# JAY WHITE, AIA, LEED AP

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### **EXECUTIVE PROFILE:**

Broad-based experience in architectural practice: award-winning design innovation, community engagement, historic preservation expertise, financial management, business development and marketing, strategic planning, operational efficiency & corporate restructurings, professional recruitment, studio culture and talent retention. Demonstrated skill for building high caliber teams to raise community expectations for buildings we can all be proud of.

Adaptable to diverse cultural environments.

Sector experience includes: historic preservation, municipal, state agency, federal agency, commercial, nonprofit and higher education.

### **EXPERIENCE:**

### Liollio Architecture, Inc., Charleston, SC

September 2012 to Present

#### Principal and Preservation Market Leader

Shareholder of a 25-person design-focused firm with 60 years of experience in Municipal, Federal, Higher Education, K-12 and Healthcare markets. Firmwide annual revenues of \$4.5MM

- In-house subject expert in Historic Preservation across all markets.
- Serves on Executive Committee, providing analysis of profit & loss, cash flows, employee utilization, projected revenues and earned value.
- Directs firm-wide recruitment efforts at all levels.
- Directs firm-wide project management efforts, coordinating staffing, resource for contract negotiations and project budgeting.
- Shepherds in-house collective design review of all ongoing projects.
- Emphasizes balance between the conservation of historic buildings and the introduction of contemporary building methods and materials.

#### City of Charleston Board of Architectural Review - Large

May 2012 to Present

### Appointed Civic Official, Large Project Board

Established in 1931 with the creation of America's first preservation ordinance, the BAR defends "the preservation and protection of the old historic or architecturally worthy structures and quaint neighborhoods which impart a distinct aspect to the city and which serve as visible reminders of the historical and cultural heritage of the city, the state, and the nation."

# Watson Tate Savory Liollio Architecture, Inc., Charleston, SC

January 2011 to August 2012

## Associate, Project Manager and Preservation Market Leader

Reported to Managing Principal – Charleston Office. Formed by merger, WTSL held Offices in Charleston, Columbia, SC, Charlotte and Asheville, NC.

- Led Charleston Transition Team during merger
- Connected studio cultures
- Bridged workflow issues between office locations

### Liollio Architecture, Inc., Charleston, SC

July 2000 to December 2010

# Associate, Project Manager

Reported to Managing Principal. Offices in Charleston, SC and Asheville, NC

### LICENSURE:

South Carolina, no. 7313

#### **EDUCATION:**

B.Arch., Auburn University, Auburn, AL 2000
 Recipient of University Presidential Scholarship, covering full tuition

### **SELECTED SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS:**

- A Rhinoceros in a Cloud of Points, 2015 South Carolina Federation of Museums Conference, Florence, SC
- Midcentury Modernism, Civil Rights, and Social Change, 2014 South Carolina Historic Preservation Conference
- Using Culture as a Guide: Gullah-Geechee Cultural Heritage Preservation Through New Civic Architecture, 2014
  Masters of the Building Arts Festival at the American College of the Building Arts, Charleston, SC
- Preservation of Midcentury Modernism, 2014 South Carolina Statewide Preservation Conference, Columbia, SC
- Panelist, Contemporary Architecture for Historic Places, 2013 AIASC Spring Conference, Charleston, SC

#### **CIVIC & PROFESSIONAL:**

- Member Association for Preservation Technology International
- Member AIA South Carolina
- Member National Trust for Historic Preservation
- Member Preservation Society of Charleston (2002 Present)
- Member Frances R. Edmunds Society, Historic Charleston Foundation (Inducted 2009)
- Elder First(Scots) Presbyterian Church (2009 Present)
- Chair First(Scots) Presbyterian Church Preservation Committee (2010 Present)
- Board Member The Scottish Society of Charleston (2007 2010)
- Vice President The Scottish Society of Charleston (2010)
- Chair 39<sup>th</sup> Charleston Scottish Games & Highland Gathering (2010)
- St. Dunstan's Guild, North American Guild of Change Ringers
- active within several other civic, fraternal and heritage societies.

### **DESIGN AWARDS:**

### St. Helena Branch Library at Penn Center

- 2014 IIDA Government/Institutional Award
- 2014 IIDA Best of Show Award
- 2013 AIA/SC Honor Award
- 2013 AIA COTE Merit Award
- 2013 AIA Charleston Honor Award
- 2013 AIA Charleston Students' Choice Award

### The Old Exchange Building, c. 1771

- 2007 SC Historic Preservation Honor Award
- 2006 Preservation Society of Charleston Carolopolis Award
- 2006 AIA/SC Special Citation Award

#### United States Custom House, Charleston, c. 1879

- 2013 AIA Charleston Merit Award
- 2012 AIA/SC Merit Award

#### Marshlands House, c. 1810

 2009 Preservation Society of Charleston Carolopolis Award

#### Old Bethel United Methodist Church, c. 1797

- 2006 Palmetto Trust for Historic Preservation Honor Award
- 2005 Preservation Society of Charleston Carolopolis Pro Merito Award
- 2004 AIA/SC Merit Design Award

#### Eastside Center for Human Concerns, c. 1859

- 2007 AIA/Charleston Honor Award
- 2006 AIA/SAR Honor Award
- 2004 PACE Honor Award
- 2004 Preservation Society of Charleston Carolopolis Award
- 2004 AIA/SC Special Commendation Award
- 2004 Brick Institute of America Design Award
- 2004 SC Historic Preservation Honor Award

### Charles Towne Landing Visitors Center

- 2009 AIA/SC Merit Award
- 2006 PACE Award
- 2006 Preservation Society of Charleston Carolopolis Award

#### St. John's Chapel

 2014 Preservation Society of Charleston Carolopolis Award

### Founders Hall at Charles Towne Landing

- 2010 SE Wood Design Award, Best Commercial Design
- 2010 AIA/SC Green Design Honor Award
- 2010 AIA/SC Merit Award
- 2010 AIA Charleston Honor Award
- 2010 AIA Charleston Students' Choice Award

#### Yeamans' Hall Clubhouse Support Facility

2014 AIA SC Citation Award

#### Kiawah Maintenance Offices

- 2007 AIA/Charleston Honor Award
- 2006 AIA/SC Honor Award
- 2006 PACE Honor Award

### SouthTrust Bank

2004 PACE Merit Award

### College of Charleston Office of Admissions

- 2013 AIA/SC COTE Merit Award
- 2012 AIA SC Merit Award

#### College of Charleston Science Center

2011 AIA/SC Honor Award

### Women's Locker Rooms, The Citadel

- 2006 AIA/SC Merit Award
- 2003 AIA South Atlantic Region Merit Design
- 2003 AIA Charleston Honor Award

### Courtenay School, c. 1955

2015 Palmetto Trust for Historic Preservation
 Honor Award