## Aidan Ackerman

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# Education

| 2011 | Master of Landscape Architecture<br>Harvard University Graduate School of Design, Cambridge, MA |
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| 2002 | Bachelor of Fine Arts <i>cum laude</i>  |
|      | New York State College of Ceramics, Alfred University, Alfred, NY                               |

# **Professional Appointments**

| 2018-pres. | Assistant Professor of Landscape Architecture<br>SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry, Syracuse, NY |
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| 2014-2018  | Director of Digital Media & Landscape Architecture Faculty<br>Boston Architectural College, Boston, MA            |
| 2012-2014  | Adjunct Faculty, Digital Media & Landscape Architecture<br>Boston Architectural College, Boston, MA               |

# **Courses Taught**

\* indicates co-taught course

Fall 2023 SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry

| LSA 500 | Digital Methods & Graphics I            |
|---------|---|
| LSA 326 | Landscape Architecture Design Studio I* |

2022-2023 SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry

| LSA 300/500 | Digital Methods & Graphics I   |
|-------------|--|
| LSA 301/501 | Digital Methods & Graphics II  |
| LSA 326     | Landscape Architecture Design Studio I*                              |
| LSA 423/625 | Landscape Architectural Design Studio IV/ Construction Documentation |
|             | Studio   |
| LSA 798     | Research Problem   |

2021-2022 SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry

| LSA 300/500 | Digital Methods & Graphics I   |
|-------------|--|
| LSA 301/501 | Digital Methods & Graphics II  |
| LSA 423/625 | Landscape Architectural Design Studio IV/ Construction Documentation |
|             | Studio   |

| LSA 458/459/460 | Off-Campus Study                                       |
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| LSA 496/696     | Parametric Modeling and Computational Landscape Design |
| LSA 798         | Research Problem                                       |

2020-2021 SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry

| LSA 300/500 | Digital Methods & Graphics I            |
|-------------|---|
| LSA 301/501 | Digital Methods & Graphics II           |
| LSA 326     | Landscape Architecture Design Studio I* |
| LSA 696     | Virtual Environments*                   |
| LSA 798     | Research Problem                        |
|             |   |

2019-2020 SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry

| LSA 300/500 | Digital Methods & Graphics I            |
|-------------|---|
| LSA 301/501 | Digital Methods & Graphics II           |
| LSA 326     | Landscape Architecture Design Studio I* |
| LSA 496/696 | Digital Fabrication                     |
| LSA 798     | Research Problem                        |
|             |   |

2018-2019 SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry

| LSA 300/500 | Digital Methods & Graphics I                  |
|-------------|---|
| LSA 326     | Landscape Architecture Design Studio I*       |
| LSA 496/696 | Modeling and Representing Landscape Processes |

# 2012-2018 Boston Architectural College

| <u>Design Studio</u> |   |
|----------------------|---|
| LAN 2001             | Ecological Analysis & Conceptual Frameworks (2012-2018)   |
| LAN 2003             | Housing and Institutional Planning (2012-2013)*           |
| LAN 3005             | Social Urbanism Travel Studio, Medellín, Colombia (2017)* |

| <u>Digital Media</u> |  |
|----------------------|--|
| DME 2000             | Architecture Representation: Spatial Thinking (2015)             |
| DME 2017             | Information Graphics, Diagramming & Publishing (2014-2015)       |
| DME2021              | Narrative Space - Storytelling Through Digital Media (2015-2017) |
| DME 2073             | Visual Communication (2016-2018)                                 |
| FND 3010             | Making & Modeling (2014-2015)                                    |
| FND 3033             | Visual Thinking (2013-2014)                                      |

## Publications

\* indicates ESF graduate student advisee co-author All works are published unless otherwise indicated

