

Michael S. Bernard

Michael S. Bernard has built a career upon successful project and firm management. He acts as mentor and monitor, serving in the capacity of consulting managing principal for small design firms that do not have one. Michael is capable of addressing operations issues that affect the everyday life of the small design practice: development of revenue models, development of fee projections, the review and preparation of contracts, fees and schedules, the mentoring of senior staff to foster their development as effective project managers. Michael's range of clients includes the allied disciplines of architecture, landscape architecture, interior design and construction. Michael also oversees architectural projects, such as the program confirmation of the \$25 million (estimated) Osher Center for Integrative Medicine at UCSF. He also works with the Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy, to help them develop an effective organizational structure that acknowledges growth and continuity of this important non-profit group.

Key to his successful project delivery is a highly developed ability to work closely with all of the people that make firms successful and that make projects happen. He understands the value of mentoring the diverse groups of people that work together. He places high importance on clear and mutual understanding of a firm's core values and goals – both those of the principals of the firms with which he works as well as those of their employees.

EDUCATION

Master of Architecture, University of California, Los Angeles, 1982

Academic term at the American Academy in Rome with Charles W. Moore, 1980

Bachelor of Arts, Experimental Psychology, University of California, Santa Barbara, 1979

PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATION AND AFFILIATION

Licensed by the State of California (C17799)

Certified by National Council of Architectural Registration Boards (NCARB)

Former Director, American Institute of Architects, San Francisco Chapter

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Virtual Practice (2006)

San Francisco, CA
Principal and Management Consultant

Current Clients:

Case + Abst Architects
CMG Landscape Architecture
Diseño Design Support Services
Robert Frear, Architects, Inc.
Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy
Klopf Architecture
Malcolm Davis Architecture, Inc.
Marta Fry Landscape Architecture
Moroso Construction
Naylor & Chu, Inc.
The Osher Center for Integrative Medicine at UCSF
The Shalleck Collaborative
Zack-DeVito Architecture

California College of the Arts (Spring 2006 forward)

San Francisco, CA
Lecturer, Department of Architecture, Professional Practice

Mark Cavagnero Associates (2006)

San Francisco, CA
Associate; Director of Operations

Selected Projects:

San Roque School—Santa Barbara, CA

Andrew Skurman, Architect (2004 – 2005)

San Francisco, CA
Managing Principal

Selected Projects:

Pelican Hill Inn—Newport Beach, CA

Cohn Bernard Architecture (2003 – 2004)

San Francisco, CA
Principal

Selected Projects:

Pediatric Immunology Laboratories Renovation—
University of California, San Francisco
Crossroads Cafe Tenant Improvements,
University of San Francisco—San Francisco, CA
One Shaw Place Due Diligence Survey—San Francisco, CA
The National Center for International Schools Tenant Improvements—
San Francisco, CA
Pier 1 Improvements—San Francisco, CA

SMWM (1996-2003)

San Francisco, CA
Senior Associate (2001), Associate (1999)

Selected Projects:

The Osher Center for Integrative Medicine at UCSF—
San Francisco, CA
Cupertino Civic Center and Library—Cupertino, CA
Pier 1 Historic Rehabilitation—San Francisco, CA
California State Office Building (interior tenant improvements)—
San Francisco, CA
The National Center for International Schools—San Francisco, CA

Michael Willis & Associates (1991 – 1995)

San Francisco, CA

Selected Projects:

Earth Sciences Building/Controlled Atmosphere Laboratories,
University of California—Berkeley, CA
East Bay Municipal Utilities District Orinda Water Treatment Plant—
Orinda, CA
Castro Valley Sanitary District Administration Building and Corporation
Yard—Castro Valley, CA
City of Oakland Emergency Operations Center and Fire Dispatch
Center—Oakland, CA
East Palo Alto Sanitary District Administration Building and
Corporation Yard—East Palo Alto, CA
Dignity Housing West II - Oakland, CA
Paramount Theatre of the Arts Seismic Strengthening and Accessibility
Study—Oakland, CA
Historic American Building Survey (HABS), Cecil H. Green Library,
Stanford University—Stanford, CA

Ripley Associates (1989 – 1991)

San Francisco, CA

Selected Projects:

French American International School High School Expansion—UC
Extension Campus, San Francisco, CA
Northern Regional Library Facility, University of California, Richmond
Field Station—Richmond, CA
Graduate School of Management Concept Design, University of
California—Riverside, CA

ELS/Elbasani and Logan, Architects (1987-1989)

Berkeley, CA

Selected Projects:

Ford Center for Sports and Recreation—Stanford University,
Stanford, CA
Ala Moana Shopping Center—Honolulu, HI