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A highly motivated Senior Architecture Student at the American University in Dubai, dedicated to designing innovative, functional, and aesthetically compelling spaces that enhance human experiences. Passionate about human-centered architecture and urban design, with a deep commitment to integrating social, cultural, and environmental considerations into every project.

With a strong foundation in architectural research, digital fabrication, and urban analysis, I strive to push design boundaries through an interdisciplinary approach, combining technology, creativity, and sustainability.

Competitions and Nominations



Participated in Tilal Al Ghaf Clubhouse Design Competition ===== 2022

Nominated at DXBDW X RIBA: Future Architects ===== 2024

Film Exhibited and nominated at Rural Villages ECRD Competition ===== 2025

Nominated in GeoHub Dubai Municipality ARCGIS Competition ===== 2025

Education

American University In Dubai

Bachelor of Architecture | GPA 3.5 ===== 2021 -Present

Dean's List Academic Achievement Award recipient x2 ===== 2024

Software Proficiency

 Revit ● ● ● ● ●

 AutoCad ● ● ● ● ○

 ARCGIS ● ● ● ● ○

 Rhino ● ● ● ● ○

 Sketchup ● ● ● ○ ○

 Photoshop ● ● ● ● ●

 InDesign ● ● ● ● ●

 Illustrator ● ● ● ○ ○

 Vray ● ● ● ○ ○

 TwinMotion ● ● ● ● ●

 Procreate ● ● ● ● ●

Languages

Arabic ===== Native

English ===== Fluent

Skills



Sketching & Drawing

Illustration & Graphic Design

Photography & Visual Documentation

Color Theory & Composition

Painting

Team Management

Problem Solving

Architecture Competencies

Model Making

Photoshop rendering

3d Modeling

CNC Milling & Laser Cutting

Parametric Design

Site Analysis & Urban Planning

Texture Mapping & Material Application