## **Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles**

- 2023 Huang H, Tian Y, Wei M, Jia X, Wang P, Ackerman A Chatterjee S, Liu Y, & Tian G. (2023). A Theoretical Nonlinear Regression Model of Rainfall Surface Flow Accumulation and Basin Features in Park-Scale Urban Green Spaces Based on LiDAR Data. *Water*, 15(13), 2442. Impact factor: 3.4
- 2023 Ackerman A, Foulds F, Page B, Auwaerter J, Robinson E (2023). Cultural Landscape Visualization: The Use of Non-Photorealistic 3D Rendering and Digital Repeat Photography at Statue of Liberty National Monument. *Journal of Cultural Heritage*, 62, 396-403. Impact factor: 3.229
- 2023 Ackerman A, Koudelka\*, C., Hirsch, P., & Zaengle, O. (2023). Problematizing Realism: Confronting Colonial Perspectives and Engaging Complexities of Landscape Through "Ghost Textures". *PRESENCE: Virtual and Augmented Reality*, 85-98. Impact factor: 1.750
- 2023 Ackerman A, Tien G, Liu Y (2023). LiDAR-Based Digital Modeling and Comparative Analysis of Urban Street Tree Form and Dimensions. *Journal of Digital Landscape Architecture*: 476-485. Impact factor: 0.52
- 2022 Zhang X, Lei Y, Li R, Ackerman A, Guo N, Li Y, Liu Y. (2022). Research on Thermal Comfort of Underside of Street Tree Based on LiDAR Point Cloud Model. *Forests*, 13(7), 1086. Impact factor: 3.282
- 2022 Ackerman A, Cooper L, Volk T, Malmsheimer B, Esch E, Gadoth-Goodman D, & Constantineau S. (2022). Virtual Reality Visualization of Sustainable Management Practices for Forest Carbon and Climate Change. *Journal of Digital Landscape Architecture*: 392-401. Impact factor: 0.52
- 2022 Lin CY\*, **Ackerman A,** Beier C, & Johnston D (2022). Digital Terrain Editing and Virtual Reality Visualization to Communicate Snow Coverage and Depth Change Related to Thermal Impacts. *Journal of Digital Landscape Architecture:* 95-104. Impact factor: 0.52
- 2022 Mahoney M\*, Beier C. M., & Ackerman A. C. (2022). terrainr: An R package for creating immersive virtual environments. *Journal of Open Source Software*, 7(69), 4060. Impact factor: 5.20.
- 2021 Ackerman A, Crespo A\*, Auwaerter J, & Foulds E. (2021). Using Tree Modeling Applications and Game Design Software to Simulate Tree Growth, Mortality, and Community Interaction. *Journal of Digital Landscape Architecture*, 163-170. Impact

factor: 0.52

- 2021 Ramyar R\*, Ackerman, A, & Johnston D. M. (2021). Adapting cities for climate change through urban green infrastructure planning. *Cities*, 117, 103316. Impact factor: 6.077
- 2020 Ackerman A (2020). Where Have We Come From, and Where Are We Headed? A Comparative Review of Themes in CAD and BIM/LIM Adoption. *Journal of Chinese Landscape Architecture*, 1000-6664. (invited paper)
- 2020 Ackerman A, Wang Y, Bryant M (2020). Animation of High Wind-Speed Coastal Storm Events with Computational Fluid Dynamics: Digital Simulation of Protective Barrier Dunes. *Journal of Digital Landscape Architecture*: 498-509. Impact factor: 0.52
- 2019 Ackerman A, Cave J, Lin CY, Stillwell K. (2019). Computational Modeling for Climate Change: Simulating and Visualizing a Resilient Landscape Architecture Design Approach. *International Journal of Architectural Computing* 17: 125-147. (invited paper) Impact factor: 1.04
- 2019 Ackerman A, Cave J, Stillwell K. (2019). Computation and Visualization of Coastal Sea Level Rise Mitigation Strategies: Digital Applications of Scientific Data to Formulate Design Workflows for Climate Change. *Journal of Digital Landscape Architecture*, 4: 10-20. Impact factor: 0.52
- 2017 Ackerman A, Glekas E (2017). Digital Capture and Fabrication Tools for Interpretation of Historic Sites. *ISPRS Annals of the Photogrammetry, Remote Sensing and Spatial Information Sciences* 107-114. Impact factor: 1.34.
- 2015 Hammer S, A Ackerman (2015). Progress and Pitfalls in Community Mapping: Behaviors, Cognitions, and New Directions. *Cities People Places : An International Journal on Urban Environments*, 1: 19–31.
- 2015 Ackerman A, Lundell Garver B (2015). Social Media as a Visualization Tool: Mapping the Urban Landscape. *Landscape Research Record Vol. 4*, pp.2-9.

## **Other Peer-Reviewed Publications (Articles in Proceedings, Project Reports, etc)**

- 2023 (*under review*) Ackerman A, Cooper L, Esch E, Gadoth-Goodman D, Constantineau S\*, Malmsheimer R, & Volk T. Virtual Forests as a Creative Medium for Community Co-Creation and Collaboration. *Ground Works: Creating Knowledge in Common*.
- 2022 Lin CY\*, Ackerman A, Johnston D, Tian G, & Liu Y. (2022). LiDAR Operation and Digital Modeling Visualization to Communicate Stormwater Management at Green Spaces in Developing Regions. In *Workshop on Visualisation in*

Environmental Sciences (EnvirVis). The Eurographics Association.

