

ALY HAJJAJ

PROJECT ARCHITECT
LEED® GREEN ASSOCIATE
CERTIFIED LCA SPECIALIST
SAP BUILDING EVALUATOR
ASSOC. AIA



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SKILLS

- Figma
- Revit
- BIM 360
- One Click LCA
- Enscape
- AutoCAD Architecture
- 3Ds Max
- Adobe Suite
- Rhino-Grasshopper
- Sketch-Up
- Ladybug
- Bluebeam Revu

LANGUAGES

English: Professionally Fluent
Arabic: Mother Tongue
Deutsch: A2
French: CEFR 12

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EXPERIENCE

2023 X-ARCHITECTS

(DUBAI, UAE)

PROJECT ARCHITECT

- Lead design decisions and approach for projects.
- Verified quality of deliverables and compliance with specs.
- Resolve design and timeline issues, ensuring timely completion of a 1.3 billion SAR Project from Concept to IFC.
- Participate in stakeholder management
- Assist with the management of junior & assistant architects.

2021 URBAN DWELL ARCHITECTS

(CALIFORNIA, USA)

PROJECT LEAD ARCHITECT

- Reduced risk and coordinated project specifications to meet safety and federal compliance.
- Verified quality of deliverables and compliance to specs. before submitting it to clients.
- Planned, executed and promoted a total of 12 projects in 2022.

2021 EVOLVE INTERIORS

(CAIRO, EGYPT)

INTERIOR ARCHITECT | SUSTAINABILITY CONSULTANT

- Design energy-efficient, sustainable interior spaces.
- Applying strategies to reach maximum human comfort.

2020 HOMZMART

(CAIRO, EGYPT)

ARCHITECT | PRODUCT DESIGNER

- Design and develop existing and new products.
- Execution of new releases.

2017 EMERGING MEDIA UK

(LONDON, UK)

GRAPHIC DESIGNER

- Determine how to represent a concept visually.
- Lead social media designs team.

PUBLICATIONS & RESEARCH

2023 ISBN 978-981-99-6368-3

SPRINGER, CEAC 2023

(Tokyo, Japan)

- The Effect of Geometry Parameters on Daylighting of School Buildings in the Gaza Strip.

2024 JOURNAL OF BUILDING ENGINEERING

ELSEVIER - REVIEWER

- ISSN: 2352-7102 - 8 Reviews contribution to the journal.

EDUCATION

EDINBURGH NAPIER (Scotland, UK)

2020 - 2021 | Interior Design Prof. Diploma

HTI (Cairo, Egypt)

2019- 2014 | BSc. Arch. | CGPA: 2.80



ACHIEVEMENTS

2025

- Making Architecture Accessible
- Ancient Design Principles
- K-12 Outreach: Best Practices
- Impact of sound on IEQ

2023

- Reviewer | EL SEVIER
- SAP Evaluator | CAL-OES
- McKinsey Forward Program

2022

- Certified Specialist | Oneclick LCA

2021

- Peoples Choice Award | UNI XYZ
- Associate | AIA
- LEED® Green Associate | USGBC
- Cert. Of Completion | UNICEF
- Cert. Of Graduation | UGreen-US

2019

- Cert. Of Completion | AM STUDIO

2016

- All For One & One For All | EM UK

2014

- Cert. Of Appreciation | MICROSOFT

WORKSHOPS

2025 U-GREEN US | GREEN BUILDING SCHOOL

REGENERATIVE ARCHITECTURE

- 6-Hours course about Biomimetics, Biophilia and Circularity.

2025 AIA U | By Darla Ferreira

Ancient Design Principles for the Modern Day

- Explore how ancient design principles can inform modern sustainable and wellness-focused architecture.
- Understand how early color psychology and four historical design theories influence today's design trends

2025 AIA U | By Julian Treasure

Beyond the Noise - Experience with Acoustics

- Explore how acoustical strategies improve occupant comfort, productivity, and well-being in various building types
- Gain insight into different materials, products, and design strategies that enhance acoustical performance.

2021 U-GREEN US | GREEN BUILDING SCHOOL

SUSTAINABLE ARCHITECTURE AND INTERIORS

- Behind the scenes & best strategies of sustainable projects.
- 40 Hours of green building training.

2019 ZAHA HADID ARCHITECTS | ALY MAGDY STUDIO

PARAMETRIC DIGITAL FABRICATION

- Designing and fabricating a pavilion in El-Shatby, Alexandria.

INTERNSHIPS & SCHOLARSHIPS

2023 MCKINSEY & COMPANY

McKinsey Forward Program

- 6 Month program to develop practical skills and learning how to apply the McKinsey approach to problem-solving.

2020 ATIS AVIATION ACADEMY | SCHOLARSHIP

GROUND PRIVATE PILOT

- Studying aviation principles on a CESSNA-172 aircraft.

2019 T.H.E. ARCHITECTS AND PLANNERS | INTERNSHIP

TECHNICAL OFFICE ARCHITECT

- Evaluate contractors, Quantity surveying and attend meetings.

2016 EGYPTAIR | THE ARAB CONTRACTORS | INTERNSHIP

SITE ENGINEER | FINISHES

- Specify materials, Oversee installation of the elements & Evaluate work for compliance of plans & Reporting to the seniors.

2013 MICROSOFT | INTERNSHIP

GRAPHIC DESIGNER

- Assisting with technical tasks, Creating prototypes & solutions.