**Lauren Ashley Hughes**

104 Sleepy Fawn Park, Columbus, MS 39702



Cell: 662-386-4887: ahughes929@gmail.com

**Summary**

Interior Designer with two years of undergraduate teaching experience and twelve years of practice experience in healthcare, military, administration support, higher education, multi-family residential and hospitality design. I have worked on projects ranging in size from 3,000 to 165,000 square feet, with an estimated combined construction cost of over 275 million dollars.

**Education**

**Bachelor of Science in Interior Design**, Magna Cum Laude, Mississippi State University, May 2007

Mississippi State, MS

**Master of Science in Interior Design**, Ball State University, GPA 3.963, Summer 2019

Muncie, IN

**Teaching Experience:**

**Assistant Professor,** Interior Design Program

**Visiting Assistant Professor,** Interior Design Program

College of Architecture, Art and Design, Mississippi State University – Mississippi State, MS

Fall 2017 to Present

Responsibilities include: instructing nine to eleven credit hours, course development, and student evaluation and mentoring

Courses Taught:

* **ID 4654. Interior Design Studio VI.** (4 credit hours) Catalog Description: Two hours lecture. Four hours laboratory. Advanced study of the commercial interior design field through individual research and the execution of commercial design problems.
  + Student Project selected as **National third place winner**, in IIDA National Student Design Competition in 2017.
  + Implemented the productions of construction documents in Revit (BIM) software.
  + Arranged for guest speakers from other design disciplines including engineers and construction managers.
* **ID 3633.** **Interior Design Detailing and Construction Documents**. (3 hours) Two hours lecture. Two hours laboratory. Systematic integration of building systems, construction, technology, and materials on building systems. Detailing of these systems is an extension of the design process.
  + Developed new course materials, tests, and lectures.
* **ID 3614. Interior Design Studio III**. (4 credit hours) Catalog Description: Two hours lecture. Four hours laboratory. Integration of the total living environment, through the application of the design elements and technical aspects of the field.
  + Introduced hand sketching as part of the course.
* **ID 2614**. **Interior Design Studio II.** (4 credit hours) Introduction to design theory and its application in the development of criteria for interior environments.
  + Developed new course materials, tests, and lectures.
  + Introduced and applied evidence-based design into a studio project.
  + Introduced hand sketching as part of the course.

**Lecturer, Interior Design Program**

**College of Architecture, Art and Design, Mississippi State University – Mississippi State, MS**

Fall 2016

Responsibilities included: instructing four credit hours, student evaluation and mentoring

Courses Taught:

* **ID 4644. Interior Design Studio V.** (4 credit hours) Catalog Description: Two hours lecture. Four hours laboratory. Integration of the total living environment, through the application of design elements and technical aspects of the interior design field.
  + Student Project selected as **1 of 5 semifinalist** out of 800 Steelcase/Next students and 65 programs.

**Juror/Reviewer, Studio II ID 2614, Mississippi State University** Fall 2016

* Reviewed student project presentations and provided feedback discussing project strengths and recommended areas for improvement.

**Lecturer, Interior Design Program**

**College of Architecture, Art and Design, Mississippi State University – Mississippi State, MS**

Fall 2015

Responsibilities included: instructing four credit hours, student evaluation and mentoring

Courses Taught:

* **ID 4644. Interior Design Studio V.** (4 credit hours) Catalog Description: Two hours lecture. Four hours laboratory. Integration of the total living environment, through the application of design elements and technical aspects of the interior design field.

