



## Andrew David Cobble, LEED AP

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### Objective:

Working in a collaborative environment where I will contribute creatively and technically

### Special interests:

- Designing modern spaces in natural, historic, or urban contexts
- Regionally appropriate sustainable architecture
- Maximizing BIM efficiencies to improve designs, coordination, & the built environment

### Educational Background:

**Licensed Architect:** State of Florida (AR95682), Since March 2011

**LEED AP:** (v2.2) February 2008

**Bachelor of Architecture:** University of Oregon, June 2004

- Historic Preservation & Urban Design studio in summer Rome program, 2003

### Professional Work Experiences:

**Purcell Architects:** New York NY, August 2012- August 2013. Architect

- Project Architect for addition to K-5 school in Queens for NYC School Construction Authority
  - 50,000 SF addition with 15,000 sf modernization and full ADA upgrade of existing building
  - Design, Production, In-house staff management over a team of 2 to 5 people
  - Complex phasing including two parallel contracts and 4 distinct project phases, all documented in Revit
  - Client relationship building, Consultant coordination and management, code compliance
- Education & staff development coordinator
  - In-house Revit implementation, standards development, and staff training
  - Continuing education coordination, credential maintenance

**Sierra Martin Architects:** Bellevue WA, August 2011- June 2012. Architect

- Marketing, graphics, client presentations; acquiring new work
  - Pro-bono Design Concept/ Feasibility Study for multi-facility consolidation into single site for Food Lifeline in support of \$20 million fund drive: 22,000 SF office + 126,000 SF Warehouse/Volunteer Center in south Seattle
  - Bellevue School District Transportation Facility; RFP, Interview team. Successfully landed \$9 million job
- Design/ Production/ Coordination/ Client & Consultant Coordination, Revit development:
  - Phased facility replacement; Bellevue School District Transportation Facility of 23,000 SF, LEED Gold targeted
  - HVAC replacements, asbestos abatement. Meridian Middle School, Kent, WA
  - Energy upgrades of multiple schools – HVAC replacements and lighting upgrades. Everett, WA
- Project Management, Coordination & Permitting
  - Fast-track Design-build of a 14,000 SF cold storage warehouse tenant improvement, Seattle
  - Multiple Design-build tenant improvements of cold storage warehouses, Charlie's Produce, Seattle/Kent, WA

**McGranahan Architects:** Tacoma WA, October 2009- June 2011. Project Architect

- Design/ Production team member:
  - 22,000 SF Redmond High School classroom and gymnasium addition/ remodel
  - 118,000 SF Hunt Middle School Tacoma, whole school replacement
- Revit Transition & Development manager:
  - Revit strategy, standards development, instruction, and documentation
  - Revit family, library, template development and standardization

**Stock & Associates Architecture/ Interiors:** Seattle WA, July 2008- July 2009. Architect Intern

- Design/ Production/ Revit transition management:
  - 108,000 SF tenant improvement for biotech company on Eastlake in Seattle
  - Construction administration for remodel of +/- 2000 SF research facility at the University of Washington
  - Biotech research facility addition/ remodel of former warehouse near Seattle's South Lake Union



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## Professional Work Experiences:

**Long & Associates Architects / Engineers:** Tampa FL, July 2004- May 2008. Architect Intern

- Design/ production team member:
  - New construction Strawberry Crest High School • Rural community center/ hurricane shelter
  - Safety Harbor Public Library expansion/remodel • LEED Gold battery recycling support facility
- Marketing / Awards graphics specialist:
  - Graphic design, Formatting and Production of multiple poster panels, Leave-behinds, and Booklets
- Researcher and Instructor:
  - Researched & leveraged BIM capabilities to streamline firm's workflow
  - Initiated peer-to-peer tutoring & lectures
    - Software Instruction: Revit Architecture; SketchUp; Architectural Desktop; Illustrator; Photoshop
    - Professional Growth guidance: LEED AP exam preparation

**Freelance:** Tampa, FL, January - August 2006. Developed remote project design for rural house in Oklahoma with interactive digital model presentations and working drawings.

**Los Alamos National Lab:** NM, Summers 2002, 2003. Arch. Student Intern. Conceptual design of new Chemistry Building, delivery of presentations using digital models, animations, display panels. Promoted sustainable design based on LEED criteria.

**Amy Martin Home Design:** Gainesville, FL, Summer 2002. Arch. Student Intern. Generated digital models and animations, mastering new software in short timeframe.

## Volunteer Work Experiences:

**AIA Southwest Washington:** ARE prep course co-leader, 2010. ARE exam software instruction and strategies relating to vignettes from the Building Design & Construction Systems exam.

**Organization, Communication, Design:** Temuco, Chile, 2005. Established email contact in Spanish with Chilean pastor to organize logistics for our Florida-based team; while on site, designed modest church for local pastor and his indigenous congregation.

**Construction Hand, Instructor:** Juarez/ Tijuana, Mexico, 1997-2000. Building and teaching experience with small wood light frame construction houses for impoverished Mexican families on four separate trips. Foundation of leadership, construction experience, and communication.

**Eagle Scout Project Leader:** Los Alamos, NM, 1999. Organized, designed, and executed stone retaining wall, irrigation system, and landscaping installation project at local church. Supervised 25 people in obtaining materials, construction, and cleanup.

## International Influence:

**Travels:**

- France, 2003, 2008
- Italy, Study Abroad 2003
- Canada 2009,2010,2011,2012
- Chile, Mission Trip 2005
- Mexico, Mission Trips 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000
- Switzerland, Germany, France 2013
- Japan, 2002

**Languages:** English, Basic Spanish, Japanese, Italian & French.  
I adapt to new situations and languages quickly.



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### Honors and Awards:

Strawberry Crest High School • Long & Associates • Design team member

- **AIA Tampa Bay Honor Award**, Institutional projects, 2011
- **First Place - FEPPA Architectural Showcase**, Winter Conference, 2010
- **Citation of Excellence Award - Learning By Design**, 2010

Library West Addition/Renov, Univ. of Florida • Long & Associates • Marketing Team

- **First Place - FEPPA Architectural Showcase**, Winter Conference, 2007

Simmons Career Center • Long & Associates • Marketing Team

- **AIA Tampa Bay Merit Award**, Institutional Projects, 2005

Amsterdam Row House • Design Studio, University of Oregon Dept. of Architecture

- **Passed with commendation**, 2001

Eagle Scout, Boy Scouts of America, 1999

### Technical Skills:

**Software:** Revit, SketchUp, Form•Z, AutoCAD, Archicad, Photoshop, Illustrator. I am program and media adaptable, learning new software quickly.

- **Revit** since 2006:

- Documentation/ coordination of multiple complex projects totaling over 650,000sf
- Office-wide staff training. I enjoy teaching and helping to train my colleagues in BIM
- Generation of fully parametric family files
- Automation of processes such as door and finish schedules
- Terrain and site modeling using Siteworks & LandCADD extensions

- **Sketchup** since 2004:

- Concept development/ design
- Model testing/ sun studies
- Marketing and pursuing future work

- **Illustrator, Photoshop, InDesign** since 2001:

- Presentation booklets helped bring in \$50M high school, and \$10M classroom addition package
- Presentation boards helped win local AIA design awards
- Rendering & post-production effects and entourage

### References:

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