

# Rae Atkinson

## Education

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### Rice University

*Master of Architecture, 2024 (Expected)*

### University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

*B.A. with Distinction & Highest Honors, 2015*

Major: Interdisciplinary Studies in Urban  
Planning & Sustainable Development

Minors: Geography, Entrepreneurship

## Engagement

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### PLAT Journal, Rice Architecture

*Copy Editor | Issue 9.5 (Summer 2021)*

### Anti-Racism Collective, Rice Architecture

*Member | August 2020 - Present*

### Urban Land Institute, Austin TX

*Member | January 2017 - July 2020*

## Technical Skills

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### 3D Design

- » Rhino
- » VisualArq
- » Vray
- » Enscape
- » Lumion

### Graphics

- » Adobe InDesign
- » Adobe Illustrator
- » Adobe Photoshop

### Analysis

- » ArcGIS
- » QGIS
- » Microsoft Excel
- » Tableau

## Contact

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## Experience

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### Moody Center for the Arts, Rice University

*Curatorial Assistant | May 2021 - August 2021*

- » Worked with curators and artist, Kapwani Kiwanga, to finalize plans for two large-scale installations
- » Prepared renderings and scale drawings for installations

### Uneven Runoff, Rice University

*Research Collaborator with Amelyn Ng | August 2020 - August 2021*

- » Investigated spatial inequality of flooding, stormwater runoff, and toxicity in Houston, TX through geospatial data analysis
- » Helped lead meetings with members of affected communities

### RCLCO Real Estate Advisors, Austin, TX

*Senior Associate | June 2018 - July 2020*

- » Organized and managed consulting engagements for clients including developers, investors, and public sector groups to inform strategic land use decision-making
- » Managed project teams of one to four analysts and associates
- » Envisioned and implemented a monthly "Skill Share" program for peer-to-peer knowledge exchange across a 70-person company

*Associate | July 2016 - June 2018*

- » Conducted and compiled economic, demographic, and real estate data for consulting engagements
- » Analyzed and visualized above data using Excel and GIS to create infographics and maps
- » Interpreted findings of data and contributed to client deliverables including reports and dashboards

### RED Collective, Durham, NC

*Brand and Office Manager | October 2015 - May 2016*

- » Collaborated on initial branding strategy for start-up brokerage
- » Designed collateral materials including yard signs, advertisements, and brochures

## Honors

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- » 1st Place & Audience Choice; Gulf Coast Green Competition; AIA Houston | 2021
- » Full Tuition Award; Rice Architecture | 2020-2024
- » Degree with Highest Honors; UNC Chapel Hill | 2015
- » Degree with Distinction; UNC Chapel Hill | 2015
- » Phi Beta Kappa; Alpha Chapter of North Carolina | 2014
- » Carolina Scholar Full Tuition Award; Honors Carolina, 2011-2015