**Professional Design Experience**

**Interior Design Project Manager, PryorMorrow, PC. – Columbus, MS** January 2015 – August 2017

* Facilitated client interviews to determine the project scope and define user requirements.
* Managed interior renovation projects.
* Participated in design charrettes to define the project space planning requirements.
* Worked with engineering consultants to ensure a fully coordinated project.
* Provided interior finish material and furniture selections to meet the needs of the client while keeping the project in budget.
* Space Planning
* Presented design ideas to the client in meetings.
* Generated construction documents within the project schedule using Revit Architecture.
* Prepared Building finish and furniture packages to comply with project deliverable requirements.
* Developed three-dimensional parametric families in BIM (Revit) for the standards library.
* Performed quality control reviews of the construction drawings and furniture packages.
* Prepared supporting documentation and credit templates to obtain LEED certification.
* Developed schematic renderings in Photoshop for client presentations.

**Project Interior Designer, Bullock Tice Associates – Pensacola, FL** August 2007 to December 2014

**Interior Design Intern, Bullock Tice Associates – Pensacola, FL** May 2007 – August 2007

* Facilitated client interviews to determine the project scope and define user requirements.
* Provided interior finish material and furniture selections to meet the needs of the client while keeping the project in budget.
* Space Planning
* Presented design ideas to the client in meetings.
* Generated construction documents within the project schedule using Revit Architecture.
* Prepared Building finish and furniture packages to comply with project deliverable requirements.
* Wrote furniture specification packages to meet the requirements of the government while complying with all government standards and regulations.
* Managed the procurement and installation of furniture packages to ensure a turn-key installation.
* Served as the BIM (Revit) model manager for my team.
* Developed three-dimensional parametric families in BIM (Revit) for the standards library.
* Performed quality control reviews of the construction drawings and furniture packages.
* Prepared supporting documentation and credit templates to obtain LEED certification.
* Organized the materials library to ensure all literature is current.
* Served on BIM (Revit and Bentley BIM) Standards Committee.
* Performed Clash Detection on Revit Models using Navisworks.

**Design Experience - Professional Selected Projects:**

* Center for Manufacturing, Technology and Engineering, East Mississippi Community College, Mayhew, MS, 145,000 SF, 2017
* Winston Medical Center Hospital, Louisville, MS, 164,000 SF (All Projects) 2017
* Winston Medical Center Medical Clinic, Louisville, MS 2017
* Winston Medical Center Community Homes, Louisville, MS 2017
* Winston Medical Center Administration Building, Louisville, MS 2017
* Mississippi University for Women Demonstration School Renovation, Columbus, MS 2019
* Indoor Tennis Facility, University of Mississippi, Oxford, MS, 52,000 SF, 2017
* Tammy Wynette Legacy Park Museum, Tremont, MS, 15,000 SF, 2016
* Dining Facility, NAS Meridian, MS, 21,500 SF, 2015
* Holly Springs Intermediate School, Holly Springs, MS, 60,000 SF, 2015
* Ever’man Natural Foods Store, Pensacola, FL, 19,400 SF, 2014
* 7th Special Forces Group Battalion Relocation Projects, 244,000 SF, 2013
* NCBC Navy Lodge Hotel, Gulfport, MS, 44,000 SF, 2012
* NCBC Battalion Headquarters, Training Hall, and Fitness Center, Gulfport, MS, 175,800 SF, 2012

**LEED New Construction Certified Projects:**

* SOF Group Support Training Battalion, Eglin Air Force Base, 161,047 SF, LEED Silver, 2015
* SOF Group Support Battalion, Eglin Air Force Base, 88,000 SF, LEED Silver, 2015
* Pensacola State College South Santa Rosa Center, Gulf Breeze, FL, 32,000 SF, LEED Gold, 2012
* Navy Lodge Hotel, Gulfport, MS, 44,000 SF, LEED Silver, 2012
* Eglin Field House, Eglin Air Force Base, 11,760 SF, LEED Silver, 2011
* F35 Student Dormitory, Eglin Air Force Base, 75,600 SF, LEED Silver, 2010
* Fire Station and Air Operations Facility, NAS Meridian, MS, 9,700 SF, LEED Silver, 2010

**Student Awards & Honors:**

**2018 IIDA National Student Design Competition**

**National Competition- April 2019**

**Third Place Winners**

* Anna Kathryn Russell and Carlie Teffteller (ID 4654 Studio VI)

