

Education	The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tennessee 2005 - 2010 <i>Bachelor of Architecture degree</i> <i>GPA: 3.40 \ 4.00</i> <i>Design GPA: 3.71 \ 4.00 magna cum laude</i>
	Eidgenössische Technische Hochschule (ETH), Zürich, Switzerland FA 2009 <i>Guest student in Departement Architektur under the Chair of Prof. Josep Lluís Mateo</i>
	Hixson High School, Chattanooga, Tennessee 2001 - 2005 <i>GPA: 3.75 \ 4.00; graduated with honors</i>
Experience	University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tennessee 2010 - Present <i>Research Specialist, A New Norris House Project in College of Architecture and Design</i> <i>Construction mangement of the college's largest design/build endeavor to date</i>
	University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tennessee 2009 - 2010 <i>Undergraduate Teaching Assistant, College of Architecture and Design</i> <i>Summer "Design Matters" camp for high school students</i> <i>Arch 122, Drawing and Abstraction</i>
	Carlton Architecture, Asheville, North Carolina 2007 - 2008 <i>Freelance model builder</i>
	Chattanooga Golf and Country Club, Chattanooga, Tennessee 2007 - 2008 <i>Head Lifeguard</i> <i>Responsible for the safety of a large summer pool operation</i> <i>Managed seventeen lifeguards</i>
	Colonial Shores Swim Team, Chattanooga, Tennessee 2003 - 2008 <i>Head Coach</i> <i>Responsible for all operational aspects of 100+ member youth swim team</i>
	Awards and Honors
The Torchbearer Award (highest undergraduate honor bestowed by university) 2010 <i>University of Tennessee, Office of the Chancellor, Knoxville, TN</i>	
Alpha Rho Chi Medal 2010 <i>University of Tennessee, College of Architecture and Design, Knoxville, TN</i>	
Tau Sigma Delta Architectural Honor Society 2008 - 2010 <i>Invited to join as member of top 10% of class</i>	
Senator of the Year 2008,2009 <i>University of Tennessee, Student Government Association, Knoxville, TN</i>	
Citation for Extraordinary Contributions to Campus Life 2009 <i>University of Tennessee, Dean of Students Office, Knoxville, TN</i>	
Fred C. and Mary R. Koch Foundation Scholarship Award 2005 - 2007, 2009	
Tennessee HOPE Scholarship with merit 2005 - 2009	
Volunteer Scholarship 2005 - 2009 <i>University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN</i>	
Study Abroad Scholarship 2009 <i>UT Center for International Education, Knoxville, TN</i>	

Awards and Honors (continued)	Charles Evans Higdon Leadership Scholarship 2009 <i>University of Tennessee, Dean of Students Office, Knoxville, TN</i>
	J. Cary Brossman Memorial Scholarship 2008, 2009 <i>UT College of Architecture and Design, Knoxville, TN</i>
	Citation for Service to College 2008 <i>UT College of Architecture and Design Board of Advisors, Knoxville, TN</i>
	Robert Seals Scholarship 2008 <i>UT College of Architecture and Design, Knoxville, TN</i>
	Invited to join Phi Eta Sigma Honor Society 2006
Design Awards and Honors	Honor Award (A New Norris House) 2011 <i>AIA East Tennessee</i>
	NCARB Prize for Creative Integration of Research and Practice 2011 <i>National Council of Architectural Registration Boards, NCARB Prize Program</i>
	Selected for student design archive 2006 - 2010 <i>UT College of Architecture and Design, Knoxville, TN</i>
	Faculty Letters of Excellence 2009 <i>UT College of Architecture and Design, Knoxville, TN</i>
	P3 Award 2009 <i>Environmental Protection Agency Sustainable Design Competition, Washington DC</i>
	Top Award 2009 <i>UT Exhibition of Undergraduate Research and Creative Achievement, Knoxville, TN</i>
	Service to University
Pursuit, University of Tennessee Undergraduate Research Journal 2009 - 2010 <i>Review Board</i>	
CURRENT, student design journal 2008 - 2010 <i>Editor</i> <i>Led production process of annual College of Architecture and Design student publication</i>	
Archinect.com School Blogger 2008 - 2010 <i>Served as College of Architecture and Design's correspondent</i>	
Student Government Association 2007 - 2009 <i>Senator, representing College of Architecture and Design</i> <i>Led successful student lobbying effort at state legislative level, resulting in \$150,000/year of additional funding to the Tennessee HOPE scholarship program to support B.Arch programs</i>	
Students for a Just University 2007 - 2010 <i>President</i> <i>Led organization of progressive student groups on campus with focus on representation and action within student government</i>	
College of Architecture and Design: Dean's Student Advisory Council (DSAC) 2007 - 2009 <i>Served as liaison between DSAC and Student Government Association</i>	
Committee on Campus Environment 2007 - 2010 <i>Served as student representative on Chancellor's administrative committee</i>	
Students Promoting Environmental Action in Knoxville (SPEAK) 2006 - 2010 <i>Served as liaison between SPEAK and the Student Government Association</i>	
Grants and Funding	NCARB Prize for Creative Integration of Practice and Education (\$7,500) 2011 <i>Team Member; "A New Norris House: A Model for Integrated Project Delivery and Intergrated Design Teams in the Academy that builds on the New Deal Legacy of the TVA"</i>
	Environmental Protection Agency P3 Competition, Phase 2 Grant (\$75,000) 2009 <i>Team Member; "The New Norris House: A Sustainable Home for the 21st Century"</i>
	Environmental Protection Agency P3 Competition, Phase 1 Grant (\$10,000) 2008 <i>Team Member; "The New Norris House: A Sustainable Home for the 21st Century"</i>
	University of Tennessee Knoxville, Undergraduate Research Grant (\$2,000) 2008 <i>"An Investigation of Alternative Transportation Potential in South Knoxville"</i>

