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of modern architectural design!



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APPROACH TO ARCHITECTURE:

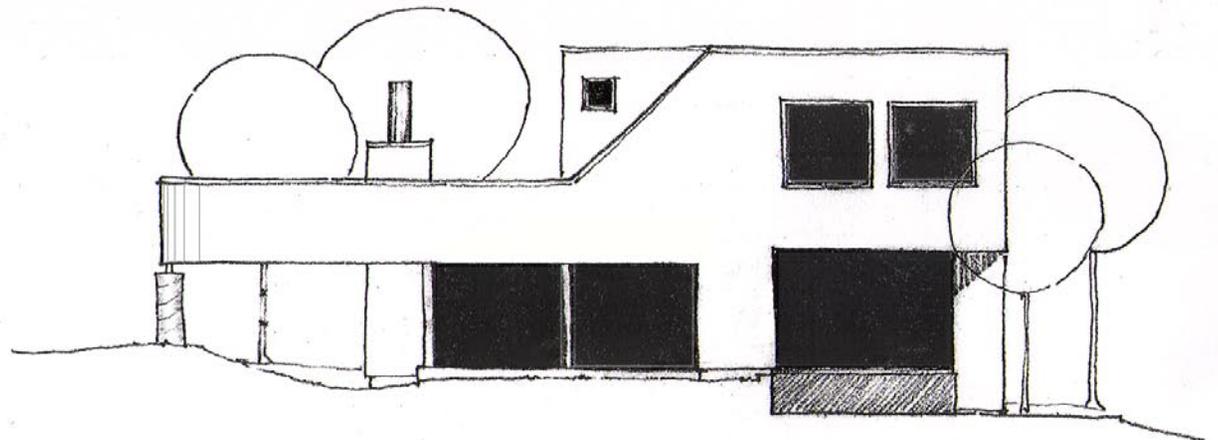
We live, work, and play in and around buildings. Aside from an occasional walk in the countryside, the built environment surrounds us at most every moment of our lives. Buildings provide space for our activities and the necessities of life. They become a part of our world and a part of our lives offering wondrous images and memorable experiences. From the power and grace of the European cathedrals to modern geometric works, buildings provide artistic images and environments that enrich and illuminate our lives.

Within that context it is our goal to design buildings that go beyond simply providing shelter; buildings which express an individual identity. Buildings that provide enjoyable and unique living and working environments. The work of CSA is varied, involving vernacular and modern forms. We do not have an established imagery or architectural style. Each project is tailored to fit the client's personality, needs and desires. Our ultimate goal is the client's satisfaction and delight, we look at everything with their needs and circumstance in mind.

It is our conviction that the most important thing we can bring to a project is our creativity in solving problems, space planning and designing the visual image and forms. This creative emphasis, along with our deep concern for the fundamental behavioral implications of our work, directs the focus of the firm. We will transform your goals, desires and ideas into reality.

INTENTIONS

We pride ourselves on the way we fit our projects into the site, the way we incorporate the clients goals and desires into a functional artistic solution. The award winning firm has received many compliments on our forms, attention to detail, use of color and particularly on the way we use light.



Goodhue Residence



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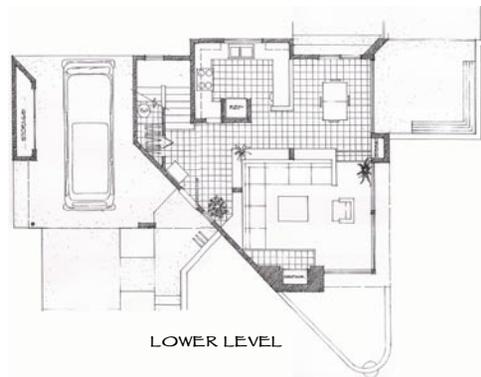
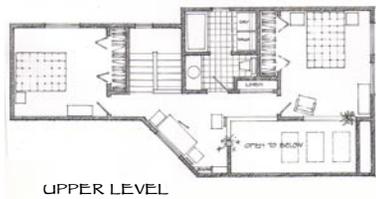
Dillon Residence