**2018 ASID South Central Competition Student Competition**

**Regional Conference in Fayetteville, AR February 22, 2018**

**Workplace Design**

Gold Award:

* Regan Sanders (ID 4654 Studio VI)

**Hospitality**

Silver Award:

* Emily Frischertz & Bailey Cummins (ID 3614 Studio III)
* Kaitlyn Harness (ID 3614 Studio III)

Bronze Award:

* Kaitlyn Harness (ID 3614 Studio III)

**New Student Commercial**

Gold Award:

* Natalie Wilson (ID 2614 Studio II)

Bronze Award:

* Hayley Lawrence (ID 2614 Studio II)

**Institutional**

Bronze Award:

* Kennedy Martin (ID 2614 Studio II)

**2017 IIDA National Student Design Competition**

**National Competition- April 2018**

**Third Place Winners**

* Hannah Monroe and Brooke Pogue (ID 4654 Studio VI)

**2017 ASID South Central Competition Student Competition**

**Regional Conference in Starkville, MS February 22, 2017**

**Large Scale Commercial Business: 3,000 SF or greater**

Bronze Award:

* Annah Pennebaker (ID 3624 Studio V)
* Hannah Higgins (ID 3624 Studio V)

**Hospitality**

Gold Award:

* Joy Bottom (ID 3624 Studio V)

Bronze Award:

* Martina Walker (ID 3624 Studio V)

**Computer Generated Drawings**

Gold Award:

* Joy Bottom (ID 3624 Studio V)
* Hannah Higgins (ID 3624 Studio V)
* Martina Walker (ID 3624 Studio V)

Silver Award:

* Martina Walker (ID 3624 Studio V)
* Tori Reynolds (ID 3624 Studio V)

**2016 Steelcase National Student Design Competition, Semifinalists announced January 2017**

**Second Place Winner**

* Martina Walker (ID 3624 Studio V)

**2016 ASID South Central Competition Student Competition**

**Regional Conference**

**Large Scale Commercial Business: 3,000 SF or greater**

Gold Award:

* Elizabeth Grantham (ID 3624 Studio V)
* Victoria Owchar (ID 3624 Studio V)

Silver Award:

* Anna Strohm (ID 3624 Studio V)
* Vanessa Holden (ID 3624 Studio V)
* Hannah Higgins (ID 3624 Studio V)

**Hospitality**

Gold Award:

* Carly Jones (ID 3624 Studio V)

Silver Award:

* Elizabeth Grantham (ID 3624 Studio V)
* Ali Carter (ID 3624 Studio V)

**Research:**

Accepted Abstract for Poster Presentation, Peer Reviewed

**Hughes, A**. (2020) One Step Closer to Inclusive Design: Designing for Clients with Low Vision. Interior Design Educators International Conference, March 5-8, Tulsa, OK.

**Hughes, A**., Miller, B., & Carroll, R. (2019) One Step Closer to Inclusive Design: Designing for Clients with Low Vision. Interior Design Educators International Conference, March 6-9, Charlotte, NC.

**Personal Awards & Honors:**

* NCIDQ Certified, Certificate #28928**,** March 2012
* Certified Interior Designer in Mississippi, Certificate #59
* LEED Accredited Professional Certification, 2011
* Honored at the Provost’s Award Ceremony for student’s achievements in national competitions.
* AIA Northwest Florida’s CANstruction Competition Team Leader for Bullock Tice 2008 and 2012. People’s Choice Award Winner 2008, 2009, 2010, 2012, and 2014
* Voted “Among the Best Interior Designers” in the Reader’s Choice Poll 2015, 2016 and 2018.
* 2014 NAIOP NW Florida Chapter Rehab/Re-purpose Development of the Year Award: Ever’man Natural Foods Store, Pensacola, FL
* 2011 AIA Florida Northwest Chapter Award of Excellence: St. Paul Catholic Church, Pensacola, FL