Publications

Mortimer, Samuel, ed. *A New Norris House: Sustainable Dwelling for the 21st Century*. Knoxville: published on demand via BLURB, 2011. Print. 264pp. (forthcoming)

Mortimer, Samuel. "Back to the Future: New Norris House Shows It's Never Too Late to Go Green." *Greenversations: The Official Blog of the US EPA*. US EPA, 04/15/2011. Web.

Mortimer, Samuel, ed. *CURRENT*. Vol. III. Knoxville: UT CoAD, 2010. Print. 94pp.

Mortimer, Samuel, and Ashley Bigham, eds. *CURRENT*. Vol. II. Knoxville: UT CoAD, 2009. Print. 109pp.

Published Design Work

Featured image for the Student Showcase Gallery, *McGraw-Hill Construction Online* 2007 - present

2011 NCARB Prize winners (forthcoming)

"Education: University of Tennessee." *Shades of Green: Tennessee Resources for Sustainable Homes and Businesses*. Ed. LLC Panache Partners. Plano: Panache Partners LLC, 2011. 18-19. Print.

Miller, Mary, ed. *CURRENT*. Vol. IV. Knoxville: UT CoAD, 2011. Print.

Blazer, Tyler. "Upload: A New Norris House." *CRIT: Overproduction*. 70 (2010): 36-41. Print.

Mortimer, Samuel, ed. *CURRENT*. Vol. III. Knoxville: UT CoAD, 2010. 48-49. Print.

"In the Green: Not Taken for "Grant-ed", Despite a tight economy, money for environmental projects is accessible," by Alan Naditz, *Sustainability: The Journal of Record*, August, 2(4): 229-233.

Mortimer, Samuel, and Ashley Bigham, eds. *CURRENT*. Vol. II. Knoxville: UT CoAD, 2009. 40-41. Print.

Resheke, Craig, and Mikey Kenney, eds. *CURRENT*. Vol. I. Knoxville: UT CoAD, 2008. 27-31. Print.

Exhibitions

"A New Norris House" July 2011 - May 2012
Norris Museum, Norris, TN

Featured within "NCARB Prize Winners" May 2011
American Institute of Architects AIA National Convention, New Orleans, LA

Featured within "The 7th Annual US EPA Sustainable Design Expo" April 2011
National Mall, Washington DC

Featured within "The East Tennessee Quality Growth Conference" March 2011
Knoxville Convention Center, Knoxville, TN

Featured within "The 6th Annual US EPA Sustainable Design Expo" 2010
National Mall, Washington DC

Featured within "63rd Annual UT Knoxville Student Art Competition" 2010
Ewing Gallery, Knoxville, TN

"//Activation Complete ...Now What?" (solo exhibition) 2009
1010 Gallery, Knoxville, TN

Featured within "Art + Architecture Honors Exhibition" 2009
Ewing Gallery, Knoxville, TN

Featured within "Tau Sigma Delta Bronze Medal Juried Exhibition" 2009
Ewing Gallery, Knoxville, TN

Featured within "Make Orange Green: Earth Day Festival" 2009
University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN

Featured within "The 5th Annual US EPA Sustainable Design Expo" 2009
National Mall, Washington DC

Featured within "Exhibition of Undergraduate Research and Creative Achievement" 2009
University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN

Featured within "UT College of Architecture and Design NAAB Accreditation Review" 2008
Ewing Gallery, Knoxville, TN

Featured within "The Gulf of Finland: Grand Tour 2007" 2007
A+A Reading Room, Knoxville, TN

Featured within "The Necessity of Seeing: Grand Tour 2006" 2006
A+A Reading Room, Knoxville, TN

Presentations

"Knoxville LEED Projects: Sustainability and 2010 Historic Preservation - Environmental Solutions in Residential Design" Continuing Education Seminar. AIA East Tennessee Chapter Meeting, 2010. (with M. French, D. Luster, J. Monaco, M. Snyder, N. Stevens, and T. Stuth)