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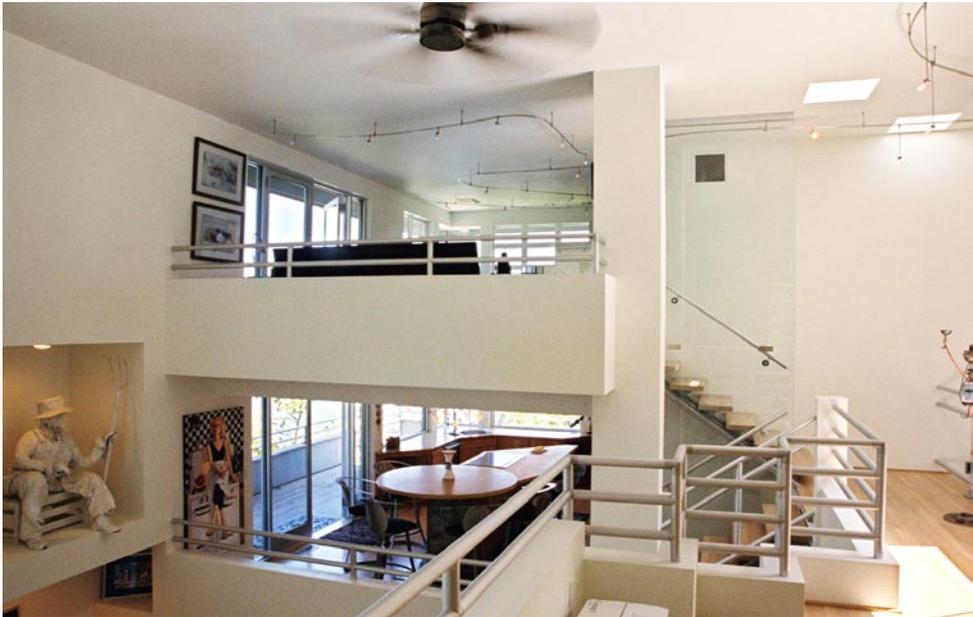
E.D. Saxman Residence



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DeForest Residence



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the Loft Apartment



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Various Other Residences



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Presentation



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Multi-family & Commercial



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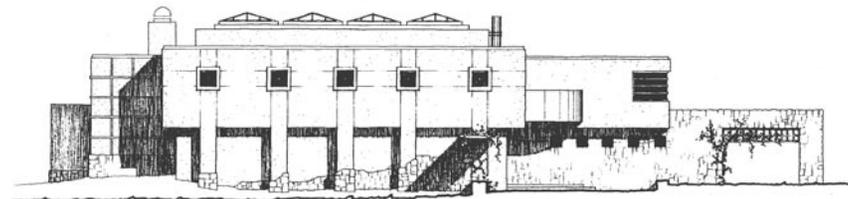
Details & Furniture



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METHODS:

Our method is to first establish a program that defines exactly how the client wants the building to work, feel and look, within their budget limits. We then visit and analyze the site to determine how it will influence the design. Both the program and site analysis are melded into a solution that fits into the environment and provides for the client's requirements. The more factors we consider, the more likely the success of our designs. We pride ourselves on the way we incorporate the clients goals and desires into a functional artistic solution.