- 2019 Ackerman A. Paving the Way for Building Information Modeling (BIM) Adoption in Landscape Architecture: A Practice-Based Study. *CELA* 2019 *Conference Proceedings.*
- 2019 Ackerman A, Hoffman R, King M, Keefe M\* (2019). "Block Island Wind Farm." *Landscape Performance Series.* Landscape Architecture Foundation.
- 2019 Ackerman A, Hoffman R, King M, Keefe M\* (2019). "Hardscrabble Wind Power Project." *Landscape Performance Series*. Landscape Architecture Foundation.
- 2018 Ackerman A, Cave J (2018). Modeling Coastal Sedimentation and Erosion for Design Applications Within the Fields of Landscape Architecture and Architecture. In: Gobster, Paul H.; Smardon, Richard C., eds. 2018. Visual Resource Stewardship Conference Proceedings: Landscape and Seascape Management in a Time of Change: 262-269. Gen. Tech. Rep. NRS-P-183. Newtown Square, PA: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Forest Service, Northern Research Station.
- 2018 Tang H. and Ackerman A. Beijing and Boston: A Comparative Study of Urban Landscape Evolution and Transformation from 1998 to 2018. *CELA* 2018 *Conference Proceedings.*
- 2017 Ackerman A and Cave J. Modeling Coastal Sedimentation and Erosion for Design Applications within the Field of Landscape Architecture and Architecture. *VRSC 2017 Conference Proceedings*.
- 2015 Ackerman A and Bellalta M. (2015). Analysis to Site Design: Landscape Performance and the Design Studio. *CELA 2015 Conference Proceedings*.
- 2015 **Ackerman A** and Lundell Garver B. Social Media as a Visualization Tool: Mapping the Urban Landscape. *CELA 2015 Conference Proceedings.*
- 2013 Ackerman A, Bellalta M, & McGonagle J (2013). Watch Factory, Phases 1 and 2. *Landscape Performance Series*. Landscape Architecture Foundation.
- 2013 Ackerman A, Bellalta M, & McGonagle J (2013). Erie Street Plaza. Landscape *Performance Series*. Landscape Architecture Foundation.

## **Peer-Reviewed Abstracts**

2023 Ackerman A. Experimenting with BIM in Landscape Architecture Construction Documentation Studio. *Align* | *Realign Conference Proceedings: Abstracts of Presented Papers, CELA 2023.* The Council of Educators in Landscape Architecture.

- 2022 Mahoney M\*, Beier C, & Ackerman, A. (2021, October). Producing Interactive 3D landscape visualizations in Unity Using the terrainr R Package. Visual Resource Stewardship Conference: Proceedings 2021.
- 2021 Ackerman A. Digital Workflows to Compare Turbine Height and Contrast Between Visual Impact Simulations and Post-Construction Photographs. Visual Resource Stewardship Conference: Proceedings 2021.
- 2019 Ackerman A, Keefe M, Hoffman R, King M. 2019 Case Study Investigation: A Landscape Performance Post-Occupancy Review of Two Wind Farms. Visual Resource Stewardship Conference: Proceedings 2019.
- 2016 Ackerman A. Coded Landscape: Programming Natural Phenomena. Dilemma/Debate Conference Proceedings: Abstracts of Presented Papers, CELA 2016. The Council of Educators in Landscape Architecture.

#### **Non-Peer-Reviewed Publications**

- 2023 Ackerman A & Hoffman R. "Between the Rendered and The Real: Photography as a Comparative Analysis Tool." In *Active Landscape Photography: Diverse Practices*, by Godfrey, A. Routledge, 2023.
- 2023 Ackerman A. "Disrupted Digital Futures: The Rise of Speculative Digital Landscape Simulation in Conceptual Design." In *Conceptual Landscapes: Fundamentals in the Beginning Design Process,* by Bussiere, S. London: Routledge, 2023.
- 2023 Ackerman A. "Double Vision." Landscape Architecture Magazine, August 2023.
- 2022 Ackerman A. "I is for Information." Landscape Architecture Magazine, January 2022: 34-44. Print.
- 2021 Ackerman A. "Small Firm, Big Leap." Landscape Architecture Magazine, July 2021: 68-79. Print.
- 2019 Ackerman A. "Bona Fide BIM." Landscape Architecture Magazine, December 2019:36-44. Print.
- 2019 Ackerman A. "The BIM That Binds." *Landscape Architecture Magazine*, June 2019: 50-60. Print.

