

# ADELINA KOLEVA

ARCHITECTURAL DESIGNER  
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## SUMMARY

Dedicated student and practitioner of architectural design, currently working toward NCARB accreditation. Experienced in commercial, residential, and civic projects at a variety of scales. Familiar with project delivery in all phases of design. Strong abilities in design and visual communication. Proficient in most common types industry software.

PERSONAL DETAILS      Nationality      Bulgaria and United States  
Date of birth      July 5th, 1992 (age 24)  
Address      12 Coney Way  
London, SW8 1LW

LANGUAGES      English (native), Bulgarian (native), German (B2), Spanish (novice)

SKILLS

Software	Rhino	●●●●●	3DS Max	●●○○○
	AutoCAD	●●●●●	Photoshop	●●●●○
	Revit	●●●●●	Illustrator	●●●●●
	SketchUp	●●○○○	InDesign	●●●○○

Fabrication      Laser cutting, 3D printing, CNC mill, metalwork,  
woodwork, ceramics, cement, plaster, paper  
products

Visual arts      Watercolour, pastel, charcoal, acrylic

EDUCATION      Bachelor of Arts in Architecture, Rice University      2014  
Bachelor of Architecture (NAAB), Rice University      2016

AWARDS      Ralph S. Herman Memorial Scholarship      2015  
Chelsea Architects Award      2013  
Roy Jones Fellowship, University of Leipzig Herder Institute      2011  
Erin MacKenzie Peck Memorial Scholarship      2011

EMPLOYMENT

Kohn, Pedersen, Fox & Associates	
• Junior / Part II	2016-present
• Downtown West Dubai plot B4 mixed-use tower (SD, DD / BIM)	
• Appold Street London mixed-use tower (DD / BIM)	
• Responsible for internal tower planning, including stairs, support for presentations, and coordination with consultants	
• Intern / Part I	2014-2015
• Earl's Court London residential masterplan (SD / BIM)	
• Responsible for analyzing unit areas of typical plots and developing building prototypes	
• Abu Dhabi Airport Midfield Terminal Complex (CD)	
• Assisted with duty-free canopy redesign, setting-out drawings, internal elevations, and QA/QC	
Agency-Agency Architects	
• Intern / Part I	2014
• Big Brothers Big Sisters Houston headquarters (SD / Rhino)	
• Led concept design for 20,000 sq. ft. office building; worked directly with client to develop program requirements and address user needs	
• Project is currently under construction and scheduled for completion later this year	

EMPLOYMENT	K2LD Architects	2013
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Intern / Part I</li> <li>· Assisted as modelmaker and drafts person for various projects, including a private residence in Jalan Bahasa, the G Hotel in Malaysia, and layouts for print publications</li> </ul>	
	Rice Art Gallery	2013-2014
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Graphic designer</li> <li>· Designed and developed print publications documenting the exhibitions of past artists, including El Ultimo Grito (<i>Garden Object</i>), Gaia (<i>Marshland</i>), and Yasuaki Onishi (<i>Reverse of Volume</i>)</li> </ul>	
	Willy's Pub	2012-2014
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Graphic designer, marketing</li> <li>· Designed digital and print advertising campaigns for events and promotions, notably <i>Keep the Glass</i> and <i>International Beer Night</i></li> </ul>	
EXPERIENCE	AA SummerBuild Program, Hooke Park	begin 2017
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Four-week programme assisting in the construction of experimental timber buildings with Design + Make M.Arch. students</li> </ul>	
	AIA UK board member	2017
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· The first international chapter of the AIA, founded 1992</li> <li>· Responsibilities include management of social media platforms for the public relations committee</li> </ul>	
	Young Designers Forum, KPF	2014-2017
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Internal organization for emerging professionals, addressing current architectural issues through office-wide discourse</li> <li>· Past roles include photographer, lecturer, and committee member</li> </ul>	
	Teaching assistant, undergraduate studio, Rice University	2016
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· ARCH 305: <i>Architecture for Non-Architects</i></li> <li>· One-semester interdisciplinary course in design</li> <li>· Responsibilities included preparing materials and curriculum, lecturing, assigning homework, serving on jury reviews, and meeting with students individually to monitor weekly progress</li> </ul>	
	Rice School of Architecture - Paris Program	2015
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Upper-level design studio based in Paris, on the topic of <i>Architectural Cannibalism</i>; selected by application</li> </ul>	
	Rice School of Architecture - Preceptorship Program	2014-2015
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Year-long practicum between the fourth and fifth year of the B.Arch. curriculum; selected by application to intern at KPF London</li> </ul>	
Student design competition, first place	2014	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Interactive design-build public art installation, <i>Soundworm</i>, featured in ArchDaily article <i>Best Student Work Worldwide</i></li> <li>· Led initial planning, funding, and permitting efforts</li> </ul>		
Rice Building Workshop volunteer, PhotoFest Pop-Up Gallery	2016	
Rice Building Workshop volunteer, Hermann Park Pavilion	2014	
Habitat for Humanity volunteer, Centennial House	2012	
AIA Home Tour volunteer, 9 <sup>o</sup> House / Interloop Architecture	2011	