

Kristina M Park

BioDesign Studio | Owner, Landscape Architect

University of Washington | College of Built Environments, Lecturer

Western Washington University | College of the Environment, NTT Faculty

EDUCATION

- 2011 University of WA | Master of Landscape Architecture
- 2008 University of WA | Certificate of Business Administration, Foster School of Business
- 1999 Washington State University | B.A. Political Science, Minor in History

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Washington | College of Built Environments

- 2022 LA322 | Intro to Designing with Living Materials | Lecture Course | 3 cr | Undergrad
- 2022 LA473 | Professional Practice | Lecture Course | 3 cr | Undergrad/Grad
- 2022 LA502 | The Farm Studio | Advanced Studio | 6 cr | Undergrad/Grad | Co-taught with Tim Lehman
- 2021 LA 300 | Intro to Landscape Architecture Studio | 6 cr | Undergrad
- 2021 LA433 | Design Implementation | Lecture Course | 3 cr | Undergrad/Grad | Teaching mentor to transition the course to an online format with Aaron Luoma
- 2021 LA322 | Intro to Designing with Living Materials | Lecture | 3 cr | Undergrad
- 2021 LA424 | Advanced Planning Design | Lecture Course | 3 cr | Undergrad/Grad
- 2021 LA502 | Art Activism | Advanced Studio | 6 cr | Undergrad/Grad
- 2020 LA 300 | Intro to Landscape Architecture Studio | 6 cr | Undergrad
- 2020 LA322 | Intro to Designing with Living Materials | Lecture | 3 cr | Undergrad
- 2020 LA424 | Advanced Planning Design | Lecture Course | 3 cr | Undergrad/Grad
- 2020 LA402 | Foundation Studio: Urban Sites | 6 cr | Undergrad/Grad | Co-taught with Brooke Sullivan
- 2019 LA 300 | Intro to Landscape Architecture Studio | 6 cr | Undergrad
- 2019 URBDP 503 | Communication and Analysis | Graphic Development Course | 3 cr | Grad (MUP)
- 2018 LA 300 | Intro to Landscape Architecture Studio | 6 cr | Undergrad

Western Washington University | College of the Environment

- 2022 UEPP 493/593 | Environmental Impact Assessment | 5 cr | Undergrad/Grad
- 2022 UEPP 474 | Planning for Sustainable Communities Capstone Studio | 5 cr | Undergrad
- 2021 UEPP 474 | Planning for Sustainable Communities Capstone Studio | 5 cr | Undergrad | Co-taught with Arenas Osipos – Industrial Design Professor, WWU

- 2021 UEPP 460 | History of Urban Design + Planning | Lecture | 3 cr | Undergrad
2020 UEPP 360 | Methods in Urban Design, Site Graphics | Lecture | 3 cr | Undergrad

Mentorship | Advising

- 2022 WWU Internship + Independent Study, 4 undergraduate students | Urban Planning + Industrial Design
2021 University of Washington Capstone Advisor | Department of the Environment, Jessie Gilbert

GRANTS | AWARDS

- 20/21 **Whatcom Community Foundation | \$6,880**
Grant awarded to support master planning and community engagement recommendations for Bellingham's Shipping Container Pop-Up Village in collaboration with the Port of Bellingham.
- 2017 **Fremont Community Council | \$5,000**
Served as the BF Day parent volunteer applicant to pursue and win a Fremont Community Council grant for the BF Day Elementary PTSA to construct playground improvements.
- 2011 **Award Australian Institute of Landscape Architects | \$10,000**
International art competition finalist for the installation of the kinetic art piece "Urban Waterfall" in Sydney, Australia's Redfern neighborhood.
- 2011 **Seattle Design Commission "Holding Pattern" Selected Artist**
Art submission entitled "Sail Away" was selected as a winning public art submission to be installed at Fifth Ave and Columbia in downtown Seattle, WA
- 2011 **4 Culture Art Grant | \$3,500**
Site-Specific Art Grant awarded for the installation of the Fifth/Columbia temporary art piece entitled "Wait." The installation was inspired by the Seattle Design Commission's Holding Pattern Contest.
- 2011 **Scan | Design Foundation | \$4,500**
Art Grant awarded for the installation of the Fifth/Columbia temporary art piece entitled "Wait."
- 2011 **Kickstarter Campaign | \$3,200**
Community fundraising and engagement for the installation of the Fifth/Columbia temporary art piece entitled "Wait."

