

Ruben Ruiz

Senior Project Architect |  Santiago, Chile

Spanish architect based in Chile, with 15 years of experience in residential and commercial projects across Europe and Asia. I develop projects from conceptual phase through construction, integrating programmatic analysis, technical development, and 3D modeling. Experience leading teams in international contexts.

Alongside architecture, I have experience in web development (React, JavaScript, full-stack) and Python programming for data analysis.

Registered with the UK's **Architects Registration Board (ARB)** since 2016. Reg. No: 087083H



Experience

- 2021.02 - present

Freelance Architect (Part Time)

Remote work |  Santiago, Chile & Buenos Aires, Argentina

 - Working on residential and commercial projects, from concept to construction.
 - Delivering 3D models, technical drawings, and design solutions remotely.
 - Collaborating with international clients, ensuring efficient remote project execution.
- 2016.12 - 2021.12

Senior Project Architect

KplusK Associates |  Hong Kong

 - Led architecture and interior design projects in Hong Kong, Taiwan, and Indonesia.
 - Managed project teams, ensuring projects stayed on schedule and met design goals.
 - Developed parametric designs using Rhino3D & Grasshopper.
 - Worked directly with clients, consultants, and contractors to align expectations and resolve issues.
- 2016.09 - 2016.12

Design Architect

Container Box Creative Design Engineering Ltd |  Shenzhen, China

 - Designed shipping container buildings, from concept to construction-ready designs.
 - Conducted design research to refine structural layouts and material choices.
 - Presented design proposals to clients, refining solutions based on feedback.
- 2015.03 - 2016.10

Freelance Architect

Remote work |  Hong Kong

 - Designed retail interiors, residential layouts, and hospitality spaces.
 - Developed competition entries for architectural design contests.
- 2012.09 - 2014.12

Senior Architect

HMD Architecture Design |  Shanghai, China

 - Designed retail, commercial, and hospitality buildings, focusing on façades, layouts, and detailed elements.
 - Created 3D models, CAD drawings, and presentations for internal and client reviews.
 - Worked with the team to ensure the cohesiveness of project aesthetics.
- 2011.06 - 2012.09

Architect

W&R International Design Group |  Shanghai, China

 - Developed concept designs for commercial, residential, and urban planning projects.
 - Produced technical drawings and 3D models.
 - Met with clients across multiple cities in China and abroad to discuss design proposals.

Personal Info

- Nationality

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Credentials



ARB UK Registered Architect

Skills

- AutoCad
- SketchUp
- Rhino + Grasshopper
- Revit / Archicad
- Photoshop / Illustrator

Other Skills

- Web Development
- Python
- HTML / CSS
- Javascript

Languages

- Spanish:** Native Speaker
- English:** Fluent (Professional Proficiency, with years of exclusive work experience in English-speaking environments)

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2010.09 - 2010.12

Architect

Frankham Consultancy Group |  Oxford, UK

- Created architectural drawings for refurbishment projects.
- Worked closely with the design team to ensure accuracy and alignment with project goals.

2009.10 - 2010.03

Architect

Enclave Arquitectura |  Valencia, Spain

- Designed housing, refurbishment, and urban furniture projects.
- Produced CAD drawings and collaborated on project details.

2009.02 - 2009.08

Architect

Information Based Architecture (IBA) |  Amsterdam, Netherlands

- Contributed to conceptual designs for international competitions.
- Developed 3D models, physical models, and presentation visuals.

2005.12 - 2006.05

Exhibition Designer

Observatori 2006 |  Valencia, Spain

- Co-designed the exhibition space for the International Festival of Art & Research Observatori 2006.
- Created detailed plans and visual materials for installation.

Education

2000 - 2008

Master of Architecture (M.Arch.)

Universidad Politécnica de Valencia |  Valencia, Spain

- Studied architectural design and theory, structural analysis and calculations, construction techniques, and urban planning.
- Developed skills in concept design, technical drawing, and 3D modeling.
- Completed a final thesis on a Cultural Center in Valencia.

2006 - 2007

Erasmus Student Exchange Programme

Wrocław University of Science and Technology (Politechnika Wrocławska) |  Wrocław, Poland

- Spent one year in an international academic environment, gaining exposure to different design approaches and working on collaborative projects.

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