase 1 of the retail redevelopment for the new Ayala Center master plan. The park will rest above a three-level basement carpark as part of the larger underground carpark system serving the Glorietta retail buildings and will connect to the Kingdom Hotels development.

Ayala Triangle Central Park Schematic Design, Makati, Philippines

CLIENT: *Ayala Land, Inc.*

Project role: *Landscape Designer*

This project I worked primarily as a team member and later transitioned to Job Captain. Duties included design and production, 3D and physical model lead, file management and collaboration, submitting deliverables, and job tasking. I followed this project through 100% DD completion.

Project description:

Ayala Triangle is Makati's largest public open space located in the center of the Makati Central Business District at the nexus of Ayala Avenue, Paseo de Roxas, and Makati Avenue. The seven hectare site is currently home to the Philippine Stock Exchange and numerous leading financial institutions. Future plans call for the addition of high rise residential, hotel, and office towers centered on the park. EDAW's design strives to create a new cultural center that welcomes residents, business elite, and tourists alike.

EMAIL

3426 WEST SOUTH ST.
RAPID CITY, SD 57702

sam@therocketfactory.com

PHONE: 701-793-0612
WEB: WWW.THEROCKETFACTORY.COM

Al Raha Gardens Airport, Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates

CLIENT: *ALDAR, 5+ Design*

Project role: *Landscape Designer*

This project I worked initially as a team member and transitioned to Job Captain. Initially I was working in tandem on analysis and design development; eventually handling production deliverables, deadline management, collaborating with consultants, and schedule forecasting.

Project description:

EDAW provided conceptual design services on a 52-acre site for multi-residential open space located on structure and surrounding on-grade pedestrian thoroughfares.

Al Raha Gardens, Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates

CLIENT: *ALDAR, 5+ Design*

Project role: *Landscape Designer*

Project description:

Master landscape architects for a 56-acre project to develop a town center, retail, and residential "oasis" in Abu Dhabi, UAE. The new development is highlighted by open park and lake districts, semi-private garden districts, and a retail town center flanked by residential towers and a five-star hotel. The project offers over three million square feet of office, residential, retail and hotel space. Scheduled for completion in 2010.

World Trade Center Public Space Redevelopment, New York, NY

CLIENT: *Port Authority of New York + New Jersey*

Project role: *Landscape Designer*

Project description:

Urban planning + design for redevelopment of transit/train levels, including 400,000 SF of upscale retail space, and great plaza level.

Mountaineer Square, Crested Butte, CO

CLIENT: *Crested Butte Mountain Resort*

Project role: *Landscape Designer*

Project description:

Mountaineer Square is a 10.21-acre resort development consisting of 537,000 square feet of new building space including a new 30,000 square foot Aquatic Center. The vision of this project is to create a pedestrian scaled community which is vibrant, sustainable, and memorable. It aims at creating a world-class base village and enhance the resort community experience while utilizing technologies of the 21st century.

EMAIL

3426 WEST SOUTH ST.
RAPID CITY, SD 57702

sam@therocketfactory.com

PHONE: 701-793-0612
WEB: WWW.THEROCKETFACTORY.COM

2009 - Present

Owner: The Rocket Factory (www.therocketfactory.com)

- Professional business specializing in photography
 - **Photography portfolio available upon request**
- Created fully functional website with multiple databases
- Maintain and update continuous blog feeds
- Operational online shopping cart with diverse photography oriented inventory

2005 - 2006

Manager: The Learning Center (Fargo ND)

- Managed a mixed staff of twelve graduate and undergraduate students
- Coordinated and conducted the evaluation of employees
- Scheduled staff hours using ScheduleSource computer application
- Trained staff and taught classes to NDSU students
- Interviewed potential staff members assessing their skills and knowledge

Summers 2001-2006

Forester Crew Boss, Wildland Firefighter: USDA (Hill City SD)

- Managed two separate crews of six and nine persons
- Instructed employees on implementation of forestry prescription guidelines
- Handled the day to day schedule of work locations and times
- Assessed prescription guidelines and their feasibility within a forestry sale
- Prescribed and marked over 2 million board ft. of timber with the help of 6 crew members, the most in the United States

Wildland Firefighter Engine: State Fire Dept. (Rapid City SD)

- Demonstrated strong work ethic fighting fires throughout the Black Hills
- Endured long hours of rigorous work
- Coordinated calisthenic workout programs for state employees to maintain physical fitness

Wildland Firefighter Squad Boss: State Fire Dept. (Rapid City SD)

- Maintained the safety of five of my fellow crew members
- Directed and oversaw the thinning of combustible vegetation on private land
- Worked on over 20 fires, some up to 12,000 acres

Forester: USDA (Hill City SD)

- Hiked throughout the Black Hills carrying out thinning prescriptions
- Conducted GIS plot samples for cruising and site boundaries

EMAIL

3426 WEST SOUTH ST.
RAPID CITY, SD 57702

sam@therocketfactory.com

PHONE: 701-793-0612
WEB: WWW.THEROCKETFACTORY.COM

2003 - 2005

Trainer: The Learning Center (Fargo ND)

- Problem solved various hang-ups students encounter while using software programs, or computer hardware
- Taught various classes using some of the programs listed in my software program knowledge

PROGRAM KNOWLEDGE

Graphics and Illustrations

Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Indesign, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe Acrobat

Drafting

AutoCAD, 3D Studio Max, Brazil rendering engine, Vray rendering engine, Sketchup, ArcGIS

Web Applications

Macromedia Flash, Dreamweaver, Flash FXP, CuteFTP, Apache Web Server, MYSQL

Video Editing

Pinnacle Studio, Ulead MediaStudio Pro, iMovie, iDvd

Microsoft Products

Microsoft Word, Microsoft Excel, Microsoft Powerpoint

SPECIAL SKILLS

- Professional photographer, Nikon D3X, Nikon D70
- Certified in CPR and First Aid, American Safety & Health Institute
- Wildland Firefighter Type 2 Certified
- U.S. Forest Service Chainsaw Class B Certified

AWARDS

Dennis C. Colliton Memorial Award

Best Design Thesis

Deans List

Recognition of Outstanding Scholastic Achievement

REFERENCES

References are available upon request.