



Experience

Hota Design Studio, Jacksonville, Fl. (2010 – present)
Interior Design Principal

Rink Design Partnership, Inc., Jacksonville, Fl. (2002 – 2010)
Interior Designer

Education

University of Florida, Bachelor of Design, 2002
Florida Community College at Jacksonville, Associate of Arts, 1997

Software | Skills

AutoCAD Architecture | Basic Revit | Sketchup | Adobe Photoshop | Adobe Illustrator | Adobe InDesign | Adobe Premiere | Microsoft Word | Microsoft Excel | Microsoft PowerPoint | Hand Drafting | Hand Rendering

Professional Organizations

IIDA North Florida Chapter Board Member	present
International Interior Design Association Member	present
American Society of Interior Designers Member	present
EDP Emerging Design Professionals Member	present

Awards | Honors

Jacksonville University | Marine Science Research Institute | LEED Gold
USGBC | Florida Chapter

Sustainable Shed Design Competition | Winner
EDP Jacksonville Chapter | AIA | 2010

University of North Florida Student Union | LEED Gold
AIA 2010 Award of Merit

Urban Facelift Competition | Winner
EDP Jacksonville Chapter | AIA | 2009

16 | Flat
AIA 2007 Excellence in Architecture | Winner Unbuilt

University of North Florida Library Renovation / Addition
AIA 2007 Award of Merit

University of North Florida Student Union
AIA 2007 Award of Merit | Winner Unbuilt

Southpoint Community Church
ASID Florida North Chapter | Commercial 2007

Gallery 13
AIA 2006 Award of Merit | Winner Unbuilt



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University of North Florida Library Renovation / Addition
ASID Florida North Chapter | Commercial 2006

Kenyon Beach House
ASID Florida North Chapter | Residential 2006

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IIDA Florida Chapter | Residential 2006

Commercial Design | Winner
IIDA Florida Chapter | Student Day Competition 2002

Hospitality Design | Winner
IIDA Florida Chapter | Student Day Competition 2002

Edible Design | Winner
IIDA Florida Chapter | Student Day Competition 2002

Best Overall Design | Runner Up
IIDA Florida Chapter | Student Day Competition 2002

Representative Projects

Jacksonville University Marine Science Research Institute
Jacksonville, FL | 30,000 sf | LEED Gold

University of North Florida Student Union
Jacksonville, FL | 144,00 sf | LEED Gold

The Law Offices of Farah and Farah
Jacksonville, FL | 38,000 sf

University of North Florida Library Renovation / Addition
Jacksonville, FL | 114,655 sf Renov. | 79,823 sf Add.

Southpoint Community Church
Jacksonville, FL | 75,000 sf

University of Florida Center for Marine Studies
St. Augustine, FL | 17,592 sf

University of North Florida Starbucks Kiosk
Jacksonville, FL | 4,000 sf

University of North Florida Fine Arts Center | Interior Renovation
Jacksonville, FL | 18,000 sf

Pediatric Dentistry | Office of Dr. Setzer and Dr. Cochran
Jacksonville, FL | 5,000 sf

Spiller / Vincenty Gallery | Third Street
Jacksonville Beach, FL | 950 sf

Bakkar Development | Headquarters Building
Jacksonville Beach, FL | 3,000 sf

Armor Holdings | Headquarters Building
Ponte Vedra, FL | 9,000 sf



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Office Environments and Services | Showroom Renovation
Jacksonville, FL | 4,900 sf

Keller Residence | New Construction
Green Cove Springs, FL | 3,500 sf

Pagden Residence | Interior Renovation
Ponte Vedra Beach, FL | 2600 sf

Windmark Beach | Village Center Restaurant | A St. Joe Development
Port St. Joe, FL | 9,700 sf

Café Nola | Museum of Modern Art Jacksonville
Jacksonville, FL | 1,300 sf

Professional Registrations

Licensed Interior Design | FL ID5041
NCIDQ Certification No. | 020758
Hota Design Studio, LLC | IB 1000029878