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about

A creative problem solver with almost a decade of experience in the AEC industry. I specialize in leveraging technology, teams, workflows, and systems to rethink the status quo, improving the way that we build at scale.

education

Syracuse University School of Architecture

Bachelors of Architecture 2011 - 2016

skills

Autodesk BIM 360 / ACC
Autodesk Revit+Navisworks
Communication
Public Speaking
Business Consulting
Process Consulting
Integrations & Automations
Facilities Maintenance
Reality Capture
Airtable, Asana, & Jira

work experience

Rivian Automotive

TPM, Virtual Design & Construction

Design Technology Manager

Design Technology Specialist

Aug 2023 - Current

Sep 2022 - Aug 2023

Jul 2021 - Sep 2022

Establish and uphold digital standards, workflows, and processes for managing a diverse portfolio of projects, including charging stations, retail stores, service centers, warehouses, and manufacturing facilities. Develop process roadmaps to streamline digital project management workflows for achieving long-term project life cycle objectives. Create customized tools and integrations, leveraging both bespoke solutions and out-of-the-box resources, to optimize cross-functional efficiencies.

- Facilitated digital project management and on site construction tech for the expansion and upgrade of over 4 million square feet of manufacturing space.
- Implemented ACC on over 150 projects across our commercial vertical.
- Collaborated cross-functionally to optimize efficiency and synergy between internal teams and external partners.
- Implemented Openspace for remote construction progress tracking portfolio-wide, resulting in over 75% reduction in travel costs.
- Developed tailored tools and processes to oversee projects from initial Real Estate Acquisition through daily Operations.

VIATechnik

Senior VDC Engineer BIM VDC Engineer

Dec 2020 - Jul 2021 May 2019 - Dec 2020

Strategically worked with manufacturers, owners, contractors, architects, and trade partners, leveraging BIM to streamline project delivery. Operated teams of specialists, developers, and partners from across the country and the world. Managed multiple active construction projects simultaneously. Lead marketing initiatives including client facing Presentations, RFP responses, Internal Standards, UI Mockups, and more.

- Worked with manufacturers to advanced their BIM to fab workflows and off site capabilities.
- Collaborated on a custom Revit Plugin for automated design to panel manufacturing.
- Formed meaningful client relationships that lead to repeat and referral work.
- Participated on large scale IPD projects integrating trade BIM early on.

Hart Howerton, **Designer**Populous, **Architect Technician**

Jun 2017 - Apr 2019

Jun 2016 - Jun 2017