#### Presentations

\* indicates ESF graduate student advisee co-presenter

2023 Ackerman A. Immersive Ecologies: Exploring Virtual Forests and their Impact on

Environmental Stewardship. Dale L. Travis Lecture Series, SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry, Syracuse NY, September 14. *Invited presentation* 

- 2023 Ackerman A, Gadoth-Goodman D, Constantineau S. An Immersive Virtual Reality Forest Carbon Experience. TED Countdown Summit, Detroit MI, July 13. *Invited presentation*
- 2023 Ackerman A, Tien G, Liu Y. LiDAR-Based Digital Modeling and Comparative Analysis of Urban Street Tree Form and Dimensions. Digital Landscape Architecture Conference, The Bauhaus, Dessau, Germany, May 25. *Proposed and accepted presentation*
- 2023 Ackerman A. Experimenting with BIM in Landscape Architecture Construction Documentation Studio. The Council of Educators in Landscape Architecture, San Antonio, TX, March 16, 2023. *Proposed and accepted presentation*
- 2023 Ackerman A, Constantineau S, Gadoth-Goodman D, Esch E. A Collaborative Partnership for Visualizing Sustainable Forest Management to Mitigate Climate Change in the Great Lakes Region. Great Lakes Region Climate Action Seminar, February 9. *Proposed and accepted presentation*
- 2023 Ackerman A. A World Within: An Immersive Performance of Algorithmic Forests. Harry der Boghosian Fellowship Symposium, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY, March 28. *Invited presentation*
- 2022 Ackerman A. Forest Ecosystem Monitoring Cooperative Conference Advances in Forest Science: The Role of Innovation and Technology in Stewardship and Engagement. University of Vermont, Burlington, VT, December 15. Invited *panelist*
- 2022 Ackerman A, Foulds E, Mealey J. Digital Visualization of Cultural Landscapes for Interpretation, Management, and Collaboration. American Society of Landscape Architects Conference on Landscape Architecture, San Francisco, CA, November 12. *Invited presentation*
- 2022 Ackerman A, Cooper L, Volk T, Malmsheimer B, Esch E, Gadoth-Goodman D, Constantineau S. Virtual Reality Visualization of Sustainable Management Practices for Forest Carbon and Climate Change. Digital Landscape Architecture Conference, Harvard Graduate School of Design, Cambridge, MA, June 9. *Proposed and accepted presentation*
- 2022 Ackerman A. Virtual Reality Forest Presentation. 1t.org U.S. Chapter Summit, Washington DC, June 23. *Invited presentation*
- 2022 Ackerman A. The Immersive Virtual Forest. Arboreal Inquiries Symposium:

Recent Explorations in Forests + Design, The Great Lakes Design Labs, March 31. *Invited presentation* 

- 2021 Ackerman A. Research on Tree Growth Modeling. In the Context of the 'One Belt, One Road' Strategy- Summit Forum on Sustainable Development of Human Settlements and Carbon Neutrality, Henan Agricultural University, Zhengzhou, China, November 14. *Invited presentation*
- 2021 Ackerman A. Digital Workflows to Compare Turbine Height and Contrast Between Visual Impact Simulations and Post-Construction Photographs. Visual Resources Stewardship Conference, SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry, Syracuse, NY, October 22. *Proposed and accepted presentation*
- 2021 Ackerman A, Crespo A\*, Auwaerter J, Foulds E. Using Tree Modeling Applications and Game Design Software to Simulate Tree Growth, Mortality, and Community Interaction. Digital Landscape Architecture Conference, Anhalt University, Dessau-Köthen-Bernburg, Germany, May 27. *Proposed and accepted presentation*
- 2020 Ackerman A, Tiburzi A, Keefe M, Robinson R. Rendering History: Digital Modeling and Visualization of Heritage Landscapes – Statue of Liberty National Monument. New York Statewide Preservation Conference, Landmark Society, Rochester NY, December 2. *Proposed and accepted presentation*
- 2020 Ackerman A. Challenges of Adopting BIM in the United States Design Firm, Landscape Architecture Construction International Online Conference, Department of Landscape Architecture/School of Architecture, Tsinghua University, December 12, Beijing, China, November 27. *Invited presentation*
- 2020 Ackerman A, Wang Y. Animation of High Wind-Speed Coastal Storm Events with Computational Fluid Dynamics. Digital Landscape Architecture Conference, Harvard Graduate School of Design, Cambridge, MA, June 3. *Proposed and accepted presentation*
- 2020 Ackerman A, Beier C. Digital Storytelling for Climate Adaptive Forest Landscape Management: Computational Modeling and Visualization of Tree Growth In Experimental Forest Sites. IALE-North America Annual Meeting, Toronto, Ontario, May 13. *Proposed and accepted presentation*
- 2019 Ackerman A, Keefe M. Case Study Investigation: A Landscape Performance Post Occupancy Review of Two Wind Farms. Visual Resources Stewardship Conference, Argonne National Laboratory, Lemont, IL, October 29. *Proposed and accepted presentation*
- 2019 Ackerman A. Computation and Visualization of Coastal Sea Level Rise Mitigation Strategies: Digital Applications of Scientific Data to Formulate Design

