

MACKENZIE WALLER

DESIGN ACTIVISM + COLLABORATIVE PRACTICE

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

SINCE 2018

LECTURER

College of Built Environments | Department of Landscape Architecture | University of Washington
+Ecological Design & Planning | LA Seminar

SPRING 2021

WINTER 2021

Authenticity: Cultural Placekeeping In Seattle Interdisciplinary Studio
In partnership with Duwamish Tribal Services
Collaborative Teaching Model with Interdisciplinary Faculty & Practitioners

FALL 2020

Design Foundations Studio | LA Introductory Vertical Studio

SUMMER 2020

Fairy Tales Of The City | LA Vertical Studio
Studio Report: <https://Broad.design/Studio-Fairy-Tales-of-The-City>

WINTER 2020

Birds + Climate Change | Interdisciplinary Studio
In partnership with Tahoman Audubon Society
Studio Report: <https://Broad.design/Studio-Birdsandclimate>

WINTER 2019

Wild City: The Future of Outdoor Recreation | M.LA Studio
In partnership with Latino Outdoors Seattle

SPRING 2018

Design Activism | M.LA Studio | City of Seattle Office of Equity & the Environment
In partnership with Ethiopian Community in Seattle
Student Winner of The Seattle Design Festival Competition Displaced: Design for Inclusive Cities
Studio Report: <https://Broad.design/Studio-Designactivism>

SINCE 2020

AFFILIATE INSTRUCTOR

School of Social Work | University of Washington

SPRINGS 2020-2021

+Community Inclusion & Equity In the Changing Public Realm
In Partnership with El Centro De La Raza, Seattle Chinatown International District
Preservation & Development Authority, and The Alliance for Pioneer Square
Collaborative teaching model with faculty from the School of Social Work
Student Multimedia Projects: <https://Sites.uw.edu/Gentrification/>

SINCE 2018

AFFILIATE INSTRUCTOR

College of Built Environments | Dept. of Urban Design & Planning | University of Washington

WINTER 2021

Digital Design Professional Practicum Urban Design and Planning

SPRINGS 2018-2020

Digital Design Professional Practicum Urban Design and Planning

SINCE 2019

PART-TIME LECTURER

School of Urban Studies | University of Washington, Tacoma

SPRING 2020

Capstone B.S. Urban Design Studio | Puyallup Tribe & City of Tacoma Dept. of Planning

FALL 2019

Movement B.S. Urban Design Studio II City of Tacoma Planning Department

SPRING 2019

Community Design | B.S. Urban Design Studio IV City of Seattle Department of Planning & Design

EDUCATION & LICENSURE

2020

Licensed Landscape Architect | Washington

2013

Master of Architecture | University of Washington

2011

Master of Landscape Architecture | University Of Washington

2000

Bachelor of Arts Political Economy | University Of California, Berkeley

+Scheduled courses for instruction Spring 2021

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PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

SINCE 2019

PRINCIPAL

Broad Design Group

2020

Seattle Department of Transportation Public Realm Seating Report, Seattle

2019

Imagine Greater Downtown, Seattle

2018 - 2019

DESIGN DIRECTOR

Framework

2018

Jackson Hub (S. Jackson St & Union Station), Seattle

2018

Ethiopian Community of Seattle Gathering Space, Seattle

2018

Mcgraw Square Renovation, Seattle

2014 - 2018

DESIGN & RESEARCH LEAD

Framework

2017

Mercer Island Center For the Arts, City of Mercer Island WA

2017

Culture & Arts Report: 30 Ideas, Seattle

2016

Pioneer Square Street Concept Plans : Vision And Inventory, Seattle

2016

South Jackson Street Connections Project, Seattle

2016

Pier 86 Art Study, Seattle

2015

Belltown & Denny Triangle Connected Public Realm Plan, Seattle

2015

Kendall Square Public Realm Plan Competition, Cambridge MA

2015

Union & Boylston Prototype Park aka Pool Park, Seattle

2014

First Hill Public Action Plan, Seattle

2014

Lake to Bay Inventory And Visions Project And Report, Seattle

2013 - 2014

RESTORATION LANDSCAPE DESIGNER

Natural Systems Design

2014

Yakima River Restoration, Yakima WA

2014

Upper Quinault River Restoration, WA

2012

Meadowbrook Pond, Seattle

2011 - 2013

URBAN DESIGNER

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2013

Navos Behavioral Care Center For Children, Youth And Families, Burien WA

2013

Healthy Living Initiative Toolkit Of Mariposa-South Lincoln, Denver CO

2013

Keahuolū Land Planning, Hawaii

2013

University Of Washington Terry and Maple Dormitories, Seattle

2013

Chatham University Eden Hall Campus, Pittsburgh PA

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PUBLIC ART COMMISSIONS & AWARDS

2018	Public Artist Roster / Seattle Office of Arts And Culture
2018	Strange Coupling / University Of Washington
2017	Wee Pixels / Portland Winter Light Festival
2016	Spring Creek Collaborative / Oregon State University
2015	Superfun Superfund / Duwamish Revealed, Seattle
2014	Street Scrabble / First Hill Public Realm Seattle
2014	Design Lab: An Open Sketchbook On Aurora Avenue / Henry Art Gallery, Seattle

RECENT SERVICE

2020-2021	Placemaking X Member Advocate
2020-2021	Kitsap Audubon Board Member
2020-2021	Non-Motorized Transportation Advisory Council Kitsap County
2020	Equity, Diversity & Inclusion Task Force Co-Lead Strategic Plan Committee, UW CBE
2020-2021	Gay Seattle Business Association WA LGBTQ Scholarship Committee

PUBLICATIONS, FELLOWSHIPS & CONFERENCES

2021	+ “Interdisciplinary Pedagogy to Engage the Messiness of Urban Spatial Justice”. Association of Collegiate Schools of Architecture and the ACSA 109 Expanding the View Prospect(s) for Architectural Education Futures. March 2021.
2021	+ Cities in a Changing World: Questions of Culture, Climate and Design Conference City Tech, CUNY, PARADE, and Architecture, Media, Politics & Society. June 2021
2020-2021	Affiliate Fellow UW Runstad Center Play + Child Forward Design in Urban Spaces
2020	Pandemic Urbanism Symposium Presentation ‘ <i>Gentrification + Pandemic: Community Inclusion & Equity in the Changing Public Realm</i> ’
2017	UW Livable City Year Faculty Department Of Urban Design & Planning, UW
2016	Co-Coordinator Landscape Architecture: Investigating The Fringe Colloquium Department of Landscape Architecture, UW
2014	Critical Collaboration: Tools for the Contemporary Urban Environment Co-Facilitator College of Built Environments, UW
2011	Transcultural Cities Symposium Assistant Coordinator Department of Landscape Architecture, UW
2010-2011	John E. Sawyer Graduate Research Fellow Now Urbanism Andrew W. Mellon Foundation
	+ Publication & Presentation forthcoming