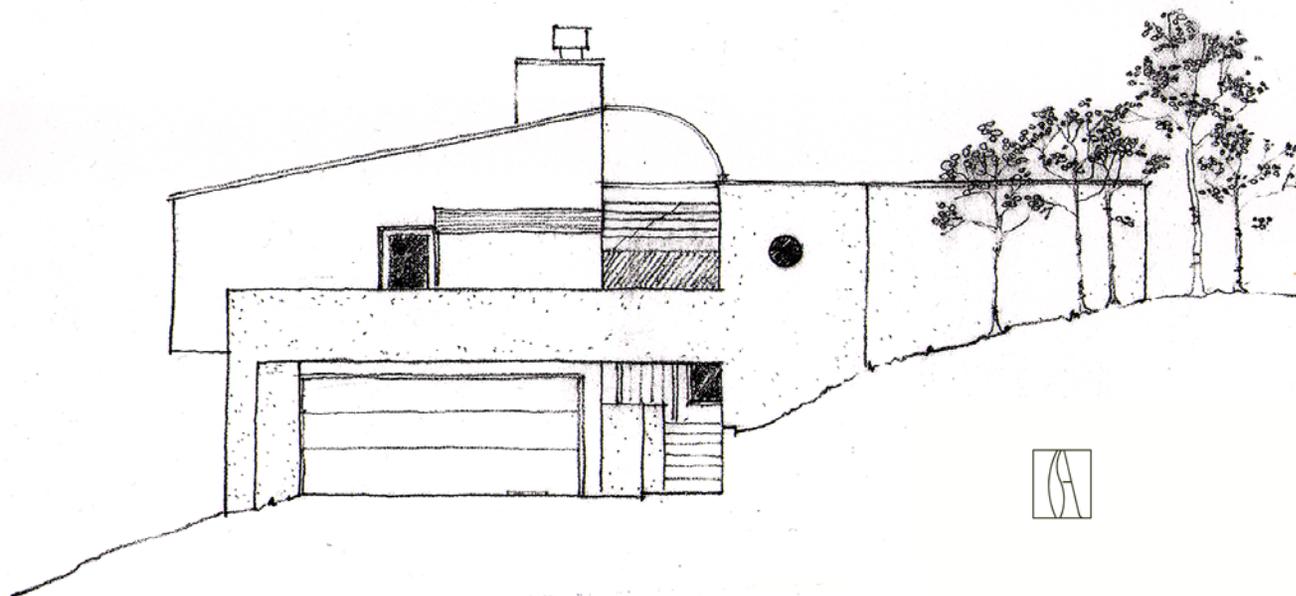
FIRM DESCRIPTION:

The architectural firm of CSA was located in Oak Harbor Wa. from 1978 to 2009. We relocated in New Mexico in 2009. During the life of our business, we have completed several hundred projects. Projects ranging from affordable housing to large, multi-story commercial buildings. The majority of work is completed in-house on the computer to better coordinate all aspects of the design. In Addition Christopher has worked as a contractor on the job. He knows what it takes to get a project constructed as well as how to work with your contractor.

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ARCHITECTURAL PROFILE

EDUCATION:

Bachelor of Arts in Architecture - 1972

Montana State University - Bozeman, M T

Alpha Rho Chi Medal Recipient

Awarded by the National Professional Fraternity for Architecture and the Allied Arts for leadership, professional merit, and design excellence

AIA Scholastic Award Recipient

Awarded by the American Institute of Architects for excellence in the field of Architecture

Masters Degree in Architecture - Montana State University - 2005

WORK EXPERIENCE:

Principal Architect & Owner

Christopher Saxman, Architect - Oak Harbor, WA

Conceptualized, designed and oversaw complete permitting and construction processes of over 300 custom single family residences, ranging from 502 government housing to multi-million dollar homes.

Designed, permitted, and oversaw construction of over 20 multi-family projects.

Designed and permitted over 50 commercial, office, and retail projects.

Managed and directed advertising, accounting, and administrative procedures of the firm.

General Contractor - Gargoyle Construction - Oak Harbor, WA

Developed, designed and provided general contracting services from conceptualization to completion for over 30 single family residences and 6 multi-family projects, including acquisition of property and financing, permitting, and sale.

Independently remodeled several homes, including providing design and performing the majority of construction labor.

Managed and directed accounting and administrative procedures for all aspects of the business.

MILITARY SERVICE:

United States Marine Corps - Corporal/Machine Gunner 1966 - 1968

Awarded the Purple Heart for injuries sustained in combat during deployment in Vietnam. Received nine ribbons/medals for his service.

