

RESUME JOHN PAUL STEGMAN

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EDUCATION

Washington University in St. Louis, Sam Fox School of Design & Visual Arts

Master of Architecture, 2026

GPA: 3.95

University of Kentucky, College of Design

B.A. Architecture, 2024

GPA: 4.00

ACADEMIC EXPERTISE

Y.E.S Competition Winner

With a team of 3 others, won a design competition to build the Year End Showcase for Graduate Student Work. This was built and presented to the public in May 2026.

Instructor's Assistant for Grad Housing Studio

Critiqued student work and assisted them through deliverables and expectations

Student Advocacy Chair for Graduate Architecture Council

Acted as mediator between students and the administration. Met with faculty to discuss solutions to student wants and needs. Organized Focus Groups amongst peers at request of administration.

Undergraduate Certificate in Historic Preservation

Learned the importance of preservation, restoration, and adaptive reuse to heritage, memory, and embodied carbon.

KEY SKILLS

Digital:

Rhinoceros; Adobe Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop, Lightroom; REVIT; V-Ray; Twinmotion; Enscape; Bluebeam Revu

Physical:

woodshop, laser-cutter, modelmaking,

EXPERIENCE

Arcturis

Architectural Intern, St. Louis, MO / May-August 2025

Created imagery for proposal. Participated in multiple site visits at different levels of completion. Developed construction documents. Produced design award collateral. Produced and experimented with embodied energy modeling for skyscraper project. Participated in design charrette. Developed a Materials Action Plan according to AIA standards for the firm.

Joseph & Joseph

Architectural Intern, Louisville, KY / May-August 2024

Worked on many projects within existing buildings. Surveyed, measured, and 3d-scanned existing buildings. Designed within the constraints of these buildings. Created renders for projects. Made code spreadsheets to determine compliance. Produced advertising material like construction signs, billboards, and fair posters.

Luckett & Farley

Architectural Intern, Louisville, KY / May-August 2023

Worked on projects ranging from adaptive reuse, community centers, distilleries, offices, etc. Designed in all phases of the project from pre-design to the final check of a building. Collaborated within teams made of architects, engineers, and interior designers. Participated in charrettes with clients. Visited sites in different stages of construction. Produced detailed construction drawings.

University of Kentucky College of Design

Research Assistant under Jeffrey Fugate, Lexington, KY / February-May 2024

Participated in Jeff Fugate's Sustainable Housing Initiative, an educational initiative to bring knowledge of the best, most sustainable building practices to rural Kentucky where flooding has become a major issue. Designed a poster to demonstrate the layers of the envelope and methods of construction. Built a full-scale mock-up to demonstrate these techniques.

AWARDS & ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Master of Architecture Degree Project Book Award, 2026

One of three students to receive recognition for excellent work in our final Degree Project

Sam Fox Architecture Faculty Award for Outstanding Scholarship, 2026

Awarded by faculty in recognition for high achievements throughout their degree program

Graduate Approach Publication, 2025-26 (3x)

Studio work selected for publication in the Sam Fox School's Graduate Approach publication.

UK College of Design Architecture Book Award, 2021-24 (4x)

Received a book in recognition for quality studio work.

Student Choice Award: Art on the Town, 2022

Designed an art kiosk with fellow student Parker Richards for the Art on the Town design competition amongst my cohort. Our submission was selected in the top 5 and won the student choice award for favorite kiosk.

Tau Sigma Delta Honors Society in Architecture and Allied Arts, 2024

Invited to Kentucky's Alpha Chi Chapter in recognition of academic achievement.