

Amanda Loper AIA, LEED AP



Principal / Amanda focuses on the big-picture in architecture: the potential of sites to be transformed into unique, human-scaled, built environments. She established and leads DBA_BHM, our southeastern office in Birmingham, Alabama.

Amanda joined the firm in 2006 and was made Principal in 2014. Her diverse experience includes affordable housing, market-rate housing, commercial buildings, and policy studies. She frequently writes and presents on aspects of urban design and she works to bring social awareness to issues of housing and density within the urban setting.

CREDENTIALS

Education

Bachelor of Architecture,
Bachelor of Interior Architecture,
Auburn University, Alabama, 2005

Registration

CA Licensed Architect #33383
AL Licensed Architect #7789
NC Licensed Architect #14046
TN Licensed Architect #106428

Affiliations

AIA National Regional & Urban Design
Leadership Group
Urban Land Institute, Member
SPUR, Member
Leadership Birmingham
2018 Mayors' Design Summit, Alabama
SF Housing Action Coalition
(former Board Member)
SFHAC (former Project Review
Committee Chair)
SF Bicycle Coalition (former Member)

CONTACT

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SELECT EXPERIENCE

Planning + Policy

Lee Walker Heights Master Plan, Asheville, NC
Midway Village Master Plan, Daly City, CA
HOME-SF Affordable Housing Bonus Program, City of San Francisco
Pier 70, San Francisco

Affordable Housing

1950 Mission Street, San Francisco
Lee Walker Heights Affordable Housing, Asheville, NC
Hunters View Block 10, San Francisco
Station Center Family Housing, Union City, CA
Richardson Apartments, San Francisco
Tassafaronga Village, Oakland, CA
888 Seventh Street, San Francisco
Paseo Senter at Coyote Creek, San Jose, CA

Market-Rate Housing

2nd & 20th North, Birmingham, AL
855 Brannan, San Francisco
388 Fulton, San Francisco
Potrero 1010, San Francisco
Rincon Green, San Francisco
Pacific Cannery Lofts, Oakland, CA

Commercial + Hospitality

Parkside Hotel, Birmingham, AL
Golden Age Wine Shop, Birmingham, AL
Blueprint Building, Birmingham, AL
Harmon Guest House, Healdsburg, CA
Hotel Sebastopol, Sebastopol, CA
Saint Frank Coffee Cafés and Roastery, San Francisco

SELECT PANELS + PRESENTATIONS

"9 Ways to Build Community with Design," AIA North Alabama, 2019
ULI Design Forum, Denver, 2018
UrbanismNext, Portland, 2018
Design Week Birmingham, 2017

