

DAVID GURKA
ARCHITECTURAL ILLUSTRATIONS



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OCCUPATION Architectural Visualization Illustrator / Conceptual Artist

OBJECTIVE Seek opportunity as a Conceptual Designer and Visualization Illustrator for Architecture-Engineering Projects.

SKILLS

- 2D & 3D CADD Architectural Presentation Illustrations and Graphics; 3-Dimensional Rendering; Exterior, Interior and Site Views
- 2D Rendered Building Floor Plans, Elevations and Site Plans
- 3D Building Exterior / Interior Renderings and Movie Animations

Digital Media: Trimble SketchUp/Layout, SU Podium/Walk, AutoCAD Architecture/Civil 3D
Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Acrobat

Traditional Media: Hand drawings and sketches; pencil, pen&ink, marker.

EXPERIENCE

2016-present **CONTRACT ARCHITECTURAL ILLUSTRATOR**, The Villages, FL

Create technical, architectural/engineering CAD drawings and graphic illustrations for clients; architects, building construction contractors and property developers on a freelance basis. Utilize digital applications; AutoCAD, SketchUp, Photoshop. Prepare Renderings of buildings and entourage/site context. Prepare finished illustrative graphics and renderings for display and presentation.

2009-2016 **Florida Dept. of Transportation (FDOT),**
Florida's Turnpike Enterprise Headquarters, Orlando, FL

ENGINEERING SPECIALIST - CADD

Prepared CAD conceptual planning and design of proposed and improvement projects; Facilities buildings and toll plaza systems design for The Florida Department of Transportation. CADD creation and drafting of engineering plans for construction of Toll Systems Engineering Projects. Performed on job site surveys. Creation of digital 3-dimensional conceptual illustrations and computer models of existing and proposed Toll Systems Designs and Planning Projects. Utilized digital software: AutoCAD Civil, SketchUp

2005-2008 **Dober, Lidsky, Mathey Inc.**, Belmont, MA

CADD SPECIALIST/GRAPHIC ILLUSTRATOR

Prepared graphic Illustrations; site plans and diagrams for a Consulting Firm that provides campus and facility planning for Colleges and Universities. Created graphic and illustrative building floor / site plans depicting existing and proposed conditions. Performed on-site surveys and research GIS mapping data for analysis drawings. Presented data in graphic drawings depicting property, topography, and environmental context. Created digital 3-dimensional conceptual massing models and building studies. Utilized digital software; SketchUp, AutoCAD, Adobe Illustrator and Photoshop.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

University of Massachusetts/Dartmouth, North Dartmouth, MA

Bachelor of Arts - Multidisciplinary Studies, major in Communication Graphics Design

Springfield Technical College, Springfield, MA, Certificate of Architectural Technology

Boston Architectural College, Boston, MA, Architectural Rendering Program