ARTICLES | MEDIA | BOOK CONTRIBUTIONS

- 2022 **Robertson. (2022). Cultivating Creativity (First edition.). New Village Press.** Kristina Park, Production Editor | Graphic Designer in collaboration with Paula Airth
- 2021 **Kirkland Greenways | BioDesign Blog Post | Greenway Public Art**
<https://www.biodesignstudio.com/post/city-of-kirkland-greenway-art-series-entitled-biophilia>

- 2020 **ASLA The Dirt Blog Post: *New Urban Solutions Needed for Covid 19 and Racial Injustice***
 Author: Kristina Park, edits by Jeff Hou and Erin Irby, Images by Jeff Hou, Graphics by Erin Irby
<https://dirt.asla.org/2020/06/26/new-urban-solutions-needed-for-covid-19-and-racial-injustice/>
- 2020 **Elisabeth Miller Library 2020, Collaborative Faculty/Student Indigenous Lushootseed Poster virtual display.** <https://depts.washington.edu/hortlib/hours-and-contacts/collections/student-research-posters/>
- 2019 **UW Daily Article, *Landscape Architecture is for Equity and Activism***
http://www.dailyuw.com/news/article_3113e23e-0f3b-11ea-bf65-e764eceb07d3.html
- 2011 **Architecture AU, Australian Institutes of Landscape Architects (AILA) Article *Street Works Winners Bring Underused Sydney Spaces Back to Life.*** <https://architectureau.com/articles/hassell-one-of-five-groups-chosen-to-transform-sydney-spaces-in-street-work-competition/>
- 2010 **UW Online News, Article *Bringing creativity to the banal: Students create benches tailored to their campus site.*** <https://www.washington.edu/news/2010/01/07/bringing-creativity-to-the-banal-students-create-benches-tailored-to-their-campus-sites/?menu2=>

CONFERENCES | PRESENTATIONS

- 2022 University of Washington Center for Teaching and Learning Symposium | Session: Cultivating Creativity
- 2021 Future Problem Solvers | Fairhaven Middle School, Bellingham, WA | Presentation, Green Infrastructure in Urban Design and Architecture
- 2021 Western Washington University | Invited Guest Speaker, Healing Garden Design Presentation
- 2020 WASLA Conference | Research + Presentation Engaging Teenagers in Public Space
- 2012 EDRA Presentation | Emergent Placemaking: Activating Public Space through Design, Presentation panel Kristina Park, Jenny Kempson, Lauren Keen, Mary Fialko, and Nancy Rottle
- 2011 Australian Institute of Architects: Presentation, Winning Art Entry, Urban Waterfall
- 2011 AIA Urban Forum: Presentation, City of Seattle Holding Patterns Winning Art Entry, Sail Away

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE + PROJECT MANAGEMENT + LAND USE PLANNING PRACTICE

- 2018 – 2022 BioDesign Studio | Owner, Principal Landscape Architect + Urban Designer
- 2017 – 2018 The West Studio | Project Manager + Landscape Architect
- 2013 – 2017 Core Design | Landscape Architect / Designer
- 2012 – 2013 Site Workshop | Landscape Designer
- 2008 – 2011 University of Washington | Various student research and teaching assistant positions

- 2003 – 2008 Pacific Telecom Services | Business Development + Project Manager
- 2002 – 2003 Parsons Engineering | Public Policy Specialist
- 2000 – 2002 SBA Telecom | Land Use Planner
- 1999 – 2000 Mietzner Land Development | Development Manager

