

YEZI DAI

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EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN, ANN ARBOR, MI 2015 - 2017
**TAUBMAN COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE +
URBAN PLANNING**

Master of Architecture (2-year Program)
Graduated May 2017

Fall 2016 - Practice Session with Neil Denari

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, SEATTLE, WA 2009 - 2013
COLLEGE OF BUILT ENVIRONMENTS

Bachelor of Arts in Architectural Studies
Graduated Jun 2013

Summer 2010 - Exploration Seminar in Japan
Fall 2012 - Study Abroad in Rome

SKILLS

SOFTWARES

Adobe Design Suite
Sketchup
Rhino/Grasshopper
Revit
Microsoft Office
Vray

LANGUAGES

English
Mandarin
Italian

EXPERTISE

Architecture Design
Graphic Design
Model Making
Writing/Editorial

RECOGNITIONS

EXHIBITION Winter 2016

Exhibited individual studio work at Methexis at Museum of Contemporary Arts Detroit (MoCAD) with Associate Professor Mitch McEwen and A(n) Office

PUBLICATIONS Winter 2016

- Designed and edited annual student publication for Taubman College (Dimensions Issue 29)
- Published drawings for StudioSUMO on Architect Magazine (November 2016 issue)

COLLEGE NOMINEE
UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN, ANN ARBOR, MI
TAUBMAN COLLEGE

Fall 2015
Dow Sustainability Fellowship Program

Winter 2016
KPF 2016 Traveling Fellowship

DEAN'S LIST

ANNUAL AND QUARTERLY DEAN'S LIST
UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, SEATTLE, WA

- 2009-2010, 2012-2013
- Fall 2010
- Winter 2011
- Winter and Summer 2012

WORK EXPERIENCE

PERKINS + WILL, CHICAGO, IL Mar 2017
EXTERN

- Prepared diagrams and laser cut files for Chicago Housing Authority competition (awarded)
- Attended site meetings
- Participated in design charrette for Okamura's showroom at NeoCon 2017 and worked on spatial planning and conceptualization of exhibition theme

TAUBMAN COLLEGE Aug 2016 - Dec 2016
GRADUATE STUDENT INSTRUCTOR

- Facilitated first year graduate-level course 'Sustainable Systems' by leading classroom discussions sessions
- Graded student assignments for a section of 20 students
- Course curriculum deals with qualitative theorization of a range of environmental philosophies and their design implications in the architecture field

SHAPIRO DESIGN LAB, UMICH Aug 2015 - April 2016
DESIGN INTERN

- Planned spaces for new design lab in Shapiro Undergraduate Library at Umich, including giving design ideas for colors and light fixtures
- Organized events and taught workshops such as Sketchup software tutorials
- Helped other interns with their Master research thesis project by collecting ethnographic data
- Worked roughly 18 - 20 hrs/week

WORK EXPERIENCE (CONT)

DENISE SCOTT BROWN & ROBERT VENTURI May 2016 - Aug 2016
INTERN

- Worked on landscape and architectural restoration projects on the personal historical home of Denise Scott Brown and Robert Venturi
- Assisted Denise Scott Brown's upcoming photography/autobiographical book

STUDIOSUMO, NEW YORK, NY Mar 2016
EXTERN

Prepared Josai International University student dormitory drawings for publication

KYOOB ARCHITECTS, SINGAPORE Aug 2013 to July 2015
ARCHITECTURAL ASSISTANT II

- Designed, managed, coordinated and oversaw 3 single family housing projects
- Assisted in Boat Quay and revitalization of Singapore-Malaysia Railway Corridor design competitions as well as other multi family residential projects