

OBJECTIVE

Seek employment as Landscape Architect in the design or planning field.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Head Landscape Architect, Horticultural Manager 1984 - 1999
Amble Landscaping Inc., Verona, WI
Amble Landscaping was a full-service landscape design, construction and grounds maintenance company.

- Saw projects through from start to finish.
- Took full responsibility for initial client contact, client and site analysis, site surveying, site design, landscape and planting design, detailing, specifications, estimating, contract documents, materials expediting, crew supervision, project completion, client satisfaction, and payments collection.
- Managed all horticultural supplies; oversaw the nursery and purchase of all plant materials.
- Proved instrumental in the development of our maintenance division and implemented the I.P.M. approach to landscape management for Amble.
- Clients represented the commercial sector, non-profit institutions, and homeowners.

Landscape Architect, 1983, resumed 1999
Z.W. Gardens, Middleton, WI
Self-employed as Landscape Architect primarily dealing with residential design and ecosystem analysis.

Landscape Architectural Apprentice, 1982
Joseph Hajnas and Assoc., Pittsburgh, PA
Worked on all phases of landscape design, detailing, specifications, and project development for commercial work in a professional design office.

Assorted landscape and construction work, Wisconsin, Alaska; 1972 - 1978
Worked in all phases of landscape and building construction.

- Landscape labor experience: horticulture, hardscape and carpentry.
- Crew and project supervision.
- Was project and construction manager for the building of unique log fly-in fishing lodge in Unalakleet, AK.
- Pen and ink drawing; five gallery showings.

Head Draftsman, Assistant Project Coordinator, Researcher, 1969 - 1972
Landscapes LTD, Madison, WI
Environmental research firm headed by Professors Phil Lewis, Ben Nieman, and Bruce Murray.

- Delineated and coordinated all maps, researched data for maps, and correlated of the charts, graphs, and text for printing.
- The firm enhanced the development of the environmental overlay data system of Prof. Lewis with systems complexity map and ecosystems density map.
- Projects: Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore Prototype Study Phase I & II, Southern California Edison Transmission Line Alignment Study.

RELEVANT COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER WORK

Landscape Architect

for *Urban Open Space Foundation*, Madison, WI; 1997 - Present
Serve as Lead Landscape Architect for Troy Gardens open space plan. Troy Gardens is a cutting edge plan to develop 35 acres in Madison as a multi-use urban agriculture center. The goal is to blend community gardening activities, restored natural areas, affordable housing, and an agricultural learning center.

- Compile and map the environmental and cultural site data, develop conceptual site design as well as specific use design, and coordinate design by committee with the community and the players of the project.
- Analyze cost of development, a maintenance and management plan, and the phasing of the project.

Landscape Architectural Consultant

for *Dane County Mental Health Support Network*, Madison, WI; 1992 - Present
Perform on-going landscape consulting and design work for DCMH as needed for grounds development of foundation headquarters and properties.

Landscape Architectural Consultant

for *International Crane Foundation*, Baraboo, WI; 1993 - 1996
Landscape design and consulting for grounds development of foundation headquarters.

Plan Commission member and Chairperson,

Town of Middleton, Dane County, WI; 1988 - 1993

- Headed Plan Commission in regular meetings and developed strategy for new Town of Middleton Land Use Plan.
- Directed a planning process to evolve into a prototype study.
- Coordinated work with:
 - Dane County Regional Plan Commission;
 - Dr. Jim Zimmerman and Ken Kailing, Natural Systems Land Use Feasibility;
 - G.I.S. mapping and data entry/coordination by the U.W. Land Information System with Prof. Nieman;
 - the Town Plan Commission as the coordinating and text writing body.
- Many aspects of this project are now in place in the Dane County system and have been used as a model for other land use planning.

EDUCATION / PROFESSIONAL STANDING

B.S. in Landscape Architecture, Business and Industry option
University of Wisconsin-Madison; 1981

Landscape Architect License, *State of Wisconsin*, #94

Full member, *American Society of Landscape Architecture*