

EDUCATION

2005

**Masters of Architecture
University of Waterloo**

2001

**Bachelor of Environmental Studies
Honours Co-op Program
University of Waterloo**

MICHAELA MACLEOD

Michaela MacLeod is an Urban Designer, currently part of a team commissioned to redevelop a core downtown site in Fredericton along the St. John River in New Brunswick.

Michaela has worked as an Intern Architect in Moncton, Toronto, and London, where she has been involved in architectural and urban-scale projects. She combined her professional experience with her academic research, working as a studio professor for the University of Waterloo in Rome, Italy and Cambridge, Ontario.

Michaela completed her Masters of Architecture degree at the University of Waterloo. Her research explored a decommissioned landfill site, located on the Petitcodiac River in Moncton, New Brunswick. Lack of proper dumping and closure procedures has left the ground and the water surrounding the site contaminated. Considering the river's hydrology and the landfill's toxicity, the project aimed to weave the degraded site back into the natural and cultural patterns that exist in the larger scale of the region and develop a new relationship between urban systems, natural process, and public space.

These concepts translate to her urban design approach, which focuses on the importance of initial studies of natural and cultural systems of the site within the larger context of the city and the region so that a sensitive intervention, capturing the spirit of place, may be proposed.

Her interest is in remediation technologies, ecosystems theory, and landscape urbanism.

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

2006	Urban Designer, Urban Strategies Inc., Toronto, Ontario
2006	Adjunct Professor, University of Waterloo, Cambridge, Ontario
2006	Research Assistant, University of Waterloo, Cambridge, Ontario
2006	Assisant Professor, University of Waterloo, Rome, Italy
2002	Teacher, Harrison Trimble High School, Moncton, New Brunswick
2001	Intern Architect, Hurley Robertson Architects, London, England
2000	Intern Architect, Young and Wright Architects Inc., Toronto, Ontario
1999	Intern Architect, Ralph Giannone Architect, Toronto, Ontario
1999	Intern Architect, Architecture 2000 Inc., Moncton, New Brunswick

SELECTED PROJECTS

2006	Downtown Convention Centre, Fredericton, New Brunswick
2001	Thorgmorton Avenue office renovation, London, England
2000	Thornhill Condominiums, Toronto, Ontario
1999	BarOne Restaurant, Toronto, Ontario
1999	Moncton City Hall, Moncton, New Brunswick

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