SELECT WORKS: PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

- 2021 – Present **Millworks Project Affordable Housing Community + Food Campus**, Bellingham, WA
 Project Partners Mercy Housing NW, Whatcom Community Foundation
 Services Provided Community Engagement + Landscape Architecture
 Design Team RMC Architects, Wilson Engineering, BioDesign Studio

- 2021 – Present **Ecolibrium Farms, 12 Acre Resilient Market Garden Farm**, Woodinville, WA
 Project Partners Ecolibrium Farms
 Services Provided Project Feasibility | Landscape Architecture
 Design Team Graham Baba, M|G Surveyors, Wetland Resources, BioDesign

- 2021 – Present **Skagit Fisheries Enhancement Group + Forterra**, Hamilton, WA
 Project Partners Forterra and Skagit Fisheries Enhancement Group
 Services Provided Trail Design + Environmental Education Signage
 Design Team BioDesign Studio

- 2019 - 2021 **Kirkland Greenways Public Art Installation**, N+S Rose Hill Neighborhood, Kirkland, WA
 Project Partners Kirkland Art Commission | Kirkland Public Works
 Services Provided Community Engagement | Design | Fabrication | Installation
 Design Team BioDesign Studio | Coffman Engineers

- 2018 – 2020 **Bellingham Waterfront Shipping Container Pop-Up Masterplan**, Bellingham, WA
 Project Partners Port of Bellingham | Shintaffer Beverages | COUrban
 Services Provided Master planning | Community Engagement
 Design Team COUrban | BioDesign Studio

Additional Selected Projects Performed While Employed with other Design Firms

Stillaguamish Tribe Conservation Community (Multi-Phased) Arlington, WA
 Designed while employed with The West Studio
 Canoe Workshop, completed 2019
 Wellness & Health Center, completed 2021
 Open Space Park System Masterplan completed 2021
 Elder’s Supportive Housing completed in 2021

Tolowa Community Masterplan (Multi-Phased) Smith River, CA
 Designed + Developed while employed with The West Studio

DESC Supportive Housing, Seattle, WA
Designed while employed with The West Studio

North Hill Housing Neighborhood + Parks, Duvall, WA
Designed while employed with Core Design, Inc.

Buffalo Park - Public Park, Mill Creek, WA
Designed while employed with Core Design, Inc.

Amazon South Lake Union

Graphic + design support performed while employed with Site Workshop.

COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERISM

- 2021 – 2022 Squalicum High School Community Art Project Advisor + Project Manager, Bellingham, WA
- 2011 – 2021 Professional Critiques, University of Washington Final Studio Presentations (served as a final project reviewer for several studios annually)
- 2020 Equal Justice Initiative, Volunteer Donation Organizer, 1-week social media campaign \$1,200 raised | <https://eji.org/>
- 2018 – 2020 Happy Valley Elementary Mathematics Classroom Volunteer
- 2015 – 2018 BF Day Elementary Play Improvements, Steering Committee Member
- 2018 R.A.I.N Animal Rescue, Foster Dog Volunteer | Pregnant Dog Fostering
- 2013 Seattle Aquarium Volunteer Beach Naturalist
- 2011 – 2013 Friends of Green Lake Volunteer Vice President (2012)
- 2013 Mercy Corps, Volunteer Donation Organizer, 2 week social media campaign for Haiti \$1,175 raised | <https://www.mercycorps.org/>
- 2008 – 2009 Friends of Seward Park Play Improvement Steering Committee Member
- 2005 Seattle Bicycle Advisory Board Board Member
- 2000 – 2005 Team and Training Volunteer Marathon Coach + Participant

TECHNICAL + MAKER SKILLS

- FLUENT AutoCad, Construction Documentation, Land F/X, Sketchup + Podium Rendering, Canvas, Online Survey Tools, Adobe Suite: Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign
- FAMILIAR BIM Project Coordination, Revit, Rhino, Lumion Rendering, Wood Working + Carpentry Skills