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I am a New Zealander of Malaysian ethnicity.

I am interested in the relation between design, craft, and digital media. This is relfected in my architectural thesis which explores the relation between designer and fabricator through the actualisation of custom digital fabrication machines. I am also experienced at architectural visualisation, parametric tools such as Grasshopper, and BIM. Recently I have worked at Stephenson and Turner working on Architectural Drawings for various commercial projects.

I believe the role of the Architect should be to design spaces which are unexpected and stimulating to the senses, and all tools should be a means to this end.

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_about me

University of Auckland School of Architecture:

2013: BAS, MArch(prof) First Class Honours

_awards

2010: Evolo 2010 Honorable Mention (White Cloud Skyscraper)

2011: Oistat Competition: 3rd place

2011: 1st place Brick Manufacturer's Award

_work experience

2008-2009: Young + Richards Architects: intern - 3 working weeks

2010: Jasmax: intern: 2 working weeks

2011: Stevenson & Turner: intern: 2 working weeks
2012: Arrascopaz Architecture: Renderer 1 week
2013: Stephenson & Turner: 9 months under contract

_competencies

NB: software <u>underlined</u> indicate items which I have had considerable experience working in:

Adobe Suite - Photoshop, Indesign, Illustrator, Dreamweaver, After Effects

Autodesk 3ds Max - <u>Rendering</u>, Modelling, VRay Rendering Autodesk Revit: <u>Architectural Drawing</u>, Rendering, Modelling

Rhino: Modelling, Grasshopper (scripting)

Sketchup: Modelling, Exporting

Scripting: HTML, CSS, PHP, <u>Processing (Java)</u>
Digital Fabrication: 3d printing, <u>Laser Cutting</u>