

REED HILDERBRAND

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Biography

Gary Hilderbrand, the 2017 winner of the American Society of Landscape Architects Design Medal, is a founding principal of Reed Hilderbrand LLC, in Cambridge, Massachusetts. His firm has been recognized with more than one hundred regional and national design awards. He is also the Hornbeck Professor in Practice of Landscape Architecture at Harvard University Graduate School of Design, where he has taught since 1990.

He is widely published as an author and critic on landscape architecture practice and has written three monographs: one on the American landscape architects Innocenti & Webel; another on the 1955 Miller Garden project of Daniel Urban Kiley and Eero Saarinen in Columbus, Indiana; and one on his firm's work, published with Douglas Reed in 2013. Hilderbrand's hand-constructed maps, photo-collages, and design work have been exhibited in group shows and solo exhibitions at the American Academy in Rome, Sotheby's New York, the Isabella Stuart Gardner Museum, Mass MoCA, Boston University Gallery of Art, and Harvard University. His curated exhibitions include Making a Landscape of Continuity: The Practice of Innocenti & Webel; The Sasaki Years at Harvard, which focused on iconic projects of the Sasaki firm during the years Hideo Sasaki chaired the Department of Landscape Architecture; and Reciprocities, a comprehensive look at contemporary American practices exhibited in Barcelona at the Fifth European Landscape Biennial.

His firm's monograph, *Visible Invisible*, was recognized with the Award of Excellence in Communications from ASLA, and, in the same year, Reed Hilderbrand was recognized as ASLA's Firm of the Year. In 2015, partners Douglas Reed and Gary Hilderbrand were voted among the top five "most admired practitioners" by the members of ASLA's Professional Practice Network. Design Intelligence recognized him as one of the 25 Most Influential Educators in Design in the US for 2017. He is a fellow of the American Academy in Rome, where he was recently the Mercedes T. Bass Resident in Landscape Architecture for the fall of 2017.

Education

Harvard Graduate School of Design, Master in Landscape Architecture, *with distinction*, 1985
State University of New York College of Environmental Science and Forestry, Bachelor of Landscape Architecture, *cum laude*, 1979

Awards and Fellowships

Design Medal, American Society of Landscape Architects (ASLA), 2017
Mellon Practicing Senior Fellow in Urban Landscape Studies, Dumbarton Oaks, 2016
Firm of the Year, American Society of Landscape Architects (ASLA), 2013
Emerging Voices Award, The Architectural League of New York, 2005
Election to Fellow, American Society of Landscape Architects (ASLA), 2001
Rome Prize Fellowship, American Academy in Rome, 1994-95
Charles Eliot Traveling Fellowship Award, 1985
ASLA Student Certificate of Honor, 1979, 1985

Selected Works

The Arnold Arboretum of Harvard University, Boston MA
Beck House, Dallas TX
Boscobel House, Garrison NY
Boston Harbor Islands Pavilion, Boston MA
Buffalo Bayou Turkey Bend, Houston TX
Cambridge Urban Forest Master Plan, Cambridge MA
Central Wharf Plaza, Boston MA
Chazen Museum of Art, Madison WI
The Clark Art Institute, Williamstown MA
Cranbrook, Bloomfield Hills MI
Dallas Museum of Art, Dallas TX
Dumbarton Oaks Library & Archive, Washington DC
Duke University, Durham NC
The First Church of Christ, Scientist, Boston MA
Franklin Park Action Plan, Boston MA
Groton School, Groton MA
Half-Mile Line, West Stockbridge MA
Harvard Naito/Bauer Life Sciences Courtyards, Cambridge MA
Harvard Business School, Boston MA
Hockfield Court, MIT, Cambridge MA
Lever House Repositioning, New York NY
Liberty Wharf, Boston MA
Long Dock Park, Beacon NY



MIT Schwarzman College of Computing, Cambridge MA
Mount Auburn Cemetery, Cambridge MA
North Corridor, MIT, Cambridge MA
The Ohio State University, Columbus OH
One Kenmore Square, Boston MA
Phoenix Art Museum, Phoenix AZ
Pier 4, Boston MA
President's Park South Design Competition, Washington DC
Private Sculpture Park, Hunting Valley OH
Rose Fitzgerald Kennedy Greenway Parcel 14, Boston MA
Rosserne, Northeast Harbor ME
Scenic Drive, Austin TX
Storm King Art Center, Mountainville NY
Taft Museum of Art, Cincinnati OH
Tidal Basin Ideas Lab, Washington DC
Volpe Transportation Center, Cambridge MA
Yale Science Hill Framework, New Haven CT
Yale Sciences Plaza, New Haven CT

Teaching

Mr. Hilderbrand has taught at the Harvard Graduate School of Design since 1990. He is the Peter Louis Hornbeck Professor in Practice of Landscape Architecture, and was director of the Master in Landscape Architecture degree programs, 1996-1999. He also served as an instructor at Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya, Barcelona, Intensive International Studio, 2001.

Mr. Hilderbrand has been guest reviewer at l'Ecole Nationale Supérieure du Paysage at Versailles; Temple University in Rome; University of Notre Dame in Rome; Department du'Urbanisme, UPC, Barcelona; Columbia University; Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Yale University; University of Virginia; University of Illinois; University of Pennsylvania; SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry; University of Toronto; Rhode Island School of Design; the Boston Architectural College; and University of California, Berkeley.

Professional Registration

Arizona, Arkansas, California, Connecticut, Florida, Idaho, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Rhode Island, Texas, Virginia, Wisconsin