

# Davin D. Dawson

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## Designer Profile

### + About Me

I am a designer, artist and world traveler who views all environments, from a sublime vista to an urban alleyway, as ubiquitous inspiration. It is this perception that drew me to my second career, landscape architecture, and I want to utilize my creativity and forward-thinking to design for the future. Areas of greatest interest for me include the aesthetic and functional accord of materials, planting design, furniture design, public art, lighting design, and environmental justice.

### + Skills

Revit, AutoCAD, Adobe Illustrator, Photoshop, InDesign, Hand Rendering, Microsoft Office, Model Construction, Graphic Design, Photography, Rhino 5, Grasshopper, SketchUP, ArcMap [GIS], 3D Printing

## Education

### + University of Georgia

Athens, GA

Bachelors of Landscape Architecture - five year program 2012 - 2017  
• Graduated with honors - Cum Laude, Sigma Lambda Alpha

## Honors • Awards

### + ASLA Student Merit Award

Recipient 2017

### + Hubert B. Owens Scholarship and Neel Reid Scholarship

Recipient 2015 - 2017  
• Landscape architecture scholarship that recognizes academic performance and outstanding potential

### + Leadership UGA

Recognized as an outstanding leader at the University of Georgia 2013  
• Participated in diversity, inclusion, leadership, and interpersonal communication development training

## Community Involvement

### + UGA LGBT Resource Center

Volunteer 2015 - 2017  
• Assist with administrative duties and the student support desk

### + UGA College of Environment + Design

Student Ambassador 2013 - 2015  
• Contributed to programs that enhanced the image of the college, its students and landscape architecture

## Work Experience

### + BMLA Landscape Architecture

Corona, CA

Landscape Architecture Intern 2016  
• Created a park master plan for the city of Santa Maria, California  
• Aided in the developed of a municipal GIS inventory system  
• Developed construction documents

### + DJ's Decorative Hardware

Athens, GA

Owner 2011 - Present  
• Initiated a small business to generate income while in school

### + UGA Pharmaceutical Research Lab

Athens, GA

Research Team Member 2014 - 2017  
• Contribute to scientific literature  
• Develop and follow protocol to a high level of detail in the production of analytical samples

### + Habersham Landscape Services

Atlanta, GA

Horticultural sales and customer service 2013 - 2014

### + Goldwell KMS, USA

Los Angeles, CA

Education manager, Creative Team Member 2004 - 2012  
• Created global education and training programs  
• Managed a team of educators  
• Developed hair coloring techniques for annual collections and advertisement campaigns

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