Workflows for Climate Change. Digital Landscape Architecture Conference, The Bauhaus, Dessau, Germany, May 23. *Proposed and accepted presentation* 

- 2019 Ackerman A. Paving the Way for Building Information Modeling (BIM) Adoption in Landscape Architecture: A Practice-Based Study. Engaged Scholarship: Council of Educators in Landscape Architecture Conference, University of California, Davis, CA, March 8. *Proposed and accepted presentation*
- 2019 Zhou P, Ackerman A, Schmidt L. Zero to One: Open Your Practice to the World of BIM. American Society of Landscape Architects Conference on Landscape Architecture, San Diego, CA, November 17. *Invited presentation*
- 2019 Ackerman A. Case Study Investigation Series Presentation, The Landscape Architecture Foundation, Washington DC, August 5. *Invited presentation*
- 2018 Ackerman A. UNITE Maker Nation: Education to Industry, Boston Design Museum, February 22, Boston, MA. *Plenary panelist*
- 2018 Ackerman A. Natural/Digital. Midday Talks Lecture Series, John H. Daniels Faculty of Architecture, Landscape, and Design. University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario, February 2. *Invited presentation*
- 2017 Ackerman A, Cave J\*. Modeling Coastal Sedimentation and Erosion for Design Applications within the Field of Landscape Architecture and Architecture. Visual Resources Stewardship Conference, Argonne National Laboratory, Lemont, IL, November 8. *Proposed and accepted presentation*
- 2017 Ackerman A, Glekas E. Digital Capture and Fabrication Tools for Interpretation of Historic Sites. 26th International CIPA Symposium: Digital Workflows for Heritage Conservation, Carleton College, Ottawa, Ontario, August 30. *Proposed and accepted presentation*
- 2016 Ackerman A. Coded Landscape: Programming Natural Phenomena. Dilemma/Debate: Council of Educators in Landscape Architecture, Utah State University, Logan, Utah, March 24. *Proposed and accepted presentation*
- 2015 Ackerman A, Lundell Garver B. Incite Social Media as a Visualization Tool: Mapping the Urban Landscape. Change/Change Insight: Council of Educators in Landscape Architecture Conference, Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kansas, March 27. *Proposed and accepted presentation*
- 2015 Ackerman A. Analysis to Site Design: Landscape Performance and the Design Studio. Incite Change/Change Insight: Council of Educators in Landscape Architecture Conference, Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kansas, March 26. *Proposed and accepted presentation*

#### Invited Course or Departmental Presentation Outside Home Institution

- 2023 Guest speaker in ARC500 Professional Elective, Syracuse University School of Architecture, Syracuse NY, April 17.
- 2019- Guest speaker in LAN1038 Plants and Design II, John H. Daniels Faculty of
- 2023 Architecture, Landscape, and Design. University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario.
- 2019 Landscape Planting Modeling and Visualization Department Presentation and Discussion Session. John H. Daniels Faculty of Architecture, Landscape, and Design, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario, November 25.
- 2019 Guest speaker in LAN3025 Advanced Computing in Landscape Architecture, John H. Daniels Faculty of Architecture, Landscape, and Design. University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario, October 18.
- 2018- Guest speaker in LAN1037 Plants and Design I, John H. Daniels Faculty of
- 2022 Architecture, Landscape, and Design. University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario.

