

EMPIRE PROJECTS, INC.

Project Management - Design & Construction Industries



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EDUCATION

1983-1985 : Yale University - Master of Architecture
1975-1980 : University of Toronto - Bachelor of Architecture

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE: Architecture, Engineering, Project Mgmt., Expert Witness (1990-present)

2003-Present : Empire Projects, Inc.
: Capacity: President / Services: Project Management, Expert Witness

1990-Present : Bernstein & Assoc., Architects
: Capacity: President / Services: Architecture and Engineering

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| Apts., Coops, Condos | Healthcare | Institutional | Offices |
| Banks | Hospitals | Laboratories | Residential |
| City/State/Fed Agencies | Hotels | Medical Offices | Restaurants, Retail |

EXPERT WITNESS EXPERIENCE: Design & Construction Expert Witness (2006-Present)

| # | Project Type | Description | Represent | Location |
|----|--------------------------|--|-----------|----------------|
| 1 | Medical Office Building | Standard of Care: Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Plaintiff | New York |
| 2 | Hospital | Premises Liability | Defendant | North Carolina |
| 3 | Hospital | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Plaintiff | North Carolina |
| 4 | Medical Office Building | Premises Liability | Defendant | New York |
| 5 | Medical Office Building | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Plaintiff | New York |
| 6 | Restaurant | Premises Liability | Plaintiff | New York |
| 7 | Hospital | Premises Liability | Plaintiff | Pennsylvania |
| 8 | Hospital | Premises Liability | Plaintiff | New Jersey |
| 9 | Medical Office Building | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Plaintiff | New York |
| 10 | Medical Office Building | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Plaintiff | New York |
| 11 | Bank/Shopping Center | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Defendant | Florida |
| 12 | Medical Office Building | Premises Liability | Plaintiff | New York |
| 13 | Hospital | Premises Liability | Plaintiff | New York |
| 14 | Residential | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Plaintiff | New York |
| 15 | Ambulatory. Surgery Ctr. | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Plaintiff | Ohio |
| 16 | Store | Premises Liability | Plaintiff | Pennsylvania |
| 17 | Hotel | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Plaintiff | New Jersey |
| 18 | Hotel | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Plaintiff | New Jersey |
| 19 | Hospital | Premises Liability | Plaintiff | New Jersey |
| 20 | Hospital | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Defendant | Middle East |
| 21 | Hospital | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Plaintiff | Caribbean |
| 22 | Retail | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Plaintiff | New York |
| 23 | Hotel | Construction Completion/Compliance | Plaintiff | New York |
| 24 | Hospital | Premises Liability | Defendant | New Jersey |
| 25 | Rehab / Long Term Care | ADA | Defendant | Pennsylvania |
| 26 | Hospital | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Defendant | Missouri |
| 27 | Hotel | ADA, Premises Liability | Plaintiff | New York |
| 28 | Fire Station | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Defendant | Tennessee |
| 29 | Medical Office Building | Premises Liability | Defendant | New York |
| 30 | Ambulatory. Surgery Ctr. | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Defendant | Arizona |
| 31 | Residential | ADA, Standard of Care - Architecture/Engin./Construction | Plaintiff | New York |
| 32 | Hospital | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Defendant | Washington, DC |
| 33 | Industrial | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Plaintiff | New York |
| 34 | Hospital | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Plaintiff | North Carolina |
| 35 | Residential | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Plaintiff | New York |
| 36 | Industrial | Premises Liability | Plaintiff | New York |
| 37 | Hospital | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Defendant | Louisiana |
| 38 | Ambulatory. Surgery Ctr. | Standard of Care - Architecture/Engineering/Construction | Plaintiff | Texas |
| 39 | School | Premises Liability | Plaintiff | New York |

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE: Architecture, Urban Design, Historic Preservation (1980-1989)

- 01/89-03/90 O'Brien Architectures (Chappaqua, NY)
Capacity : Partner
Projects : IBM (Tarrytown, NY)
 : Hudson River Museum Addition (Yonkers, NY)
 : Residential Renovations and Additions (Westchester County, NY)
- 03/86-12/88 Davis, Brody & Associates, Architects (New York, NY)
Capacity : Project Architect
Projects : Columbia University Audubon Center (New York, NY)
 : Cornell University Science Center (Ithaca, NY)
 : AT&T Solid State Technology Facility (Allentown, PA)
- Summer/84 Landmarks Preservation Commission (New York)
Capacity : Project Director
Project : Upper West Side Study (NY)
- 12/83-06/84 Office of Downtown and Harbor Development (New Haven)
Capacity : Project Urban Designer
Project : Audubon Arts Center Development (New Haven)
- 05/82-07/83 Sankey Partnership Architects (Toronto)
Capacity : Assistant Project Architect
Projects : Canadian Embassy (Riyadh, Saudi Arabia)
- 06/81-04/82 Shore Tilbe Henschel Irwin Peters - Architects and Engineers (Toronto)
Capacity : Assistant Project Architect
Project : Western Nuclear Training Center (Ontario)
 : Hanscomb Roy Head Office (Toronto)
- 06/80-05/81 Dunlop Farrow Aitken - Architects and Engineers (Toronto)
Capacity : Assistant Project Architect
Projects : Grace Hospital (Windsor, Ontario)
 : Oakville Hotel (Oakville, Ontario)

AWARDS, APPOINTMENTS AND AFFILIATIONS

- Licenses: Architecture : NY, CT, NJ (NCARB certification facilitates licensing in entire USA & Canada)
Member: Architecture : American Institute of Architects (AIA)
 : National Council of Architectural Registration Boards (NCARB)
Member: Green Building : LEED®AP
Member: Construction : Construction Specifications Institute, Project Management Institute
Work Featured in : Architects FORUM, Architectural Record, Crain's New York Business, Design Solutions, Hospitality Design, New York Real Estate Journal, Progressive Architecture, Sound & Communications, The New York Times
Winning Entry : Progressive Architecture Design Review
Visiting Arch. Lecturer : Yale University, Lehigh University
Panelist : Construction Management Association of America
 : American Society for Health Care Engineering
Author: Books : Two books on contemporary architecture