

curriculum vitae

Omar Qubain | International Project Manager & Multidisciplinary Designer

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About

Detail oriented & all-around creative. My superpower is a fierce drive to keep solutions simple. Seeking to create striking marks for an eclectic collective of individuals, companies & organizations.

Languages

Arabic | *native* - English | *fluent* - Italian | *Intermediate level*

Education

2017 - 2018 ○ **Scuola Politecnica di Design SPD** | Milan, Italy
Master in Industrial Design

2014 - 2015 ○ **Domus Academy (Laureate International Universities)** | Milan, Italy
MArc - Master in Urban Vision & Architectural Design
Awarded first prize scholarship covering 70% of total tuition fee

2009 - 2013 ○ **Emily Carr University of Art + Design** | Vancouver, Canada
BD (Bachelor of Design) Industrial Design

2008 - 2009 ○ **University of British Columbia** | Vancouver, Canada
Faculty of Arts

2006 - 2008 ○ **Amman Baccalaureate School** | Amman, Jordan
International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB)

Professional Experience

2019 Apr. - 2022 Jul. ○ **Satoshi Kawamoto** | Milan, Italy
International Project Manager for Plant Artist Satoshi Kawamoto
Managed projects that facilitated the creation of bespoke plant-based art installations across three different continents. Coordinated multiple projects for high level brands from conception through to completion. Including drafting contracts, engaging in client budget negotiations, client outreach, putting together professional design proposals, material sourcing, direct creative engagement, as well as on-ground art coordination. Lead Mr. Kawamoto's visual rebranding effort. Supported in generating online content both for Social Media and Mr. Kawamoto's portfolio website.

2018 Sep. - Dec. ○ **Total Tool s.r.l.** | Milan, Italy
Industrial Design Internship
Developed design strategies & solutions for various clients including: Louis Vuitton, Reggio Children Foundation, Fluiball, Koochie Global & Zanuso Legno.

2016 Jun. - Oct. ○ **Cibic Workshop** | Milan, Italy
Personal Assistant to Founder + Designer Mr. Aldo Cibic
Worked closely with Mr. Cibic to provide administrative support, on a one-to-one basis. Helped make the best use of his time by dealing with secretarial tasks.

2015 Mar. - Jul. ○ **Studio Andrea Vercellotti** | Milan, Italy
Master Thesis Internship
Gained real-world experience in the field of urban design & developed further architectural sensitivity under the tutelage of Mr. Vercellotti.

2011 Jun. - Aug. ○ **Sketch Studio** | Amman, Jordan
Communication Design Internship
Assisted in graphic design work with a particular focus on generating & reinventing corporate identities as well as brand development.

Continued Education

2013 Nov. **Design Institute Amman** | Amman, Jordan
Product + Furniture Design Workshop
Focused on evolving traditional crafts techniques to create new design objects.

2013 Sep. **Architectural Association Visiting School** | Amman, Jordan
Desert Ecologies
Focused on re-imagining the process of developing macro & micro architectural interventions within Jordanian desert ecologies.

Additional Experience

2013 Nov. **Global Power Shift** | Istanbul, Turkey + Amman, Jordan
Participant + Organizer
Kick started a campaign aimed at addressing local climate change challenges. Awarded a grant in the sum of US \$10,000 by Global Environment Fund.

2010 - 2015 **Greenpeace Local Branch** | Amman, Jordan
Co-founder + Volunteer
Co-founded the local volunteer branch of Greenpeace; a global independent campaigning & environmental protection organization.

Skills

Well versed in Mac & PC operating systems.
IT: basic drafting, technical drawing, conceptual sketching & mixed media drawings.

Prototyping: wood, concrete, clay, plaster, foam, paper, cardboard, laser cutting, CAD milling & 3D printing.



Rhinoceros 3D

Keyshot

Solidworks

Vray (Rhino + Sketchup)

Google Sketchup

PhotoView 360

Awards/ Exhibitions/ Publications

- **"Mustakbal Offices"** interior design project featured on **Architizer** website | Jul. 14
- **"Pep"** exhibited at **MOOD - Museum of Outstanding Design** | Como | Jun. 10 - July 31
- **"Pep"** published in the **A' Design Award Winner Designs yearbook** | May 8, 2019
- **"Pep"** awarded the **Bronze A' Design Award in Furniture, Decorative Items & Homeware Design Category** by the International Design Academy | Milan | May 8, 2019
- **"Foodprints"** exhibited in **Cascina Cuccagna as part of Fourisalone** | Milan | Apr. 2018

- **"Mi.bin"** awarded 1st place of the **"New Urban Ecology" Design Completion** organized by Green Island in collaboration Centostazioni SpA, | Milan | Apr. 2016
- **"Reefscapes"** exhibited at **The Concourse & Media Galleries at Emily Carr University** | Vancouver | Jan. 2014
- **"Reefscapes"** featured at the **Int. Conference on Design Principles & Practices** | Vancouver | Jan. 2014
- **AA Visiting School Jordan** project exhibited at **Trendsetting IV: Architect as Designer** at the Nabad Art Gallery | Amman | Dec. 2013 - Jan. 2014
- **"Reefscapes"** exhibited at **"The Show at ECU: Adventures in Design, Visual Art & Media"** | Vancouver | May 2013
- Bachelors project **"Perk"** mentioned in **Current: Design Research Journal** (Issue 04) | Mar. 2013
- **"A Folding Chair Affair"** showcased at **18KARAT** | Vancouver | May 2012