## **Funded Research**

- 2023-2028 Volk T (PI), Ackerman A, Beier C, Brown T, Crovella P, Kumar D, Malmsheimer R, Therasme O, Vander Yacht A. *NYS Connects: Climate Smart Farms and Forests.* USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), \$5,134,854.
- 2023-2024 Stella J (PI), Ackerman A, King M, Mirowsky J. Assessing Forests and Their Benefits, USDA Forest Service, \$9,000.
- 2023 Ackerman A (PI). Virtual Reality Forest Experience. TED Conferences, LLC, \$4,500.
- 2023 Ackerman A (PI), Malmsheimer R, Volk T. Datacenter Community Development Urban Forest Tree Visualization, Subaward from Michigan State University, Microsoft Corporation. \$3,000 of \$9,000 total funding.
- 2023 Ackerman A (PI), Cronan D. Virtual Reality at Upward Ground Summit. American Forests, \$5,000.
- 2023 Wang E (PI), **Ackerman A.** *Integrating 3D printing With Virtual Reality to Enhance Communication of Engineering and Design, Engineering Information* Foundation \$19,699.
- 2022-2027 Ackerman A, (PI), Malmsheimer R, Volk T. Roots of EAB Recovery: Detroit, Michigan's Tree Equity Partnership. Subaward from Michigan State

University/American Forests. Association of State Foresters, USDA Forest Service. Subaward \$22,000 of \$485,000 total funding.

- 2022-2024 Auwaerter J (PI), Ackerman A. Region One Cultural Landscape Inventory, Technical Assistance, and Training, The Olmsted Center for Landscape Preservation & The U.S. National Park Service, \$108,000
- 2022-2023 Stella J (PI), Ackerman A, King M, Mirowsky J. Assessing Forests and Their Benefits, USDA Forest Service, \$17,000.
- 2022 Ackerman A, Bryant M, Hogge T, Storrings D. *Academic Technology Grant*, SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry, \$19,087
- 2021-2023 Ackerman A (PI). A Digital Tree Growth Modeling and Visualization Toolkit for Historic Landscape Representation. National Center for Preservation Technology & Training & The U.S National Park Service, \$18,455.
- 2021-2023 Auwaerter J (PI), Ackerman A. Support NPS Region One Cultural Landscape Inventory, Technical Assistance, and Training, The Olmsted Center for Landscape Preservation & The U.S. National Park Service, \$130,000
- 2020-2023 Auwaerter J (PI), Ackerman A. Complete Cultural Landscape Treatment and Maintenance Plan for Flight 93 National Memorial Landscape, The Olmsted Center for Landscape Preservation & The U.S. National Park Service, \$80,000.
- 2019-2022 Beier C (PI), Ackerman A, Drake J, Brown T, Germain R, Johnston D, King M, Malmsheimer R, Volk T. *Pathways to a Net-Zero Carbon Future: Landscape Design for Sustainable Energy and Climate Change Mitigation*. SUNY ESF Discovery Challenge, \$160,000.
- 2019-2021 Auwaerter J (PI), Ackerman A, Curry G. Provide Landscape Preservation Training and Technical Assistance, The Olmsted Center for Landscape Preservation & The U.S. National Park Service, \$97,575
- 2019 Ackerman A (PI), Hoffman R, King M. *Case Study Investigation*, The Landscape Architecture Foundation, \$11,000.
- 2017 Ackerman A (PI), Atwood P. Student-Defined Curriculum and a Competency-Based Approach to Learning, Boston Architectural College, Boston, MA, \$3,000.
- 2014 **Ackerman A (PI),** Bellalta M. *Landscape Performance Education Grant,* The Landscape Architecture Foundation, \$5,000.

2013 Ackerman A (PI), Bellalta M. *Case Study Investigation*, The Landscape Architecture Foundation, \$11,000.

#### Department, College, and University Service

#### Student Advising

PhD Students (Co-Major Professor) 2023 Hadi Aboulfazi 2022-2023 Geri Mae Tolentino 2021-2023 Christopher Koudelka 2020-2023 Chien-Yu Lin 2020-2023 Michael Mahoney 2020-2022 Reza Ramyar

