

FRANK SHAW BARBOUR

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Education

- **Master of Landscape Architecture.** Mississippi State University, Starkville, MS, August 2008. Thesis: Recreation as Destination: How a Public Recreation Space Influences Physical Activity in a Low-Income Neighborhood in a Small Mississippi Town.
- **Bachelor of Arts. English, Environmental Studies Minor.** The University of the South, Sewanee, TN. May 2004.

Work Experience

- **Landscape Architect Designer, Stantec Consulting Inc., New York, NY, Jan. 2008-April 2010.** Responsible for the preparation of conceptual, preliminary and final landscape architectural plans, cost estimates, environmental assessment statements, and construction documents for public agency projects. Experience includes urban design and streetscape improvements, playground design, and public park/open space design. Project examples include the Reconstruction of Fort Washington Park, NY, NY; reconstruction of East Houston Street, NY, NY; PlaNYC's Schoolyards to Playgrounds initiative in all 5 boroughs of NYC; Broad Street Streetscape Improvements, Newark, NJ; landscape improvements for the replacement of the historic Crane Road Bridge, Scarsdale, NY.
- **Graduate Research Assistant, Department of Landscape Architecture, Mississippi State University (MSU), Fall 2006-Fall 2007.** Conducted thesis research on the effects of a public recreation space on physical activity in a low-income neighborhood in West Point, MS as a pilot study for future research projects and publications in the area of active living.
- **Graduate Research Assistant, Department of Landscape Architecture, MSU, Spring 2005-Summer 2006.** "Highway 49 Transportation Corridor Development Alternatives Study: Integrating Smart Growth into Transportation Corridor Planning" Development of a GIS conceptual model, literature review and background research, writing and editing of progress reports and final project report.
- **Lab Technician, Department of Forestry, MSU, Summer/Fall 2004**
Greenhouse maintenance, plant care, tree planting, insect collection, lab maintenance, edited molecular genetics research proposals.
- **Maintenance Technician, Friends of Abbo's Alley, Sewanee, TN, May-August 2003**
General maintenance and care of Abbo's Alley Ravine Garden.
- **Personal Care Assistant, Reach Inc., Bozeman, MT, June-August 2002**
Cared for mentally disabled individuals residing in group care homes, duties included food preparation and feeding, administering of prescribed medications, bathing and hygiene care, general supervision of residents.
- **Maintenance Technician, Physical Plant Services, The University of the South, Sewanee, TN, June-August 2001**
Assistant to the university's head plumber, performed all plumbing maintenance operations for The University of the South.
- **Farmhand, Riverside Plantation, Sidon, MS, May-August 1995-2000**
Worked on cotton/soybean farm; tasks included general equipment maintenance, pest control, basic carpentry, and tractor operation.

Skills

- **Computer**
AutoCAD 2004-2008; Adobe Photoshop 7, CS, CS2, CS4; Adobe InDesign CS2, CS4, Adobe Acrobat Professional; SketchUp 5, 6; Microsoft Excel, Microsoft Word, Microsoft PowerPoint, Bentley Microstation V8 XM
- **Hand Graphics**
Color rendering with Chartpak markers, pastels, colored pencils, freehand sketching, drafting of sections, plans, elevations,
- **Communication**
PowerPoint presentations, layout of presentation plans and booklets, poster layout/design, writing/editing text documents and articles
- **Research Skills**
Behavior observation, secondary source research, writing, editing, and preparation of research reports

Special Interests

- Traveling, reading, playing music, digital photography, camping/hiking

Awards and Certifications

- Planning & Design Award, Department of Landscape Architecture, Mississippi State University, May 2007
- Communications Award, Department of Landscape Architecture, Mississippi State University, May 2007
- Outstanding Research Assistant Award, Department of Landscape Architecture Mississippi State University, May 2007
- Eagle scout, CPR/First Aid certification, Certificate of Recognition for 100 hours of community service from VISIONS Inc.*

* VISIONS Inc. is a cross-cultural summer community service program. My particular program took place in Urubamba, Peru during June of 1999.

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Conference Papers / Presentations

- Walker, J., Wilkerson, G.W.W., Barbour, F., and Dumas, J.D. 2007. Integrating Smart Growth into Transportation Corridor Planning to Promote Economic Development and Active Living. Fabos Greenway Symposium Proceedings, University of Massachusetts, <http://www.umass.edu/greenway/fabos/>.
- Barbour, F., Walker, J.W., Seymour, M., Fulford, T. 2007. Recreation as Destination: The Role of Recreation Space in a Low-Income Community in a Small Mississippi Town. Council of Educators in Landscape Architecture (CELA) 2007 Annual Meeting: Negotiating Landscapes. Pennsylvania State University. August 18, 2007. <http://www.outreach.psu.edu/C&I/cela/>

Publications

- Barbour, Frank. "Working Across Disciplines Toward Gulf Coast Solutions." Planetizen, April 3, 2006. www.planetizen.com

References

- **Mr. Edward Schnell**, AICP, Associate, Stantec Consulting Inc., 50 West 23rd Street, 8th Floor, New York, NY 10010, (212)-366-5600, edward.schnell@stantec.com
- **Mr. Jason Walker**, ASLA, Associate Professor, Department of Landscape Architecture, Mississippi State University, Box 9725 Mississippi State, MS 39762, (662)-325-4561, jwalker@lalc.msstate.edu
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