**Professional and Academic Associations, Committees and Service:**

**Professional/Academic Organizations and Certifications:**

* Mississippi Certified Interior Designer (Certificate #59), 2014
* National Council for Interior Design Qualifications (Certificate #28928), 2012
* LEED AP BD+C (Certificate #10355422-AP-BD+C), 2011
* Interior Design Educator’s Council Graduate Student Member, 2019 - Present
* Mississippi State University, Interior Design Program, Advisory Board Professional Member 2016

**Departmental Committees and Service:**

**Senior Exhibit Committee**

* Spring 2018 – Present
* Annual event held each Spring to showcase all graduating senior’s student work
* Designed exhibit layout
* Coordinate exhibit setup and take down
* Participate in actual showcase

**Academic Insight Committee**

* Spring 2018 – Present
* Annual event held each Spring to introduce potential students to interior design
* Developed student activities
* Coordinated student workers to help with the event
* Discussed the major of interior design, facilitated student presentations, and led students in an activity to teach them what to expect if they choose to major in interior design.

**Advisory Board Committee**

* Faculty Member 2017 – Present
* Professional Member 2016 – 2017

**College of Architecture, Art, and Design Committees:**

**Diversity and Inclusion Committee**

* Fall 2019 – Present

**Professional and Academic Associations, Committees and Service:**

**Interior Design Educator’s Council:**

**National Student Competition Project Reviewer**

* Spring 2020 – Present

**Abstract Reviewer for National Conference**

* Fall 2019 – Present

**Family and Consumer Sciences:**

**National Student Competition- Project Developer**

* Spring 2018 – Present
* Developed the project for a national high school student design competition
* Created a project program outlining the requirements of the project, project scope, and submission requirements
* Designed a floor plan shell for the competition

**Professional Development:**

* Interior Design Educators Council International Conference 2020, Charlotte, NC
* Interior Design Educators Council International Conference 2019, Charlotte, NC
* NeoCon 2016, Interior Design Trade Show, Chicago, IL
* NeoCon 2013, Interior Design Trade Show, Chicago, IL
* The Legacy of Carbon Credits, USGBC LEED Seminar, 2017
* Going Digital for the Next Generation, USGBC LEED Seminar, 2017
* GREENovation – Stimulate and Enhance Your Building’s IEQ, USGBC LEED Seminar, 2017
* Buildings that Think & Adapt, USGBC LEED Seminar, 2017
* Energy Modeling Harnessing Technology to Go Green, USGBC LEED Seminar, 2017
* Pushing the Envelope, USGBC LEED Seminar, 2017
* Better Late than Never: Recharge, Renew, Rejuvenate Your Existing Building, USGBC 2017
* Building Green on a Budget – A Life Cycle Approach, USGBC LEED Seminar 2017
* Sustainable Site and Stormwater Management, USGBC LEED Seminar, 2017
* BIMagination from 3D to 5D, USGBC LEED Seminar, 2017
* Advanced Stormwater – Flattening the Learning Curve, USGBC LEED Seminar, 2017
* J&J Invision Carpet Mill Tour – 2017
* NeoCon 2017, Interior Design Trade Show, Chicago, IL
* Transforming our Built Environment – Evolving the Green Economy, USGBC LEED Seminar, 2016
* Paint 101: Paint and Coatings Technology, USGBC LEED Course, 2016
* Paint 201: High Performance Coatings, USGBC LEED Course, 2016
* Advanced Coatings and the Sustainability Movement, USGBC LEED Course, 2016
* Building Codes Seminar, Pensacola, FL 2014

**Computer Skills:**

* Revit Architecture (BIM) 2017
* Bentley BIM
* AutoCad Architecture 2017
* Sketchup
* Navisworks BIM Clash Detection Software
* Lumion 5.3
* Adobe Photoshop CS5
* Adobe Illustrator
* Microsoft Office