- Ph.D. Students (Dissertation Committee) 2020-2023 Yao Wang
- MLA Students (Major Professor) 2023 Martin Benzinger 2022-2023 Arleen Bartels 2022-2023 Tanner Laramee 2020-2021 Ashley Crespo 2019-2020 R. Connor Neville
- MLA Students (Capstone Committee) 2022-2023 Sara Constantineau 2021-2022 Laura Seib 2021-2022 Elise Robinson 2019-2020 Kimberly Korioth 2019-2020 Caroline Horgan 2018-2019 Chad Grevelding
- MLA Students (Internship) 2023-2024 Diane Ballard

BLA Student Advising 2019-2022: 9 students per year 2022-2023: 3 students per year 2023-2024: 4 students per year

#### Service to The Department of Landscape Architecture

- 2022-2023 Sigma Lambda Alpha Nu Chapter Faculty Representative
- 2023 Landscape Architecture Faculty Search Committee (3 positions)

| 2022-2023 | Departmental Strategic Plan Working Group Co-Facilitator        |
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| 2022      | Urban Sustainability Cluster Hire Search Committee (1 position) |
| 2022      | Administrative Assistant Search Committee                       |
| 2020      | Landscape Architecture Faculty Search Committee (1 position)    |
| 2020      | Open Academy Online Education Peer Mentor                       |
| 2019      | Faculty Research Brown Bag Lecture Series Development           |
| 2018-2023 | Department Technology Committee                                 |
| 2018-2023 | BLA Curriculum Committee  |
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Service to The College at Large

| 2023      | Delivery of Summer Course for High School Students: LSA 300<br>Environmental Graphic Design (3 credits)                     |  |
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| 2022      | Interview for ESF Campus Conversations Podcast: Virtual Forest Modeling with Dr. Colin Beier                                |  |
| 2022-2023 | Student Mentor, Louis Stokes Alliances for Minority Participation   |  |
| 2022      | Delivery of Digital Methods and Graphics II via MOOC, Henan Agricultural University   |  |
| 2022      | Capstone Examination Committee Chair, Rachael Renzi   |  |
| 2018-2021 | Technology & Facilities Committee   |  |
| 2020-2021 | Research Committee  |  |
| 2021      | Orientation Field Days Session: Virtual Reality and The Digital Forest,<br>SUNY College of Environmental Science & Forestry |  |
| 2021      | Doctoral Candidacy Examination Committee Chair, Asif Mehmood  |  |
| 2020      | Dissertation Examination Committee Chair, Michelle Viera  |  |
| 2019-2023 | Landscape Visualization Studio Co-Management  |  |
| 2019      | Capstone Examination Committee Chair, Sunghoon Hong   |  |
| 2018-2023 | Digital Fabrication Lab & Rendering Lab Management  |  |
| 2019      | Construction Management Faculty Search Committee (2 positions)  |  |
| 2019      | Virtual Reality Open House  |  |
| 2019      | Digital Fabrication Lab Campus Open House   |  |
| 2019      | ESFHS High School Student Campus Visit presentation   |  |
| 2019      | 3D Modeling Tutorial, Landscape Club  |  |
| 2019      | Portfolio Development Tutorial, Landscape Club  |  |
| 2019      | Competition Team Organizer & Faculty Advisor: Reimagining the DL&W<br>Corridor International Ideas Competition              |  |
| 2019      | Orientation Field Days Session: Digital Environmental Capture and   |  |

Simulation with Virtual Reality

# **Professional and Public Service**

| 2023 | Virtual Reality Forest Experience Demonstration, Ed Smith Elementary<br>School STEAM Nite, Syracuse City School District    |
|------|---|
| 2022 | Mentor to first time conference attendees, American Society of Landscape<br>Architects Conference on Landscape Architecture |
| 2022 | Summer Student Scholar Mentor, Mid-Atlantic Sustainable Biomass for<br>Value-Added Products Consortium (MASBIO)             |
| 2022 | Landscape Architecture Presentation, Environmental Career Webinar, The Linda Zhang Foundation For the Environment           |
| 2021 | Forest Visualization Demonstration and Focus Group Discussion, Cornell Cooperative Extension                                |
| 2019 | 3D Software Introduction/Mini Lesson With Designing the Parks Interns,<br>The National Parks Service                        |
| 2019 | Career Chat With Designing the Parks Interns, The National Parks Service  |
| 2019 | CNC topographic watershed model development, Science Summer Camp,<br>Milton J. Rubenstein Museum of Science & Technology    |