"UPLOAD - The New Norris House: A Sustainable Home for the 21st c." (with L. Hooten, D. Luster, J. Monaco, T. Stuth, R. Morales, B. Morris, T. Herbert)
- Progress Presentation, Town of Norris 2009
- Planning Charette, Town of Norris 2008

"The New Norris House", UT Alliance of Women Philanthropists Executive Board Meeting, Knoxville, TN, (with Tricia Stuth, AIA, Assistant Professor)

"The New Norris House", The McCallie School, Science Night, Chattanooga, TN (with Tricia Stuth, AIA, Assistant Professor, and Arya Kabiri, BArch '11 Student UTK CoAD)

Press/Bibliography

A New Norris House Project

- "A New Norris House by University of Tennessee" September 18, 2011
by: Sanjay Gangal, AEC Cafe (web)
- "A New Norris House / University of Tennessee" September 7, 2011
by: Daniel Topping, ArchDaily.com (web)
- "New Norris House Seeks LEED Platinum" September 7, 2011
Jetson Green (web)
- "New Green House Has Deep Tennessee Roots" September 6, 2011
by: Susan Defreitas, Earth Techling (web)
- "Students Offer a Historic Take on Housing's Future" August 30, 2011
by: Claire Easley, Builder Online (web)
- "Making a Comeback: Milestone 1930s Home Gets Modern Update" August 29, 2011
Durability and Design: The Journal of Architectural Coatings (web)
- "UT students, staff celebrate completion of New Norris House" August 25, 2011
WBIR.com, Knoxville, Tennessee
- "New Norris House becomes a living lab" August 25, 2011
by: Allison Kropff, WVLT Volunteer TV, Knoxville, Tennessee
- "Norris home a test bed for sustainability" August 24, 2011
by: Megan Boehnke, Knoxville News Sentinel, Knoxville, Tennessee
- "UT students build house at forefront of energy efficiency" August 23, 2011
by: Mona Nair, WATE.com, Knoxville, Tennessee
- "From the School Blogs: Final Interior Shots" July 11, 2011
by: Samuel Mortimer, Archinect News (web)
- "A New Norris House Open House Preview for Norris Days" July 1, 2011
by: Tricia Stuth, The Norris Bulletin, Norris, Tennessee
- "Back to the Future: New Norris House Shows It's Never Too Late to Go Green" April 15, 2011
by: Samuel Mortimer, Greenversations: The Official Blog of the US EPA (web)
- "UT Knoxville Celebrates Earth Month" April 1, 2011
Tennessee Today
- "UT's New Norris House Wins National Architecture Award" March 29, 2011
Tennessee Today
- "Netherlands Urban Planning Students Visit Norris" March 23, 2011
The Norris Bulletin
- "New Norris House is the Ultimate Home Experiment" October 14, 2010
WBIR, Knoxville, Tennessee
- "UT Team Builds Prototype Home That Aims to Construct a Green Way of Life" October 8, 2010
by: Larisa Brass, Knoxville News Sentinel, Knoxville, Tennessee
- "Samuel Mortimer rethinks the future of small Tennessee town" July 8, 2009
by: Katy Mena, Chattanooga Times Free Press, Chattanooga, Tennessee
- "Norris House Redux" Volume 4, Issue 1, 2009
by: Tim Ezell, ISSE Indicator

<p>“Students Rethink Sustainable Housing for Norris” by: Mike Gibson, Metro Pulse, Knoxville, Tennessee</p>	June 17, 2009
<p>“The New Norris House, 2009 Edition” by: Walt Sehnert, McCook Daily Gazette, Nebraska</p>	May 18, 2009
<p>“UT Student Team Designs New ‘Norris House” TVA Today - Newsletter for TVA Employees</p>	April 24, 2009
<p>“UT Students Win Green Award for Norris Model Home Design” by: Bob Fowler, Knoxville News Sentinel, Knoxville, Tennessee</p>	April 23, 2009
<p>“UT Knoxville Students, Faculty Travel to Nation’s Capital for Sustainable Design Competition” Tennessee Today</p>	April 16, 2009
<p>Other Popular Press</p>	
<p>“Mortimer named UT Torchbearer” by: Susan Pierce, Chattanooga Times Free Press, Chattanooga, Tennessee</p>	June 5, 2010
<p>“New bill may provide hope for scholars” by: Yasmine Alotaibi, The Daily Beacon, Knoxville, Tennessee</p>	January 17, 2008

Software Proficiencies Adobe Creative Suite 5.5
Acrobat, Dreamweaver, Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop, Premier (familiar)

Microsoft Office Suite
Excel, Frontpage, Outlook, Powerpoint, Word

Autodesk Suite
AutoCAD, Revit (familiar), ECOTect (familiar)

FormZ, SketchUP 8.0 Pro, ArcGIS (familiar)

Interests and Community Activities University of Tennessee Club Swimming Team (2006 ASAU National Champion 50 yard butterfly)

The Sierra Club, Several national PACs

Actively involved in local, state, and federal political processes