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zachary torres is currently a masters of architecture candidate at the boston architectural college. he is a recent graduate of boston university where he studied architectural studies, french, & visual arts. zachary is interested in architectural design, urbanism, & the role globalism can play in future development of cities & buildings. he strongly believes in the role that urban centers can play in modernizing & democratizing the gloabl community. zachary is also passionate about photography, & he shaped his visual arts minor around both digital & analog photography. besides his studies, he is interested in film & curatorship, enjoys traveling, & learning more about francophone culture.

education

aug. 17 - pres. **boston architectural college**
masters of architecture

sept. 13 - may 17 **boston university**
b.a. architectural studies
minors: french, visual arts
kilachand honors college

july 16 **columbia university**
introduction to architecture

sept. - dec. 15 **study abroad**, paris
internship

may - july 14 **study abroad**, london
& paris architecture & urbanism

undergrad thesis work: **kilachand honors college**
keystone project:
the american dormitory:
its history & application
at boston university

work

feb. 18 - pres. **intern at favreau designs / the favreaulous factory** (boston, ma)
-model furniture
-stage vignettes
-source materials
-propose interior & furniture designs

sept. 16 - may 17 **photography lab monitor**
at bu college of fine arts (boston, ma)
-supervise the darkrooms & digital lab
-respond to student inquiries & technical questions
-provide creative criticism

sept. 17 - pres. **designer gateway project: designing for dignity**
-generation of public space
-research & site analysis
-design resource pathways

may 17 - pres. **visitor assistant at the institute of contemporary art (boston, ma)**
-engage in artistic, critical, & intelligent conversations with guests
-develop deep understanding of artwork
-oversee galleries & ensure positive guest experiences

nov. - dec. 15 **intern at nelson wilmotte architectes (paris, france)**
-multi-family/ industrial fit-out
-create 3D models & architectural drawings using sketchup & autocad
-prepare client presentations
-research materials & furnishings

sept. 13 - may 17 **office assistant at bu office of student programs & leadership (boston, ma)**
-organize student activities
-prepare & lead information sessions for prospective students
-prepare social media content

english (native)

french (c2)

sketchup

autocad

photoshop

photography

indesign

illustrator

microsoft suite

archival research

laser cutter

portuguese (conv)

rhino

revit

activities & projects

apr. 17

architecture association student exhibition (boston)

-organize,
curate,contribute,
and exhibit students'
architectural inspired art

mar. 17

photographic resource center student exhibition (boston)

-exhibit photographic
work entitled *heterotopia*

spring 16

makebetter syria: postwar housing competition

-group project to develop
long-term housing in
postwar syria
-create architectural
drawings, renderings,
and models

awards

may 17

gregory hudson alumni award for writing excellence in the humanities

-awarded for the final
essay in architectural
materials & technologies,
entitled "materiality &
sacred space in eero
saarinen's kresge chapel"