# Manuscript Reviews

| 2023       | Computer-Aided Design and Applications, ISSN 1686-4360 (1 review)           |  |
|------------|---|--|
| 2023       | Landscape Research Record, ISBN 978-0-9853013-2-3 (1 review)                |  |
| 2019-2023  | Journal of Digital Landscape Architecture, ISSN 2511-624X (16 reviews)      |  |
| 2022       | Journal of the Royal Society Interface, ISSN 1742-5689 (1 review)           |  |
| 2022       | CLEAN - Soil, Air, Water, ISSN 1863-0669 (3 reviews)                        |  |
| 2019       | International Journal of Architectural Computing, ISSN 1478-0771 (1 review) |  |
| 2019       | Urban Planning, ISSN 2183-7635 (1 review)                                   |  |
| 2019       | Habitat International, ISSN 0197-3975 (1 review)                            |  |
| 2016-2017, | Landscape Research Record, ISBN 978-0-9853013-2-3 (3 reviews)               |  |
| 2023       |   |  |

# **Professional Society Offices Held**

2022-2023 American Society of Landscape Architects Digital Technology Professional Practice Network Leadership Team

## Administrative Service

2020-2023 BLA Program Undergraduate Coordinator

| 2022      | Cornell Department of Landscape Architecture, MLA Studio I   |
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| 2022      | Cornell Department of Landscape Architecture, ASLA Honor & Merit<br>Awards   |
| 2021      | University of Toronto, Daniels Faculty of Architecture, Landscape, and<br>Design<br>Master of Landscape Architecture Thesis Reviews                  |
| 2021      | Boston Architectural College XDS1000: Interdisciplinary Design Studio:<br>Lyceum Fellowship Competition  |
| 2021      | Boston Architectural College LAN2001 Ecological Analysis & Conceptual Frameworks Studio  |
| 2020      | University of Toronto, Daniels Faculty of Architecture, Landscape, and Design Master of Landscape Architecture Thesis Reviews                        |
| 2020      | Philadelphia University + Thomas Jefferson University, College of<br>Architecture and the Built Environment ARCH 401-1 D7 Design for<br>Architecture |
| 2019      | Cornell Department of Landscape Architecture, LARCH 5020 Studio<br>Composition & Theory  |
| 2019      | University of Toronto, Daniels Faculty of Architecture, Landscape, and Design, LAN1036H Contemporary Use of Plants in Landscape Design               |
| 2017-2018 | Fabrication Incubator Resident, Autodesk BUILD Space, Boston MA  |
| 2011-2014 | Design Instructor, ArtScience Labs, Boston, MA   |
| 2010-2011 | Teaching Fellow Harvard University Graduate School of Design,<br>Cambridge, MA   |

# Guest Critiques Outside of Home Institution, Residencies, and Other Teaching

# Projects, Competitions, & Exhibitions

| 2018 | Reimagining the DL&W Corridor International Ideas Competition  |
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| 2017 | BOS/MEX + MEX/BOS A Causa Del Agua/Because of Water: An Exhibit of<br>Work From The BAC and Centro Metropolitano de Arquitectura Sustentable |
| 2016 | Beyond Convention: Expanding the Architectural Graphic   |
| 2014 | Harvard Allston Master Plan Renderings, Allston, MA: Reed Hilderbrand Landscape Architects   |
| 2013 | 30 Light Street Design Competition, Baltimore, MD: Finalist with Janet Echelman Studio   |

2012 Prix Ars Electronica/The Next Idea Linz, Austria: Tracing the Digital/Physical: A Foray Into Hybrid Geographies

# **Professional Experience**

| 2011-2018 | EarthVision 3D Modeling and Rendering Studio, Boston, MA  |
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| 2010-2011 | Staff, Research Computing Environment, The Harvard/MIT Data Center<br>at the Institute for Quantitative Social Science, Cambridge, MA |
| 2003-2008 | Senior Systems Administrator, Eaton & Associates, San Francisco, CA   |
| 2002-2003 | Computer Technician, Yes Computers, Northampton MA  |

## **Professional Associations & Honor Societies**

American Society of Landscape Architects (ASLA) Association for Computer Aided Design in Architecture (ACADIA) Sigma Lambda Alpha

# Awards and Honors

| 2021 | Article Award for Scientific Excellence<br>Journal of Digital Landscape Architecture |
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| 2019 | CSI Research Fellow<br>The Landscape Architecture Foundation                         |
| 2015 | People's Choice Award<br>Boston Living With Water Competition                        |
| 2013 | CSI Research Fellow<br>The Landscape Architecture Foundation                         |
| 2010 | Penny White Traveling Fellowship<br>Harvard University Graduate School of Design     |